

Name : Sullivan's Creek Creative and Cultural Walk , through lens of the Ngunnawal people, an artist and a scientist..

Presented and Supported by Sullivan's Trail, Molongo Conservation Group, ACT Heritage Funding.

Date: April 17 2021

Time: 10am - 12noon

Location: Start at Antill St, next to Canberra Lyneham Motor Inn , stopping at Lyneham Common Gardens on to Lyneham Wetlands finishes at Uniting Church with coffee and cake offering a chance to network and connect with fellow walkers. (This route may include the David St wetlands also, but I want to walk it first to see if we will have time)

Purpose of the walk

The walk will focus on the role waterways plays in network our communities, now and throughout history . An opportunity to view and explore Sullivan's Creek through the Indigenous lens, journeying through its natural and man made environment. We will have series of speakers and experts to discuss how we can engage cultural knowledge , creativity and science as tools to research and retell stories of past to shape our future.

Participants will be invited to engage in an active and onsite community consultation about potential projects including identifying sites for creative and placemaking activities. Identify how the community would like to creating awareness and stewardship around our urban water ways.

PhotoAccess will present Water Walks Photography exhibition, which will be installed through sections of the walk.

Attendees we be asked to create a wish list of the creative and cultural possibilities for this route. Inviting participants to marks spots on the route that they could see potential for activation ... seating, play equipment, markets, planting , naturalisation of the creek ect.

Speakers

Wally Bell has been invited speak about the ancient lake story.

Tom Grey, Sullivan's Trail Co-creator , will talk about how each the inner north suburbs are situated on tributaries that flow into Sullivan's Creek , connecting each suburbs through these networks of water.

Kate Harriden, ANU Indigenous Water Researcher will speak about her leaky weir project and research and conduct water testing at two sites.

Lyneham Common Gardens

Showcasing their gardens and celebrating the increasing community activation and engagement along the creek as another form of networking.

Lyneham Community Association

A member of the LCA will share unearthed Lyneham history's from the historian that Lyneham Community Association have engaged through ACT Heritage Funding.

PhotoAccess

Speak about the impact of their Water-walks photography project. This will include an exhibition of Sullivan's Creek photo's from Waterways project.

Nicola Lambert

Will speak about the Sullivan's Trail. The journey so far , funded projects YAH and ACT Heritage funding , working with MGC and next steps.

Other activities

Kids Pack

Map from Jane Goodman

Opportunity to purchase water walk book

MCG info

LCA Flier

Sullivan's Trail Flier

Water walks exhibition of photography (I will ask PhotoAccess if we can display some of they artwork along the route.

Chalk for participants to respond to place with ideas.

Media and Promotion

Eventbrite

Lyneham newsletter, See-change Facebook page, MCG Facebook page, Uniting Church Network and newsletter, Anne Howe , ACT Heritage Event page, Sullivan's Trail Facebook page, CDNET, Canberra inner north community facebook page.

Special invitation

Send invite to Liz Lea , Shane Rattenbury

Next steps

Media Release

Create Eventbrite

Walk the Route

Lyneham Common Gardens

Print map and make kit with info sheets

Invites to Minsters and VIP

Talk to Uniting Church about catering and hosting event