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News Update

1 September 2021



Celebrate Spring this Saturday 4 September

Join us where the Coastcare flags fly near the picnic table at the southern (James Street) entrance to the Melaleuca Wetlands next Saturday from 2-4 pm for a special working bee.

We'll be weeding, planting and tending the dunes along the Melaleuca Wetlands south between 2–4 pm. Afterwards we'll catch up for a chat over a cuppa, something that we missed during recent Covid restrictions.

New members, especially families are always welcome.

Volunteers are reminded to wear hats, covered shoes, comfortable clothes, sunscreen, insect repellent and BYO water.

Any queries please phone Graeme on 0413352511

Wetlands weeding project forges ahead

Contractors, Bushtekniq returned to the Melaleuca Wetlands this month to continue rehabilitation work on the four-year project, “Protecting Threatened Species and Restoring Ramsar Values.” The Project is supported by Healthy Land and Water through funding from the Australian Government’s National Landcare Program.

Coastcare, with assistance from Bushtekniq and support from Redland City Council has committed to targeting weeds in hotspot locations, including waterways to help reduce threats to the wetland and restore habitat.

It’s so rewarding for Coastcarers who’ve been involved to monitor the progress of native regeneration. Members who’d like to work alongside Tali, Jono and team on their next visit please register your interest by emailing coochiecoastcare@gmail.com

Below – Contractors reduce piles of Singapore Daisy to mulch with saturated steam



Date Claimers

Saturday 2 October - Dunecare

Saturday 6 November - Dunecare

Saturday 4 December - Dunecare

Friday 10 December - Coastcare Christmas Party. Details tba



Membership fees:-

- Single annual membership \$2
- Family annual membership \$5
- Life Membership Single \$50
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