

00:00  
we are going to be recording this  
00:03  
webinar so that we can distribute it to  
00:05  
those who are unable to join us this  
00:08  
afternoon and it'll also be a reference  
00:12  
for people to be able to use when  
00:15  
they're learning how to create an  
00:17  
account on anak data and upload their  
00:20  
observations as well so I just want to  
00:24  
start with saying welcome to everyone  
00:27  
and to the volunteers who are returning  
00:31  
from being volunteers in the past thank  
00:34  
you for continuing to work with coastal  
00:38  
signs of the seasons and to those of you  
00:40  
who may be new volunteers it's great to  
00:43  
have you thank you for being a part of  
00:45  
it our program couldn't be successful  
00:49  
without all of the support and  
00:51  
dedication of our volunteers so it's  
00:53  
really wonderful to have you here with  
00:55  
us today and we appreciate you so just a  
00:59  
couple of quick introductions my name is  
01:01  
Elizabeth Maxwell I am the assistant  
01:04  
coordinator I saw I started working with

01:08  
signs of the seasons the beginning of  
01:10  
this year and you may have been getting  
01:15  
some emails from me recently about  
01:18  
different news and updates on webinars  
01:21  
and things that we've been having if you  
01:24  
haven't been seeing any of those then  
01:26  
definitely let me know and I wanted to  
01:30  
be sure to mention that if you have  
01:32  
questions at any point in time you're  
01:35  
always welcome to reach out to me by  
01:38  
email and we can schedule a time to talk  
01:41  
on the phone or I'll try to answer your  
01:43  
questions however I can I also wanted to  
01:47  
introduce Esperanza and Beth Esperanza  
01:51  
is joining us this afternoon  
01:53  
they are the project coordinators  
01:57  
they're the real driving force behind  
01:59  
signs of the seasons and were the ones  
02:03  
who got it started in the very beginning  
02:05  
and have kept it going over the years  
02:07  
and then also I want to welcome Duncan  
02:12  
Bailey who  
02:13  
is the systems developer at MDI

02:16  
biological laboratories and he is the  
02:19  
person who's our go-to for an Akita and  
02:22  
in a few minutes I'm going to be turning  
02:24  
the webinar over to him and he's going  
02:27  
to be doing a walkthrough of an ik data  
02:29  
and giving us some background about it  
02:32  
so just to give you a little bit of a  
02:35  
sense of what we're going to be talking  
02:37  
about this afternoon all of you are  
02:40  
already familiar with coastal signs of  
02:42  
the seasons but I'm going to give you  
02:44  
just a really quick kind of highlights  
02:47  
just to refresh your memory and a few  
02:49  
things  
02:49  
um and explain why we're so excited  
02:52  
about this new partnership that we have  
02:55  
with Anik data and what we think it will  
02:58  
be able to allow us to do that we  
03:00  
haven't been able to do in the past and  
03:02  
then at that point I'm going to turn  
03:04  
things over to Duncan and he's going to  
03:07  
give a little bit of background about  
03:09  
anak data he's going to explain how to

03:12  
set up a site I mean sorry set up an  
03:15  
account on the site to go and find our  
03:18  
project on anak data and then give kind  
03:21  
of some demo on actually using the data  
03:24  
sheets online there is also a phone app  
03:27  
that you can download so he's going to  
03:29  
demo what that looks like and how it's  
03:32  
how it works in comparison to the actual  
03:36  
website and at the very end we're gonna  
03:38  
have time to be able to work through any  
03:41  
questions that you might have so you may  
03:45  
have already found the chat box here in  
03:48  
zoom if you haven't then we'll take a  
03:51  
moment when it becomes that time to kind  
03:54  
of help help you find that if you're  
03:56  
joining by telephone which I think  
03:59  
everyone it looks like everyone's on  
04:01  
their computer which is good because  
04:03  
then you can use the chat box but if you  
04:05  
need to use you asked verbally then we  
04:09  
can make it available as well so that's  
04:11  
kind of this is kind of the roadmap for  
04:13  
what we're doing this afternoon so just

