

Hollows for Habitat Forum

A forum about nest boxes and habitat augmentation– what actually works?



Above: A pair of installed microbat nest boxes © Peter Ridgeway

Various approaches are used to enhance bushland habitats for native fauna across the Hunter and Central Coast.

Greater Sydney and Hunter Local Land Services, in partnership with the University of Newcastle, will present a **one-day regional forum** which will bring together experts and enthusiasts to share experiences and innovations specific to these regions. Representatives from state government agencies and local councils, and other experts, will deliver presentations on research, field trials and ongoing management.

Topics will include:

- designing, monitoring and maintaining nest boxes,
- pruning trees to create habitat,
- demonstrations in the field,
- case studies on local native species.



Photo by Peter Ridgeway – Greater Sydney Local Land Services

This event is aimed at environmental practitioners and managers of bushland in the Hunter and Central Coast regions including state and local government, NGOs, Bushcare groups, regenerators, landholders, arborists and tertiary students.

WHEN: 9am - 3.30pm, Tuesday 9 February

WHERE: Ourimbah Campus - University of Newcastle

COST: \$22.

Registration is essential. Places are limited. Lunch will be provided.

Register and pay online: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/hollows-for-habitat-tickets-19901323394>
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