

Drought Assistance Information Sessions

Goondiwindi and Toowoomba Regions

The Goondiwindi and Toowoomba regions have been drought declared as of 1 March 2014. In response to the deteriorating drought situation across Queensland, the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF) and the Queensland South Region Drought Response Network has the following Drought Assistance Information Sessions to assist producers with issues and needs resulting from the dry conditions.

Topics to be covered:

- Drought Relief Assistance Scheme - DAFF
- Financial counselling - RFCS
- State and Federal loan schemes – QRAA
- Farm Household Allowance – Centrelink
- Animal nutrition and drought feeding – DAFF

- Ergon Drought Relief - QMDC

Other service providers in attendance:

- Lifeline

These events will be held at the following venues:

| Date and Time | Town | Venue |
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| Tuesday 8th April, 12.30pm – 4pm | Texas | Texas Memorial Hall (High Street) Lunch and afternoon tea will be provided |
| Wednesday 9th April, 9.30am – 1pm | Inglewood | Inglewood Civic Centre (18 Elizabeth Street) |
| Thursday 10th April, 9.30am – 1pm | Millmerran | Millmerran Community & Cultural Centre (Walpole Street) |

Morning tea and lunch provided

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