January 2021

### **Next Forum**

**Covid-19 restrictions** 

are still in place so we are planning to use Zoom for meetings for the foreseeable future ...

# Zoom Meeting 7pm February 22

## **Wonderful Wildlife near Narrabeen Lagoon**

Jayden Walsh is a keen observer of nature and has some stunning photographs and information to share. The focus will be on wildlife that



lives near the Narrabeen Lagoon and that, if you are fortunate, you may see when on the Narrabeen Lagoon



Pied Cormorant

When you register, you will be emailed a link by which you can join the Zoom session at 7pm on February 22.

Don't miss it! Register now.



https:www.narrabeenlagoon.org.au

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Lagoon

Eastern Pygmy Possum on Grevillea buxifolia

Register to participate in this Zoom session and you might find your future walks around Narrabeen Lagoon foreshore more interesting than before because you can be looking out for evidence of the wildlife that Jayden is preparing to reveal to you. Register by emailing: email@narrabeenlagoon.org.au



**Red-bellied Black Snake** 

### Ecopaddle

#### FREE PADDLE: Clean Up Narrabeen Lagoon - Sunday March 7

It's Clean Up Australia Day when we "give back". This is a fun and worthwhile activity, supported by Northern Beaches Council. We'll get into our boats and focus on the shoreline between the parks and reserves. These are the areas that Council's refuse collection crews cannot reach because the only access is by water. We'll provide bags, gloves and other equipment and you get to pick up those pesky bottles, plastic bags and other rubbish that spoils this paradise. A nice, easy couple of hours on Sunday morning with a fun group. Everyone gets into Clean Up Australia Day, so sign up and join us now. FREE kayak hire for the first ten to sign up. This event is Paddle NSW Covid-19 compliant.

To register email Tony Carr at tonycarr@ozemail.com.au.



Paddlers cleaning up Narrabeen Lagoon Shores in 2019

#### Narrabeen Lagoon Circumnavigation by kayak - 1 to 4pm Sunday February 21

Narrabeen Lagoon is one of Sydney's most spectacular and unique waterways. See the over 100 Black Swans that have taken up residence on the Lagoon and explore Sydney's newly proclaimed Narrabeen State Park with Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment's former President, Tony Carr. Depending on the conditions, we'll head east towards the ocean beach or westward to beautiful Middle and Deep Creeks. Deep Creek attracts migratory birds from as far away as Russia. We'll show you an amazing secret relic from World War 2 and take a break at a lovely, sandy swimming spot. Come on your own or bring your partner for a relaxing, fun and informative afternoon. Suit first timers - grade easy - tuition provided. *Friends* current financial members free with their own suitable kayak, otherwise rent a kayak for just \$88 per person. This event is Paddle NSW Covid-19 compliant. To enquire or register email topycarr@ozemail.com.au.

#### Walk and Weed Activity Sun 21-Feb

7.30 am Walk & Weed along the Narrabeen Lagoon catchment transverse walk. Start at Oxford Falls, walk for 3 1/2 hours, weed for 30min, continue 30min walk and car pool back to start. Bring gloves and long handled screwdriver if available. Walk grade: medium.

Bookings essential. Conny 0432643295

## **Bush Regeneration**

Bush regeneration with social distancing has resumed for now. Belrose area - Thursday mornings Belrose area - Weekend mornings Contact: Conny Harris 0432 643 295

Wheeler Creek - Wed mornings 9-11am Contact: Judith Bennett 0402 974 105 Or email: email@narrabeenlagoon.org.au

## Bushland or urban developments? Your support makes a difference!

To: Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment P.O. Box 845, Narrabeen, NSW 2101 email@narrabeenlagoon.org.au [] YES! Consider me for membership. I enclose [] \$85 for 5-yr membership (unwaged \$40) [] \$20 for 1-yr membership (unwaged \$10) [] \$5 for student membership Free for students of environmental science Name of College:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Please make membership fee cheques payable to

Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment or make a transfer to BSB 512 170 Account 3043591. Thank you.

Members need to support our mission to protect bushland in Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment. Applications for membership need to be approved by the committee.

I support FoNLC mission .....

Please sign here

I wish to make a donation of [] \$250 [] \$100 [] \$50 [] other amount \$..... to the campaign. Thank you.

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It will be most helpful to have your email address as we often use emails to communicate with members.



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