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## Attention Geography & Science Teachers

### **Wetland Education and Training (WET Program)**

Teacher Professional Development at Sydney Olympic Park

Friday 16 March 2012

### **'Wetland Ecology – Human Impacts and Management'**

You are invited to attend this unique professional development opportunity at Sydney Olympic Park. You will hear from leading wetland scientists and site managers about the biology, geomorphology and ecological significance of estuarine wetlands. The context is the Sydney Olympic Park wetlands as a living case study of wetland management. What puts these wetlands at risk and what management strategies do we use to protect them? The program includes practical field activities, site exploration, afternoon field work activities and great opportunities for networking.

Session Time	Session Title	Speaker
8.30am-9am	Registration	
9am-9.45am	Sydney Olympic Park – from Wastelands to Wetlands	Dr Marianne Sheumack, Project Manager, Education and Sustainability, Sydney Olympic Park Authority
9.45am-11am	Wetland Science and Management Case Studies: the Badu Mangroves....a Walking Tour	Dr Swapan Paul, Wetlands Manager, Sydney Olympic Park Authority
11am- 11.15am	Morning Tea	
11.15am-12noon	Geomorphological Settings of Estuarine Wetlands and Implications for Their Management	Mr Robert Williams, Principal Scientist, NSW Dept Industry & Incentives
12noon-12.45pm	How will Wetlands Cope with Climate Change and Sea Level Rise?	Prof Max Finlayson, Director, Institute for Land, Water and Society, Charles Sturt University
12.45pm-1pm	Questions	
1pm-1.30pm	Lunch	
1.30pm-3.30pm	Learn Fieldwork Techniques by conducting Fieldwork using Scientific Equipment  The Use of GIS (Geographic Information Systems) in School Education Programs	Dr Marianne Sheumack and Ms Katrina Hood, Education Coordinator, Sydney Olympic Park Authority

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Date:	Friday 16 March, 2012
Time:	Registration from 8.30 am, with the program running from 9am-3.30pm
Location:	Education Centre, Bicentennial Drive, Bicentennial Park, Sydney Olympic Park
Parking:	Free at P10f car park. Bicentennial Drive, Bicentennial Park, Sydney Olympic Park
Fee:	\$110 per person including GST
Closing date:	2 March 2012 (Places are limited, please book early)
Inclusions:	Morning tea, lunch and a copy of the Sydney Olympic Park CD ROM resource for senior Geography and Science teachers – Ridgeline

For more information and to book a place please call Bookings on 02 97147888 or download a Booking Registration Form at:

[www.sydneyolympicpark.com.au/education](http://www.sydneyolympicpark.com.au/education)

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## Teacher Professional Development Booking Form

Fax to: Education Unit, Sydney Olympic Park Authority	Workshop Date: Friday 16 March 2012
Attention: Bookings Coordinator	Number of Pages: 1
From:	Fax Number: 02 97147281

Thank you for your interest in our 'Wetland Ecology – Human Impacts and Management' Teacher Professional Development Workshop at Sydney Olympic Park. Please complete and return fax to **02 9714 7281**.

### Details

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 ABN: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

### Participant 1

First name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please register me to receive 'Learning comes e-live' newsletter and receive information and updates about education events and school programs

### Participant 2

First name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Special Requirements

- Dietary considerations  
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- Access considerations  
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### Payment Options

Cheque.

Please make cheques payable to:  
 Sydney Olympic Park Authority  
 8 Australia Ave, Sydney Olympic Park, NSW 2127.

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### Fees

Fees cover: program materials, morning tea, lunch, and field activities. Fees are GST inclusive.

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$110 pp incl GST

Total : \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please note: Limited places are available. Refund is conditional. No refund within 5 days of workshop however registration is transferrable to another teacher from the same school.

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