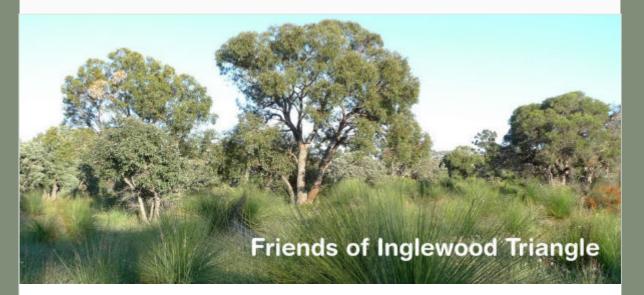
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# Next Event: Clean Up Australia Day 2020

This will be our 10th consecutive Clean Up! Join us on Sun 1 March 2020 at 8 am. Check details at our web page.

### 2019 Achievements

We ran our 9th Clean Up Australia Day in March.

And we have grant money to spend! \$5,425 for dieback mitigation! More details over.

A comprehensive status report for Inglewood Triangle was produced, circulated to Councillors and Staff of City of Stirling.

We continued to support the science education program with Perth College Kindy class, added to our iNaturalist project on <a href="Inglewood Triangle">Inglewood Triangle</a> and

# **2019 Wrap**

## A great 10th Year in Inglewood Triangle

Another busy year of weeding and watering and generally caring for and enjoying our piece of bush. We marvel at the difference we have made through sustained effort and sheer persistence. Well done everyone!

#### **Grant Success!**

We applied for grant funding through the Communities Environment Program, a scheme that required the support of our local member Patrick Gorman, Just before Christmas we were advised that we had been successful and allocated \$5,425. We plan to use the funds to take a more proactive approach to managing dieback in the Triangle.

# **City of Stirling Funding Support**

We are also delighted to report that the City of Stirling has developed a small grants scheme to support environmental groups. They will also support operating costs of Friends groups. This is in addition to the normal support that they provide through City staff such as Jo, Ryan and Joanne. To access these funds, Friends of Inglewood Triangle will be required to develop an Annual Plan.

# Membership

Friends of Inglewood Triangle has a reputation of being an active group with good numbers! We encourage you to be involved and be a paid up member of FoIT so that it is clear we represent the local community. Membership is \$10 per year and it can be paid by EFT to Westpac BSB 036041 ACC 265907. Friends of Inglewood Triangle.

### Perth College Kindy

We continued our collaboration with Suzanne and the Perth College Kindy class. The girls visited the Triangle a number of times. They helped with watering in Term 1, undertook walks through various parts of the Triangle and helped with weeding in Term 3. They also helped plant seedlings in August into an area of Yokine Reserve.

# Inglewood Triangle on iNaturalist

Graham, Jane and Alison continued to add to our <u>Inglewood Triangle project</u> on the iNaturalist website. There are now 141 species recorded.

# Our Annual Cycle...

We are currently **hand watering** the 2017 planting in Sections B & C to help them through summer. Watering is scheduled for alternate Sundays (8 am) Mondays (4:00 pm). Extra volunteers are always welcome. It's going to be a long, hot summer. <u>Email</u> if you can help.

We have experimented with mulch on some of our seedlings. Thank you to Jill's gardening group for spreading the mulch, and to Tim for getting it over the fence.

Week in, week out volunteers came on Sunday mornings to **weed**. The highest priority weeds are Veldt Grass and Fumaria. Weeding started in May once there had been enough rain to stop watering. Some keen volunteers are still weeding on Sundays and Tuesdays.

Each year we participate in Clean Up Australia Day. In 2019 we extended our clean up to the bushland between the Mt Lawley Golf Club and the

## updated our field guides.

Our volunteer numbers have remained strong, with good numbers for Spring weeding as well as Summer watering

# Official Stuff

The office holders in 2019 were Danielle Brady (Convenor), Tim Ryan (Treasurer), Jane Coffey (Secretary).

Christine Richardson was Friends of Inglewood Triangle's nominee on the Executive of the Urban Bushland Council WA Inc.

#### **Urban Bush Telegraph**

We are a member of the Urban Bushland Council. To keep up with bushland matters, <u>click to the UBC's quarterly magazine</u>.

You can keep up to date with advocacy for the protection of bushland via the <u>UBC Blog</u>

#### Inglewood Triangle news: 2019 Annual Report

Terry Tyzack Reserve. You can see below some of the bags of rubbish we removed from that site.

This year we nominated people for **liaison roles:** City of Stirling liaison: Danielle, Sue & Jane. Weeding & watering - Chris & Christine; Perth College liaison: Chris & Christine; Clean Up Australia Day: Christine

**Official Name Change** - We have asked the City of Stirling to formally change the name of our bushland to **Inglewood Triangle**. Apparently it's official name is Walter, Hamer, Eighth. We believe this decision should be non-controversial. Thank you Tim.

## City of Stirling Support

Once again we thank staff from the City of Stirling - especially Ryan Locke and Joanne Saunders for their on ground assistance during the year. It has all been done promptly and with good humour. We also thank lan Hunter, Daniel Rajah and Jo Taylor for their support, including the internal fencing of Section D.

#### Breakfast catch up to discuss 2020

We will meet on Thursday 30 January from 7:30 am at Dome, Maylands on corner 8th Ave & Railway Parade to talk through plans for 2020. We have booked the front room. All welcome. It is vital that we determine an Annual Plan so that we can access the funding support now available through the City of Stirling.



Clean Up Australia Day at Inglewood Triangle



A beautiful dewy morning May 2019



Fungi starting to appear July 2019



Clean Up at bushland near Mt Lawley Golf Course



Planting with Perth College Kindy class at Yokine Reserve



Wonderful drifts of colour during late Spring flowering

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