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Coming Events

Permaculture Food Forest Tour

8.30 – 4.30

Saturday 26th April

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SAGE Market Gardening Workshop: Cover Crops, Integrating Animals and Reviewing the Season

8.30-4.30

Sun 23 March

Contact – Sandra Makedessi
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Horse Property Management Course Proves Popular



*Jane Myers from Equiculture speaking
at the Moruya Horse Property
Management Course*

Twenty five local horse owners recently had the opportunity to learn more about Horse Property Management in a workshop held at Moruya.

Jane and Stuart Myers spoke the importance of caring for the property on which horses are held. They encouraged participants to protect water ways by fencing out stock, allowing a buffer of vegetation to grow and by providing off stream watering points.

Keeping good pasture cover protects the soil from erosion and becoming compacted.

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Coming Eurobodalla Events

Permaculture Food Forest Tour 26 April 2014

Tuross Community Garden is running a free field day visiting 2 demonstration properties in the Brogo area. The owners, John Champagne and Cam Taylor will share their knowledge and experience of small-scale permaculture designed, food forests that mimic natural ecosystems.

Transport will be provided from Moruya return 8.30-4.30, with pick-ups at Tuross and Narooma.

Bring your own snacks, drink and lunch, sun protection, hat and enclosed shoes.

Limit of 25 people, book early as people from all around the region are invited

Bookings essential to Peter.gow@lfs.nsw.gov.au

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SAGE Market Gardening Workshop: Cover Crops, Integrating Animals and Reviewing the Season

8.30-4.30 Sun 23 March, SAGE Garden, 110 Queen Street, Moruya

The SAGE Market Gardening series continue with the sixth and final workshop being held on Sunday, 23 March 2014. One of the most difficult things about intensive annual production is managing your soil fertility without buying in too many inputs, all of which have an impact on your bottom line. In this final workshop you will learn which:

- Cover crops and manures that will drive the fertility of your soil
- Systems to use, to best suit your outcome
- A review of the lessons learnt – both at SAGE and in your own garden. You will examine and record both your own experiences and what you have learnt, to assist you immensely in planning and preparing for the following season.

Presented by Fraser Bayley of Old Mill Rd Farm, this workshop will teach you very relevant, useful and practical skills. The primary aim is to support and encourage the success of existing and potential small-scale growers.

Fee – \$110/workshop – includes notes, lunch, morning and afternoon tea

Contact – Sandra Makdessi on education@sageproject.org.au

Details – on the SAGE Project website <http://sageproject.org.au/education/>