



Lecture & Activity Program

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA



BOTANICAL EXPLORATIONS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA DELVING INTO THE PAST AND SHOWCASING THE PRESENT

Thursday 17th October, 5:30pm.
St Andrews Parish Centre,
43 Church Terrace, Walkerville.

The age of scientific exploration has left South Australia with a rich tradition of botanic exploration based on extraordinary collections, field observations and diaries. These collections also help us to understand how the landscape has changed over the decades.

The RGSSA warmly welcomes Dr Lucy Sutherland to present our October lecture. Lucy is Director of the Botanic Gardens of South Australia and the State Herbarium. In this role she has been able to integrate her academic studies in ecology and the social sciences with her professional experience in botanic gardens and protected area management.

Lucy's talk will delve into past botanical explorations and take us on a journey to present day to examine the work of plant hunters in South Australia over time and consider the role of botanical exploration in contemporary society.

Why not join us for what promises to be a fascinating lecture? A gold coin donation for members and students (\$10 for non-members) to help fund our venue would be appreciated. Attendees are welcome to join us for dinner (at own expense) at a local pub after the lecture.

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