



Still a few spoonbills feeding in shallow water –
They feed on water insects, crustaceans, fish and molluscs.
Spoonbills do not usually nest at the lake but enjoy feeding as
water dries and again when it fills at beginning of winter.

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*Friends
of
Mary Carroll Lake*

Newsletter
March 2010



Photo taken near car park in Eudoria
Street looking across the lake to May Street.



Keep Australia Beautiful
 Adopt a Spot -
 1st Wednesday of each
 month at Mary Carroll Lake
 Let's keep OUR wetland
rubbish free



Clean up Australia Day

See you all at

Tom Bateman Reserve

Sunday 7th March

9am – 12md

Thanks to all our
 volunteers. Your
 efforts are helping to
 keep our wetland
 rubbish free – It looks
 great.

See a trolley away from
 shopping centres –
 Ring
 1800 trolley (1800 8765539)
 You need to be very clear where
 the trolley is, don't forget to tell
 operator you are in WA.



Types of Rubbish collected
 glass bottles, plastic bottles, cans,
 plastic bags, cardboard (take away
 containers), cigarette butts, bottle
 tops plus all sorts of items
 32 bags +have been collected to date



2009 National Tree Site



Yes, it's hand height - wow



Site is being weeded once a month.

Can you spare an hour?
All equipment supplied.

Ring Unice
93987126 and arrange a time to suit you or come and join Friends on our work mornings.

Friends supported by-
City of Gosnells
Armadale Gosnells Landcare
SERCUL
Bendigo Community Bank Gosnells
Waterbird Conservation

People in the Park - Creepy crawly discovery

This was a free event run by City of Gosnells community development -where you could discover your local park. There was live music, kids' activities, local community groups and displays, eagles, wildlife travelling van where you could handle wild animals. Lots and lots of people visited and enjoyed the park and entertainment. Well done to all involved.



Dates for your Diary 2010

March, April, May

Work mornings will continue on Wednesday

Bring sense of fun, information to share,
drink, gloves – equipment supplied

Wear closed in footwear, hat, sunscreen

Everyone welcome

Meet at Eudoria St Car Park at 8am

March 10th – work area -2008 reveg site

March 17th – Let's enjoy Breakfast at the park –

bring a friend & chat RSVP 93987126

by Monday 15.2.10 if you want breakfast supplied

March 24th – work area -Car park

March 31st – work area -2009 reveg site

See you at **Tom Bateman Reserve**

9am Sunday 7th March

Clean Up Australia

Meet at Eudoria St car park at 9am

April 7th – Keep Australia beautiful adopt –a-spot

April 14th – 2008 reveg site / Gosnell primary site

April 21st - May st

April 28th - Catch up chatter session – have a cuppa

Meet at Eudoria St car park at 9am

Sunday **May 2nd**

Keep Australia beautiful adopt-a-spot

We will clean all lake area before it fills up again

We need lots of help – bring wheelbarrows, gloves

May 12th –Yellow fish drain stencilling

May 19th – Sculp site

May 26th – Plan and check sites for planting

June 2nd - Keep Australia beautiful adopt-a-spot

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Come and join us, exercise and free air