Next Forum

Blackout Narrabeen
- building resilience into our power supplies

7pm Monday Aug 22 2016
Coastal Environment Centre
Pelican Path,
Lake Park Road, Narrabeen

Power supplies are threatened by
major events e.g. storms and bushfire

The Coastal Environment Centre is adjacent to the Narrabeen
Caravan Park near where Narrabeen Lagoon joins the sea.

Michael Furey and Harley Mitchell will outline the looming
threats to our power supplies and explain how resilience
can be built into the systems. Michael specialises in
modern battery technology and Harley is an electrical
engineer working with Ausgrid on safeguards to the Sydney
electrical supply network. They will answer questions.
NOTE: After supper it will be our Annual General Meeting.

Free entry but book your tickets now. Phone: 9905 2135
Email: Judith Bennett <email@narrabeenlagoon.org.au>

Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment
Narrabeen Spring Celebration
Our catchment comes alive!

Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment’s inaugural
Spring Celebration features two weeks of activities
showcasing many of the community and sporting groups
based in this beautiful part of Sydney. This is the biggest
event we’ve mounted in our 10 year history.

No matter what your interests are, you’ll find lots to do and
fun to be had. Meet new like-minded people and learn
about the area. Half the catchment is natural bushland and
Friends’ objective is to secure the permanent protection of
this land for the benefit of future generations. It is home to
39 listed threatened species and has a rich Aboriginal
history.

So come on, get involved and help to make our catchment
come alive!

Judith Bennett, President
Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment

Here are some of the exciting events for you to try:

Saturday September 24
8.30am to 5.30pm – Walk to Palm Beach
8.30am to 1pm – Catchment Traverse
9am to 2pm – Fly model aircraft
10am to 2pm – CEC Family Fun Day

Sunday September 25
7.30am to 10am - Kayak Open Day
7.45 to 10.30 – Touch Football Grand Final Day
8am Paddleboard Time Trial
8am to 9.30am – Birdwatching walk
9am to Noon – Learn to Kayak
9.30 to 11 – Birds of the Warriewood Wetlands
1 to 4pm – Narrabeen Lagoon Eco-Paddle
10am to Noon – Bush Detectives
2pm to 4pm – Life Drawing by the Lagoon

Monday September 26
9.45am - A history walk in Ingleside

Tuesday September 27
10.30am – Tai Chi introductory lesson

Wednesday September 28
9am to 11am – Wheeler Creek Planting Day
10am to Noon – Plant Identification Walk
2-4pm – Native Plant Propagation

Thursday September 29
8.30am to 10.30am – Bush Regeneration
10am to noon – Permaculture and Ecology

Event Descriptions: Calendar of Events

Please see overleaf for the rest of the program ……..
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Built into these activities will be responsible environmental messages that will encourage the public to protect the catchment. While there will be an educational component to the events, our emphasis will very much be on family fun and entertainment.

If you can help before Sept 24 or at one of the events during the Celebration or if you belong to an organisation that would like to participate, please email tonycarr@ozemail.com.au.

Here are some more exciting events for you to try:

Friday September 30
Saturday October 1
9am to Noon - Kayak and Yoga Session
2pm – Dee Why Mosque Visit
3.30pm – The King & Queen of Green live show for children

Sunday October 2
8am to Noon – Dragon Boat Racing
11am – The Big Paddle at Pro-Kayaks
1pm-5pm Aboriginal Artifacts

Monday October 3 Labour Day

Tuesday October 4
10.30am – Tai Chi Introductory Lesson

Wednesday October 5
8.30am to 10.30am – Bush Regeneration
10 to 1 – Narrabeen Lagoon Walk for Women Seniors

Thursday October 6
10am-4pm RSL Anzac Village Open Day
2pm-4pm Discussion on Contemporary Environmental Issues

Friday October 7

Saturday October 8
8.30 to 12.30 – Cromer Circle Bushwalk
9.30am to Noon – Get in the Swim
1pm – 4pm Spring into Bushcare
2pm to 4pm – Art in the Garden with Heidi Lee

Sunday October 9
8am to Noon – Dragon Boat Racing: Give it a Go Day
11am - HIIT Functional Training Circuit

Event Descriptions: Calendar of Events

Narrabeen State Park
Action being contemplated!

You are probably aware that Pittwater, Warringah and Manly Councils have been merged into one big Northern Beaches Council. Dick Persson has been appointed as administrator of this council and is charged with merging the operations and getting the amalgamated council ready for an elected Council to take over towards the end of 2017.

We are pleased that one of the early motions by Dick Persson was to ask Council staff to report back by the end of August on which parcels of land can reasonably be added to Narrabeen State Park—Stage 1 to be land immediately adjacent to Narrabeen Lagoon and then Stage 2 to be land in the catchment such as that currently gazetted as Oxford Falls Regional Crown Reserve.

Our representatives have been given a meeting time with Dick Persson in August to discuss this further.

Trees or townhouses?
Your support makes a difference!

To: Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment
P.O. Box 845, Narrabeen, NSW 2101

[ ] YES! Consider me for membership. I enclose

[ ] $85 for 5-yr membership (unwaged $40)
[ ] $20 for 1-yr membership (unwaged $10)

Please make membership fee cheques payable to Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment or make a transfer to BSB 802 147 Account 43591. 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 wish to make a donation of

[ ] $250 [ ] $100 [ ] $50
[ ] other amount $................ to the campaign.

Make donation cheque payable to NPA-Narrabeen. Thank you.

Please print - Name: .................................................................
Address: ................................................................................
Postcode: .................................................................

Phone: ..........................................................................
Email: ..........................................................................

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

Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment Inc is associated with National Parks Association.
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