

MELBOURNE SOUTH YARRA RESIDENTS GROUP INC.

BULLETIN: MORE NEWS



Bea McNicholas, Director, Walk in St Kilda Rd & Environs invites you to <u>Planet Ark National Tree Day Nature Care Event 2021</u>: Lighting and Green Spaces - an Expert Panel Presentation on new research and challenges Sunday 27 June 2021, 2.30pm – 4.30pm Prahran Mechanics Institute 39 St Edmonds Rd, Prahran VIC 3181

Planet Ark NTD nature care event: <u>https://treeday.planetark.org/site/10025141</u> See video and information: <u>https://treeday.planetark.org/research/</u> and <u>https://treeday.planetark.org/newsroom/audio-video</u> *Book now! It's free!* : <u>https://www.trybooking.com/BSJDO</u>

Learn how you can help protect our health & environment for the future

Never before has it been more important to look after our health and well-being and our physical environments. Our parklands are more valued, more used for their green spaces and treed landscapes and more precious for our health and well-being in the post-March 2020 Covid-world. Rolling restrictions and lockdowns continue Come and learn from presentations and discussions with:

Sean W Cain, Associate Professor of Psychology, Monash University, who is an

internationally recognised expert in circadian rhythms and effects of artificial lighting.

Dr Greg Moore, Director of the National Trust of Australia (Vic.) Significant Tree Committee, formerly Director of Burnley College, who will consider the damaging impact on trees of paving and built environments in parklands and the effects of artificial lighting on tree health: '*Public Green Spaces, Surfaces and Lighting*'. **Dr Barry Clark**, whose background is in engineering, physics, applied optics and vision research and who is a member of the **Astronomical Society of Victoria Inc. (ASV) and the Victorian Chapter of the International Dark-Sky Association**: '*Outdoor lighting strategy needs to be based on facts, not myths*'.

<u>L'Istituto Italiano di Cultura -</u>*The IIC Melbourne is pleased to inform you that its popular Italian language courses along with a new cultural program will be offered soon in presence. So stay tuned! Istituto Italiano de Cultura Melbourne, Elm Tree House, 233 Domain Road, South Yarra.* <u>iicmelbourne@esteri.it</u>

Reminder: Fawkner Park Tennis Program: FREE

This is an activity designed for those of us feeling a little 'stuck' in our lives. The aim is to help everyone move forward and thrive. All fitness levels welcome.

Where: Fawkner Park Tennis Centre, 65 Toorak Road West, South Yarra

When: Every Wednesday 11:00-12:00pm (note Wednesday 30th June and 7th

July will be 12-00-1:00pm)_

- Players can turn up- no need to book

- Equipment can be provided if you don't have a racquet

-To register your interest, email <u>fawkner@victennisacademy.com.au</u> or call <u>03 9820 0100</u>

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