

# Backyard Fruit Tree Care & Pruning Workshops



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Winter is the time to get your fruit trees into shape for the coming growing season. Whether your fruit trees are a little wayward and in need of some TLC but you have no idea where to start, or you'd simply like to improve your pruning techniques then head along to one of these workshops. If you're someone considering establishing a backyard orchard of your own, then this would be a great introduction into taking care of it.

## Presented by Nicholas Gerhard from Soil by Design

(Nicholas' qualifications include permaculture design, market gardening & holistic management amongst many others)

The workshop will cover:

- Overview of soil biology and how it affects the tree's viability
- Preparing the ground for new tree planting
- Hard and light fruit tree pruning
- Introduction to fruit tree grafting
- Fruit fly awareness and management strategies



## Dates and Locations

Temora – Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July (rsvp Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> July)

Young – Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August (rsvp Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> August)

Grenfell – Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August (rsvp Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> August)

West Wyalong – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August (rsvp Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> August)



**Workshops run from 10am until 1pm  
Cost is \$10 per person**

Places are limited so to reserve your spot, please RSVP to  
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with which workshop you'd like to attend  
(light lunch/refreshments provided)

