

ACT TREE WEEK and NATIONAL TREE DAY

Activities at the Australian National Botanic Gardens



Alive with discovery

Iconic Tree Walks

The Australian National Botanic Gardens has within its living collection one third of all the Australian plant species and is probably the best place in the world to see the majority of our iconic national trees. Although familiar to many, during ACT Tree week visitors can undertake a one hour guided walk in which they can learn more about these intriguing and unique species.

Monday 20 to Sunday 26 July
Daily at 11 am & 2 pm
Departing from Visitor Centre
FREE EVENT | Bookings not required

Linking Trees: ANBG to the Arboretum

The National Arboretum opened in 2013 and contains 100 single-species forests from around the world. Of these forests, there are 16 that consist of Australian native trees with 14 represented in mature form at the ANBG. During ACT Tree Week the ANBG is offering special walks, led by volunteers who guide at both the ANBG and the National Arboretum, to learn more about these trees and why they were selected for the Arboretum.

Wednesday 22, Saturday 25 and Sunday 26 July
90 min guided walks @ 11.30 am and 1.30 pm
Departing from Visitor Centre
FREE EVENT | Bookings required as group numbers limited
Bookings go to www.anbg.gov.au/whatson



Canopy: an Exhibition by John Pratt

'Canopy' is a series of works based on the Mount Ainslie Nature Reserve which are a narration of John Pratt's engagement with the site which has evolved over a number of years, originally as a coordinator of the local Park Care group – and more recently as a location for drawing and visual investigation. The prints and drawings in this exhibition are a response to botanical forms and other elements encountered in the Reserve.

Wednesday 15 July – Sunday 30 August
9.30 am – 4.30 pm
Visitor Centre | FREE EVENT

