



# Centennial Coal

## news

### Community Information Lines For information and complaints

Airly	02 6359 2100
Inglenook	02 6359 0114
Charbon	02 6357 9206

### Our People

#### Phillip Campion - Mine Account



#### What do you enjoy most about living in the region?

The rural lifestyle is excellent. Knowing that when you get up in the mornings to go to work, you don't have to be concerned about any traffic jams. Most activities are only minutes away and with no hassle to get there.

#### What do you do in your leisure time?

I enjoy walking in the afternoons when time permits. Most outdoor events I enjoy including deep sea fishing, bike riding and swimming.

#### Which book / or movie are you looking forward to reading / seeing?

I have been doing external studying so I have not had the time to read books, instead I have been reading Standards, Acts and texts. Coming up to Christmas is great as they do release a few really good movies on Bosing Day, so I will be ready to go and see one by then.

## Airly Community Information Sessions

Centennial is seeking to renew its existing planning consent which is required by 2014. Under the renewal process, Airly is proposing to extend operations into the eastern section of the mine's current Mining Lease.

Under the renewal process, Airly proposes to continue the underground mining operations at Airly, increase the mine's coal extraction capacity and upgrade existing site infrastructure.

In order to consult with the community on the proposed project, Airly is holding a number of Community Information days with the first being held last weekend.

"It was great to see community members come to the Capertee Hall to learn more about Airly's current extension activities and it gave us the opportunity to answer questions and to generally catch up with those who have been interested in the mine since its beginnings," said Airly's Greg Brown.

"We really encourage the community to come to either of the remaining two sessions to learn more about the proposal, see the project plans, to grab a copy of our latest newsletter and to ask us questions,"

"A big thank you must go to the Capertee Rural Fire Brigade who cooked the BBQ during the information session and we will be looking forward to having the Bogee Brigade and CWA catering at the following sessions," concluded Greg.

Further community information sessions on the Airly Extension Project will be held on the dates below. Please feel free to drop in at the location and date that most suits you.

Saturday 10th November  
(9am – 1pm) at the Glen Alice  
Hall, Glen Alice

Saturday 17th November  
(9am – 1pm) at the Wallerawang  
CWA Hall, Wallerawang



## Charbon plants the seed with RMS

If you have been tuning into your local ABC radio station or reading your local paper, you may have heard of Charbon's Environment and Community Coordinator, Matt Gray speak of Charbon's impressive Seedbank and Rehabilitation project.

After hearing and reading of Charbon's seedbank project, the Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) contacted Charbon to learn more about the project.

"We have been talking to RMS Environmental Officer Allan Ryan about our project and we were more than happy to donate some of our Eucalyptus cannonii (Capertee Stringybark) seed which is a listed vulnerable species, to kick start RMS's rehab work in the Central West Region," said Charbon's Matt Gray.

RMS will use the seeds to grow tube stock to one day plant along disturbed areas near road works in the Central West.

"We have gradually been acquiring seeds over the last five years and we have amassed over 380kg of native seeds which covers 38 different species found in the region,"

"These seeds have all been sourced from our local seed collectors Sue and Mike Pridmore and it is great to see other industries jumping on board with this type of rehab work," concluded Matt.

Matt Gray with  
Allan Ryan from RMS



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