

aquatic habitat rehabilitation



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making more fish ...**naturally**

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The workshop presents information on the design, management and maintenance of stormwater drains that provide habitat for native fish.

Topics covered:

- Fish habitat features of stormwater drains
- Planning processes and approvals
- Implementing on-ground works
- Environmental management plans for earth works
- Preparation of drain management plans incorporating water sensitive urban design
- Richmond Valley Council's experience in restoring oxleyan pygmy perch habitat
- Practical aspects of removal of barriers to fish passage
- Site inspections of stormwater drain and fish passage barrier removal works.

This workshop is free. However, you need to register. Lunch and light refreshments will be provided. Please wear clothing suitable for site inspections.

**Date:** 3 November 2009

**Location:** Richmond Valley Council chambers,  
Casino (*corner of Graham Pl & Walker St*)

**Time:** 8:45 am – 4.30 pm

*Afternoon tea includes Melbourne Cup coverage.*

**Please register before 20 October 2009  
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