

Friends of Tasman Island

Expression of Interest



Working Bees 2019

Friends of Tasman Island – Wildcare Inc(FoTI)

Spectacular Tasman Island, just off Cape Pillar, is ringed by some of the highest sea cliffs in Australia. The lightstation, which was manned by lightkeepers for over 70 years, is now part of the Tasman National Park. FoTI – Wildcare Inc works in partnership with the Parks and Wildlife Service (PWS) to maintain and enhance the cultural and natural heritage values of Tasman Island. Access to and from the island is by helicopter. **Email:** <u>friendsoftasmanisland@gmail.com</u> for our Volunteer Guide if you need more info.

Working Bees

We aim for a mix of experienced volunteers and first timers. Selection of volunteers is made on the basis of skills qualifications and experience that would contribute to the working bee achieving the planned works. Preference will be given to active FoTI – Wildcare Inc members.

FoTI plans to hold at least two working bees in the next 12 months

The first is scheduled for **Thursday 18 April to Saturday 27 April 2019**. The works focus will be rebuilding the front verandah and restoration of the sunroom of Lighthouse Keepers Quarters No 3. The weeding focus will be ongoing work to eradicate the Californian thistle and monitoring all weed sites. The second is planned for **November 2019 (dates to be confirmed)**. FoTI will be seeking volunteers with building, construction and/or restoration skills and experience as well as experienced weeders for the 2019 November working bee.

Personal Information

Name:				
Address:				
Phone:	(H)	(W)	(M)	
Email:				
Member of Wildcare? Y N				
Wildcare Number				
Qualifications, Experiences and skills				
	urrent Chem Cert Ishcare type skills:			

Trades skills-carpentry, plumbing, etc

Current First Aid certificates or other relevant health or professional qualifications:

Helicopter experience:

Any additional information eg remote area experience, working in teams

Do you have any significant medical conditions? * Participants will need to complete a Parks and Wildlife Service Volunteer Registration and Medical Disclosure form. The final selection of individualsis to be approved by the PWS.

Availability

Please indicate your order of preference Please note these dates may change due to adverse weather/fires/conflicting Parks priorities

Thursday 18 April to Saturday 27 April 2019

November 2019 (Dates to be confirmed)

Referee Details

Name:
Phone number:
Email address:
How are you known by your referee:

For more information on building maintenance/restoration work

contact:

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For more information onweeding work contact:

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