



WA Rangers Association 2023 Professional Development Conference

21 & 22 September 2023
Mandoon Estate, Caversham



The WA Rangers Association Professional Development Conference will be held at Mandoon Estate on the 21 & 22 September 2023.

Awards Dinner – will be held on Thursday 21 September 2023 at 7pm.
(Pre-Dinner drinks at 6:30pm)

2023 Program

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Thursday 21 September 2023

08:00 - 08:45	Delegate Registration	
08:45 - 08:55	Master of Ceremonies Welcome	
08:55 - 09:00	WARA President's Welcome	Dene Lawrence President
09:00 - 09:10	Welcome to Country	
09:10 - 09:15	Welcome	
09:15 - 09:25	Acknowledgement of Country	
09.25 - 10:00	AFDRS & Bushfire Risk Management Program	Gavin Eva District Officer – Rural Fire Division Department of Fire & Emergency Services
10:00 - 10:15	Morning Tea	Networking Session
10:15 - 10:30	LG Professionals Update	Candy Choo Local Government Professionals
10:30 - 11:00	LPR Technology	AeroRanger
11:00 - 11:15	Sponsor	
11.15 - 12:00	Animal Welfare Update	Department of Primary Industry and Regional Development
12:00 - 12:45	Lunch	
12.45 - 13.45	Dog Rehoming Presentation and Discussion Panel	Tracey Lord, Shenton Parks Dogs Refuge Home, SAFE, DLGSC.
13.45 - 14.15	Centralised Registration System Update (Stop Puppy Farming Amendment Bill 2021)	Department of Local Government, Sport & Cultural Industries
14.15 - 15.30	Dangerous Dogs	Kaizen K9
15.30 - 16.00	Afternoon Tea	Networking Session
16:00 - 16.30	AGM & Committee Elections	
16.30	Close	

Annual Awards Dinner

18:30 Pre Dinner Drinks
19:00 Annual Dinner and Awards Presentation.

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Friday 22 September 2023

08:00 - 08:25	Delegate Registration	
08:25 - 08:30	Welcome (MC)	
08:30 - 09:00	Illegal Dumping	Department of Water & Environmental Regulation
09:00 - 9:30	Illegal Dumping and the opportunities for product stewardship and coordinated regulation	Rebecca Brown Manager, Waste and Environment – WALGA
09:30 - 10:30	Illegal Dumping Prosecutions	Peter Gillett Mcleods Barristers & Solicitors
10:30 - 10:45	Morning Tea	Networking Session
10:45 - 11:15	Stock Identification	Heidi Meyer Department of Primary Industry and Regional Development
11:15 - 12:00	Crimestoppers	Vince Huges CEO Crimestoppers WA
12:00 - 12:45	Lunch	
12:45 - 13:15	Emergency Management & LEMA Review	Simone Ruane LEMA Review Project Lead, Emergency Management WALGA
13:15 - 13.45	Homelessness	Shelter WA
13:45 - 14:00	Central Regional TAFE	Sharleen Jordan Lecturer Local Government/Animal Studies
14:00 - 14:30	Major Events Act	Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation
14.30 - 14:45	Afternoon Tea	Networking Session
14:45 - 15:45	Legal Presentation	Tim Houweling & Bronwyn Waugh Cornerstone Legal
15:45 - 16:00	Conference Review	
16:00 - 16:30	Certificate Presentation & Conference Closure	
16:30 - 17:30	Networking Sundowner	

Due to circumstances that may occur beyond WARA's control, this program is subject to change.

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