



# Noosa Parks Association Inc.



## BOTANY GROUP – PROGRAMME 2023

Visitors are welcome at all meetings and on field trips

Meetings and field trips are successful in direct proportion to input and co-operation from everyone involved

Date	Time	Meet at	Programme	Bring
<b>February</b>				
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Joan Heavey Galls, Burls & Other Plant oddities.	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical news
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	A walk at Cooribah on private property	This walk will incorporate both sedge and forest areas.	Morning tea, chair, (also see over page – 'Field Trips')
<b>March</b>				
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Paul Ryan Australian Natives Overseas	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical news.
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	Meet at Cooroy Transfer Station, Mary River Road, Cooroy.	Discover a different section of Tewantin National Park	Morning tea, chair (also see over page – 'Field Trips')
<b>April</b>				
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Patrick Leonard Speaking on his favourite subject - Fungi	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical news.
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	Buderim Forest Park, off Lindsay Road, Buderim.	Varied and interesting vegetation on a forest walk	Morning tea, chair, (also see over page – 'Field Trips')
<b>May</b>				
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Phil Jobson Collecting and propagating rainforest seeds	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical news
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	Robert & Linda Price's property.	Robert will lead a walk along the Noosa River Foreshore	Morning tea, chair, (also see over page – 'Field Trips')
<b>June</b>				
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Robert Price Arid Landscapes	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical news
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	At the carpark on Eucalyptus Cres. Mt. Ninderry	Walk to the summit of Mt. Ninderry.	Morning tea, chair (also see over page – 'Field Trips')

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<b>July</b> Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 30 <sup>st</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Park Noosaville	Sonia MacDonald Sedges & Rushes	Specimens of local native plants, named or for ID. Botanical News.
	9.00 am	Maroochy Wetland Reserve.	See plants that thrive in this reserve.	Morning tea, chair, (also see below – 'Field Trips')
<b>August</b> Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Bob Tooth Early Australian Plant discoveries	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical News
	9.00 am	Destination to be advised.	Sarah Lawson will lead a wallum walk to view wildflowers	Morning tea, chair, (also see below – 'Field Trips')
<b>September</b> Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Sarah Lawson Constructing a wallum garden	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID, Botanical News
	9.00 am	Meet on Maleny- Kenilworth Road, opposite turn-off to Charlie Moreland Camping area.	Fig Tree Walk at Little Yabba Creek	Morning tea, chair, (also see below – 'Field Trips')
October Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Cathy Hawes & Denis Thompson Savanna lands trip	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical News
	8.30 am	Revisit Phil and Kathy's Land for Wildlife property at Verrierdale	A walk through bushland bordering Eumundi Conservation Reserve	Morning tea, chair, (also see below – 'Field Trips')
<b>November</b> Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Environment Centre Wallace Pk. Noosaville	Louise Ryan Significant Trees	Specimens of local native plants, named, or for ID. Botanical News
	9.00 am	'Buderim-Palmwoods Heritage Tramway Walk	A walk through shaded rainforest on constructed pathways.	Morning tea, chair, (also see below – 'Field Trips')

### MEETINGS

Monthly meetings at the Environment Centre,  
Wallace Drive, Noosaville

**Starting time:** 2 pm

**Afternoon tea:** 2:45 pm

**Main speaker:** 3:15 pm (unless otherwise  
advised)

**MEMBERS ARE ASKED TO CONTRIBUTE:**

- ❖ Named plant specimens or specimens for  
identification
- ❖ From the press - anything of botanical interest
- ❖ What's on? - News about botanical events near & far

### FIELD TRIPS

**Meet:** as per Programme. Specific directions  
will be emailed one week prior to outing.

**Bring:** Hat, drink, walking shoes, notebook,  
pen, camera, field guides and insect repellent.

Those participating in any activity conducted  
by Noosa Parks Association Inc do so as  
volunteers in all respects and, as such, accept  
responsibility for any injury incurred.

*(NPA cannot accept any liability or  
responsibility.)*

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