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**Term Three Program 2019 for 2 to 10 years**  
**July – August - September**

## Bowerbird Bill

School Holiday Activity 2 - 10 years

Have fun learning about the shopper of the bush – a Satin Bowerbird! He is a keen decorator and builder and likes bling. We'll read a story about Bowerbird Bill, go on a bushwalk to look for Bowerbird treasure and make a bower of our own. Who knows, we may even find a Bowerbird!

Wednesday 10 July & Friday 19 July 9:45 am – 11:00am Meet at Gore Creek Reserve (far end of oval), St Vincents Rd, Greenwich

## Tree-mendous Trees

School Holiday Activity 2 -10 years

Trees, we often take them for granted, but trees are tremendous 'machines' of nature. They take in carbon dioxide and pump out oxygen. They help keep us cool and provide shade. Trees offer homes and food for many kinds of animals, insects and birds. They are tree-mendous.

Join us to celebrate trees!

Friday 12 July & 2 August 9:45 am – 11:00am Meet at Stringybark Reserve, Murray St, Lane Cove North



## Nature's Night Shift

School Holiday Activity 2 - 10 years

It may be past your bedtime when nature's night shift takes over, so let's pretend we're staying up late and have a nature explore! Bring a torch and let's learn about the Aussie animals that come out at night on a bushwalk and much more!

Tuesday 16 July 9:45 am – 11:00am Meet at Blackman Park, end of Lloyd Rees Dr, opposite playground, Lane Cove West

## Winter Wombats

School Holiday Activity 2 - 10 years

Wonderful wombats – how can you not love an animal that does square poos! A marsupial with a backward facing pouch, wombats are the biggest burrowing animals in the world! Join us to learn more about these unique Aussie animals.

Thursday 18 July 9:45 am – 11:00am Meet at Tambourine Bay Park (Reserve), Tambourine Bay Rd, Riverview

## Echidna Antics

2 - 5 years

What has a long, sticky tongue, lays an egg and has a spiny coat? A Short-beaked Echidna! Come along for a fun activity to learn about the antics of these unusual animals, try our hand at bark rubbing and go for a bushwalk to discover their favourite food.

Wednesday 31 July & Friday 27 September 9:45 am – 11:00am Meet at park, west end of Penrose St, next to playground, Lane Cove West

## ABC Animal Walk

2 - 5 years

Encourage your child to learn their ABCs. We'll sing the ABC song with Jenny and learn the Aussie animal alphabet. We'll also go on a bushwalk to look for letter shapes in the bush and create a letter of our own to take home.

Friday 16 August & Thursday 12 September 9:45 am – 11:00am Meet at Blackman Park, end of Lloyd Rees Dr, opposite playground, Lane Cove West

## What's for Lunch?

2 - 5 years

What do you eat for lunch? What do animals and insects eat for lunch? Come along to our adventure-filled activity to find out. We'll go on a bushwalk to look for nibbled leaves, spiders in their webs and more. We'll read a book and make our own bush craft to take home. Bring your lunch and relax afterwards.

Tuesday 27 August 9:45am – 11:00 am Meet at Tambourine Bay Park (Reserve), Tambourine Bay Rd, Riverview



## Going on an activity?

- ✓ Wear appropriate bushwalking footwear (i.e. running shoes) and sun protection – hat and sunscreen (particularly in summer months). Walks are on unsealed tracks.
- ✓ Look for the Bush Kids sign to find us!
- ✓ On bushwalks, stay on the tracks and with the group.
- ✓ All mobile phones to be set to silent or turned off while on the activity.

## Bookings:

- ✓ Bookings are essential for all activities - go to [www.lanecove.nsw.gov.au/bushkids](http://www.lanecove.nsw.gov.au/bushkids). Lane Cove Council uses Eventbrite.
- ✓ Activities are for 2 to 5 years during term time, 2 to 10 years during school holidays.
- ✓ Children must be accompanied by an adult.
- ✓ Most activities are NOT stroller friendly and walks are on unsealed bush tracks.
- ✓ Lane Cove Council reserves the right to alter or cancel activities.
- ✓ Safety on all our activities is always considered, however participants attend activities at their own risk and adults are responsible for their children.
- ✓ Further information – [www.lanecove.nsw.gov.au/bushkids](http://www.lanecove.nsw.gov.au/bushkids)  
[www.facebook.com/lanecovebushkids](https://www.facebook.com/lanecovebushkids)

## Cost: \$6.85 per child per activity

No charge for adults. Members of the *Lane Cove Bushland and Conservation Society* receive two free family vouchers each year of membership.

**Bookings and payment are through Eventbrite.**