

Hello from Anna and Jacques, and welcome to our garden. Thank you for making time to come and visit.

For the long time Darwin residents, you may know of "Tim the Toy man" who was the original owner of this home which is now a rental property.

This garden has taken me 2 years to establish. Previously I lived in a unit for 8 years and had limited space on my balcony for the few plants I had. I see this garden as an example of what you can do in a rented property with pots and passion. Showing that you don't need to be a home owner to be able to enjoy gardening. Jacques and I have built this garden with the idea that when we buy our own piece of land in the near future we can take it all with us.

Since being here, I have somewhat gone overboard with my love of gardening and plants and I'm always looking for something different to add.

I started my Adenium (desert rose) collection just over 2 years ago and have since discovered the beauty of all the different and unusual blooms that are available. Google has taught me several different ways of grafting and training for the Adeniums, there are many different techniques that can be used, my best one being 8 different flowers on one plant, which you will see in my display.

I will be conducting workshops over the weekend on how to lift the caudex (bum) and grafting, thanks to Google for the great help.

There is a variety of wildlife and insects that frequent and live in our garden, from many species of birds, goannas, ta ta lizards, possums, and many green tree frogs, bush bees, lady bugs and butterflies and the dreaded mealy bug.

With the sun always shifting, I am always moving and relocating many of the undercover plants to protect them from burn, which having them in pots makes possible. Note also the shelving mounting around the pool fence and pot stands around the rest of the garden. This allows us to create height and depth in the garden whilst keeping it all portable.

We will have a variety of plants for sale including a few Adeniums at the entrance and tea, coffee and cake will be available so you can relax, take a seat and enjoy our garden.

Most of our undercover (veranda) plants are labelled however feel free to ask any questions you may have.

Have a nice day.