



Workshop Series

MANAGING FUTURE DROUGHT & CLIMATE CHALLENGES

SHARING KNOWLEDGE, CREATING NETWORKS

Drought is an inevitable part of farming in Australia and its impacts can have enormous economic, environmental and social consequences for regional communities.

With water and feed currently in plentiful supply, now is the ideal time to prepare for the challenges of managing future drought and Riverine Plains Inc invites farmers and community members to a series of drought-preparedness workshops across southern NSW and North-East Victoria.

The workshops are forums for farmers, business operators and Indigenous custodians to share their different experiences of drought and to learn from each other. The workshops also provide an opportunity to strengthen personal and business connections, whilst gaining a better understanding of the health and financial support services available.

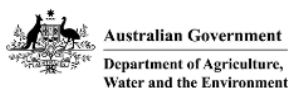
WORKSHOP TOPICS;

- Why now is a good time to prepare for drought,
- Previous experiences of drought - what worked, what didn't,
- Identifying on-farm/business changes needed for the next drought,
- Accessing physical and mental health services, business supports and grants,
- How can communities be better supported?,
- Personal and business connections during drought.

LOCATION	DATE	TIME	REGISTER
Noorongong CFA Shed	18 Jan	12-2pm	Register Now
Cudgewa Recreation Reserve	18 Jan	5-7pm	Register Now
Rennie	27 Jan	TBA	Register Now
Yarrawonga	2 Feb	TBA	Register Now
Shepparton - Parklake	16 Feb	6 pm	Register Now
Corowa Landcare Group Livestock producers workshop	11 Mar	TBA	Register Now



The workshops are being delivered through the Enhancing Community Networks for Drought Resilience in the Riverine Plains project. To learn more, or to find out how your community can be involved, visit riverineplains.org.au or email Riverine Plains Project Officer, Kate Coffey at kate@riverineplains.org.au or phone 03 5744 1713.



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