

# Australian Network for Plant Conservation, Inc in partnership with WWF-Australia

presents a workshop on

## Wheatbelt Woodlands - Management And Restoration

# AFTER THE FENCE

Northam, Monday 17 - Tuesday 18 March 2008

Venue: Muresk Institute, Curtin University of Technology, Spencer's Brook, WA



Do you own or manage Wheatbelt Woodlands? Do you work with people who do? Does your work site have Wheatbelt Woodlands that you need to manage? Does your local reserve contain Woodlands? Or are you simply interested in the natural diversity of the Wheatbelt? You've put up a fence, and now you're wondering what next? Do you have experiences with woodland management that you'd like to share? Are you interested in knowing more about how Wheatbelt Woodlands work and what you can do to manage them into the future? Then this workshop is for you!

### Workshop focus:

To build on the knowledge and skills of the Avon Region community in restoring woodlands of the Western Australian Wheatbelt.

### Themes include:

- The ecological principles essential to planning for management.
- Understanding the task (the goal for the site, planning, resources, assessing site and vegetation condition, issues such as soil health, monitoring and ongoing management).
- Applying ecological principles to woodland management (local case studies, site visits, demonstration and trialling of techniques).

The workshop will be a mix of presentations by experienced woodland managers, case-studies and hands-on tasks at field sites. Participants will expand their skills and knowledge, exchange ideas and expertise, work with experts and meet other people working to manage Wheatbelt Woodlands.

**Course fee** (includes day-time catering, accommodation, field trips, Plant Conservation Techniques manual on CD and GST):

ANPC member: \$130 \*Concession (ANPC member): \$95

Non-member: \$150 \*Concession (non-member): \$115

\* Concession for volunteer community group members, full-time students, pensioners.

### Registrations close: Wednesday 5th March 2008

ANPC will be seeking sponsorship for community group members and private landholders to attend the workshop. Please contact Helena Mills on 08 9621 1864 to register your interest in being sponsored.

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