

January
2019

Next Forum

7pm Monday Feb 25 2019
Coastal Environment Centre, Pelican Path,
Lake Park Road, Narrabeen

Possums, Gliders and Fauna Surveys



Sugar Glider

Jayden Walsh and Brad Law will shine a light on the behaviour of our native animals — particularly possums (including the endangered pygmy possum) and gliders.

Brad Law, who is an expert on Eastern Pygmy Possums, will also give some insights about local fauna surveys .



Eastern Pygmy Possum

Make sure you put February 25 in your diary and , so that you don't miss out, book your ticket early by emailing:

Judith Bennett <email@narrabeenlagoon.org.au>

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Squirrel Glider: Photo Michael Todd

Narrabeen Lagoon Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan (draft)

Northern Beaches Council have been working on studies and models for a number of years leading up to preparing this Floodplain Risk Management Plan.

It is important to remember that the natural bushland in the catchment of Narrabeen Lagoon is vital for absorbing stormwater and slowing the rate at which this water arrives in the lower reaches of the streams and subsequently the Lagoon.

Equally important are the open spaces and private gardens that serve a similar role. Increasing the proportions of hard surfaces—houses, driveways, roads and footpaths—leads to more flood risks.

If you want to learn more about the Floodplain Risk Management Plan, drop into Narrabeen Tramshed on one of these times: ...

5-8pm Tuesday January 22 or

1-4pm Wednesday January 23

To arrange a specific time for you within one of the above sessions, book with Valerie Tulk on 9942 2915 or email floodplain@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au

You can read all the relevant document by visiting <https://yoursay.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au/floodnarrabeen>

You can make a submission in writing to:
The CEO, Northern Beaches Council. PO Box 82, Manly 1655
Or by email to : council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au

Submissions close Friday February 1, 2019

Outdoor Activities

NEW Narrabeen secrets explored

- Sunday April 14, 2019

For the first time, we are going to circumnavigate Narrabeen Lagoon by kayak - from the Western Basin to the outlet by the Ocean Street bridge and back again. There is so much to experience (bring your lunch - we'll find a lovely place to take a break). Swim the lagoon from a clean sandy beach or take a plunge in the ocean or nearby rock pool, visit an island in the middle of the lagoon we've never been to before, explore Deep Creek in all its glory, hear about the Royal Family's connection with Middle Creek, be close enough to photograph the over 100 Black Swan that have made the lagoon their home. Plus, find out why Narrabeen Lagoon was a centre of Aboriginal settlement and be amazed at the lagoon's pre-World War 2 German connection. Led by former Friends President, Tony Carr you'll learn heaps, have lots of fun and get some easy exercise. Start at 9am, finish round 3pm. Hire a quality kayak for just \$98pp. No previous kayaking experience necessary, tuition given.

Only 14 places - so to reserve yours email tonycarr@ozemail.com.au or call Tony on 0417 502 056.



Eco-paddle on Narrabeen Lagoon

Bush Regeneration

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



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- \$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.

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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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