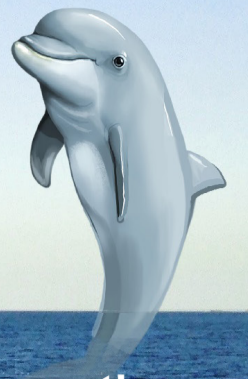


CLEAN UP the PEEL



'Step Up to Clean Up' this March at community Clean-Up events across the Peel-Harvey Catchment to help prevent ingestion and entanglement for wildlife.



The Peel-Harvey Catchment is home to the Peel-Yalgorup wetlands encompassing our estuary and surrounding lakes which are recognised as internationally important under the Ramsar Convention on Wetlands. These waterways provide habitat for many amazing species from our estuary's resident Indo-Pacific Bottlenose Dolphins to thousands of migratory shorebirds.

Litter and debris across our catchment makes its way into our waterways, causing injury and even death to wildlife through ingestion and entanglement of materials like plastics. In its fifth year in 2021, Clean Up the Peel Month each March brings together the efforts of many community groups and individuals to help clean up our waterways for the benefit of the many species that rely on them.

Events you can register to join

Friday 5th March

9am to 12pm **Pinjarra** (meet at Cantwell Park stage near river)
Shire of Murray welcomes volunteers to clean up along the Murray river and adjacent areas. Bags provided. Volunteers' morning tea from 11.30am.

Claire 9531 7765, wfo@murray.wa.gov.au

Saturday 6th March

8am to 11am **Lakelands** (meet at Black Swan Lake carpark)
Lakelands residents, family & friends welcome to join **Lakelands Lads – The Fathering Project; Lakelands PS P&C Association** to clean up reserve and adjacent areas. Bags and limited gloves provided. This will coincide with the Women's Day Morning Tea 9am to 10.30am.

Chris chriswhybrow@visionfire.com.au

8:30am to 10:30am **Herron** (meet at main carpark at Island Point - end of Island Point Rd)

Join **Friends of Island Point** to clean up beautiful Island Point and meet like-minded community. We will have clean up supplies, please BYO morning tea to share post clean-up.

Jamie 0414 174 415, friendsofislandpoint@gmail.com

10:30am to 12pm **Bouvard** (meet at Park Ridge Boat Ramp)
Join **Peel Region Western Ringtail Possum Action Group** for a snake awareness talk before clean up starts. Post clean up BBQ, BYO BBQ supplies

Allison relocator@iinet.net.au

9:30am to 11:30am **Coodanup** (meet at Riverview Boat Ramp, East end of Birchley Rd)

Join us to clean-up along the riverbank area North and South of Riverview boat ramp.

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Sunday 7th March

7am to 9:30am **Mandurah** (meet at Eastern Foreshore Playground, Mandurah Tce)

Peel Multicultural Association + Rise, Walk and Shine invites volunteers to help us clean up the Mandurah Foreshore. We'll be resuming our weekly clean-ups in the autumn: www.facebook.com/groups/2624991967827737

Mehri 0413 426 387

8:30am to 12pm **South Yunderup** (meet at Young Rd Launching Ramp)

Friends of Rivers, Peel (FoR,Peel) invites you to the Murray/Serpentine Rivers and foreshores clean up. BYO scoop net and boat or box trailer if you have one. Thank you sausage sizzle from 12pm in park, Pelican Rd. Registration essential for catering.

Colin 0407 426 513, colmagselton@westnet.com.au

8:30am to 10:30am **Mariners Cove** (meet at parkland next to Nourishing the Soul Café carpark, 42 Darwin Tce)

Ways To Nature invites volunteers to Creery Wetlands to pick up plastics and other rubbish dumped by huge tides during storms last autumn along the samphire saltmarsh and sheoak woodland.

Sarah 0439 264 942, hello@waystonature.com.au

Sunday 14th March

9am to 10:30am **Dawesville** (meet at Carpark opposite Leprechaun Café, Estuary Road)

Join in and help **Sharon Meredith Photography** to clean the Dawesville Foreshore Reserve. Bags provided, please bring your camera to capture the action together. Stick around for a post clean-up coffee.

