



Whitsunday
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A partnership for the natural resource management of catchments in the Central QLD Coast Bioregions.

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- Natural Resource Management
- Land management Plans
- Native plants
- Environmental weeds
- Volunteer activities

BECOME A VOLUNTEER:

Come seed collecting; learn to identify native plants; how to propagate them; improve your environment; enjoy the outdoors in a fun, social setting.

If you're interested in doing your bit for the environment and socialising with like-minded people, we offer coordinated activities on Tuesday & Thursday mornings and more. Contact us!

WCL Management Committee:

Graham Armstrong, Chair

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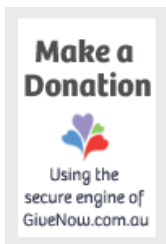
WRC representative- CR. Gary Simpson

One Community position vacant

WCL is a community not-for-profit group, relying on grants & donations.

We are a registered charity; donations of

\$2 or more are tax deductible. To make a donation please contact us or go to our page:



Coming Up in August 2021

**COMMUNITY NURSERY OPEN FOR PLANT SALES
(CASH ONLY)**

**9am-12noon Tuesday, Thursday & the 1st Saturday
of each month-**

Next Saturday opening—7th August 2021.

**Volunteer Activities in August:
National Tree Day Sunday 1st August.
Galbraith Park– southern side see page 2 for details**

19th August: Volunteer Event—

Visit to the QLD Government Community Sustainability Action
Grant funded Cape Gloucester Beach Scrub project sites—
Nelly Bay, Dingo Beach & Hydeaway Bay. See page 2 for details

**At the Community Nursery in August:
33 Kelsey Creek Rd Proserpine
Tuesday & Thursday 9am—12.30pm.**

Tuesday	Thursday
3rd: Propagation, Seed processing, Potting, Record keeping etc. at the nursery.	5th: Propagation, Seed processing, Potting, Record keeping etc. at the nursery.
10th: Propagation, Seed processing, Potting, Record keeping etc. at the nursery.	12th: Propagation, Seed processing, Potting, Record keeping etc. at the nursery.
17th: Nursery Maintenance & propagation activities	19th: Propagation, Seed processing, Potting, Record keeping etc. at the nursery.
24th: Nursery Maintenance & propagation activities	26th: Propagation, Seed processing, Potting, Record keeping etc. at the nursery.
31st: Propagation, Seed processing, Potting, Record keeping etc. at the nursery.	

WCL receives support from the following organizations:



Australian Government
Department of the Environment



National Tree Day Sunday 1st August.
Galbraith Park– southern side of the Community Garden
9am– till we have finished planting.

Please bring:

Water bottle, wear closed in Shoes, Sun Smart clothes & a Hat .

Revegetation site located here



National Tree Day at St. Catherine's College Proserpine.
Corner Bruce Highway & Renwick Road, Proserpine

Join us and plant a tree for National Tree Day on Sunday, 1st August at the Primary Campus with all of the fun kicking off from **8am**.

WCL has donated local native plants which will be planted for our local wildlife and students to enjoy.

Bring your hat, water bottle and gloves along.

Whitsunday Catchment Landcare will be hosting a Weed Stampede– so bring that unknown plant along & we'll do our best to identify it for you. If its in the weed book, we will swap it for a local native plant. We'll have brochures & weed information available & some books for sale.

There will be a jumping castle and face painting for the kids, and a sausage sizzle and cold drinks for

WCL Volunteer Event—19th August—9am—12noon.

Our third Thursday of the month alternative to the WCL Community Nursery volunteer activity is a visit to the QLD Government Community Sustainability Action Grant funded **Cape Gloucester Beach Scrub Rehabilitation project sites at Nelly Bay, Dingo Beach & Hydeaway Bay.**

We will be checking the revegetation works, undertaking weeding and watering(if required) and collecting seed for propagation back at the nursery.

The QLD Governments Community Sustainability Program - Threatened Species Round 3 enabled WCL to undertake revegetation, provide supplementary watering & maintenance at the 3 sites.

The contract commenced in October 2019 and will end on the 31st October 2022

This event is offered as an alternative to attending the Community Nursery.

Please wear closed in shoes, sun smart clothes and a hat.
Please bring your water bottle

Please meet Chris Barbeler at the Nelly Bay Carpark at 9 am.
Morning tea & water bottle refills provided.

What's Showing

Family: Boraginaceae

Common name: Camel or Cattle Bush

Scientific name: *Trichodesma zeylanicum*

Description:

This is an erect annual or perennial herb to about 1 m or a little more in height, with a well-developed taproot. Much of the plant is covered with irritating bristles and small hairs, including the stems and the leaves.

