

Glen Innes Natural Resources Advisory Committee

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New Website
GLENRAC has updated it's website,
have a look at
www.glenrac.org.au
for all the latest
news & events from
the GLENRAC office.



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Don't forget current funding from the Australian Government closes soon. Individu-

ment closes soon. Individuals can apply for these grants. GLENRAC will also be submitting group applications on behalf of Glen Innes & District landholders.

Action on Ground

Applications close 8 February 2012. Visit www.-daff.gov.au

Biodiversity Fund

Applications close 31 January 2012. Visit www.nrm.gov.au

New Funding



Funding for Flood Damage ~ January 2011

Two grants are currently open for funding for flood damage caused by the January 2011 floods.

1. Granite Borders Landcare Flood Damage Project

Current Funding Opportunities

Landholders from Tenter-field, Glen Innes & Inverell districts are invited to submit an **Expression of Interest** as the first stage of applying for funding under this program. Landholders from Northern & Border Rivers Gwydir catchments are invited to apply.

For a copy of the application form is available on the GLENRAC website or contact the GLENRAC office.

Applications close **9 March**.

2. Border Rivers Gwydir CMA Flood Recovery Funding Project

Landholders in the BRG-CMA disaster declared areas from the Jan' 2011 floods are invited to apply for funding. Forms are available on the BRG-CMA website, wwwbrg.cma.nsw.gov.au. Applications close 6th February.

Severn River Project

GLENRAC & GWYMAC have obtained funding from the Australian Government to develop a river reach plan for the **Severn River**, provide funding for on ground works on properties adjoining the Severn River and to run two educational workshops.

A questionnaire has been sent out to landholders to complete to gauge interest in participating in the project. If you own land on the Severn River but did not receive a letter, please let us know and we can send one to you. If you did receive a letter, don't forget to send it back to ensure you are keep up to date with the project and the opportunities it may offer for funding on ground works.

Date Claimers for 2012

30 Jan—NSW DPI Pasture Assessment Workshop, Glen Innes

4 Feb—Rummerys Hill Weeds Field day

11-12 Feb—Glen Innes Show Display

25 Feb—Rummerys Hills Native plants identification field day

1 March-Pinkett Whiskey &

African Love Grass swing wiper control field day

7 March—RCS Healthy Soils workshop

8 March—Maarten Stapper "Soil health, carbon & biology" workshop

9 March—Sheep CRC Managing scanned ewes workshop, Glen Innes

20th March-Pest Smart Road-

show Armidale, feral.org.au

21 March—Ben Lomond Soils workshop with Gary McDouall, RCS & Brian Wilson, DECC

26 & 27 March—Landcare Adventure, hosted by GWYMAC Inverell

14 April—Rummerys Hill Landcare meeting

16 May— RCS Property Planning & Monitoring workshop