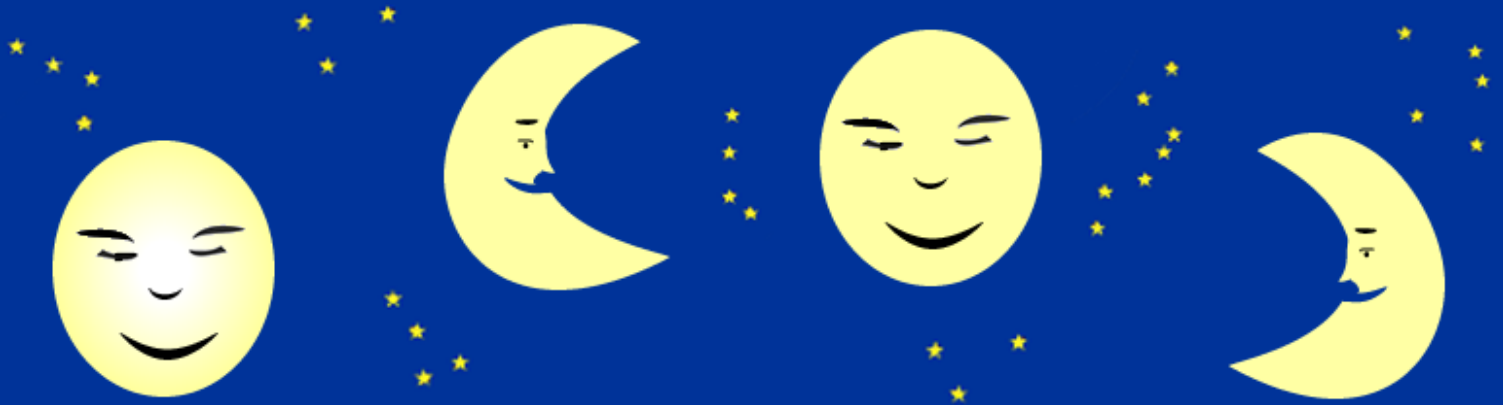


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**A time of inventiveness and intuition draws people of like ideas together.
Be prepared for unusual things to happen this month.**

- 1-2 Feb** This is the next best time to sow the seeds of fruiting annuals – preferably in movable containers – tomatoes, zucchini, squash.
- 5-6 Feb** Best time for fruiting annuals and for taking lavender and rosemary cuttings.
- 11-12 Feb** Next best time for root crops.
- 13-14 Feb** Best time for root crops – though maybe better to wait until March.
- 15-21 Feb** Garden maintenance time. Keep gutters and drains clear of leaf litter. Watch out for mossie breeding sites.
- 22 Feb** New Moon.
- 23-24 Feb** Best time for leafy annuals – try lettuce in containers . Keep a chilli spray at the ready or cover seed boxes with mosquito mesh/netting – bugs are abounding, caterpillars, grasshoppers, mealy bug – all looking for a lush green feed..

Good Plantings – Lirva.