

Volunteers needed for park facelift

VOLUNTEERS are needed to give Mardalup Park in East Perth a face-lift next weekend.

Claise Brook Catchment Group deputy chair Rada Tomanovic said the group was looking for people to help re-plant garden beds with native plants.

She said the community planting was organised by the group and the City of Perth and was a great opportunity for people to do something for their local environment.

"Local plants have less requirements for added fertiliser, which is good news for the Swan River, which flows past the park," she said.

"It also gives people a good feeling because when you live in an area you can watch the changes as the plants grow and people can say 'I did that'."

Ms Tomanovic said about 50 volunteers were needed and tools would be provided. Planting will start at 9am on Saturday, May 6, at Mardalup Park, end of Brown Street, East Perth.

Rada Tomanovic and Sally Lake need help to give Mardalup Park a makeover.

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