



Field Day @ North Head

Fire, Fauna, Weeds & Ferals Thursday 1st June

A day in the field at North Head, walking over project sites, seeing restoration and regeneration in action. How fire influences the management of threatened species including: Eastern Suburbs Banksia Scrub EEC, *Acacia terminalis subsp. terminalis*, Long-nosed Bandicoot and Little Penguin. We'll be engaging in discussion with local experts about the interactions of fire, fauna, flora, weeds, ferals and more.

There will be plenty of time to raise your questions, consider how this work relates to your context and share your experiences.

Discussion topics will include:

- Applying fire in Coastal Heath: knowing your patch and local values
- Fire and Flora considerations: restoration principles, pre- and post-fire site management, burn intensities and weed management
- Fire and Fauna considerations: monitoring, burn planning, feral interactions
- Interventions: fencing pros and cons, selective thinning
- Fire history: including an overview of 2012, 2016 burn sites and plans for 2017

Local experts will share their passion and understanding of the site including representatives from: North Head Sanctuary Foundation, NSW National Parks & Wildlife Service, Australian Wildlife Conservancy, Sydney Harbour Federation Trust, and Fire & Rescue NSW.

Location: Building 1, North Head Sanctuary, North Head

Time: 9.30am to 4pm

Catering: Morning tea and lunch included

Cost: \$120 per person (\$80 concession – NGOs, unwaged, volunteers, students)

Contact: bushfireconf2017@nature.org.au , or 9516 0359

Transport: Minibus transport will be arranged from Manly Wharf/Bus interchange



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