04:19  
a couple of kind of highlight things  
04:21  
about coastal signs of the seasons it  
04:24  
got started in 2014  
04:27  
through a partnership with Jesse Mullen  
04:29  
who is a professor at Maine Maritime  
04:31  
Academy in 2014 we had about 10  
04:35  
different volunteers who were making  
04:37  
observations along the coast and it's  
04:40  
really grown since then to over 20 of  
04:44  
different volunteers in 2017 making  
04:48  
observations in both Maine and New  
04:50  
Hampshire  
04:51  
so coastal signs of the seasons is  
04:55  
focused on ASCO filum nodosum and it's  
04:59  
really great that we have such a wide  
05:02  
spread of observations happening the map  
05:05  
that you're seeing on your screen right  
05:07  
now with the little yellow pens are the  
05:12  
location the site locations of  
05:15  
observations in 2017 so that's the  
05:18  
really nice spread along the coast of  
05:20  
data that we're getting in and we're  
05:23  
really excited because just so far in

05:27  
2018 we've already trained over we've  
05:30  
trained 23 new volunteers just this year  
05:34  
so the program is really growing and  
05:36  
it's exciting to see how we're adding  
05:39  
new sights and new people are getting  
05:41  
involved and continuing to make  
05:44  
observations on the species and just as  
05:49  
a quick side note Jessie actually did a  
05:52  
webinar with us last year and that had  
05:55  
been recorded so it's available on our  
05:58  
website and when I send a follow-up  
06:00  
email  
06:01  
now I'll remember to include that link  
06:04  
there also if you haven't seen it it's a  
06:06  
great resource on the research that  
06:08  
she's doing on ask a film and so all of  
06:14  
the data that has been collected since  
06:16  
the beginning of coastal signs of the  
06:18  
seasons we were using Survey Monkey to  
06:20  
be able to upload the observations and  
06:23  
it's as a site it's a little bit  
06:27  
cumbersome to use and it also didn't  
06:30  
have the functionality to allow the

06:33  
observers and you the volunteers to  
06:35  
actually be able to go back  
06:37  
you the data that you were contributing  
06:39  
to and so that's part of why we're so  
06:43  
excited to be moving in into this  
06:46  
partnership with Anik data is because  
06:49  
this site has a lot of flexibility for  
06:53  
us to be able to create data sheets and  
06:56  
adapt data sheets as we grow and it also  
06:59  
has the function where you can go in and  
07:02  
you what you've contributed and also see  
07:05  
what kind of data has been collected by  
07:07  
other observers across the state and and  
07:12  
to play with that a little bit and  
07:14  
actually do some basic analysis to see  
07:18  
what kind of patterns are happening if  
07:20  
you're interested in doing that it's  
07:21  
that's available and that's something  
07:24  
that could happen so it's really really  
07:26  
cool to see this transition into this  
07:29  
new new site and that's why we're really  
07:33  
excited about having you all here today  
07:35  
is because we could to kind of do all

07:40  
launch and share our excitement with  
07:43  
everyone so it's really cool and so at  
07:48  
this point what I'm going to do is I'm  
07:50  
going to stop sharing my screen and I'm  
07:52  
going to let Duncan start sharing his  
07:56  
and he'll be able to go through and give  
07:58  
a little bit of background about anak  
08:01  
data and also introduce us to the site  
08:05  
so Duncan take it away okay and here we  
08:13  
go and I don't think I muted can you all  
08:15  
hear me yes very good  
08:17  
all right so I'm Duncan Bailey I'm a  
08:19  
system developer at the MDI Biological  
08:22  
Laboratory and I've been working here  
08:24  
since 2013 as part of the community lab  
08:28  
and recently I've moved on into the  
08:30  
education department as well where I  
08:32  
build systems for our education  
08:35  
department lots of online class spaces  
08:38  
and that kind of thing I'd like to talk  
08:40  
a little bit first about our community  
08:42  
lab and a lot of really cool work that  
08:44  
we do let's see how do I do this I go



08:47  
there you go so you see there on the  
08:49  
Upper West that's the community lab we  
08:51  
do all kinds of water quality monitoring  
08:55  
there we do via swim Beach monitoring is  
08:59  
part of the main healthy beaches program  
09:01  
we also look at a phytoplankton looking  
09:07  
at red tide indicators for example so in  
09:12  
this upper center there you'll see one  
09:15  
of our one of our volunteers Alan had a  
09:18  
bunch of a bunch of our interns and what  
09:22  
we do is we we engage members of the  
09:24  
public in the real science gathering  
09:27  
data or role-based basically to help  
09:31  
decision makers most of all whether for  
09:33  
example whether you close a fishery or  
09:35  
whether you close a swim beach and stuff  
09:39  
like that we've also done a lot of work  
09:40  
around eel grass and you'll see in the  
09:42  
lower right there there's all these  
09:44  
funny grid looking things and so we've  
09:46  
been doing is we've been we've been  
09:49  
working to return and restoring eel  
09:52  
grass across the state of Maine bear

