

Monthly Waterwatch Report February 2011.

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1 new project using, recording and sharing indigenous knowledge.

- *Assist the Indigenous Facilitator in the development of indigenous projects where possible.*
(None this period)

Facilitate and increase the involvement of youth in NRM projects for up to 6 schools and youth organisations by coordinating activities associated with nrm onground outcomes.

- *Deliver/participate in 1 Waterwatch Holiday program*

Retrieved unused WW gear from Woden Library. Left contact details for future holiday program planning.

- *Deliver "Teach the Reach" Education program to AUSSI schools network*

(See also Education Officer Project report.)

Picked up copies of "*Sustaining River Life*" (New title for 'Teach the Reach') from Bill Phillips.

Facilitate and support the development and implementation of 5 community groups and their involvement in local projects

- *Provide financial, facilitation and administrative support to Waterwatch and other community organisations.*

Attended MDBA Technical briefing forum

3X WW training sessions with Coleman Ridge Parkcare Group.

Assist MOTH with planting project.

Attended UMCCC AGM..

3X Facilitation of WW monitoring by teenage volunteers team.

Dealt with instance of vandalism at office.

Replaced out of date chemicals for 9 X WW groups.

Monitored a volunteer's site in their absence for Jan.

Wrote and collated SACTCG's submission to the Review of the NC Act.

Conducted QA/QC assessment of 4X WW groups.

Assisted in delivery of Quick Spray unit for its inaugural use.

Attended public forum regarding the Review for the NC Act.

Attended NRM meeting on the new tendering process for CFoC grants.

Established new WW group for Point Hut Ponds

Attended UMCCC February general meeting.

Attended WW coordinators meeting.

2X meetings with individuals to discuss volunteering opportunities.

Attended group meeting with combined catchment groups to discuss EOI's for NRM's CFoC grants.

Facilitated the inclusion of 2 new volunteers into the SACTCG WW program.

Wrote EOI for SACTCG's Waterwatch Program's inclusion in the NRM's latest CFoC funding round.

Met with John Feint to discuss SACTCG's Waterwatch Program's inclusion in the NRM's latest CFoC funding round.

Dealt with admin and enquires at the SACTCG office in partnership with Catchment Coordinator.

- *Promote Waterwatch and other community groups through website, displays and publications*

2 X Appearances on 2XX . (Dec 10 and Feb 11).

Delivered WOT books to Botanic Gardens and Tidbinbilla.

MERI actions carried out in accordance with MERI plan with 6 mthly reporting

- *Monthly Catchment Health Indicators data gathered and recorded and monitor key indicator species seasonally*

Monitored 3 sites for Dec, Jan and Feb

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Names of educational institutions engaged	Educational level of institution.	Classes engaged – year group and teacher.	Number of field-based lessons	Number of class-based lessons	Other activities delivered / facilitated
Lanyon High School	Secondary	Yr9 'TREK' Ms Connors	1	2	

- **Results of any student and educator evaluations conducted.**

Questionnaire for teachers completed by Torrens Preschool teacher.

Questionnaire for students completed by Chisholm Junior School class.

- **Other key activities – e.g. staff meetings attended, teacher workshops run, resources developed, informal feedback etc.**

Met ActewAGL Bulk Water Ed officer to obtain copy of Cotter Dam Ed resource.

Reviewed and posted on 'Our Water' SACTCG teacher resource.

Met ActewAGL to deliver funding applications for Water Education Project. Discussed reporting and priority actions for 2011.

Delivered Waterwatch field activities with Lanyon 'Joey Scouts' group.

Delivered Waterwatch field activities with Orroral Scout Troop.

Negotiated inclusion of Water Education program in the ACT Dept. Education's teacher PD; 'Biodiversity Workshop'.

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