



# EVC Restoration Technical Field Series 2006

- Linking science to practice in the field

In response to the outcomes of the 2006 EVC restoration forum, Greening Australia has initiated a series of technical field days showcasing some of Victoria's leading examples of EVC restoration practice.

Linking science to practice in the field will allow you to identify different EVC types, learn from expert practitioners on how to manage and restore EVC systems and exchange knowledge with other participants.

These days are aimed at being hands on demonstrations of practical tools you can use to plan for your EVC restoration program.

\*Please note – To aid greater learning outcomes of these training days places have been limited to 30 per field day so we ask that you only register for the field day that best fits with your area of work.

## Wetland EVC restoration – Presented by Damien Cook

Join Damien Cook to explore 'The Waterways' - a unique project on the Mordialloc Creek, in Melbourne's south eastern suburbs. This project combines a housing development with a large area of recreated habitat for indigenous fauna and flora. 'The Waterways' is an excellent example of EVC restoration in practice showcasing nine EVC types and a range of methods used to re-establish functioning ecosystems in an urban setting.

**Time:** 10am – 4.00pm

**When:** Tuesday 9 May 2006

**Where:** The Waterways

The Waterways Bvd

Melway reference 93 G3

**Cost:** \$60

**Bring:** Lunch, sturdy footwear, clothing for wet or hot weather

## Terrestrial EVC restoration – Presented by Bronwyn Teesdale

Join Greening Australia's own Bronwyn Teesdale to explore an example of how a revegetation program can be planned and implemented to achieve EVC restoration. Once cleared and grazed this 23 ha site in Wonthaggi was selected as a site for the Commonwealth Games Carbon Offset Program in 2005. Three methods of direct seeding, using a wide range of locally collected seed matched to soil types, was successfully used over the whole site as an example of efficient and effective large scale restoration. Methods used, future maintenance and predicted site development towards EVC reinstatement will be discussed.

**Time:** 10am – 4.00pm

**When:** Tuesday 30 May 2006

**Where:** Wonthaggi

**Cost:** \$60

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\*Note – A bus will be available from Heidelberg to Wonthaggi. Details will follow upon registration



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## Coastal EVC restoration – Presented by Gidja Walker

Join Gidja Walker as she showcases some key examples of EVC restoration along the Morning Peninsula coastline. Explore EVC's such as Swamp scrub, Banksia woodland and Manna gum woodland and Estuary environments during a walk through Chinamans creek and Balcome Estuary.

**Time:** 10am – 4.00pm

**When:** Thursday 24 August 2006

**Where:** Meet at Chinamans creek  
Point Napean Rd, Rosebud West  
Melway reference 169 J2

**Cost:** \$60

**Bring:** Lunch, sturdy footwear, clothing for wet or hot weather

\*Note – A bus will be available from Heidelberg to Rosebud West. Details will follow upon registration

## Riparian and wet forest EVC restoration – Presented by Darcy Duggan

Join Darcy Duggan to explore examples of riparian and wet forest EVC restoration.

**Time:** 10am – 4.00pm

**When:** Tuesday 26 September 2006

**Where:** TBA

**Cost:** \$60

**Bring:** Lunch, sturdy footwear, clothing for wet or hot weather

\*Note - More details to follow in the coming months

## Grassland EVC restoration – Presented by Dr Paul Gibson-Roy

Join Dr Paul Gibson-Roy to inspect one of 13 trial Grassland Restoration sites undertaken by Greening Australia and Melbourne University as part of their NHT funded "Grassy Groundcover Research Project". The site, situated at the Werribee Open Plains Zoo, offers an opportunity to observe and discuss progress-to-date in this unique field-scale research project. The zoo site, now in the second year of the three year study, is already providing exciting results. Many grassland species, both grasses and forbes, have successfully been reintroduced by direct seeding. The GGRP aims to demonstrate methods and techniques of enabling EVC reintroduction of grassland communities in practice.

**Time:** 10am – 4.00pm

**When:** Thursday 19 October 2006

**Where:** Werribee Open Range Zoo  
Main Drive Werribee  
Melway reference 201 A2

**Cost:** \$60

**Bring:** Lunch, sturdy footwear, clothing for wet or hot weather

### Registration Form: EVC RESTORATION TECHNICAL FIELD SERIES

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Please select the field day you wish to attend ☐ Wetland ☐ Terrestrial ☐ Coastal ☐ Riparian ☐ Grassland

To register please return this form to Rebecca Passlow, Greening Australia Victoria. PO Box 525, Heidelberg Vic 3084, fax (03) 9457 3687 or email [rpaslow@gavic.org.au](mailto:rpaslow@gavic.org.au) For further information, visit [www.greeningaustralia.org.au](http://www.greeningaustralia.org.au)