

Trail back on track for summer

A BAND of volunteers has helped bring the historic Yaberoo Budjara trail back to life for the start of summer.

The 28km trail from Joondalup to Yanchep links two wildlife reserves.

It was originally used as a stock route for European settlers.

Conservation Volunteers Australia WA regional director Andrew Soltys said the limestone path needed to be upgraded after the wind and rain during winter.

"It gets washed away a bit and the vegetation starts to grow over the path, so that needs to be trimmed back as well," he said.

A group of 10 volunteers started work on the track in the last week of September and continued to work for a fortnight to ensure the trail was fit for summer visitors.



Hae-won Suh from Korea, Haruka Miki from Japan and Sun-hye Hwang from Korea.
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"We have about three or four volunteers who have come from overseas to help with the efforts," Mr Soltys said.

"This is all we have planned for this area for the rest of the year, but I would

think more work will be done throughout summer."

The Yaberoo Budjara trail runs through Neerabup and Yanchep national parks.