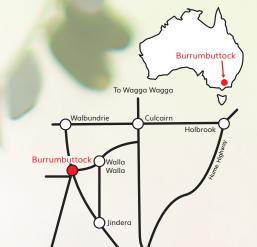


# WIRRAMINNA ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTRE

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## WIRRAMINNA BURRUMBUTTOCK



VOLUNTEER
AT AN AWARD
WINNING
ENVIRONMENTAL
CENTRE



Wirraminna offers many opportunities for volunteers to be involved on either a regular or casual basis.

No experience or particular qualifications are required to volunteer, just let us know which activities interest you, and any relevant qualifications or expertise that you can offer.

"OUR VISION IS TO
INSPIRE COMMUNITIES TO
PROTECT, IMPROVE AND
MAINTAIN THE NATURAL
ENVIRONMENT"



#### WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO

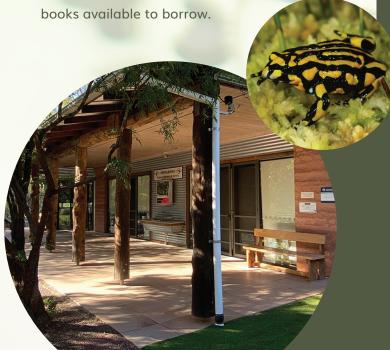
We are a non-government, independently funded Environmental Education Centre and tourist stop in the heart of Burrumbuttock, north of Albury NSW, that was started in the early 1990s. We represent a model for landcare projects that aim to restore native vegetation and wetlands on farms to redress problems of declining biodiversity.

Wirrainna is a public park developed and maintained by volunteers. We are open all year round to visitors, 7 days a week.

The gardens and natural woodland contain many locally rare native shrubs, wildflowers and grasses which attract a range of animals such as native bees, frogs around the waterways, skinks, many bird species, possums and the threatened Squirrel Glider.

#### **OUR DISCOVERY CENTRE**

Our Discovery Centre is a beautiful rammed earth building, used for education purposes and events. It houses many resources and displays including an endangered Southern Corroboree frogs enclosure, native fish displays, a native animal taxidermy collection and a small library of reference



## WHO CAN VOLUNTEER AT WIRRAMINNA?

- People who care about the environment and community.
- People who enjoy working in a team.
- People who love plants, the environment and being in nature.



### **VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

- Garden maintenance
- Planting, pruning and weeding
- Seed collection and propagation
- Bush regeneration, bush weeding
- Assisting with displays, events and promotional activities
- Building tasks
- Shared morning tea
- Social events (e.g. native nursery visits)

### **VOLUNTEER BENEFITS**

- Opportunities to learn about woodland ecology and growing native plants.
- Being part of a friendly, social group of people.
- Involvement in creating a long lasting teaching asset for future generations.