EVENT CALENDAR AUTUMN 2020

MARCH
Monday 2nd March - COMMUNITY NURSERY
Friday 6th March - IN SAFE HANDS WORKSHOP
Saturday 7th March – BANKSIA PARK ACTIVITY
Wednesday 11th March – NURSERY BASED WORK
Thursday 12th March – SOCIAL SEWING
Monday 16th March – NURSERY WORK & SEED COLLECTION
Monday 16th March – BIRD FIELD TRIP, MCLAREN VALE
Thursday 19th March – ECHIDNA PRESENTATION
Monday 23rd March - NURSERY BASED WORK
Wednesday 25th March – NURSERY BASED WORK
Monday 30th March – NEWLAND HEAD PARK FIELD TRIP
Tuesday 31st March – LOCAL WALK

APRIL
Monday 1st April - COMMUNITY NURSERY
Saturday 4th April - VEGGIE SWAP
Saturday 4th April – BANKSIA PARK ACTIVITY
Monday 6th April - SEED COLLECTION FIELD TRIP
Wednesday 8th April - NURSERY BASED WORK
Thursday 9th April – SOCIAL SEWING AFTERNOON
Wednesday 15th - NURSERY BASED WORK
Monday 20th - PLANTING DAY AT BUNGALA PARK
Wednesday 22nd - NURSERY BASED WORK
Wednesday 29th - PLANTING DAY AT WIRRINA COVE

MAY
Monday 4th May - HISTORY MONTH AT COMMUNITY NURSERY
Tuesday 5th May - NIXON SKINNER GUIDED WALK
Wednesday 6th May - NURSERY BASED WORK
Saturday 9th May - SOUTHERN ELDERS BASKETWEAVING
Monday 11th May - PLANTING DAY IN NORMANVILLE DUNES
Monday 11th May - BIRD WATCHING FIELD TRIP
Monday 18th May - HISTORY MOTH AT COMMUNITY NURSERY
Wednesday 20th May - PLANTING DAY AT CARRICKALINGA
Friday 22nd May - NURSERY BASED WORK
Wednesday 27th May - NURSERY BASED WORK
HOODED PLOVER UPDATE - The Hooded Plover breeding season is coming to an end, overall it has been quite successful. In the middle of February a chick fledged from Shelley Beach, the only fledgling on our local beaches! We still have some chicks on the ground so hope to have a few more fledglings in the next month. Success so far:-

1 chick fledged at Middleton West on 1st November
1 chick fledged from Yilki, Victor Harbor on 18th November
2 chicks fledged at Ochre Cove on 21st November
2 chicks fledged at Basham’s Beach on 21st November
2 chicks fledged at Seacliff on 28th November
1 chick fledged from Port Willunga South on 7th January
1 chick fledged from Basham's Beach on 14th February
1 chick fledged from Tunkalilla West on 14th February
1 chick fledged from Shelley Beach on 17th February
1 chick fledged from Ballaparudda on 19th February

KIDS FREE LITTLE LIBRARY – SECOND VALLEY

A huge thank you to JoAnne Bouzianis-Sellick for initiating, Second Valley Progress Association for supporting and the Yankalilla Men’s Shed, especially David Speck for creating this amazing Kids Free Library. It was launched on Library Lovers Day, Friday 14th February at the Caravan Park Store, next to the community notice board at Second Valley. Thanks also to everyone who turned up especially the kids who took advantage of some of the great books. The unveiling by David Olsen at 5.30 pm was followed by bubbles on the beach.
VEGGIE SWAP

Come and join in the fun at our next Veggie Swap which starts at 9.30 am on Saturday 4th April at the Resource Centre. It is always a great time of year for a huge variety of produce and there will be some delicious morning tea and entertainment.

Veggie Swaps will be held every second month starting on February 1st, please come and support this activity, it would be a shame to see it fold due to lack of support!

NORMANVILLE NATURAL RESOURCE CENTRE

THE SECRET LIFE OF AN ECHIDNA
WITH PEGGY RISMILLER

ALL WELCOME

THURSDAY 19th MARCH
ECHIDNA TALK—5.00 PM
AT THE NORMANVILLE HOTEL

Please contact the NNRC to register for this free event on 8558 3644
GREENING THE FLEURIEU & COMMUNITY NURSERY ACTIVITIES

Our fabulous Community Nursery (at the Council Depot) is in the process of being transformed! Not only do we have the benefit of an on-site Coordinator from Conservation Volunteers Australia each time that we are open, we now also have proper benches for plants and propagation, an organised work area and an all weather shelter is now in place (we also have chairs!!).

