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Landholder Initiative

Grazing Technology and River Restoration Field Day

FREE Lunch

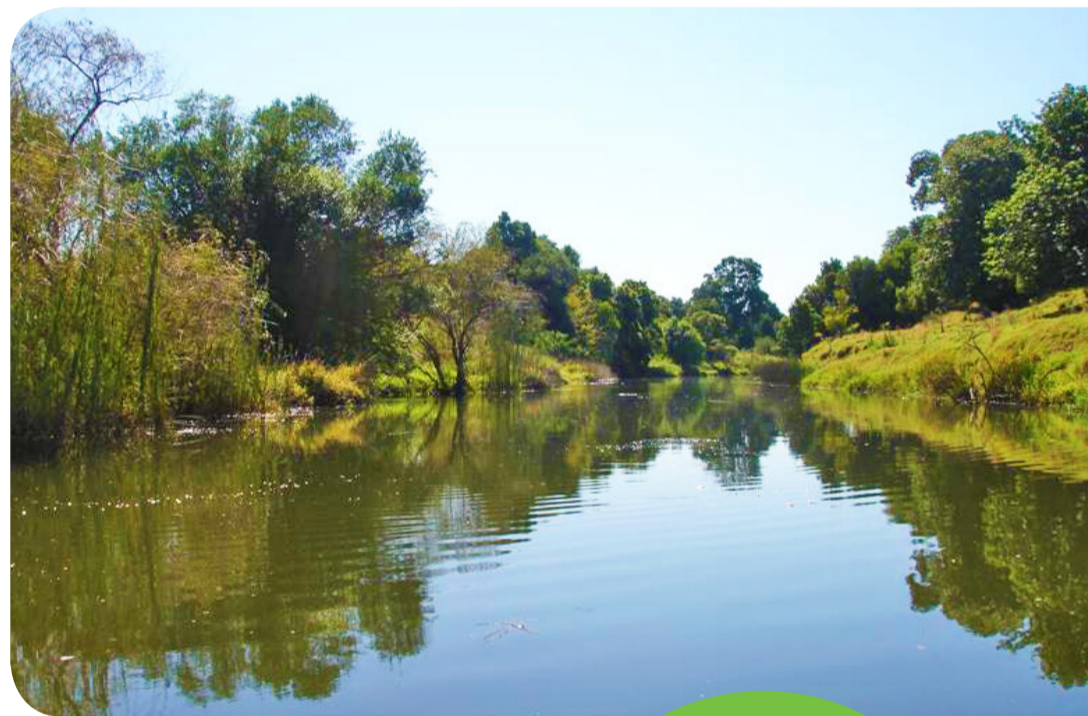
Saturday, 3 June, 9am-2pm

Leycester Creek, South Lismore

Local graziers, dairy farmers and landholders on the floodplain throughout Lismore are invited to a practical demonstration of riverbank restoration and animal monitoring at a private grazing property on Leycester Creek.

Features of the field day include:

- **Jesse Vandenbosch (Big Scrub Regen)** – Jesse will demonstrate weed control techniques, discuss native species selection for frost and flood sites and approaches for successful revegetation. Jesse has experience with many large and small-scale restoration projects in the Lismore area and will have time for questions about your project.
- **Craig Faulkner, Jakub Juszcak and 'Jet' (Reconeco)** – Craig and Jakob are environmental consultants specialising in flora/fauna survey and assessment and feral animal management. 'Jet' is a trained Koala detection dog but he is also trained in the detection of fox and cat activity. Jet will demonstrate innovative detection techniques while his handlers talk about the value of using dogs in ecological surveys.
- **Claire Hewitt (Local Land Services)** – Claire will discuss the use of technology for farm efficiency such as virtual fencing. She will also be available to provide details on what North Coast Local Land Services can offer to help farmers and landholders.
- **Chris Billing (V2 Aerial Photography)** – Chris will present information on the use of drones in agriculture. He will focus specifically on using drones for property mapping, weed detection, stock searching, water management and fence surveying.



- **Eli Dutton (Conservation Volunteers)** – Eli offers advice on wetlands and waterways rehabilitation and management. For landholders with wetland habitat in need of assistance, Eli is currently able to undertake site management planning. Talk to Eli about your wetland project for on-site planning assistance.

Places are limited.
Phone Council to
RSVP on
1300 87 83 87.

Join us for an informative paddock walk and stay for a delicious free BBQ lunch from The Bank Café.

Please note: The field day will involve some walking on uneven ground. Long pants and sturdy walking shoes are recommended for safety. Please bring a hat, water bottle and personal sun/insect protection.