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- I/We wish to re-new my/our membership of Friends of Belair National Park
- I/We wish to become a member of Friends of Belair National Park
- I/We wish to make a donation

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

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Annual Membership Fees:

- Single \$10
- Family* \$15
- Donation \$ _____

Total \$ _____

*please list names of all family members

Post form with fees to:

Membership Secretary
Friends of Belair N.P.
P O Box 2, Belair, 5052

Or pay by direct credit to:

Bank SA
BSB 105-078
Acct Number: 306250940
Acct Name:
Friends of Belair Park

and email form to
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For more information on our activities please visit our website and facebook page.

Website: www.friendsofbelairnationalpark.com

Facebook: www.facebook.com/fbnp



Friends of Belair National Park

Volunteers Working
for Conservation
Since 1985

Belair National Park
"State Heritage Area"

Who Are "The Friends of Belair National Park"

South Australia leads the nation with its Friends of Parks network. The Friends of Belair National Park has proudly been a part of this since 1985. We have approximately 250 members in our group. The Friends of Belair N.P. seeks to further the basic philosophy of the park, that it should be regarded primarily as a place for preserving the natural environment in which the community can see and experience that environment.

Working in Belair National Park

Members work in conjunction with a liaison ranger to **eradicate invasive weeds** from good bushland in the park. They also collect and propagate indigenous seeds for restoring damaged areas.

Working bees are held on Tuesday and Friday 8.30am -10.30am and the 3rd Saturday morning of each month from 9am to 11am. At other times by arrangement.

Community groups

are always welcomed and encouraged to participate in the activities of the Friends group. We have planting / weeding / education days with local schools, scouts and cubs,

corporate groups and many individuals who express interest in the work we do.

Various groups enjoy guided walks with our members as leaders.



Walks in the Park.

Twice a month we have a free guided walk in the park with leaders who are knowledgeable and enthusiastic about the flora, fauna & history of Belair National Park. This is more like a gentle stroll to really give time to enjoy the environment. Bring your camera and a drink and wear comfortable shoes.

2nd Tuesday of each month from April to November & repeated on the following Sunday

We meet at the Green Shed on the western end of Main Oval. Be there at 1.45pm for a 2pm start. Entry to the park is free for these walks which generally take about 2 hours and feature information about the fauna and particular flora of the season.

Commemorative Walk

In Spring each year there is a walk to celebrate the life and work of Professor Sir John Cleland. During his time as the Park Commissioner he undertook to inspect the boundary of the park annually. This is a task that we emulate in part. Our walk is usually "themed" to enable particular aspects of the park to be highlighted and enjoyed.

This walk is advertised on our website, Facebook page and at the Information Office in Belair N.P.



Activities also include

Monthly meetings.

Held on the 1st Saturday of each month (except January), beginning at 1pm at the Volunteer Centre, Long Gully, Belair National Park. We enjoy hearing from a diverse range of guest speakers and twice a year, in Autumn and Spring simply enjoy a shared bbq lunch together.

After an afternoon tea break there is a short business meeting where topics of interest are raised and discussed and all members of the group are invited to participate.

Bush Buddies

Our junior nature group, for interested children aged 7 to 11. Meet on Tuesdays during the school terms for an hour from 3:30pm to enjoy nature-based activities in Belair National Park. In winter meet at the Volunteer Centre, in summer meet at the Green Shed.

Birthday Celebration

On October 27th we host a birthday tea at the Volunteer Centre to celebrate the anniversary of the Friends group and the birthday of the park which was proclaimed in 1891.

South Australia's first National Park