



CWCN Workshop Common Bushland & Garden Insects Saturday, 8th Dec 2018

3:00pm— 8:00pm

Location: CWCN Centre, 47 Hepworth St, Chapel Hill (UBD 178 A11)

Insects are among the most abundant and diverse groups of organisms on Earth. They can be found everywhere, from pristine bushland to the concreted heart of a city's CBD. Parks and gardens support hundreds of different species. Even the barest entertainment area will be populated with insects and leafy gardens have a veritable 'microcosm' of six-legged beasts. - Insects are an integral part of the ecology of natural, agricultural and urban ecosystems. The 'ecosystem services' provided by insects should not be underestimated. They play vital roles in the decomposition of organic matter, nutrient recycling and soil formation, and in the pollination and dispersal of plants. They also provide a food source for many other groups of animals.....

(Queensland Museum www.qm.qld.gov.au)

Dr Geoff Monteith is a legend among entomologists in Australia and abroad. Geoff's reputation is based on his highly significant research work, his role as former curator of insects at the Queensland Museum, his generosity in sharing knowledge in support of other scientists' work, and as a brilliant naturalist and educator who transfers his love for insects to any audience with ease. Geoff will talk about how insects came to be the most successful and diverse animals on earth, their behaviour, their habitat needs, and their enormous importance to ecosystem processes. Geoff will be helped on the day by **Dr Vivian Sandoval**, a research associate at the Queensland Museum. Both will take us on a walk in the afternoon and run special insect attracting lights in the evening.

Of course, there will be dinner snacks for all active insect investigators. Our event is **free** with preference being given to participants in BCC's Community Conservation Partnerships Program (bushcare and catchment group members as well as those partaking in Land for Wildlife) and local educators.

Please keep in mind that our workshops tend to be popular. Please register early to secure your place as per form overleaf. If you have any questions kindly ring Jutta on 0407 583 441 or email cwcnmail@tpg.com.au.

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Registration

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Member of (please tick and fill in)

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Land for Wildlife

Other
Organisation

School

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Date

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