As a result of our partnership with the Yankalilla Council, the NRM Board and Conservation Volunteers Australia (funded by a grant from SA Health), we have expanded the number of days each month that the Nursery will be open for volunteers to come and learn new skills and enjoy being with other like-minded people. If you would like a complete copy of the Nursery calendar please contact the Resource Centre, otherwise the field trip calendar is below.

We are looking for some additional Volunteers to join our current crew and help make a difference to the natural environment within our district - if you have a few spare hours and can come along to help at the Nursery on any Monday, just turn up on the day!

This is all part of the "Greening The Fleurieu Coast" program and offers exciting and educational opportunities for anyone interested in our environment to come along and participate in every aspect of producing native plants for use in local re-vegetation projects (and then planting them). Along the way, we will visit some interesting places to help develop our Community Nursery into a key provider of plants for the local area.

Last year, thousands of seedlings were propagated and grown for use in local revegetation projects by our volunteer crew.

IF YOU CAN SPARE A COUPLE OF HOURS (or more), anytime between 9.30 am and 3.00 pm on any Monday, we would love to see you there! Just wear closed shoes, bring some gloves and your water bottle - many hands make light work!
# Field Trips & Planting Days for 2020

The NNRC members told us that the environment is the no.1 priority. Please come along and contribute to some of these important events!

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Our Yankalilla Community Plant Nursery is located next to the Council Depot on Kemmiss Hill Road, Yankalilla (just look for all the plants growing!).

**Enquiries and Bookings:**
Call Kathryn (Conservation Volunteers Aust.) on 0409 193 924 or Email: adelaide@cvca.org.au OR Call the Normanville Natural Resource Centre on 8558 3644 or Email: admin@nnrc.com.au

These events are organised & supported by Conservation Volunteers Aust & the NNRC (Please book in) Mini bus available or car share - meet at the Community Nursery.

BYO WATER BOTTLE, LUNCH, HAT, CLOSED SHOES AND DRESS SUN-SMART

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Heritage Fleurieu Coast Festival in May

Join us for a full day workshop on Saturday 9th May from 10 am - 4 pm where participants will visit a local property to collect materials including the flat sedge Cyperus vaginatus and learn about their identification, preparation and use. The Southern Elders basket weavers will demonstrate indigenous coiling and stitching techniques and participants will be able to start a small basket using locally collected materials. There is a cost of $40.00 for this event, so register now to book your spot online at https://secure.my-holiday.com.au/YANKALILLABAY/Bookings?TOUR=BASKETWORKSHOP&DATE=9May%202020

The Resource Centre is also taking a guided walk around Nixon Skinner Reserve on the edge of the Myponga Reservoir which retains examples of native vegetation including native orchids. Enjoy a relaxing stroll around this small reserve with well informed guides on Tuesday 5th May at 1.00 - 3.00 pm. Participants will receive a guide to the reserve, its history and wildlife. Please book for this free event at the Visitor Information Centre on 8558 0240.

On Monday 4th May and Monday 18th May visit the Yankalilla Community Nursery where volunteers grow native plants for revegetation projects throughout the district. Come and learn about identifying and propagating local plants. Come for the day or drop in to help out with seed preparation and sowing, potting up seedlings and collect information about native plants. Participants will be able to take home a plant suitable for their garden. Please book for this free event at the Visitor Information Centre on 8558 0240.
Take advantage of our free party hire which includes dinner plates, side plates, water, wine & champagne glasses, cutlery, cloth serviettes, paper balloons and bunting.

SEWING AFTERNOON
Calling on Sewers and non-Sewers!
Normanville Natural Resource Centre on the second Thursday of each month at 1.00pm
Join us for a fun afternoon sewing and cutting out produce and shopping bags.
Afternoon tea will be served.
Please register on 8558 3644 or just drop in on the day.
NORMANVILLE NATURAL RESOURCE CENTRE

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Secretary - Peta Kruse
Treasurer - Rhonda Smith
Coordinator - Wendy White

OPEN: 10 am - 3 pm
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