



Here We Walk

Westmeadows Photo Project

Here We Walk is an artist-led community photography project.

Working as a group we will create photographs in the beautiful surrounds of Moonee Ponds creek. This free workshop process will result in a 'pavement gallery' celebrating our shared connection to nature.

When -

Friday 29 July 11.00am–1.00pm

Saturday 30 July 11.00am–1.00pm

Where -

Westmeadows Community Centre,
9A Ardlie St, Westmeadows 3049

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**Workshops
are free and
for all skill
levels.**



FAQs

What should I wear or bring?

Dress for the weather as we will be working both indoors and outdoors. Wear comfy shoes for walking in the park.

Morning tea will be provided. If you have specific dietary requirements, please let us know or BYO snacks. Bring a water bottle.

What will I be doing?

We will meet at the Westmeadows Community Centre and have a chat about the plans for the day. We will brainstorm some ideas for the photographs we are going to take, including any materials we might like to include in the images.

Following morning tea we will go outside to find some interesting spots to take the photographs. Participants will be invited to feature in the photographs themselves, along with trees, plants and the natural environment. The professional photographer will take the photos and you will have help to work out what you would like your photo to feature.

Do I have to be in the photographs?

This process is designed for participants to be in the photographs, but this does not have to include your face. Photographs might only show your shadow or hands. You will get to decide what you are comfortable with. All participants will need to sign a release form saying that the photographs can be used in the exhibition. Children under the age of 18 will need a parent/ guardian to sign the form before participating.

What will happen to the photos?

A selection of the photographs we create will be printed on colour decals (large floor stickers) and installed on the footpaths in 'pavement galleries' around the Westmeadows shopping precinct. These will be showcased for around 2 months as an exhibition. An exhibition launch and community celebration will take place on Saturday 20th Aug 11:30am, at Mother Nature mural on Grundy St.

Is it okay for kids?

Yes, all ages and families are welcome!

I can't walk very far or have other access requirements, can I participate?

Yes, we can work with all abilities and tailor the process to remove barriers. Please contact us to discuss your specific needs.

Who are the artists leading the project?

Melinda Hetzel & Co is a multi-disciplinary artist collective specializing in site-responsive, performance-based works in public space. Key collaborator, Pia Johnson is an internationally renowned photographer and visual artist.