Our final working bee for 2012 is scheduled for **Saturday 17 November, from 12.30pm - 4.30pm.**

We have a number of tasks, quite a few of which are focused on the gardening side of things: Collect litter (inc leaf litter) and sweep sand, Clean drains, Weed, Relocating the apple trees from the northern boundary to the Glen Iris Rd boundary, near the main gate, Planting a vegetation screen on the outside of the rain water tanks, Remove a couple of ‘unwanted’ trees/stumps, Rehabilitate a garden bed near the prep play area.

**SPECIAL REQUEST WORKING BEE**

I am also seeking volunteers: eight to ten hardy lads and lasses are needed to rebuild a raised garden bed near the prep play area – the wooden sleepers have rotted through.

We need 4 to 5 lads and lasses for Saturday 17 Nov to remove the old sleepers, and a second similarly-sized group for Sunday 18 Nov to put in the new garden bed. The whole process will be supervised by Gary Bennett, our resident qualified builder. Each session should take between 4 and 5 hours.

Please get back to me if you can help at: imastoris@pc.gov.au

As always, many hands make light work, **Ilias Mastoris**

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**LIBRARY WORKING BEE**

Also Saturday 17 November, from 12.30pm - 4.30pm.

**Friends of the Library** will be holding a Library Working Bee on the same day and at the same time as the Buildings and Grounds Working Bee.

We have new books and new furniture to make our new library even better. Therefore, we need working elves to make the library come alive for Christmas. We would like to launch G.I.P.S library for 2013 and would love to have volunteers (children too), with their most festive creative ideas to help with turning this wonderful space into the Grinch Christmas library!

If you can assist with either Working Bee, please fill in the Reply Slip below and send back to GIPS.