

## Activity Program

Unless otherwise stated, all our activities are FREE. For more events, updates and ticket information please visit our website: [mehg.org.au/restart-mandurah](http://mehg.org.au/restart-mandurah)



## Mandurah Environment and Heritage Group

**Wed 7th April 9.30am-11:00am - SAMPHIRE SOJOURN:** Guided walk of the Samphire Cove Nature Reserve Professional guided walk by *Ways to Nature* to include fauna and flora ID and the value of biodiversity. Maximum 11 participants. Bookings essential. RSVP: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Saturday 10th April 2pm to 4pm - THE VALUE OF NATURE: SOLUTIONS FOR THE FUTURE WORKSHOP** The Shed, PHCC, 58 Sutton Street, Mandurah. Facilitated by Judith Fisher PhD, assisted by Merrilee Baker, these workshops aim to educate, inspire and embody a future vision for Nature. This workshop will be followed by field trips and awareness-based sessions in the autumn to experience nature and to vision the future. Bookings: [merrilee@naresheartintentions.org](mailto:merrilee@naresheartintentions.org)

**Sunday 25th April 9am-10am - SHOW AND TELL NEST BOX WALK:** Samphire Cove, Egret Point Road, 6210. Guided by PHCC Wetlands Restoration Officer Mike Griffiths. Suitable for all. RSVP: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Wed 28th April 9.30-11:00am - WETLAND WANDER:** Guided walk of the Creery Wetland Nature Reserve. Professional guided walk by *Ways to Nature* to include fauna and flora ID and the value of biodiversity. Maximum 11 participants. Bookings essential. RSVP: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Various Dates in April - GUIDED WALKS:** With Peel Region Western Ringtail Possum Action Group. Choice of one-hour walks: (1) Possum night stalks (2) Osprey walking tour. EOI: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Wed 12th May 9.30-11:00am - WETLAND WANDER:** Guided walk of the Creery Wetland Nature Reserve. Professional guided walk by *Ways to Nature* to include fauna and flora ID and the value of biodiversity. Maximum 11 participants. Bookings essential. RSVP: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Friday 14th May at 4pm - HERITAGE TALK:** The history and use of the area around Samphire Cove before and after European settlement at Mandurah Museum. RSVP: [Nicholas.Reynolds@mandurah.wa.gov.au](mailto:Nicholas.Reynolds@mandurah.wa.gov.au)

**Wed 26th May 9.30am-11:00am - SAMPHIRE SOJOURN:** Guided walk of Samphire Cove Nature Reserve. Professional guided walk by *Ways to Nature* to include fauna and flora ID and the value of biodiversity. Maximum 11 participants. Bookings essential. RSVP: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Sunday 30th May - MINI FESTIVAL at Samphire Cove Nature Reserve, Egret Point, Halls Head 6210** Music, all-abilities paver art trail, bird watching, guided nature trails, learn how to identify native flora, plant sales and advice about choosing the right native plants for your garden, plein air painting, food truck, coffee van, free Dudley Dolphin Adventure Journals & Activity Books for kids. The Friends of Samphire Cove meet every last Sunday of the month to maintain this Class A reserve: <https://mehg.org.au/samphire-cove>

**Saturday 5th June - WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY:** Partnership(s) invited for an activity on this day.

**Sunday 20th June - ARBOR DAY in Dalrymple Park 10am-12pm:** To celebrate our trees and tree planters including pioneer Mr Dalrymple and his class of students who in 1901 planted the peppermint trees there (120 years ago). Organised by Mandurah Museum featuring Men of the Trees, Mandurah Tree Advocates and Mandurah Environment & Heritage Group.

Every Tuesday 8.30-11.30am - **PAINTING IN OUR NATURAL ENVIRONMENT** with the Mandurah Plein Air Artists. Mention MEHG and enjoy your first 3 sessions free. Find out more: <https://mandurahpleinair.com> and <https://www.facebook.com/groups/503384883171190>

*The following activities are still in the planning stages. Email [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au) to register your interest*

**STAR GAZING / NOCTURNAL WALK** - Island Point Reserve, Island Point Road, Herron 6211. Learn about the night sky and constellations, or go for a spotlighting walk to discover our unique nocturnal animals with Salt & Bush Eco Tours. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**INTRODUCTION TO KAYAKING** with the Mandurah Over 55 Kayak Club. Ability and safety on the water for the over 55s. Subsidised kayak hire. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Various Dates throughout the year - MAKE YOUR OWN NESTING BOX** in conjunction with your local Men's Shed. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Late June - MOVIE SCREENING "2040: Join the Regeneration"** at John Tonkin College at 5.30 for 6pm. Refreshments upon arrival. In partnership with John Tonkin College and Peel Preservation Group. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**1st-31st July - PLASTIC FREE JULY:** Join us to encourage people and businesses to reduce single-use plastic.

**Sunday 1st August - NATIONAL TREE DAY:** Partnership(s) invited for an activity on this day.

**15th-23rd August - NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK:** Partnerships invited for activities during Science Week.

**26th-30th September - AAEE BIENNIAL CONFERENCE at the Mandurah Performing Arts Centre**  
*Mandjoogoordap: Changing Tides* aims to showcase innovative, practical and effective tools to help us "change the tides" of environmental and sustainability education. <https://www.aaee.org.au/events>

**September - LEARN ABOUT THE BLACK BREAM PROJECT IN THE PEEL-HARVEY WATERWAYS**  
Interactive Citizen Science Workshop with scientific equipment and displays at John Tonkin College. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Various Dates in October - GUIDED WALKS** by Peel Region Western Ringtail Possum Action Group and the WA Native Orchid Conservation Group. Choose from the following one-hour walks: (1) Possum night stalks, (2) Osprey walking tour, (3) Guided orchid walk. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**October - LUCA'S LEGACY CLEAN UP EVENT** in conjunction with Coastal Waste Warriors and partners.

**October - WETLANDS WEEKENDER - PAVE THE WAY** in conjunction with Peel-Harvey Catchment Council.

**November - BIRD WATCHING TOUR BY KAYAK** in the Peel Inlet. Observe waterbirds and shorebirds with the Canoe Trail Friends of Mandurah and Pinjarra. Bring your own kayak. Suitable for post-beginners. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**November - BUILD A BUG HOTEL AND LEARN ABOUT NATIVE BEES** during Australian Pollinator Week. Register your interest: [info@mehg.org.au](mailto:info@mehg.org.au)

**Special Event - WASTE REDUCTION AND INFORMATION FORUM:** Expressions of interest invited from individuals, groups and organisations who address litter in our waterways and help protect our wildlife.

*We have more events in the pipeline. Keep an eye on our website for updates: [mehg.org.au/news-events](https://mehg.org.au/news-events)  
Mandurah Environment & Heritage Group is a member of the Mandurah Environmental Volunteer Alliance*