09:54  
with me there's a connection okay and  
09:57  
then quick there we go so this is what  
10:00  
eel grass look like in frenchmen Bay in  
10:03  
1996 just north of Bar Harbor there's  
10:06  
all these nice lush eelgrass beds that  
10:09  
were there well when I came on in 2013  
10:13  
there was there was a sudden development  
10:16  
yo grass had pretty much disappeared in  
10:20  
Frenchmen Bay and we didn't know what  
10:22  
the cause of this was and so we looked  
10:25  
online for all kinds of different  
10:27  
solutions that we could use to  
10:29  
crowdsource data on eelgrass across the  
10:32  
state of Maine and we didn't really find  
10:34  
much we found a lot of sites where you  
10:36  
could gather data on the positive  
10:38  
presence of something but nothing really  
10:40  
for the negative presence of anything  
10:42  
and so basically over the course of the  
10:45  
weekend I whipped up a really quick and  
10:48  
dirty website called eel grass and may  
10:49  
not work it doesn't exist anymore for  
10:52  
gathering data on yo grass and at the

10:57  
end of that season we decided that  
10:59  
really what we needed was something that  
11:01  
was much more comprehensive that was  
11:03  
that was power  
11:04  
all of our projects and would  
11:05  
potentially power other people's  
11:07  
projects so what is anakata anak data is  
11:13  
a platform for crowdsourcing scientific  
11:16  
data this is being used by 90 projects  
11:20  
right now one of our biggest projects  
11:23  
going on is in South Carolina where  
11:25  
they've been looking at beach debris  
11:27  
across the state but also being used for  
11:30  
example by Massachusetts Audubon being  
11:33  
it was used by scoota Institute at  
11:35  
Acadia National Park to look at snow  
11:39  
banks and how snow builds up in superior  
11:43  
over the course of a winter and it's  
11:45  
also being used right now by washington  
11:47  
and gulf of maine king tides to look at  
11:49  
how these astronomic high tides can can  
11:53  
predict what the oceans might look like  
11:56  
with future sea level rise so here's how

12:00  
a Nevada works anybody can join a Nevada  
12:03  
and set up an account and you can either  
12:06  
create a project so you design what your  
12:08  
project page looks like you design a  
12:10  
metrics and data sheets and you set up  
12:13  
optionally places where you want people  
12:15  
to be collecting data this is what  
12:17  
Elizabeth has done or you can just join  
12:20  
and immediately start participating in  
12:22  
projects so you can share your data and  
12:25  
we're getting your photos your species  
12:27  
observations your written reports this  
12:28  
is something that everybody can  
12:30  
immediately map graph and download it's  
12:32  
really cool and of course you've got all  
12:35  
got a mobile app and we just actually  
12:38  
just released our version 2.0 of an app  
12:40  
which is really cool because you can  
12:42  
actually share your observations well  
12:46  
you can save your observations even if  
12:48  
you're outside range of cell service and  
12:51  
then you can upload those those  
12:53  
observations later and

12:57

yeah right now we've got a team of four

12:59

behind a negative here I am on the left

13:00

we've also got dr. Jane Disney Ashley

13:04

Taylor and on a feral for some of our

13:07

community lab coordinators and so now

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I'd like to take everybody on a little

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spin through the annotated or work

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website and we are going to set up a an

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account on anok data and if anybody's

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got a component computer now right now

13:25

they might even be able to follow along

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and create an account of their own so

13:31

let's see weeks ago screen sharing here

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and I need to I've got this so I need to

13:39

there we go Anna Kate org share screen

13:43

so here we go this is the annotated up

13:46

board main page and so to start an

13:51

account just click right here sign up

13:53

now or you can also click on register in

13:55

the upper right haha take a username so

14:01

I'm going to pick one that's called

14:02

ASCO still um seaweed and email address

14:11

I'm gonna do ask Oh still at example.com

14:20  
how did you find out about anakata  
14:22  
I'm going to say signs of the seasons  
14:25  
and password it's going to be that's it  
14:32  
uh haha there we go and so I sold out  
14:37  
username my my actual name email how I  
14:41  
found out about an Athena you don't have  
14:43  
to tell myself by the way  
14:44  
and also I created a password account  
14:48  
now and we're in and right now you'll  
14:54  
see here in notifications you don't have  
14:56  
any notifications yet but you can click  
14:59  
over here to my project you don't have  
15:02  
any projects yet find one to join or  
15:04  
start one now so I'm going to click find  
15:06  
more projects you can also just click  
15:08  
the project I mean I'm there on the  
15:11  
on the toolbar and here's our with the  
15:13  
project and so here we've actually we  
15:16  
build up the scroll too far down but you  
15:18  
can just type also type and type in SOS  
15:21  
in search and you'll find that coastal  
15:24  
SOS monitoring well click on that here  
15:28  
we go we'll see there is Lizabeth math

