

Betty's Bay Hack No. 747

Took place on Saturday 6 th June 2026. Rob Boyd reports as follows: "24 Volunteers met on a clear, chilly winter's day on the western side of Malkopvlei (Bass Lake) to continue with this, the third hack to remove Waterberry trees which have invaded the wetland on its northern side.

The hack involved chainsaw work primarily and the more demanding energy-sapping effort of dragging the branches through the fynbos and stacking them on the verge for easy removal by the municipality. After the tea break, the battle continued with cutting, dragging and stacking the seemingly endless water berry infestation.

Rob concludes, as ever, on behalf of the Betty's Bay Fynbos, thank you for all your efforts.

Next Hack is Saturday 4 July 2026.

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