

# The Gumnut Place Newsletter

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## A Word from the Service Manager

Hello Everyone

As we watch another year draw to a close the volume of work for the busy crew at Gumnut Place is not reducing. Thank you to everyone for their hard work.

### Upcoming Events

We have our CTC End of Year Celebration fast approaching on 20 November 2015 at the Town Common Hall in Kingaroy, more details on page 2.

To celebrate International Day of People with Disability, Gumnut Place will be holding a shared morning tea on December 3, we hope you will drop in for a cuppa.

Gumnut Place will be having an "End of Year" activity day on 10 December to celebrate a successful year, all family and carers are welcome to attend. Morning tea and lunch will be provided.

The only additional closure time over the Christmas period for Gumnut Place will be from 12 noon on the 24 December 2015 outside of normal public holidays. Please let us know asap if you want to take leave during December.

### Staff Changes

Jenny Bramley is retiring at the end of the month, Jenny has been an amazing support for many employees in the kitchen over the past 7 years. We wish Jenny all the best in her retirement. Kaylene Johnston who is also a part time Support Worker in the kitchen and laundry will be leaving us at the end of the year also. We are having a BBQ lunch for Jenny and Kaylene on Thursday 26 November, all are welcome.

We have two new Support Workers starting in the kitchen this month, Sally Dan and Robyn Cobby and three new supported employees starting, two in the kitchen and one in the Workshop. We are looking forward to working with all our new colleagues.

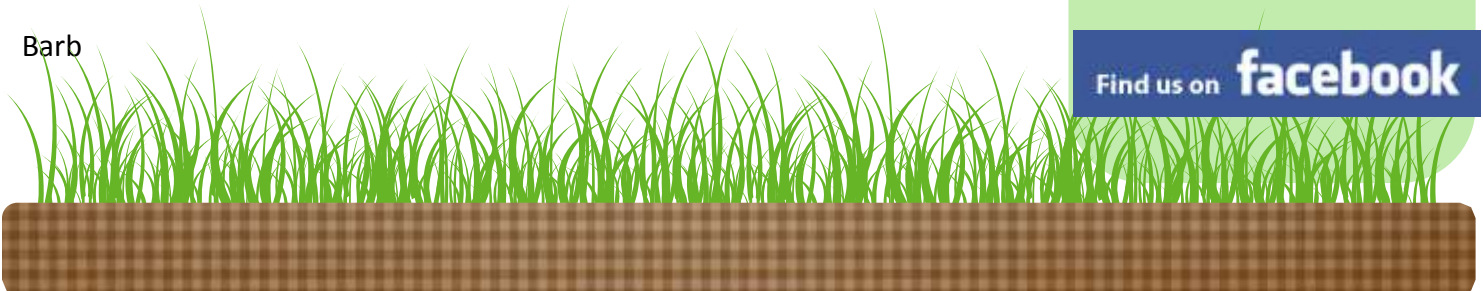
Happy holiday to everyone, hope you all have a relaxing break.

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- CTC Bus Service—If you are running late and need to contact the CTC Bus call 0400 045 105. The bus leaves the Youth Park 7.50am sharp week days.
- Check out our the dog bed competition on facebook.
- Don't forget your holiday orders, see the attached Christmas Menu.
- The Gumnut Place will be closed from 12noon on the 24 December. Bus drop off in Kingaroy will be approx. 1pm.

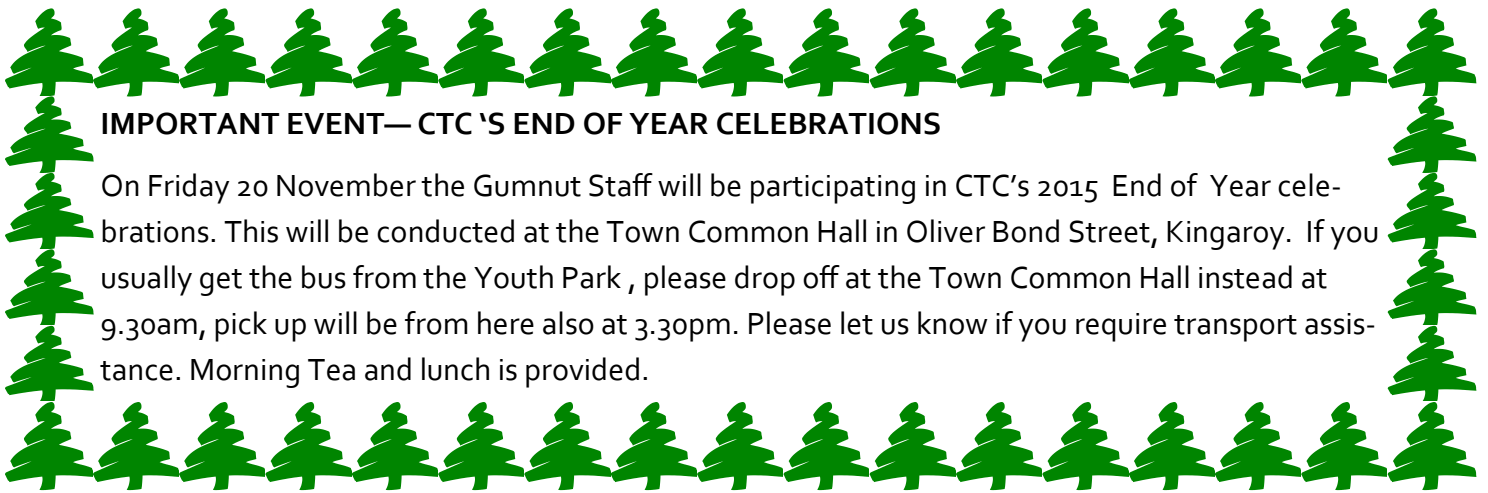
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## A Peak in the Garden

Graham, Les and Grant have been working very hard over the past few months producing a wonderful array of vegetables which have mostly been utilised in the kitchen. After a consultation visit from a local retired potato farmer Gumnut have had two huge crops of potatoes which have been used to make the Gumnut potato bake which is sold through our outlet at IGA in Murgon as well as general orders from the public. The crops which have thrived in our garden, and have been used in the kitchen include carrots, zucchini, chilli, spring onions, oregano, potatoes, lettuce, silverbeet, broccoli, cauliflower, sweet potato, beetroot, radish, onions and garlic. We can't wait to see what these three green thumbs produce next.



### IMPORTANT EVENT— CTC 'S END OF YEAR CELEBRATIONS

On Friday 20 November the Gumnut Staff will be participating in CTC's 2015 End of Year celebrations. This will be conducted at the Town Common Hall in Oliver Bond Street, Kingaroy. If you usually get the bus from the Youth Park , please drop off at the Town Common Hall instead at 9.30am, pick up will be from here also at 3.30pm. Please let us know if you require transport assistance. Morning Tea and lunch is provided.

**Complaints and Compliments** - We value your feedback to improve our services - you can call Barb (Service Manager) on (07) 4168 1852 or CTC Head Quarters on (07) 4162 9000.



Gumnut can fill all your holiday needs! Try our new holiday cupcakes from the attached Christmas menu, or perhaps you need a gift for your best friend? Or maybe some glasses etched with a special message? Visit [www.sbctc.com.au/gumnut](http://www.sbctc.com.au/gumnut) to view all our products?