15:30  
well Maxwell in albatross for the  
15:33  
project weeds for this project we've got  
15:35  
some information about how to  
15:36  
participate etc etc observations here's  
15:42  
what the recent observations and you can  
15:45  
also see see for example the list of all  
15:47  
the numbers ok there's Duncan Daly so  
15:49  
this is a project where you have to  
15:51  
request to join and so what I do and so  
15:54  
when you request to join one of the  
15:55  
project administrators gets the REC that  
15:57  
gets a notification asking them to see  
16:02  
if it's ok so tada there we go  
16:06  
membership pending approval and actually  
16:09  
what I'm going to do right now is I'm  
16:12  
going to approve myself go in and set it  
16:41  
up and now when I click the home here  
16:45  
we'll see that actually I would just  
16:46  
approved and so now I'm in so once  
16:50  
you're approved instead of seeing or a  
16:51  
request to join button you'll see and  
16:53  
add an observation button right here  
16:56  
that's what you can do is you can just

16:59  
click that and then we'll ask you which  
17:01  
procedures you want to do so in this  
17:04  
case you've got one one data sheet which  
17:07  
is for rockweed procedures a and B and  
17:09  
another data sheet for rockweed  
17:11  
procedures B and C so we're going to  
17:14  
click a and B and so right now here it  
17:18  
will you might see that it's  
17:20  
automatically detected where I am Here I  
17:23  
am free on the northern side of note  
17:25  
there  
17:25  
Island sometimes it doesn't and in that  
17:28  
process for some reason you might not  
17:30  
have access to geolocation services and  
17:33  
in that case you'll want to click on the  
17:35  
step and you can drag it around to  
17:38  
exactly where you are  
17:39  
so maybe I'm actually looking you know  
17:43  
rockweed right up here up in north east  
17:46  
cream tada there we go  
17:49  
and so observation time so you can kick  
17:52  
thinking take this two different ways  
17:54  
you can say for example you can click



17:57  
this green button here and it gives you  
17:59  
a calendar and it gives you a little  
18:01  
clock that you can tick the time at that  
18:03  
or another thing you can do is you can  
18:06  
just type in 10a at 8:50 484 854 or a.m.  
18:14  
and it will understand that and you'll  
18:16  
see here that the observation time is  
18:19  
actually automatically recognized and so  
18:22  
now you can fill out you can fill out  
18:23  
your data sheet how many new side  
18:25  
branches did you see companies smooth as  
18:27  
smooth and insulated receptacles did you  
18:29  
see etc etc all this information on  
18:33  
credo based data and you can tell  
18:35  
information in on the title stage  
18:37  
comment on the site what is the water  
18:39  
temperature  
18:40  
what was the salinity and then add to  
18:43  
just add additional comments on the  
18:44  
water quality data you can also click  
18:48  
this button here to add photographs if  
18:50  
you'd like and so we're going to add one  
18:53  
that's it that's it I'm actually just

18:57  
going to upload a screenshot of the app  
18:59  
because I don't really have much better  
19:01  
right now and we're going to take a test  
19:04  
data and here we go  
19:13  
so we can actually view this and huh  
19:20  
maybe it didn't like this maybe didn't  
19:21  
like the file I uploaded anyway so we  
19:24  
can click over this coastal SOS  
19:25  
monitoring and we'll see you here for  
19:27  
example this is all the all the  
19:30  
observations people have made and you  
19:32  
can actually when you're viewing your  
19:33  
observations you can actually click and  
19:35  
edit that if you'd like so if you've got  
19:37  
any changes you want to make  
19:38  
your observation you can do that there  
19:42  
and and and what else  
19:46  
and of course administrators can also um  
19:49  
modify your observations yes for some  
19:53  
reason there was something that needs to  
19:54  
need to change and they can also comment  
19:57  
on your observation so for example here  
20:01  
we go di kid you can actually comment