Distribution:

The native range of the plant is from eastern tropical Africa to India, Sri Lanka, the Malay Peninsula, New Guinea and northern Australia. It has become naturalized in many of the Pacific Islands, particularly Fiji. Grows in a variety of soils, granite, sandstone, coastal sand dunes, rocky hills, creek beds, flats, floodplains.



Trichodesma zeylanicum
Photo: David Peplinkhouse

Leaves: At the base of the plant the leaves are opposite, but they become alternate as one moves up the stem. They are shortly petiolate, and elliptic. The apex is usually acute, but sometimes obtuse. Plant covered with stiff irritant hairs. **CAUTION**



Trichodesma zeylanicum flower detail
Photo: David Peplinkhouse

Flowers: The inflorescence is raceme-like, the individual flowers (1.5–2 cm in diameter) blue, rarely white. The sepals are narrow-ovate, 1–1.5 cm long, 3–4 mm wide, broadening in fruit. The flowers usually become nodding soon after sun-up. Flowers March to October or December. *T. zeylanicum* provides a unique pollination system; although it produces typical chasmogamous (open) flowers, the pollination is exclusively autogamous (pollen from the same flower) and is not dependent on insect visits.

Fruit: The fruits have four spherical-shaped chambers, each with one seed .

Propagation: From fresh seed. Grows fairly readily from seed.

Notes: Frost tolerant. With a little water this annual can be maintained as a tough perennial. The leaves are used in folk medicine, usually as a soothing poultice. They have sudorific properties (i.e., they promote sweating), and are used for treating chest ailments. In some places, particularly in Fiji, the leaves are used for the treatment of leucoderma (localized loss of skin pigment), and for piles. The roots are also powdered and the powder used to treat painful ulcers.

BEWARE

Many claim that the plant is poisonous to stock; but the only evidence is anecdotal. Information about medicinal qualities of plants, or about their use as medicines, is for interest only, and is not intended to be used as a guide for the treatment of medical conditions

Sources:

<http://www.somemagneticislandplants.com.au/index.php/plants/314-trichodesma-zeylanicum>

<http://www.currentscience.ac.in/Volumes/107/05/0743.pdf>

Whitsunday Catchment Landcare & Prickly Pear Control in the Whitsundays

Opuntia stricta & *Opuntia monacantha* - Prickly pear are prohibited invasive plants under the Biosecurity Act 2014. It must not be given away, sold, or released into the environment.

Historical Prickly Pear biological control & physical removal projects WCL has undertaken.

Whitsunday Catchment Landcare was contracted by Reef Catchments to carry out the following activities on the foreshore and in the beach scrubs of the Council Reserve at Conway Beach. Conway Beach covers approximately 2 kilometres of coastline from the mouth of the Proserpine River to the Repulse rocks. The dunes retain a significant proportion of remnant vegetation, including over three hectares of microphyll vine forest on coastal dunes (RE 8.2.2 'beach scrub'), which is listed as 'Critically Endangered' under the EPBC Act. Beach Scrub ecosystems are considered to provide habitat for the listed northern quoll (*Dasyurus hallucatus*), rusty monitor (*Varanus semiremex*), and coastal sheath-tail bat (*Taphozous australis*).

Conway Beach Revegetation and Weed Control 16/01/2015

Various weeds targeted: *Opuntia stricta* & *Opuntia monacantha*, *Yucca* sp., *Passiflora*, Guinea grass, *Lantana* etc. Extent of Prickly pear species infestation identified & mapped in 2.8 ha of fore dunes area at Conway Beach. Prickly pear physically removed- approx. 6.5 ton disposed of into landfill or treated with foliar spray.

Prickly Pear Biological control - site extension Coral Beach and Swamp Bay- 30/04/2016

Prickly pear infestation identified at these sites & marked for release of biological controls

Reserve Rehabilitation Works Conway Beach 13/01/2017- 12/05/2017.

Various weeds targeted: *Opuntia stricta* & *Opuntia monacantha*, *Yucca* sp., *Passiflora*, Guinea grass, *Lantana* etc.

