

MARCH MEETING 2004

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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY, 3rd March, 2004 AT 64 FILLMORE ROAD AT 8 PM

PRESENT: Ian Kitchen, Judith Sise, Dorothea Kassel, Ingrid Currie, Liz Hutchinson and Donna Lobartolo

APOLOGIES: Danielle Gorham

CORRESPONDENCE: Field Naturalists News No 129, Greater Dandenong Australian Day Minutes & Thank You letter, Greater Dandenong Environment Forum Invitation, Greenlink Sandbelt Newsletter, Environment Victoria, CGDC tree list, Community Grants New Initiative Grants Project Meeting, Vendart Pty Ltd Invoice, Waterwatch Information and Training Sessions dates, Melbourne Water Grants, Royal Horticultural Society Autumn Newsletter

BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES:

Treelist from Council; Meeting with Sigmond, Wade (Dandenong Council Environment Officers), Anja Steiner (Waterwatch), Ian & Judith arranged Waterwatch training; Quote for postcards found; Letters to 10 schools re Waterwatch project; Clean Up Aust. Toilets & bins organised

TREASURER'S REPORT: \$10 278.68c

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- ♣ **Bird Monitoring** at Dandenong Creek Wetlands on Sunday 2nd May at 9:30
Meeting in car park of Basketball Stadium
 - ♣ **Clean Up Australia** –cordial & Orange Bowl donated by McDonalds & Dorothea will buy buns
 - ♣ Postcard & brochures still to be developed
 - ♣ **Darren** (Parks Department of Council) met Judith to develop strategies to work with group to improve nursery & develop plans for new nursery at new Council Depot
 - ♣ **Grants** – Melbourne Water (newsletter) & Bundy Rum with Council for Waterwatch kits for schools
 - ♣ **Membership Reminder** to be sent out
 - ♣ **Due to members' involvement in Field Naturalist Activities there will be no April Meeting**
 - ◆ Don't forget Thursdays 10 – 12 and last Sunday in month 10 – 12 at Nursery
- NEXT MEETING WILL BE ON 2nd MAY, WEDNESDAY, AT IAN KITCHEN'S HOME, 64 FILLMORE ROAD AT 7.30 PM.

You don't need to know anything about a plant
to know that it is beautiful.

