

# TreeProject

Sowing the seeds for a sustainable future

## The Leaflet - April 2021



TreeProject acknowledges Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the first inhabitants and traditional custodians of the lands where we live, learn and work to return healthy, sustainable indigenous ecosystems to the land.

It's a date with TreeProject (well actually, it's a few dates with TreeProject!) and we are very pleased to be sharing them with you.

Those many seedlings that our dedicated Autumn planting (first) distribution volunteer growers have been nurturing for months are soon going to be ready to be planted. You know what that means - that we are finalising our long awaited and much anticipated [tree planting days](#) out in the country and bookings are now open! Of course we also have [TreeProject's Shin-Dig](#) lined up, which promises to be a super evening filled with networking, entertainment, plenty of food and fun - an evening not to be missed for a great cause.

It's also been a busy month out in the field for our operations team attending the Seymour Alternative Farming Expo (featured left above) and the Bendigo Sustainable Living Festival (featured right above). We owe a huge thanks to all the volunteers and staff who succeeded in making our attendance at these events extremely beneficial. Thanks as well to all those who stopped by to chat - we really enjoyed meeting you.

**Landholders** - not long now until you receive your seedlings. If you hadn't as yet considered TreeProject's help in getting your seedlings planted, please be in touch. Just a heads up that orders are now open for the next season. Please register your interest [here](#). If you would like further details or alternatively place orders at your earliest convenience [here](#).

We hope you enjoy The Leaflet update as together we 'Restore Our Earth'. (Theme from Earth Day | 22 April 2021)

### The TreeProject Team

PS: Don't forget Mum! Order her a personalised e-gift card for Mother's Day [here](#) and it will be delivered straight to her inbox on Mother's Day.

(Thanks to our keen volunteer/coordinator Alan Collard for the photographs)



### 8000 SEEDLINGS HEADED FOR BUSHFIRE AFFECTED AREA

8000 seedlings are being grown by TreeProject volunteers for a project in collaboration with Upper Murray Landcare and Lions District V6 to revegetate bushfire affected areas of the Upper Murray in Towong Shire, North East Victoria.

[READ MORE](#)



### BOOK IN TO PLANT TREES!

We are VERY pleased to announce that our popular tree planting days are back and bookings are open. It's a great opportunity for family, friends and colleagues to get together for a great day of tree planting out in the beautiful countryside.

[VIEW | BOOK TREE PLANTING DATES](#)



### TREEPROJECT'S SHIN-DIG

Purchase tickets for TreeProject's Shin-Dig - get colleagues, friends and family together for a fun evening networking with likeminded people who also care deeply for the environment. We would love to see you there.

[EVENT DETAILS | PURCHASE TICKETS](#)



### PREPARING SEEDLINGS FOR PLANTING

If you are an Autumn planting (first) distribution volunteer grower, you may find this checklist/tips on how to you give your seedlings the best chance for success as you prepare them for handover to the landholders of interest.

[CHECKLIST](#)



### THE MIGHTY RIVER RED GUM (Eucalyptus camaldulensis)

It's a symbol of what it is to be Australian, but have you ever wondered why the mighty River Red Gum is named after an order of Tuscan monks?

Photo courtesy of our keen Volunteer/Landholder, Ken Allender

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We would like to acknowledge and congratulate one of our major donors, [ELK](#), on the publication of their [third annual transparency report](#). Well done on your sustainable fashion commitment and all that you do for the environment.

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PS: Which flower can you dip in water and lick like a lollipop? [BANKSIA](#)  
The seeds of which species can be ground up into flour and used for making dough? Look out for the answer in our next edition.

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