20:06  
for example uh hey you know I'm not I'm  
20:09  
not quite certain about the the time of  
20:11  
that you know I that that time of year  
20:14  
asked the filament really shouldn't be  
20:16  
shouldn't be exhibiting that train of  
20:18  
Fino things so that's pretty much it for  
20:21  
creating a project on an Akita hold on  
20:24  
we go and bring up the zoom here and see  
20:26  
if we've got any comments and if we if  
20:30  
we don't have any more comments and  
20:31  
we're going to switch over and check it  
20:34  
check out what it looks like on that  
20:35  
Duncan oh yeah it's Esperanza here can  
20:39  
you just show what the procedure see  
20:43  
looks like folks - thanks yeah sure okay  
20:54  
so we're back on and so we're going to  
20:56  
go back to the coastal SOS monitoring  
20:58  
project and so now we can click on an ad  
21:01  
an observation again and then this time  
21:03  
instead of cooking a and B this time you  
21:06  
can collect B and C Dada  
21:11  
and so B and C is a little bit different  
21:14  
this is this is the one where we're

21:16  
going to be looking at the tide stage on  
21:18  
water quality again just like we did it  
21:21  
for a procedures a and B and then we're  
21:25  
also going to be looking at the plants  
21:26  
that you've got so for example as you're  
21:29  
going to be looking at plants you're  
21:31  
going to be able to be looking at ten  
21:33  
plants overall so for example point  
21:35  
number one let's say that this plant is  
21:39  
18 years old and it's a stage of  
21:45  
reproduction is smooth and plated and so  
21:49  
now you're going to be counting in  
21:51  
between the nose  
21:51  
on the plant trying to figure out the  
21:56  
amount of growth in between each node so  
21:58  
we can start to look it's kind of like a  
21:59  
long queue oh you already know this but  
22:01  
it's like looking at the rings on a tree  
22:03  
so we might have for example seven  
22:06  
centimeters from 2017-2018 five  
22:09  
centimeters from 2016-2017 six  
22:13  
centimeters and so on and so forth and  
22:15  
so once you're done with plant number

22:17  
one you can go down to plant number two  
22:20  
and do the same thing plant number three  
22:25  
etc etc going through the entire width  
22:30  
of when it's not you points that you  
22:32  
have to do and then optionally if you  
22:35  
have any questions about the site for  
22:36  
example you might say you might add a  
22:37  
photo you might add a little bit of  
22:40  
additional information about the site  
22:43  
and then you can click Save tada we're  
22:48  
done for now and here we go and so this  
22:54  
is the this here is the observation we  
22:57  
just made them see all these columns  
22:59  
going on and so we can look at for  
23:02  
example plant number one seven five six  
23:05  
etc etc and this is really cool because  
23:07  
the way we're capturing this data about  
23:09  
the plants we can actually we can start  
23:13  
start to ask questions like okay so  
23:16  
plant that who were smooth and waited  
23:18  
what was their average size for twenty  
23:22  
seventeen to twenty eighteen or you can  
23:24  
start to look at the relationships

23:27  
between okay plants that grew really  
23:29  
well and in this here well how did they  
23:32  
grow in this other year and start to  
23:37  
plot that all out I think another  
23:39  
important another important thing is to  
23:42  
know how to download your data because  
23:44  
it's really cool to be able to see it  
23:45  
online but I think it's also important  
23:48  
to be able to film it a download if you  
23:50  
want to and so you can just click here  
23:52  
yeah a little bit download and you can  
23:57  
and I just downloaded an excel file of  
24:01  
all the observations in this project you  
24:04  
can also pull it in for example it  
24:05  
our key is in shape file and you can  
24:08  
also get that as a Google Earth file and  
24:10  
the Google Earth file isn't as useful as  
24:13  
ArcGIS or Excel but that's going to have  
24:15  
for example your photographs and your  
24:17  
field notes in it and so if you want to  
24:19  
do something really basic if you do if  
24:21  
you're working with kids for example and  
24:23  
you don't really want to get to down

24:25  
into the leaves with doing analysis  
24:26  
because it where it can be pretty cool  
24:28  
and you can also map all of this online  
24:30  
so here we're going to click this button  
24:32  
here view on the map and so that's going  
24:36  
to take us over to the map on anok data  
24:39  
and so we can actually see here for  
24:41  
example there were a couple observations  
24:43  
here's one down on great-great wasps  
24:45  
island and here we go so this was  
24:49  
actually one of the test observations  
24:51  
that was made um when everybody was  
24:53  
setting up the project also um that's it  
24:59  
uh in my observations another thing is  
25:01  
that when you go to the when you click  
25:03  
on home at the top and then click on my  
25:06  
observations you can absolutely download  
25:08  
all of just your observations so if you  
25:10  
want to get just an X out of your data  
25:13  
you can do that as well by clicking on  
25:15  
one of these buttons here alright any  
25:18  
other questions thank you can I jump in  
25:21  
really quickly or um so we have a

