


September in the Garden


Its Spring, such a wonderful time of the year as the buds of deciduous trees start to emerge, spring blossoms add colour and scent into the air. The days are lengthening and warming up, mother nature is just so alive with change and growth.

Such an exciting time in the garden as the preparation over winter starts to take shape and come alive with growth and colour. Unfortunately, that also means the weeds are growing and need to be pulled out before they flower and seed, making this year's weeds also next year's weeds times 10!

Citrus  Gall wasp needs to be taken out now before they hatch and do more damage. Its best to prune below the swollen gall to remove it from the tree. You must not put it in the compost or green waste but either burn it or cut it open then place it in a bag filled with water.

 **Seeds to plant-** Carrot, Parsnip, Turnip, Snow Pea, Beans, ant Lettuce, Rhubarb,

 **Seedlings to plant-** Tomatoes, Capsicum, Chillie, Zucchini, Cucumber, Pumpkin, Nasturtium, Snapdragon, Marigold

 **Herbs to plant-** Camomile, Coriander, Echinacea, Catnip, Thyme, Lemon Balm (in a pot as it can take over)



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