

## **Growing Friends Volunteer Application Form**

The Growing Friends meet every Friday to propagate material from the Botanic Gardens to sell at their Friday and biannual sales.

To become involved, please complete the form below and email it to: friends@frbgmelb.org.au

Volunteers need to be a member of the Friends, you can join here

Applicant details
Full name:
Postal address:
Friends' membership number:
Expiration date:
Contact Details
Mobile/landline number:
Email address:
Emergency contact name and mobile number:
Emergency contact name and mobile number:  Horticultural/botanical qualifications and/or experience:

## The Work

The Growing Friends operates a plant nursery propagating and raising plants for sale. Nursery operations follow accepted nursery procedures including rigorous record keeping via our stock database.

## **Plant Sections**

Bromeliads	Orchids	Australian flora	Climbers, Hanging
			baskets
Succulents/cacti	Camellias	Perennials	Ferns
Bulbs; Irises	Rhododendrons	Shrubs	Herbs
	(Vireyas)		
	Sarracenias	Trees	Begonias

Do you have experience or a particular interest in, or knowledge of any of these plant groups? (Please indicate with any relevant details)

Our control systems include rigorous tracking of our stock via an extensive database, regular stock take and plant hygiene. There are also administrative tasks that support the operations e.g.: purchasing; sales; database & spreadsheet operations; maintaining the library etc.

**Do you have specific skills or experience** in any of these or other areas of administration? (please indicate with relevant details)

Note: volunteers all work in one or more plant group sections as well as sharing the administrative tasks.

I'M AVAILABLE TO START (please tick or complete)

NOW

**OR: NOT UNTIL** 

OR: EXPECT TO BE AVAILABLE

OR: PLEASE REMOVE MY NAME FROM THE APPLICATION LIST