25:24  
question from Colleen that I just wanted  
25:27  
to bring up where she has been trying to  
25:29  
use her phone in outside out and about  
25:34  
when she's actually making observations  
25:36  
and is having an issue with the  
25:38  
brightness not being or being difficult  
25:41  
to view the screen because of it being  
25:45  
really sunny and so I was just  
25:47  
responding back in the text but I wanted  
25:50  
to make sure everybody had a chance to  
25:52  
to think about that and what I do for  
25:55  
myself is I make sure that the  
25:57  
brightness on my screen is as high as it  
26:00  
will go in the phone meetings and  
26:03  
sometimes that works sometimes it isn't  
26:06  
good enough I also sometimes turn and  
26:09  
try to use my torso to create some shade  
26:11  
so it's a little bit easier to see the  
26:13  
screen but let's yeah I do know that  
26:16  
when you're in the field and it is  
26:18  
really sunny and  
26:19  
using like an iPhone or something  
26:21  
sometimes that's just a challenge to



26:23  
work with so I just wanted to bring that  
26:25  
up also I wanted to quickly note to  
26:29  
everyone that the the website the way  
26:33  
that we set up the data sheets online  
26:37  
those are all designed to mimic the  
26:40  
paper datasheet sheets that you're  
26:42  
already accustomed to using so as you  
26:45  
work down the paper data sheet you  
26:47  
should be encountering those questions  
26:50  
in the same order when you go to use the  
26:53  
online data upload so just like if you  
26:58  
in the past might have used Survey  
27:00  
Monkey the layout is or at least the  
27:03  
order in which you answer the questions  
27:07  
that should basically be the same it's  
27:10  
just gonna look a little bit differently  
27:12  
because it is a new site but like I said  
27:15  
the order that you encounter the  
27:18  
different questions should be the same  
27:20  
so it's not new questions or anything  
27:23  
like that it's just a slightly different  
27:25  
way of of seeing them so I just wanted  
27:28  
to kind of bring it up and let everybody

27:30  
know ok cool so now that I can take  
27:36  
everybody on a little demo to the app  
27:39  
that and again about the the screen  
27:42  
brightness issue that's certainly a but  
27:45  
certainly a concern and one thing that  
27:48  
we can do in our end is actually for  
27:52  
example make text of bolder and I know  
27:55  
that on some phones there's actually an  
27:57  
ability an option to do that but that  
28:00  
that can also be a change that we can  
28:01  
make on our end is potentially to in the  
28:05  
large the text in the on the datasheet  
28:07  
in the app so that things can be a  
28:10  
little bit more visible when you're out  
28:12  
and out and about in the Sun so anyway  
28:14  
well I did is I just downloaded the app  
28:18  
from the from the iTunes Store you can  
28:22  
also get it on Google Play if you're on  
28:24  
an Android device it should be it should  
28:26  
work almost exactly the same way it  
28:30  
should just look a little bit different  
28:31  
if your  
28:32  
we just open the app and here's our

28:34  
splash screen and we'd like to continue  
28:38  
and so you can do that you can register  
28:42  
the same way and your your email address  
28:44  
or username and set up a password but  
28:47  
I'm actually going to walk right into  
28:48  
the set to the into the ask a filmic  
28:53  
count I just created so I tap here I  
28:54  
already have an account and at Asko film  
29:04  
example.com and pass where it is I don't  
29:11  
know somebody's gonna knew my password  
29:12  
oh um I think you use it actually in the  
29:17  
register a new one I I think I might  
29:19  
have forgotten the password to my  
29:21  
example account so we're gonna do ass  
29:27  
Aska tome to  
29:42  
you  
29:44  
and then I'm going to tap create your  
29:46  
calendar and once we're in and I just  
29:50  
got an email notification that this in  
29:51  
their user ha ha  
29:53  
and so you'll see here that um this is a  
29:56  
list of project and you'll see if you  
29:59  
tap over to join you won't have any

