

August 2021



Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment



<https://www.narrabeenlagoon.org.au>

Next Forum

Zoom Meeting
7pm August 30

Environmental Studies in Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment

Speakers:

Andrew Pigott and Yianni Mentis

Andrew Pigott is Executive Manager
of Strategic and Place Planning at
Northern Beaches Council.



View from Oxford Falls



Powerful Owl
Photo; Marg Woods

Yianni Mentis is Executive Manager of Environment and Climate Change at Northern Beaches Council

Andrew and Yianni will give us an overview
of the Environmental Studies needed in the
preparation of the new Local Environment
Plan and will give an update what has
been revealed so far about the Narrabeen
Lagoon catchment.

There will be an opportunity for participants
to ask questions.

AGM 2021

After the
speakers have
finished, we will
hold a brief
Annual General
Meeting at which
we will vote in the
committee
members to serve
from 2021 to
2022.

Register to participate in this Zoom session
on August 30 and you will be sent the Zoom
link.

You will find out about the environmental
values of the area and the ways in which the
Local Environment Plan can be written to
protect those values.

Don't miss it!

Register now. By emailing

email@narrabeenlagoon.org.au

Proposals for Flood Mitigation along Wakehurst Parkway

Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment sent
in a submission on behalf of our members and
supporters—we did not support any of the
options that were on offer and we have
requested that the public be informed of the
costs of modifying the road to bring it above
the flood waters rather than disturbing 3 ha of
bushland to create a partial solution to the
problem. Future flooding events are likely to
be more frequent due to Climate Change.

Ingleside Place Strategy

The Department of Planning released a document describing plans for creating 980 dwellings in Ingleside. Unfortunately, there were many shortfalls in these plans. On behalf of our members and supporters, Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment wrote a submission outlining the many reasons why we felt these plans were unsuitable.



Juvenile Welcome Swallow Photo: Marg Woods

Northern Beaches Council on July 27, voted to request Dept of Planning not to go ahead with their plans but that, instead, Northern Beaches would accommodate that number of additional houses in other already built up parts of the LGA.

Local Environment Plan

Discussion Paper

Make sure you become involved in the process of preparing the Local Environment Plan for Northern Beaches. The document is available for public comment till Sept 5.



Xanthorea macronema
Photo: Marg Woods



Male Scarlet Honeyeater
Photo: Marg Woods

Frenchs Forest Place Strategy

Information page

The Frenchs Forest Place Strategy is on public exhibition until Friday 3 Sept 2021.

Membership fees for FoNLC

In August 2020, Friends of Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment added one year of membership to each of our members at no cost to the members due to Covid-19. Starting August 2021, we will need to ask members for subscription fees to cover our costs but if you are suffering financial hardship due to Covid-19, please email us when you receive your subscription notification and we will organise to support you with your membership.

Covid-19 Restrictions

We have needed to cancel all outdoor activities during the Sydney Covid-19 Lockdown.

We hope you are still able to exercise outdoors to experience and appreciate the bushland in Narrabeen Lagoon Catchment and nearby areas.

Bushland or urban developments? 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)
 \$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.

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.