Cyclone Debbie occurred 30/3/2017. With the arrival of TC Debbie, heavy damage to foreshore and vegetation behind prevented any further meaningful activity on this site for this year. All *Lantana* controlled by Splatter gun has been killed but a little is reshooting. Follow up in the next 3 months to catch what survived. All trees that have been planted on frontal dunes by previous projects have either been washed out or buried with sand. All *Opuntia* plants on the foreshore have been smashed up and redistributed into the foreshore vegetation and beyond. There has been significant damage to vegetation and sand dunes over 25m back from previous high tide mark. And there is water borne debris (pumice and shells and seaweed and mangrove leaves and twigs) over 150m into the forest from existing beachfront. The reserve is a mosaic of dunes and brackish water holding swales, fully vegetated, and difficult to traverse and survey. Recent timber fall caused by TC Debbie makes progress even more difficult. There were 192 volunteer hours contributed to this project by Whitsunday Bushcare volunteers.

Beach Reserve Rehabilitation works 2017-2018 Conway Beach 25/09/2017 Whitsunday Catchment Landcare carry out 55 hours of weed control and monitor 3 previously established photo points on the foreshore and in the beach scrubs of a 25ha section of the Council Reserve at Conway Beach, between Allan Rd. and the settlement of Conway Beach.

Extension of RC Prickly Pear Control Works Conway Beach- 19/06/2018-22/06/2018

WCL provided in-kind monitoring of the Biological control tent & release more *Cactoblastis* egg stick into the exclusion tent to infest the prickly pear within the tent.

Whitsunday Catchment Landcare- Reef Assist Team May 2021– July 2021 Prickly Pear work, training & experiences since commencing—main activities include—physical removal of above ground plants, monitoring, tending & re-infesting the biological control tent, spreading of infested prickly pear paddles to other locations with weed colonies and trials of cut & paint of & injection of chemical controls into large trunks.



Right: Reef Assist Team member Fenna Van Zeilen hard at work physically removing prickly pear from the dense beach scrub at Conway Beach. Photo: Wayne Oakley.

Pest Hall of Fame- Prickly Pear and its Biological Control- COCHINEAL Beetles.

Cochineal has had a long history in Australia. The original cochineal insects, and the first prickly pear plants, were brought to Australia with Captain Arthur in the First Fleet, to start a cochineal (red) dye industry. Please see **Prickly Pear History** for more information on the origins of cochineal in Australia.

There are four main species of cochineal insects (and one mealy bug) of importance in the biological control of the main prickly pear (cactus) species found in Australia. The four species of cochineal insects look the same, but they're not. And, very importantly, they will only survive on their own, specific host plant!

This table, below, (courtesy Dr JH Hosking, Tamworth NSW) shows which species of cochineal feeds on which species of prickly pear / cactus:

Prickly pear species	Cochineal species
Common pest pear <i>Opuntia stricta</i> spp. Velvety tree pear <i>O. tomentosa</i>	<i>Dactylopius opuntiae</i> cochineal
Riverina pear <i>O. paraguayensis</i> (Riverina area) Smooth tree pear <i>O. vulgaris</i> (NSW coastal areas)	<i>Dactylopius ceylonicus</i> cochineal (NB <i>D. opuntiae</i> will "work" on smooth tree pear but it is not as effective as <i>D. ceylonicus</i>)
Rope pear <i>Cylindropuntia imbricata</i>	<i>Dactylopius tomentosus</i> cochineal
Tiger pear <i>O. aurantiaca</i>	<i>Dactylopius austrinus</i> cochineal
Harrisia cactus <i>Harrisia martinii</i>	<i>Hypogeococcus ferrierianus</i> mealy bug

DESCRIPTION OF COCHINEAL INSECTS The adult female cochineal is a soft, shapeless sac hidden beneath a white, silky covering. The female grows to about the size of a "match head". Once the female attaches itself to the plant, it sheds its "legs" and cannot leave. The male is a small two-winged insect with mobility to visit the females (such is life?).

According to Dr John Hosking, entomologist with NSW DPI (Tamworth), one female can produce up to 2,000 offspring under ideal conditions. Rate of development is largely influenced by temperature. One generation may be completed in less than two months. A cochineal population can actually double its number every five days under right conditions (i.e. dry, and a consistent temperature around 26-28°C)!

COCHINEAL INSECTS HAVE THEIR ENEMIES.

A combination of wet and cold weather can wipe out cochineal insects in their thousands: rain washes away their (white) protective covering, exposing them to the cold. Ants sometimes take a special interest in cochineal, as they carry away their hapless victims. Another common, naturally-occurring predator is the devastating **mealybug ladybird** (*cryptolaemus montrouzieri*). The adult ladybirds fly from plant to plant to lay their eggs – both the adults and the larvae attack the cochineal insects.



