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WETLAND WARRIORS

Armadales Gosnells Landcare Group (AGLG) is a community led group that coordinates landcare planning, river restoration, bushland management, community action and community awareness programs. With the help of thousands of volunteers each year, AGLG focuses on implementing on-ground restoration and revegetation projects as well as educating the community about local Landcare issues. These on-ground activities mainly involve planting native seedlings (trees, shrubs, herbs, sedges and rushes) and removing priority environmental weeds.

On October 28, seventeen enthusiastic volunteers from BHP's Technology Engineering Control Systems WAIO contributed their Thursday to assist AGLG at Thornlie River Park. The tasks of the day was planting local, native species such as sedges around the dams and swamps to create wetland environments. The team was fully geared up and eager to get started with the activity, with waders and gumboots on. After collecting some plants into the bucket, the team split into several groups and worked at different areas along the river park. The team learned more about the ecosystem and impacts of wetland planting from AGLG's Landcare Officer. In a span of three hours, the team managed to successfully plant over 1900 native species at Thornlie River Park, which is an incredible end-result. A job well done to this amazing team! AGLG greatly appreciated the team's enthusiasm, help, time and contribution.



[You can view more photos from the team day HERE.](#)


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