Sharon sharon.meredith@outlook.com

Sunday 14th March

9am to 10:30am **Dudley Park**

Mandurah Cruises will take volunteers by boat to Creery Wetlands to clean an area hard hit by rubbish during summer. Post clean up lunch & prize raffle. Spaces limited and RSVP essential.

Natalie natalie@mandurahcruises.com.au

Saturday 20th March

9am to 10:30am **Coodanup** (meet at end of Landings Boulevard – in front of the lake)

Fraser's Landing Residents and Friends welcomes volunteers to clean up reserve and adjacent areas on foot. Bags provided. Volunteers' morning tea from 10.30am at the Community centre.

Michelle 0429 520 975,
Michelle.mrzyglocki@frasersproperty.com.au

Sunday 21st March

9am to 11am **Mandurah** (meet at Western Foreshore, Leighton Pl - Park at War Memorial car park)

Join **Coastal Waste Warriors** to clean up Mandurah's Western Foreshore. Be part of the solution - join us to take positive action with your community to keep our waterways clean. Be SunSmart.

Kirstin coastalwastewarriors@gmail.com

9am to 11am **Erskine** (meet at Len Howard Conservation Park carpark near toilets, access across from 36 Dampier Ave)

Peel Preservation Group Inc. welcomes volunteers to clean up reserve and adjacent areas. Volunteers' morning tea from 11am.

Deborah 0417 947 613, peelpreservation@westnet.com.au

Saturday 27th March

9am to 12pm **Dawesville** (meet at Stall on the foreshore lawn opposite Leprechaun Café, Estuary Road)

Join **UWA students 4 Environmental Action** to clean up foreshore precinct, including estuary banks and sea wall. BYO gloves, water, sun protection. Join for as long as you like from 9am, light refreshments provided.

Kahree kahreegarnaut1@gmail.com

Sunday 28th March

9am to 11am **Halls Head** (meet at Samphire Cove Nature Reserve, corner Wedgetail Retreat and Egret Point)

Friends of Samphire Cove Nature Reserve welcomes volunteers to help clean up Samphire Cove's parks, reserves, foreshore and road verges. Bags supplied. Volunteer's BYO morning tea from 10.30am.

Barry & Clive 9586 9504 (Barry - Pl. Leave message) or 9534 3062 (Clive) bjdsdoongin@gmail.com

9am to 11am **Halls Head** (meet at Park Benches at Pirate Park, Seascapes Foreshore)

Seascapes Community Association invites the community to help clean up to make Seascapes beautiful.

Deb deborah@maybury.co

TBC **Meadow Springs** (meet at cnr of Grandmere Parade and Willow Brook View)

Signature Circle Residents invite volunteers to clean up the Parks and reserves in Signature Circle Estate. Time and date to be confirmed, contact the organiser for details.

Elisha elishawilson5@gmail.com

Private or Members Only Events

Mandurah Volunteer Dolphin Rescue Group will cover Falcon Estuary Shoreline from Ward Point to Novara Boat Ramp.

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School Pinjarra Students will clean up along the Murray River foreshore.

Coodanup College

Bushrangers Students will undertake various clean ups of the local Mandurah environment. Sites will include the local estuary and various beaches such as Town Beach, Seascapes and Blue Bay.

John Tonkin College Bushranger Cadet and Surf Science students will spend a week cleaning up a transect on foot along the Peel-Harvey Estuary, from the sailing club to the Dawesville shop.

Salt and Bush Eco Tours will clean up the eastern side of the Harvey Estuary with a small team of kayakers.

Conditions of participation

- Please make sure to contact the event organiser to register ahead of the event.
- Wear suitable sun smart clothing and enclosed footwear and bring along:
 - gloves
 - sunscreen
 - insect repellent
 - hand sanitiser
 - water bottle
- Contact the event provider for any specific requirements including provision of insurance coverage
- All events are held outdoors subject to weather conditions
- Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by an adult

Friends of Rivers, Peel thank supporting partners for their commitment to this event along with all those who regularly clean up the waterways of the Peel-Harvey Catchment.



Clean Up the Peel Month is coordinated by Friends of Rivers, Peel and Mandurah Environment and Heritage Group, supported by the Peel-Harvey Catchment Council through funding from the Australian Government's National Landcare Program and the Alcoa Foundation.

Individual Clean Up events are organised by many dedicated groups and individuals, including those named above.