



Tasmanian
Community
Landcare
Gathering
2026

6-8 November 2026
Deloraine, Tasmania



Partnership Opportunities

Connecting communities. Coordinating action. Delivering impact.

The Statewide Community Landcare Network

Tasmania has a large, active community-led Landcare network, with 300+ groups and over 8,000 volunteers statewide working to protect and restore the natural environment.

These volunteers deliver on-ground outcomes, restoring habitat, improving water quality, managing invasive species, and supporting sustainable agriculture. They are deeply embedded in their communities, holding local knowledge, relationships, and long-term commitment to place.

Without coordination, connection, and ongoing support, the full value of this network is not realised. Local leaders can become stretched, communities can become isolated, and opportunities to scale impact can be missed.

The Tasmanian Community Landcare Gathering addresses this by bringing the network together and strengthening the systems that enable coordinated, funded and scalable action. As the peak body, Landcare Tasmania helps connect communities, priorities and investment so this network can deliver greater on-ground impact across Tasmania.



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The Gathering

The Tasmanian Community Landcare Gathering 2026 is a statewide, outcome focused program that strengthens community-led Landcare across Tasmania.

In 2025 alone, Landcarers contributed more than 154,000 volunteer hours to on-ground environmental outcomes, highlighting the scale of existing community capacity and the value of investing in the people who sustain it.

Without strategic support, much of Tasmania's community Landcare movement will struggle to sustain leadership, navigate growing complexity, secure funding, and deliver at scale.

The Gathering responds by bringing together volunteers, landholders, farmers, community leaders and partners, working across whole-of-catchment systems, through a central event in Deloraine, alongside field trips and place-based activities across the region.

It connects local community priorities with Landcare Tasmania's project development, training and funding pathways, including the Tasmanian Landcare Fund, helping turn local ideas into practical projects and on-ground outcomes.

Across Tasmania, communities already have the knowledge, commitment and ideas to improve local landscapes, but too often lack the coordination, support and funding to turn them into larger-scale action. The Gathering exists to change that.

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What this delivers

The Gathering produces tangible outcomes that strengthen community-led Landcare. This includes:



300+ participants, including volunteers, landholders and partners



Representatives from **100+** Landcare groups



40–50 communities, Landcare representatives and participants contributing to structured sessions that generate documented outputs



100+ ideas generated to improve the effectiveness of community Landcare



15–20 early-stage projects shaped into fundable, deliverable opportunities



100+ wider community members engaged through accessible side events and activities



A statewide dataset identifying Landcare capability, gaps and investment opportunities



Direct connection between participants and **50+** representatives from partner agencies and support providers

Program focuses on:

- Supporting community leaders
- Strengthening local capability
- Aligning priorities with investment
- Progressing practical projects
- Improving regional coordination

Post Gathering Support:

- Refining project ideas
- Prioritising needs with opportunities
- Connecting funding pathways
- Progressing project delivery
- Building long-term member connections
- Securing further investment



The insights and data generated through The Gathering directly inform funding priorities, project development and on-ground delivery, ensuring current and future investment is aligned with community identified needs.

Where partners connect with Landcarers

The Gathering provides three aligned themes, each centred on supporting and working alongside Landcarers across Tasmania.

1

Community Leadership & Resilience

Strengthening local leaders, governance and participation across communities.

2

Catchment & Farming Systems

Supporting landholders, Landcarers and communities to work across properties and deliver coordinated outcomes.

3

Biodiversity & Restoration

Building a pipeline of community-led projects that deliver measurable environmental outcomes.

All three entry points connect into a single system that converts community priorities into coordinated, funded and on-ground outcomes.

Why partner with us?

Why support us?

The Gathering provides access to Tasmania's largest community-led environmental network, with more than 300 Landcare groups and 8,000+ participants working across land, water and biodiversity outcomes.

More than an event sponsorship, partnership with The Gathering is an investment in a people-centred system that helps communities turn local priorities into practical, funded and lasting outcomes.

By partnering, you gain:

- connection with local leaders, landholders and communities active on the ground
- visibility within a trusted statewide movement with strong local reach
- an understanding of community priorities and emerging needs
- early insight into project opportunities progressing toward funding and delivery
- opportunities to support practical environmental outcomes across Tasmania

Your investment strengthens a resilient community Landcare movement and helps leverage future funding, partnerships and on-ground impact.



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Partnership opportunities

Key partnerships

Key partnerships extend beyond the event, enabling Landcare Tasmania to follow through on priorities identified and turn them into funded, on-ground outcomes across Tasmania.

A limited number of opportunities are available for organisations seeking strategic statewide impact.

We welcome conversations to co-design partnership opportunities aligned to your organisation's goals.



Foundation Partner

from \$40k+

- Funds the system behind delivery.
- Supports the people, coordination and systems that turn community priorities into funded, on-ground outcomes.
- Enables statewide delivery of The Gathering and follow-through via Landcare Tasmania's project pipeline.
- **Includes:** Lead recognition, prominent signage, website positioning, major acknowledgements.



Landcare Leadership Partner

from \$15k+

- Funds capability and leadership.
- Supports workshops, peer learning and practical tools for governance, succession and project planning building stronger, more resilient groups and a higher-quality pipeline of projects.
- **Includes:** Recognition within learning streams and program materials.



Project Activation Partner

from \$7k+

- Funds on-ground action.
- Supports field trips showcasing Landcare in practice that connect learning to real outcomes helping turn ideas into tangible, on-ground works and project pathways.
- **Includes:** Recognition across selected Gathering material.



Experience & Access Partner

from \$5k+

- Funds participation and inclusion.
- Reduces barriers to attendance through travel support and accessible participation strengthening connections across regions, sectors and communities.
- **Includes:** Recognition across selected Gathering material.



Participation Support – enabling local impact

from \$2k+

Directly supports local people to attend The Gathering and bring knowledge, contacts and project opportunities back into their community.

\$2,000 supports 4 participants

\$4,000 supports 8 participants

\$8,000+ supports broader regional participation or multiple community delegates

Ideal for councils, regional organisations and partners investing in local capability.

May include staff attendance, promotional visibility and post event data on local area attendance.

Join us

Contact us to talk about how to tailor opportunities to support The Gathering that align with your goals and values.

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“ The Gathering is a critical moment for Landcare in Tasmania. It is the most important investment we can make in strengthening the people, ideas and partnerships that lead to funded, lasting on-ground outcomes.

— CEO Peter Stronach





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