Above: *NWW20520WX VT-cochineal-under-threat-from mealybug North Star NSW*

Click on the photo, right, to see two of these ("many-legged") insects amongst a colony of cochineal on velvet tree pear. The cochineal insects have no defence against the cryptolaemus – note the red areas where cochineal insects have been wiped out! Cochineal insects breed up in their thousands in their peak times, but the cryptolaemus can still have a serious impact on their numbers.

Prickly Pear Biological Control- COCHINEAL Beetles. Cont.

WHERE AND WHEN TO USE COCHINEAL? “Where” relates to how much pear there is. If you only have a small patch, if you want to keep your property really clean, or if you want to run special animals eg stud cattle or horses in the paddock, don’t rely on insects. On the other hand, if you have pear over a large and/or inaccessible area, biological control is an excellent, cost-effective and long-term option.

“When” to use cochineal relates to climatic conditions. In north-western New South Wales, cochineal insects are at their peak from November to May. But, they are delicate little critters and are easily wiped out by a combination of wet and cold weather.

MEANS OF DISTRIBUTION The eggs hatch into tiny “crawlers” within a few hours. The crawlers’ natural instinct is to move off to find a new food source. They have four (4) different means of travel:

1) They can crawl over smooth ground for up to 10 metres in search of new plants. But, they’re not so good on rough ground (eg they can disappear forever into a crack in black soil).

2) Cochineal insects can be blown long distances by the wind. The sketch, to the right, (*courtesy VC Moran & BS Cobby, 1979, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa*) shows the insect’s hairs which act as sails in the wind.

3) By being carried on the actual prickly pear plant material. Pieces of pear are spread by (a) floodwaters, (b) by being attached to a passing animal or (c) by being attached to tyres of passing motor vehicles or farm machinery.



4) By being manually transferred from an infected plant to a new, non-infected plant – using a bucket and a pair of tongs.



As you can imagine, distribution methods 1, 2 and 3 are very haphazard – especially where plants are very scattered. Manual distribution of cochineal insects (as in method 4) is the most reliable for new areas. And, one person can carry out a lot of insect distribution in a short time. Even an hour every now and then will boost the insect numbers.

A bucket and a pair of tongs – all we need to move cochineal insects into new plants. Photo, above, shows simple method of distributing infected plant material into new areas. Bob Smith (NSW DPI Bingara) using a bucket and a pair tongs. Easy and environmentally friendly!

Tips to help the cochineal?

The basic thing to remember is that **cochineal insects are very delicate**. They don’t like cold and wet weather (or extremes of heat). They don’t favour heavily shaded areas. When you put insects into a new plant (especially in the approach to winter) give them some protection from the elements. Cover the infected segments with parts of the plant, or branches, bark, cow pads etc. Covering newly infected plants with cardboard, plywood or even a bit of old corrugated iron will offer the cochineal insects maximum protection from the weather.

CAUTION: snakes may also take up residence under these protective coverings.

Another trick is to breed the insects indoors, in readiness for release in early summer, the optimum time for release. Store infected plant material in cardboard boxes in a dry, warm area. Over a period of 6 to 8 weeks, generally, you’ll have good supplies to put out when the weather warms **USE THE CORRECT SPECIES OF COCHINEAL...** Tiger pear, common pear, tree pear and rope pear cochineal all look the same, but they’re not! They are all specific to their own species of pear (check the chart at the top of this page). One exception: common pear and velvet tree pear – same cochineal.

MORE INFORMATION: https://www.daf.qld.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0008/1492910/common-pest-pear.pdf; https://www.daf.qld.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0014/55301/prickly-pear-story.pdf; <https://www.business.qld.gov.au/industries/farms-fishing-forestry/agriculture/land-management/health-pests-weeds-diseases/weeds-diseases/invasive-plants/prohibited/prickly-pear>



Above & Right: Cochineal Beetle infested Prickly Pear paddles are relocated to the bio-tent at Conway. The infested paddles are then attached to paddles of a stand of Prickly pear plants to breed more beetles and provide a source of infested paddles that can be spread to other infestations. The biological control tent is carefully sealed to prevent predatory insects accessing the cochineal beetles & larvae so that a healthy population can build up.

