

NATIVE RESTORATION

FIELD DAY 2014

Coe's Ford: Sat 10 May

9.30am: Coe's Ford, Saturday 10 May

Welcome by Frances Schmechel (TAK)

9.40am: Maintaining existing biodiversity, the value of remnants, why restore, where and what?

with Alice Shanks (QEII)

10.10am: When restoration works

- Inaugural winner Diana Isaac Cup
- Coe's Ford - 10 years of success

with Trevor Taege (Toby Hill landowner) and Jason Arnold (Coe's/Chamberlain Ford)

10.45am: Morning Tea (provided)

11.05pm: Planning a restoration project

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- Support and funding available

with Jodi Rees (ECan), Brooke Turner (TAK), Andrew Mactier (SDC), Jodi Rees (ECan)

11.40pm: Planting

- Species selection, Ecosourcing and plant quality
- Methods of planting, using guards & fertiliser tablets
- Instream restoration

with Dr Colin Meurk (Landcare Research) and Catherine Febria (Canterbury University)

12.35pm: Lunch (please ensure to bring your own lunch)

1.25pm: Site preparation and maintenance

- The use of spraying for various sites
- An alternative to spraying
- Predator & herbivore control

with Di Carter (Christchurch City Council) and Jason Butt (Wai-ora Landscapes)

2.15pm: Monitoring

- Vegetation change - Photopoints
- Insects - monitoring invertebrates
- Birds - 5 minute bird counts

with Brooke Turner (TAK), Mike Bowie (Lincoln University), Frances Schmechel (ECan)

2.50pm: Finish



photo: Greendale Golf Course Green Dot

Thinking of planting some natives? Learn how to effectively restore native habitats, save time and money at this free event.

To book email us at:

register@kakariki.org.nz

In the case of bad weather, the venue will be changed to Springston South Hall

The day will look at

- examples of when restoration works
- how to plan your restoration project
- what funding is available
- species to plant and how to plant
- preparing/maintaining planting
- dealing with predators & herbivores
- monitoring your success





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If you think this would be of interest to other friends, neighbours or family, please pass this invitation on

What you need to bring:

- Sturdy shoes or gumboots
- Hat and sunscreen
- Picnic lunch & water bottle
- Blanket or chairs
- Wet weather gear
- Plenty of warm clothing

