

About the group

The seed collection program is a volunteer group within the Redlands Coast Community Bushcare Program. The group collects seeds from native plants within local Redlands Coast conservation reserves, which are then grown on site at IndigiScapes by volunteers.

Seed collection trip information

Seed collection trips are on the last Tuesday of each month. We meet on site at 9.30am most months, but 9.00am in February and November due to hot weather. The walks are generally two to three hours in length. Participants are required to wear sturdy, closed in shoes and please bring sun protection, a water bottle and a snack for the track.

Fitness

Our trips require varying levels of fitness and involve reasonable amounts of walking over uneven ground and sometimes steep slopes. Please assess your own fitness and ability to participate, especially on more challenging seed collection sites.

Fitness Legend



Easy – Relatively flat and/or short distance in length. Tracks are maintained well and easy to walk on. Suitable for most fitness levels.




Moderate – Some steep slopes and/or long distances travelled. Average fitness required.



Challenging – Long distances, may have steep slopes and naturally uneven bushwalking tracks. Work up a sweat and raise the heartbeat. Good fitness required.



How to get involved

For more information on the seed collection trips or the Community Bushcare Program please contact the Bushcare Team on  3824 8611.

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Seed Collection

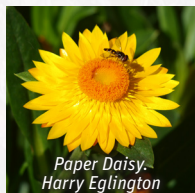
2023 CALENDAR

Join the team and help preserve the indigenous plant life of Redlands Coast



Eustrephus latifolius

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Paper Daisy.
Harry Eglington



Gahnia aspera



Fringe Lilly.
Karolyn Campbell

Seed Collection

When: Tuesday 28 February, 9.00am start
Where: Scribbly Gums Conservation Area, Alexandra Hills



This large reserve is home to many ancient gum trees and hosts a good variety of shrubs and groundcovers. If you look closely, you may find some delicate beauties such as bluebells, fringed lilies and native parsnip.

When: Tuesday 28 March, 9.30am start
Where: Wallaby Creek Bushland Refuge, Summit Street Sheldon



Nestled between the upper reaches of Tingalpa Creek and Wallaby Creek, this reserve is home to species such as red bottlebrush and weeping tea-tree. The interesting riparian vegetation contrasts with the much drier eucalypt woodland.

When: Tuesday 25 April, 9.30am start
Where: Bayview Conservation Area, Redland Bay



Entering via the mountain bike staging area on German Church Road, this reserve contains a diverse range of vegetation communities including open forest and melaleuca wetlands. If the wildflower season is in full swing, then this is a trip not to be missed.

When: Tuesday 30 May, 9.30am start
Where: Point Halloran Conservation Area, Victoria Point



A short circuit track provides an interesting walk through melaleuca and eucalyptus forest before opening up to casuarina forest and saltpan.

When: Tuesday 27 June, 9.30am start
Where: Kidd Street Conservation Reserve, Redland Bay



This reserve is a favourite due to its understory of wildflowers and grass trees. Less common species are often discovered in this location.

When: Tuesday 25 July, 9.30am start
Where: Eprapah Environmental Education Centre, Victoria Point



This 39-hectare property was purchased by the Qld Scouting Association back in 1928. A walking track winds its way through an iron bark ridge, riparian forest and the Eprapah Creek flood plain to a mangrove forest. This site has great plant diversity and significant native trees planted many years ago.

When: Tuesday 29 August, 9.30am start
Where: Ford Road Conservation Area, Sheldon



A large, diverse reserve featuring eucalypt forest and moist rainforest gullies with species not common to the Redlands Coast. The long, steep trails require a good level of fitness.

When: Tuesday 26 September, 9.30am start
Where: Coolnwynpin Nature Refuge, Tipuana Drive, Capalaba



Forming part of the Coolnwynpin Creek Corridor, this area consists of open forest to woodland with an intact understory and riparian vegetation. This important corridor is dominated by scribbly gums and has a wide variety of other canopy and emergent species.

When: Tuesday 31 October, 9.30am start
Where: North Stradbroke Island



The 'Straddie' trip is an all-day adventure in pursuit of heath and coastal species. Board a minibus at IndigiScapes and visit sites at Dunwich and Point Lookout where we are bound to find plenty of seed while enjoying the wildflowers in bloom.

When: Tuesday 28 November, 9.00am start
Where: Redlands IndigiScapes Centre, Capalaba. Meet at the Nursery.



We will finish the year exploring the IndigiScapes Botanic Gardens and bush tracks and find seed and fruit ripe for collection.



Midyim Berry
Austromyrtus duccis



Blue Flax Lily



Native seeds