30:00  
project projects you've joined yet but  
30:03  
we can scroll down a little bit or you  
30:04  
can just type in at the top up s.o.s  
30:08  
tada and there we go  
30:10  
and I'm going to tap join and now again  
30:14  
I'm going to approve myself and so now  
30:21  
if I tap over to joined AHA I've joined  
30:23  
and so this foot works much the same way  
30:26  
and it actually what's pretty similar to  
30:27  
the to the page online  
30:32  
and so what we'll see what we'll see  
30:34  
here is what you can tap on this little  
30:36  
whiskey icon you'll see a list of all  
30:38  
the observations have been made  
30:41  
tap tap on the civil map icon and here's  
30:44  
a map of all the observations has been  
30:46  
made and the Gallery icon which is where  
30:49  
you would find all these pictures that  
30:51  
people in share but nobody's shared  
30:52  
anything yet and so why did so when I  
30:56  
just tapped on observe there it's just  
30:58  
the same it asks you which procedures  
31:00  
you want to do and so for example here's

31:03  
rockweed for teachers a and b and it's  
31:06  
much the same way in the last few how  
31:08  
many new side branches did you see how  
31:10  
many smooth and inflated receptacles and  
31:12  
you can enter numbers time time stage  
31:15  
counts about the site what's the water  
31:17  
temperature with salinity you have any  
31:19  
more comments about the water data and  
31:21  
you can also actually add additional  
31:22  
fuel notes at the bottom if you like  
31:24  
just place it on the NFP de website and  
31:26  
finally at the bottom on the toolbar at  
31:29  
the bottom there's an add a photo and so  
31:30  
you can actually take a photograph or  
31:32  
you can pick from a photo photo that  
31:34  
you've already taken and so what I'm  
31:38  
just going to do is I'm going to tap  
31:39  
save and and and oh this is right that's  
31:46  
what's going on there this is actually a  
31:48  
development version of the app that  
31:49  
that's not out yet and so it just said  
31:51  
error database is destroyed and so  
31:53  
anyway what we'll see here um we go tap

31:58  
here and so now we can do Rock read  
32:00  
procedures be insane so tap that and we  
32:03  
select it and so now it's going to be  
32:06  
wanting to know about the site  
32:08  
information again so we're what's your  
32:10  
water quality like and here just just  
32:13  
like you would do on the website you can  
32:16  
enter your plant age stage of  
32:18  
reproduction what's the link between all  
32:20  
the different nodes and you can do this  
32:22  
for all the different plants the one con  
32:26  
I would say to doing this on a mobile  
32:28  
device is that you're going to be taking  
32:30  
your mobile device out into a salty area  
32:33  
and potentially I could see it be a  
32:36  
little bit clunky entering you know  
32:39  
probably this is something like almost  
32:42  
200 data points from a mobile device  
32:46  
so that could be a little bit flow again  
32:50  
we're going to hit save that's a great  
32:51  
point Duncan so the procedure a and B  
32:57  
which is the one where most people do  
32:59  
that either in a weekly or a bi-weekly

33:01  
basis that you know just has a handful  
33:05  
of different questions that might be the  
33:08  
best option for if you are going out and  
33:11  
using your phone or using your iPad in  
33:15  
the field but that's that's actually a  
33:17  
really good point is when you're doing  
33:19  
that once a season procedures see where  
33:23  
you're actually making those  
33:24  
measurements and Ageing the plants it's  
33:27  
a little bit more in-depth than so it  
33:30  
might be a little bit more difficult to  
33:32  
use this for that so certainly you know  
33:35  
if you want to use the paper data sheet  
33:38  
for the the procedure C and then go back  
33:43  
and use the the computer and put it in  
33:46  
input later and we can if you do make a  
33:50  
mistake or realize that you've made a  
33:52  
mistake I think Duncan already mention  
33:54  
this that we can go in and edit those  
33:56  
odds of the fact so don't panic if you  
34:00  
realize that oh I might have  
34:02  
accidentally saved something wrong or  
34:05  
inputted for the wrong thing we can work

34:08  
with that  
34:08  
so as long as you just let us know and  
34:11  
and we can make sure that things are all  
34:14  
what they need to be yeah so this is  
34:17  
Esther on Blitzen and I just make a  
34:19  
point on that to really think that that  
34:24  
thought that I have about if you are not  
34:28  
sure of the pheno phase and you go ahead  
34:30  
and put it in on the app you have to  
34:33  
remember to you know try to send it to  
34:37  
one of us to get it the identification  
34:41  
correct and on a paper sheet you can you  
34:46  
know not put it in yet so that's that's  
34:48  
one of the advantages I mean I love apps  
34:50  
but that's one of the advantages to  
34:51  
doing it on paper just in case you're  
34:54  
not quite sure what final phase it's in  
34:56  
so and another option that you could  
35:00  
consider is adding not sure as an option  
35:04  
on the datasheet and then you can and  
35:07  
then if some people will share in a  
35:09  
photograph of the plant for example then  
35:12  
that can the deck can help you as well



