

Guest speaker presentations 2018, 7.30 pm at HIRL, Hamilton

Tues 06 Mar.	Prof. Ray Cas. 'Origin & history of Volcanic province of WVic'. HIRL 8 pm
Thurs 15 Mar.	David Pitts 'Orchids of SW Victoria'
Thurs 17 May	Steve Clark 'Birds & other wildlife of Uganda'
Thurs 19 July	Lachlan Farrington NGT 'Ecology of SW Vic wetlands'
Thurs 20 Sept.	Diane Luhrs 'Landscape, culture & rock art of Arnhem Land'
Fri 16 Nov.	Ross Cayley 'Update – formation of Grampians & Aust Alps'

Excursions and conservation activities 2018

Sun 18 Feb.	Excursion – Lake Linlithgow area wetlands. Meet 7.30 am at LLIN's 'Point'
Sat 17 Mar.	Excursion – Casterton-Drajurk forest areas. Meet HVC 9 am
Sun 22 Apr.	Excursion – Mt Shadwell olivine & adjacent wetlands – Meet 9 am HVC]
Fri 18-20 May	Excursion – Beachport SA coastal weekend away. Details TBA
Sun 24 June	Excursion – Elmore's Cone & the mount, Mt Napier SP. Meet 9.30 am HVC
Sat 22 July	Excursion – Wetland excursion Walkers Swamp with NGT. Meet HVC 9.00 am
Sun 19 Aug.	Excursion – Harman's Valley volcanics – farm visit Old Crusher Rd. Meet HVC 9 am
Sun 09 Sept.	Working Bee – Fulham Reserve, Cape Tulip & Sparaxis. Meet 10 am at river
Sun 23 Sept	Working Bee – Fulham Reserve, Cape Tulip & Sparaxis. Meet 10 am at river
Sun 14 Oct.	Working Bee – African Weed Orchids (AWO) at Nigretta Falls. Meet HVC 9 am
Sun 21 Oct.	Excursion – Wildflowers of Grampians – Wartook Reservoir area. Meet 9 am HVC
Sat 27 Oct.	Working Bee – AWO herbicide-wiping at Nigretta Flora Res. Meet HVC 9 am
Sat 17 Nov.	Excursion – Grampians Geology tour with Ross Cayley. Meet HVC 9 am
Sun 18 Nov.	Fauna survey – Bear SF Fauna Nest Box inspection. Meet HVC 9 am
Sat 24 Nov.	Working Bee – AWO pulling at Nigretta Flora Res. Meet Nigretta Pool at 9.15 am
Sun 16 Dec.	Excursion – End-of-year get-together at 5 pm [venue TBA in Nov]
Sun 19 Feb. 2019	Excursion – Birds, Linlithgow area wetlands. Meet 8 am, LLIN's 'Point', Chatsworth Rd

HVC = Hamilton Visitor Centre in Lonsdale St

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