



BAT EVENING



Where: Hanging Rock Reserve



When: Saturday March 15th.
Register at 5pm for 5.15 start.



Presenter: Dr Lindy Lumsden

Lindy is based at the Arthur Rylah Institute, the wildlife research institute of the Department of Sustainability and Environment, where she has been conducting ecological research on bats for over 25 years. As most people do not have the opportunity to see bats close up, she brings along a live bat to show at the end of her talk - an Eastern Freetail Bat that has been coming to talks with her for 17 years!



Cost: \$5 per adult, children (Under 16) free
Includes exit from the reserve
BBQ and tea/coffee.
BYO chair [or rug] and torch

Numbers strictly limited – booking essential.

Evening outline

5pm start	
5.15 – 6.15	presentation by Lindy Lumsden
6.15	show & tell (George the pet bat, Harp traps, other bats trapped prior)
7.00	BBQ, set up bat detectors, listening for calls
7.45	release wild bats
8.00	discussion & tea/coffee/cake
After 9pm	check traps

Booking / payment: Newham & District Landcare group
PO Box 314, Woodend.
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