Photos: Fenna Van Zeilen & Wayne Oakley– the Reef Assist Team



*Left: An example of the extent of prickly pear that infested bushland in the early 1920's
Photo: CSIRO.*

INTERESTING WEB SITES:

Native Animals, Insects, Birds:

www.whitsundaylandcare.org.au

<http://www.wildlife.org.au/magazine/>

<http://www.aussiebee.com.au>

www.birdsinbackyards.net

www.australianmuseum.net.au/reptiles

<http://birdlife.org.au/locations/birdlife-mackay/activities-mac>

Native plants:

<http://ausgrass2.myspecies.info/content/oplismenus>

<https://www.anbg.gov.au/cpbr/cd-keys/rfk/>

<https://www.eucalyptaustralia.org.au/>

<http://sgaptownsville.org.au/>

www.facebook.com.au/sgapmackay

Wetlands

<http://wetlandinfo.ehp.qld.gov.au/wetlands/ecology/components/flora/mangroves/mangrove-moreton.html>

Feral Animals: feralflyer@invasiveanimals.com

<https://alumni.uq.edu.au/cane-toad-baits>

Feral plants:

www.weeds.org.au

www.environment.gov.au › Biodiversity › Invasive species › weeds

www.iewf.org/weedid/index_by_reserve.htm

www.anbg.gov.au/cpbr/herbarium/

<https://www.vision6.com.au/em/mail/view.php?id=1769275019&a=17056&k=a87f8df>

WCL Community Nursery– Always Needs Seeds

The WCL Nursery is very keen to source endemic seed so please keep an eye on your flowering native trees, shrubs & grasses for the volunteer nursery. Some of the species we need are:

<i>Abutilon auritum</i>		<i>Lagerstroemia archeriana</i>	
<i>Abutilon albescens</i>		<i>Lophostemon confertus</i>	Brush Box
<i>Acacia aulacocarpa</i>		<i>Lophostemon grandiflorus</i>	Nthn Swamp Mahogany
<i>Acacia leptocarpa</i>		<i>Lysiphyllum hookeri</i>	Hookers Bauhinia
<i>Acacia leptostachya</i>		<i>Macaranga tanarius</i>	Macaranga
<i>Acacia simsii</i>		<i>Melaleuca dealbata</i>	Blue Tea Tree
<i>Alphitonia excelsa</i>		<i>Melaleuca leucadendra</i>	
<i>Alphitonia petriei</i>		<i>Melaleuca viminalis</i>	Weeping Bottle Brush
<i>Antidesma parviflorum</i>		<i>Melicope elleryana</i>	Corkwood, Euodia
<i>Aphananthe philippinensis</i>		<i>Memecylon pauciflorum</i> var. <i>pauciflorum</i>	
<i>Archontophoenix alexandrae</i>	Alexander Palm	<i>Micromelum minutum</i>	Native Lime Berry
<i>Allocasuarina torulosa</i>	Black she-oak	<i>Omphalea celata</i>	
<i>Allocasuarina luehmannii</i>		<i>Pandanus</i> sp.	
<i>Aidia racemosa</i>	Archer Cherry	<i>Petalostigma pubescens</i>	
<i>Atalaya rigida</i>	Veiny Whitewood	<i>Planchonia careya</i>	Cocky Apple
<i>Breynia oblongifolia</i>	Coffee Bush	<i>Ptychosperma elegans</i>	Solitaire palm
<i>Cajanus reticulatus</i>	Native Pigeon Pea	<i>Phyllanthus novae-hollandiae</i>	
<i>Carallia brachiata</i>	Freshwater mangrove	<i>Sterculia quadrifida</i>	Peanut Tree
<i>Casuarina cunninghamiana</i>	River oak	<i>Syzygium australe</i>	River cherry
<i>Chionanthus ramiflorus</i>	Native Olive	<i>Tabernaemontana orientalis</i>	
<i>Cordia dichotoma</i>		<i>Timonius timon</i>	Tim Tam Tree
<i>Cordia subcordata</i>	Sea Trumpet	<i>Trema tomentosa</i> var. <i>aspera</i>	Peach-leafed Poison Bush
<i>Corymbia clarksoniana</i>		<i>Trema orientalis</i>	
<i>Corymbia intermedia</i>	Pink Bloodwood	<i>Vachellia bidwillii</i> (WAS <i>Acacia bidwillii</i>)	Corkwood
<i>Corymbia tessellaris</i>	Morton Bay Ash	<i>Vitex trifolia</i>	Vitex
<i>Corymbia erythrophloia</i>	Red Bloodwood		
<i>Cryptocarya hypospodia</i>	Large leafed Laurel		
<i>Cupaniopsis anacardioides</i>	Tuckeroo		
<i>Diospyros compacta</i>			
<i>Diospyros geminata</i>			
<i>Diospyros hebecarpa</i>			
<i>Dysoxylum gaudichaudianum</i>			
<i>Elaeocarpus grandis</i>	Blue Quandang		
<i>Eucalyptus crebra</i>	Narrow-leafed Ironbark		
<i>Eucalyptus platyphylla</i>			
<i>Eucalyptus exserta</i>	QLD Peppermint		
<i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i>	QLD Blue Gum		
<i>Euroschinus falcatus</i>	Ribbonwood		
<i>Ficus racemosa</i>	Cluster fig		
<i>Hymenosporum flavum</i>	Native frangipani		
<i>Indigofera pratensis</i>			
<i>Ixora timorensis</i>			
<i>Ganophyllum falcatum</i>	Scaly Ash		

