



West Australian Sustainable Education Forum Friday 7th December 2018

Call for Abstracts – Due Monday September 17th

This forum is an opportunity for those in community, schools, industry, tertiary and government groups to share the work they are engaged with to educate about and support sustainability practices. We are seeking abstracts that showcase the broad field of topics to enhance opportunities to hear, know and network with people and groups operating in WA. The focus for the afternoon session is Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP), how to construct, implement and evaluate your efforts. The afternoon session will include practical knowledge, skills and tools described to enhance opportunities for future projects.

Venue: Canning River Eco Education Centre, Kent St & Queens Park Rd, Wilson WA 6107

Cost: \$55 Non Member; \$33 AAEE member and students (includes refreshments)

Abstracts: Abstracts should be up to 250 words describing your program, project, idea and have a great hook to inspire others to come and listen to your story. Send to Jennifer Pearson at <pearsonjo@iinet.net.au>

Draft Program: To get you excited!

9.00 Registrations & cuppa

9.20 - 9.30 Acknowledgement of Country and welcome

9.30 - 10:15 Round Table 1 - Presenters will set the scene for the first 10-15 minutes, then lead a discussion as an opportunity to tease out themes and patterns and to add value to the concept being discussed.

10.15 - 10.45 Morning tea

10.45 - 11.30 Round Table 2 - As above.

11.30 - 12.30 Poster Session and Networking and lunch. If you are only able to attend for half the day, this is an opportunity to network and have a nude lunch.

12.30 - 1.00 South West Native Title Settlement (SWNTS) Mr Glenn Shaw, Senior Heritage Project Officer, Aboriginal Heritage will present what the SWNTS opportunities are for your organisation in relation to developing RAP.

1.00 - 1.45 Developing and Implementing a Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP) Dr Elaine Lewis will present three stories from different local organisations about developing and implementing their own RAPs. These stories outline the varied experiences of two NGOs, the One World Centre and the WA Chapter of AAEE, and a primary school, Coolbinia Primary. This session will address the processes involved in developing a RAP, actions taken to implement the three RAPs and opportunities in the future.

1.45 - 2.45 Open discussion – bring your questions about a RAP in your organisation and have them considered by Glenn and Elaine and others to support your work in implementation. All questions are valued in this supportive group.

2.45 - 3.00 Evaluation and wrap-up

If you have any questions please contact Dr Jennifer Pearson on <pearsonjo@iinet.net.au>