



Advanced Livestock Movement & Management Course & Working Dog School with Neil McDonald

5 - 7 July 2019

7:30am - 5pm each day

Gunalda Campdraft Grounds

Camping available

Note: Cost will depend on number of participants but likely to be approx. \$800-\$935 (incl. GST) per person for the 3-days.

Gain the necessary knowledge to become proactive regarding soil health & pasture management while working in a safe & efficient manner with the help of working dogs. This course provides skills in:

- ◆ Understand the link between improved handling & change of livestock behaviour patterns. This is necessary to introduce new livestock management regimes such as rotational grazing that will improve land condition.
- ◆ Learn how to avoid land condition problems such erosion, created by livestock which are spoilt or unsettled hanging on waters & wasting feed through incessant walking or undoing management programs by not staying in their allocated paddock.
- ◆ Yard design & mob structure, & how to work livestock & dogs in a way that uses the natural order of the mob.
- ◆ Implementing a wider weaner trainer program by applying methods demonstrated during the course
- ◆ Improved economic, welfare, & OH&S outcomes using demonstrated techniques.

Benefits of improved livestock management include less feed flattened & improved utilisation; higher weight gains; improved meat quality; less bulls required; improved OH&S; better time efficiency; good staff moral; more grazing options as cattle can be easily managed in a wide range of situations.

BYO: Tucker, swag, own water bottle, hat & a chair. Participants can bring their own dogs, chains, lead ropes & water bowl. If you don't have dogs, Neil has dogs available to use at the course.

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