



# FRIENDS OF ALDINGA SCRUB

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## Tube Filling Day

24 November at 10:30

at Julie's— 7 Palmer Street, Aldinga  
Bch



Bring your tube-filling tools &  
enthusiasm for a couple of hours of  
good conversation while we work.

Family & friends welcome.

## Annual Picnic in the Park

Wind down and relax with other 'Friends' having a  
BYO Breakfast Picnic

**1st December 2013 @ 9 am**

Just inside the fence on the corner of Acacia Street  
& Quondong Street. (same as last year)

Bring Family & friends.



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## Coming Speakers

**Thursday October 10th:**

**Speaker: Chas Martin**

**Subject: Rainwater and Greywater  
for your household.**

**Thursday November 14th:**

**Speaker: Jeffrey Olliver**

**Subject: Geology of the McLaren  
Vale Wine Region (Or in our  
President's words, why it is such a  
Good Vineyard)**

All meetings held at the Aldinga  
Library Community Room at 7.30

**All welcome!**

# CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Christmas Around the World: November 30th – December 5th

Willunga Uniting Church has once again invited the  
Friends of Aldinga Scrub to submit an entry.

Joyce and June have offered to put their imaginations to work this year to create the best tree.



## PARK NEWS

- \* Removing weed species (Polygala and Boneseed) continues to be our main activity. Succulents are a problem to the south of the dunes planting site.
- \* Working bee people have also been collecting specimens for the Plant ID Course which has been a great success.
- \* Monitoring in our 3 Sites is now complete for this year.
- \* There has been an increase in cubby houses, bikes and vandalism in the Park. **Please contact a Committee member with any sightings so as our Ranger can be contacted.**

*Would you like to see this Newsletter in  
lovely colour (as I see it)?*

*If so please contact Secretary Helen to  
have it sent to you via e-mail.*

*Helen's email;*

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## WORKING BEES

**Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am**

Regular working bees are in full swing during the coming months.

If you are available to help, please contact John Edmeades each week on 0488 552 797 to find where the group will be working that day.

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