35:13  
oh that's a good yeah so for dental yep  
35:16  
and so for example here here's an  
35:19  
observation to ask if all made and  
35:21  
because I'm a site admin I can quickie  
35:24  
but I can edit this but so can so can  
35:26  
you if this is your observation you can  
35:28  
it click Edit and and here we go so here  
35:34  
we go septic oh I'm smoothing pointed  
35:36  
well actually it was dotted and plated  
35:39  
and you can update everything just like  
35:42  
you would when you're filling it out  
35:43  
from it in the first place and then you  
35:45  
can click Save and you're all set and it  
35:50  
should end it should update right there  
35:53  
let me go and check out the let's see  
35:58  
second checking in to see if there's any  
36:01  
other comments but I'm not singing or  
36:02  
any other question so far or so um if  
36:17  
you haven't found your chat function I'm  
36:22  
not sure where it is on your screen but  
36:24  
it should be at the bottom  
36:27  
mm-hmm in case you want to type in a a  
36:30  
question so maybe while people are

36:41  
typing in their questions I just have  
36:43  
bedroom full things I want to reiterate  
36:45  
really quickly and that's your username  
36:49  
when you go to set up your account does  
36:52  
not have to be your actual name you can  
36:55  
use a nickname or a code name if you  
36:57  
would prefer you don't have to upload a  
36:59  
photo I did because I want all of you to  
37:02  
know who I am and make it easy for you  
37:04  
to recognize me but you don't have to do  
37:06  
that if you don't want to also when you  
37:10  
have a chance either later this  
37:12  
afternoon or in  
37:13  
couple of days to go on and create an  
37:16  
account I'm going to be keeping an eye  
37:18  
on the site but if you want to just send  
37:21  
me a really quick little email to let me  
37:24  
know that you've requested to join then  
37:26  
I'll go in and I'll accept that requests  
37:29  
and make sure that you can access the  
37:31  
project and then of course like I said  
37:34  
at the very beginning you're you at any  
37:37  
point in time if you have a question

37:39  
about anything at all you are always  
37:41  
welcome to reach out by email or by  
37:44  
phone and make sure that your answer is  
37:47  
get get question I answer questions get  
37:50  
answered sorry so I see that valerie has  
37:54  
asked that she has been recording no  
38:00  
distances to the nearest point one  
38:03  
centimeters and is asking if she should  
38:06  
round those two whole numbers and I'll  
38:08  
let Esperanza weigh in on that question  
38:13  
yeah I think that's great  
38:15  
if you can do that that is perfect hmm  
38:25  
here we go no I can write what will  
38:35  
indicate a wet a B and C be entered more  
38:37  
than once you can enter as many B's and  
38:40  
C's as you as you like into the into the  
38:43  
annotate annotate a website so for  
38:46  
example if you if you were to do you  
38:51  
know procedures be ten times over even  
38:54  
if you wanted to you can you can do that  
38:56  
okay so the protocol is that if you can  
39:01  
only do it once in a season you know  
39:03  
spring is best but by all means it's

39:06  
great to have it as many times as you're  
39:10  
able to do it and want to also that was  
39:15  
the problem with Survey Monkey we could  
39:18  
not have it for some reason it just  
39:20  
wouldn't allow more times then I guess  
39:23  
what how it was set up so this is  
39:26  
wonderful Duncan that  
39:27  
we're able to do this now yes this will  
39:39  
be great coin  
39:43  
yeah well penny buddy I also wanted to  
39:46  
wanted to say that if anybody has any  
39:49  
questions about using the app or using  
39:52  
the annotator website I am very happy to  
39:55  
help out and you can email me at dee  
39:58  
Bailey at M di Bao org I'm not actually  
40:01  
going to type this into the chat just in  
40:04  
case anybody wants to copy and paste  
40:05  
into their address book and I just want  
40:09  
to thank everyone for that's on the  
40:12  
webinar today for participating and  
40:14  
certainly send us anything any questions  
40:17  
that you might have yeah thank you very  
40:24  
much Duncan

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oh it's been an absolute pleasure I look

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forward to seeing all the results that

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come out of your project great me too

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and thanks Elizabeth for setting us all

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up and for moderating thanks very much

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have a nice afternoon everyone

40:41

okay thank you

41:00

you