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Volunteer Work Day in Lee Vining

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This Saturday, May 13th, join the Mono Lake Committee for a spring restoration day and get your hands in the dirt! Volunteer help is needed in the effort to eradicate invasive plant species that are replacing native vegetation along Lee Vining Creek. This volunteer work day will focus on removing bouncing bet, a particularly nasty invasive plant that has been spreading quickly each year. Enjoy great scenery, hard work, and good company during this restoration outing!

Meet at the Mono Lake Committee Information Center & Bookstore at 10:00 am on May 13th. Tools, gloves, snacks, and a lesson in invasive plant ecology provided; just bring a hat, sunscreen, water, sturdy shoes, and clothes you can get dirty. Please contact Clare Cragan (clare@monolake.org) at (760) 647-6595 if you're interested in helping out.

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