



**SOUTH TURRAMURRA
ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION
(S.T.E.P.)**

NEWSLETTER -- SEPTEMBER, 1981.

NEXT GENERAL MEETING -- TUESDAY, 6th OCTOBER, 1981, 8.00 p.m.

South Turramurra Kindergarten,
12 Auluba Road, Turramurra.

BUSHFIRES AND YOU

ALL WELCOME

Alan Catford will speak on the methods and strategies used by people in our own area in firefighting and practical bushfire safety. The S.T.E.P. method of hazard reduction by selective hand clearing will also be explained.

Helen Petersen will talk on Bush Regeneration methods and will be happy to identify plants brought to the meeting by members.

BUSH WALK. A very successful bush walk was held on Sunday, 16th August. Approximately 200 people took part and walked over the S.T.E.P. track. The weather was perfect and the many flowering native plants provided us with a delightful display. Our thanks go to the 1st Kissing Point Venturers who acted as guides and helped S.T.E.P. members with the large crowd.

MITCHELL CRESCENT. A request was received from Jenny Starling, a Botanist and parent from Warrawee Public School, to assist with a bush walk in the area near Mitchell Crescent. About 25 parents and friends, together with Jenny Starling and Yvonne Langshaw representing S.T.E.P. enjoyed a pleasant morning exploring the bush between Mitchell and Howson Cvals. Explanation of the Bradley weeding method was given and help with identification of plants found there.

WEST PYMBLE. S.T.E.P. members in West Pymble have been active recently in selectively hand clearing areas near their homes using the S.T.E.P. method of hazard reduction.

BUSH REGENERATION GROUP. Our next weeding afternoon will be on the fourth Sunday in October, (25th) at 2.30 p.m. Venue will be Ashburton Avenue fire break. New helpers are always welcome-- enquiries Yvonne Langshaw 449-1541.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS for this year have reached 65% of last year's numbers. In case this matter has been overlooked, a red spot on your Newsletter indicates that you are unfinancial and another application form is printed hereon for your convenience.

S.T.E.P.
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL.

NAME..... PHONE.....
ADDRESS..... Family membership \$2.00
..... Single membership \$1.00

TC: Mrs. Y. Langshaw,
Treasurer,
26 Chisholm Street,
TURRAMURRA. N.S.W. 2074.

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NEWCASTLE -- DECEMBER 1988

Next Special Meeting - Tuesday, 6th October 1988, 8.30 p.m. South Turramarra Environmental Centre, 116 Brown Road, Newcastle.

MEMBERS AND TOPICS

The Council will meet on the evening and discussion will be held on the following items: 1. Report on the progress of the Council since the last meeting. 2. Report on the progress of the Council since the last meeting. 3. Report on the progress of the Council since the last meeting.

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