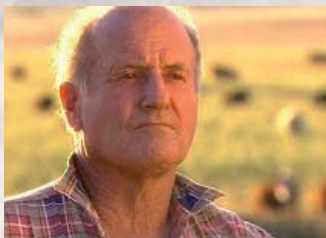


Keynote Speakers

Cynthia Dunbabin, with her husband Tom, are Tasmanian leaders in natural resource management. Winners of the 1996 Nature Conservation Landcare award and the 2005 McKell Medal, the family has been at Bangor in the South for 7 generations and recently acquired The Quoin in the Northern Midlands. Cynthia believes people have an intimate and inherited knowledge of place and it is only by exploring this sense of place that we can get a sense of how farmers manage natural resources.



Peter Andrews has developed a radical new approach to landscape change he calls Natural Sequence farming. His theories and methods were developed as he grappled with one of the most important issues to face our nation: how do we provide an economically sustainable environment for our children, our children's children, and ourselves? Peter insists, and his results are backing him up, his approach will turn the Australian landscape around. His work has been featured on ABC's Australian Story and published in his book; *Back from the Brink: How Australia's Landscape can be Saved*.



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Program

Sunday 21st October 2007

Monday 22nd October 2007

Field Day 1 Southern Midlands

- Drought proofing farms—how is it being done?
- Sustainable landcare groups—what's their secret?
- Raining fish in the midlands—see what's happening with this composting site.

Leader: Helen Geard Southern Midlands Council
Start and finish Ross 9.30am—4.00pm

or

Field Day 2 Northern Midlands

- Why is the Northern Midlands a hotspot?
- How do you control weeds in covenanted forest on private land?
- Peter Andrews discusses Natural Sequence Farming (as seen on Australian Story)

Leader: Marta Vergara-Goday Northern Midlands Council

Start and finish Ross 9.30am—4.00pm

Conference Schedule

7.35 am	Registration
8.33 am	Opening
9.00 am	Keynote speakers
10.30 am	Morning tea
11.00 am	Future panel
11.30 am	Best Practice NRM
12.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	Managing Natural Assets
2.30 pm	Managing the People
3:30 pm	Afternoon tea
4:00 pm	Close

Special Evening Event



2007
Tasmanian Landcare Awards
Celebrating the Landcare
Movement
Live bush dance music, fabulous buffet dinner
Sunday 21st October 4.30pm—11.30pm.
Ross Town Hall, Ross.
Special Guest: Minister David Llewellyn
Host: Mr. Daryl Peebles

Accommodation

A combination of hotels, motels, B and B's and local shearing quarters in Ross have already been booked. You will be allocated a bed on a first-in-first-served basis. You will be notified of your accommodation with your conference confirmation kit.

About this conference

This year's conference combines the expertise of keynote and guest speakers, practical sessions on the Macquarie River and community input into the three concurrent sessions. So come on, find out the latest thinking on NRM and landcare and have your say!

Who should attend?

Community volunteers, farmers, Landcarers, Coastcares, NRM staff and government and industry officers who work with 'care' groups, and NRM projects representatives.

Conference registration

To register simply fill in a registration form and return to the Tasmanian Landcare Association.