Guidelines for seed collecting:

- Only collect seed from your own property or with written permission
- Source plants must have grown from seed from the Whitsunday Region
- Collect ripe, mature seed & no more than 10% of the seed from any one plant
- Collect from several parts of the plant, mainly the middle & upper branches
- Use paper bags (not plastic) to store the seed & keep them in a cool place
- Label the bag with the species, location, date and your name. Not sure of your plant identification? Include a stem with some leaves & /or take a photo.

You can drop seed off at the nursery on Tuesday or Thursday mornings, or at Reef Catchments Office 30 Main St Proserpine, or call 0483 811 229.

You can make a tax deductible donation to the Whitsunday Catchment Landcare Fund at any time. Just go to <http://www.givenow.com.au/whitsundaycatchmentlandcare> All donors will receive a receipt from Givenow at the time of the do-

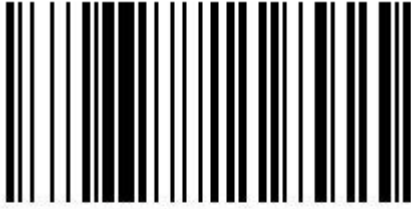
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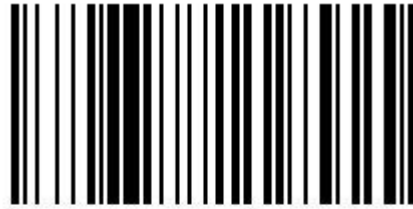


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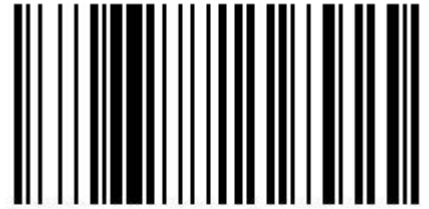
Thank you to so many of you who have generously and kindly donated your container refunds to WCL. Your contributions are allocated to the WCL Public Fund which allows WCL to take on various projects for the ongoing education of our members and the wider community. Please find below our Containers for Change ID number to conveniently cut off and include in your bags. Anything Environmental who manage the local container exchange have moved to a QR Code– please find the new WCL ID below. Thank You again!



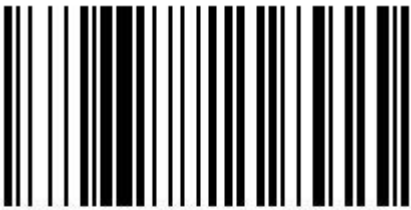
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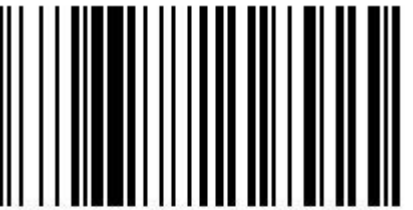
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July 2021- June 2022 MEMBERSHIP NOMINATION FORM

Membership to WCL is currently free of charge and General meetings are usually held every 2 months.

Name of Applicant:

Address:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

Name of Proxy:

Optional

(separate nomination form to be completed)

MEMBERSHIP TYPE (Please specify)

Ordinary Member

All persons who are approved of by the management committee, each of whom will have one vote.

Renewal

Ordinary member renewal – **complete section above only.**

Organisation Member

Stakeholder groups/associations, public/other incorporated bodies, local authorities etc, each of whom will have one representative with one vote. If you will be representing another organisation during WCL meetings please complete the lines below and have an authorised person from your organisation complete page 2.

Organisation/Agency Name: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Role in Organisation/Agency (if applicable): [Click here to enter text.](#)

Associate Member

Government departments/agencies, and any persons who have the interests of the Association and furtherance of its objectives in mind but who shall not have voting rights.

Please tick your choice below. Email is our preferred contact method.

I wish to receive the WCL newsletter via

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