

# Sample Family's Christmas Newsletter

## Season's Greetings

We would like to wish you, our family and friends, a very merry Christmas, safe holidays and a happy New Year.

We have enjoyed catching up with many of you this year, spending time together and lots of laughter and good food. Here are some highlights of what we've been doing behind the scenes.

## Going Green

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This year we decided to take advantage of our new vegetable garden and become a little more self-sufficient. We spent quite a bit of time in the sweet-smelling earth, weeding, planting, watering and more weeding, before harvesting some yummy veges.

We managed to grow a few more plants than in our last garden (below), and found that beans, courgettes and tomatoes love the sandy soil.



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## Home sweet home

The photo above is of a grand home we had the pleasure of staying in during our trip to the UK a few years ago.

This year our travel has been much closer to home. So while no overseas trips for us, the tranquility and beauty of New Zealand has been enough to keep us energised.



2010 heralds the start of a new decade, and makes us wonder what we will be doing 10 years from now!

Next time you pop in we hope to be able to share some of our produce with you, or wander down to the beach for fish and chips and simply enjoy the beautiful sunsets with you.

*Merry Christmas and a happy New Year to all!*