EVENT CALENDAR SUMMER 2019

DECEMBER
Monday 2nd December – Nursery Working Bee
Thursday 5th December – Gilbert’s Art Class
Thursday 5th December – 2040 Movie
Saturday 7th December – Veggie Swap
Saturday 7th December – Banksia Park Working Bee
Thursday 12th December – Social Sewing
Thursday 12th December - Banksia Park Christmas Event
Friday 13th December - Gilbert's Out door Art Class

Monday 23rd December - Centre Closes for Christmas

JANUARY
Monday 13th January - Centre Opens
Tuesday 28th January - Local Walk

FEBRUARY
Saturday 1st February - Veggie Swap
Saturday 1st February - Banksia Park Activity
Monday 3rd February - Community Nursery Working Bee
Thursday 6th February - Gilbert's Art Class
Thursday 13th February - Social Sewing
Friday 14th February - Gilbert's Outdoor Class
Monday 17th February - Greening the Fleurieu
Wednesday 19th February - Banksia Park Activity
Tuesday 25th February - Local Walk
MOVIE 2040 SHOWING AT THE NNRC ON 5th DECEMBER AT 5.00 PM

2040 is a hybrid feature documentary that looks to the future, but is vitally important NOW!

Award-winning director Damon Gameau (That Sugar Film) embarks on a journey to explore what the future could look like by the year 2040 if we simply embraced the best solutions already available to us to improve our planet and shifted them rapidly into the mainstream. Structured as a visual letter to his 4-year-old daughter, Damon blends traditional documentary with dramatised sequences and high-end visual effects to create a vision board of how these solutions could regenerate the world for future generations.

Book your seat by ringing the centre on 8558 3644 or email:
VEGGIE SWAP

Come and join in the fun at our Christmas Veggie Swap which starts at 9.30 am on Saturday 7th December 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.

Next year Veggie Swap 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 because due to lack of support!
WHAT SUP?

The Normanville Natural Resource Centre is partnering with the Yankalilla Council to make the transition to stop using single use plastics easier for our local community. WHATSUP wants to get you thinking about how we can all contribute to reducing our use of single use plastics on the Fleurieu Coast!

What are single use plastics?

Any disposable plastic item designed to be used only once, for example, straws, balloons, packaging, bags, cups, cutlery etc.

Why do we need to reduce them?

Plastic pollution is a danger to our oceans, environment and wildlife as they can take hundreds or even thousands of years to break down.

What are we doing?

One of the first actions we have undertaken is to survey business's in the area to find out what single use plastic they use and how we can help them to transition to using alternatives. If you have been sent a survey and have not yet filled it, please could you send it back to the Resource Centre asap.

If you would like to follow our journey please like our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/pg/whatsupDCY/about/?ref=page_internal

Fleurieu Birds has just been reprinted and we have copies available at the NNRC for $35.00 - a must have for every home on the Fleurieu!
The Normanville Natural Resource Centre has partnered with the Yankalilla Council and Conservation Volunteers Australia to use the Community Nursery site as the hub for the Greening The Fleurieu Coast program. This offers an exciting and educational opportunity for anyone interested in our environment to come along on the first and third Monday's of each month and learn some exciting skills and go out on field trips covering every aspect of producing native plants for use in local re-vegetation projects. 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.

An experienced expert from Conservation Volunteers Australia will be at the Nursery on the first and third Mondays of each month from now on to give expert guidance and expand our knowledge base, while we carry on our work.

IF YOU CAN SPARE A COUPLE OF HOURS, anytime from 9.30am onwards next Monday 2nd December, we would love to see you there! Just bring some gloves and your water bottle - many hands make light work!
Recently our bird watching group, The Fantail Foodies, ventured over the border to do a spot of bird watching in Victoria. We started our trip at Halls Gap and saw a great range of birds including the beautiful Gang Gang Cockatoo. The weather was perfect and we found some great walks. We then drove down to Werribee to visit the water treatment plant - one of the best bird watching spots in Australia. After attending an induction session at Werribee Zoo, we were given keys to the area. Up early the next morning we were all very excited about the day ahead, unfortunately not long after we arrived it started to rain and the wind was so strong our binoculars were shaking. We persevered through hail, lightning and thunder to see lots of water birds and just before we left we spotted 2 Brolgas. All together we saw over 100 different species on the trip! Werribee we will be back, but this time we will choose a sunny day!
BANKSIA PARK

Friends of Banksia Park would like to invite everyone to Christmas drinks on 12th December at 4.00 pm onwards at the park to celebrate the amazing work of this group. The park has been rejuvenated through tender loving care and a lot of hard work. Please bring along a chair and something to drink, nibbles will be provided.

We would also like to thank Bunnings Victor Harbor for donating 2 long garden hoses so we can water the new seedlings throughout the summer, we really appreciate their support.

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Gilbert’s Art Classes for 2020

Following a great year in 2019 my art classes will continue again in 2020, but with a different format.

First Thursday of each month from 10.00 am - 3.30/4.00 pm with mornings undertaking different techniques/perspectives of art/drawing; afternoons spent on your own work, where one works towards a finishing piece which is worked on over 3 – 6 months.

Second Friday of each month 9.30 -10.00 am - 3.30/4.00 pm creating work out in our beautiful surrounds, any medium.

Third Wednesday of each month 10.00 am - 3.30/4.00 pm true botanical drawing/recording to produce a beautiful botanical art piece. More information early next year.

Also feedback will be great, even if you think it may sound a bit negative, I don’t see it that way, it is all in the way it is said and .... I could learn and improve from what you say!!

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