



2021 Workshop

Long before John Wyndham published *The Day of the Triffids*, carnivorous plants have captivated audiences worldwide. So what is it about plants that bite and hold an appetite for something more substantial?

Join us as we partner with the Australian Carnivorous Plant Society to explore the biology and cultivation of carnivorous plants. In this half-day workshop participants will learn about the many fascinating species, their cultivation and care.

Acquire knowledge about the different specialised methods of propagation and take home your very own beasts propagated in class.

This workshop will cover

- Trapping mechanisms, demonstrated using specimen plants.
- Where to observe carnivorous plants locally.
- Cultivation requirements of different species, with reference to their native habitats.
- Hands-on application of seed, cutting and division propagation techniques by participants, to produce material that can be taken home.

Workshop name: The fascinating world of Carnivorous Plants

2021 Date: Sunday 10 October 2021

Time: 1.00pm – 4.30pm

Location: Noel Lothian Hall, , Adelaide Botanic Garden

(Enter from Hackney Road, see map on reverse)

Presenters: Mike Perkins, Nick Collins, John Yates and Phil Noble.

Cost: \$95 per person inc GST (small booking fee applies if purchased online)

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Presenter biographies

This half-day workshop will be led by members of the Australian Carnivorous Plant Society, based in Adelaide.

Carnivorous plants have been a life-long interest for Mike Perkins, Nick Collins and John Yates who maintain large collections in their back yards and have gone on expeditions to observe carnivorous plants in South-East Asia. Mike is an organic chemist at Flinders University, Nick is a cereal geneticist at The University of Adelaide and Phil Noble owns a landscape design/construction company. John has developed a pipeline for *in-vitro* propagation of carnivorous plants in his home laboratory and has contributed to conservation surveys.

Payment

The cost of this half-day workshop is \$95 (inc GST).

Payment can be made by:

- Cash, credit card or EFTPOS by calling 08 8222
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