



**The Greater  
Dandenong  
Environment  
Group Inc.**

**Minutes for October 2001  
A0030369S**

**The meeting date was changed due to the first meeting of the Greater Dandenong Environment Forum, which will be held in Springvale Council offices on the 10<sup>th</sup> Oct at 7pm, speaker Dr Chris Mitchell of CSIRO on Global Warming and Australia.**

**Present:** Julie, Dorothea and Ian.

**Apologies:** Amanda and Nicola.

**Previous Minutes:** Accepted, proposed Julie, seconded Dorothea.

**Reports:**

**Dandenong Environment Centre,** Ian has withdrawn from the committee.

**Pearcedale Conservation Park,** Grace is negotiating for the group to donate some plants in exchange for a group visit to this new facility, which has dingoes, quolls, squirrel gliders, pademelons, new holland mice etc, etc, so stay tuned for more info.

**Correspondence:**

Greater Dandenong Australia Day Committee, minutes and application forms.

Mail Boxes Etc., bill for box rental.

Australian Credit Union, clarification of name change.

DNRE, public submissions on the Greenhouse Strategy.

Greenlink Oakley, newsletter.

<b>Treasurers Report:</b>	Balance 3/10	\$778.62	
	Expenses	\$34.45	postage and copy card
	Credits	\$122.50	membership
		\$7.50	donations
		\$0.09	interest

**General Business:**

The planting day in Tirhatuan was reported on. We planted over 800 plants on our Spring Planting Festival Day - quite impressive!

The wetland walk was poorly attended by members but the birds supported it quite well.

Request from KES to pay for how to vote cards for Labor Party candidates in the next election was turned down, as we wish to stay non-political.

Meeting finished at 9pm.

**Next meeting: Wed 7<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm, 64 Fillmore Road, Dandenong North**