**NORTHERN FIRE RESPONSE**

6 STAFF SUPPORTED THE AGRICULTURE AND ANIMAL SERVICES FUNCTIONAL AREA WITH THE NFAP IN RESPONSE TO MULTIPLE FIRES IN THE NEW ENGLAND AND NORTH COAST AREAS

- **BEE STANDS ARMIDALE** - OVER 15,600 BAITS
- **LONG GULLY ROAD, DARRELL** - 6,479 HMA
- **KINGSTON, RED RANGE** - OVER 20,594 HMA
- **SHARK CREEK 1, SHARK CREEK 2** - 10,163 HMA
- **MOUNT MACNEE ROAD, TENIFERFIELD** - 3,516 HMA
- **FLAGSTONE ROAD, LEGUME** - OVER 11,700 HMA

3 VETS UNDERWENT LIVESTOCK ASSESSMENT

2 FIELD CREW ASSISTED IN LIVESTOCK ASSESSMENT, DESTRUCTION, MAPPING AND RECORDING AS WELL AS AN INCIDENT CONTROLLER

**WEED ACTION PROGRAM**

A SERIES OF YOUTUBE VIDEOS WERE FOCUSED ON CONTROLLER, TECHNIQUES FOR HUDSON PEAR CONTROL

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- **ABORIGINAL CULTURAL HERITAGE**

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**OCTOBER**

22 - 24 LANDSCAPE CONFERENCE - BOWEN HILL

24 - 25 DROUGHT CIRCLE CULTURE WITH JAY WYNNER - MARRAWAL & BARRABA

28 - 30 ENVIRONMENT FACING EARLY WEARING DROUGHT MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP - WALLCOTT, GWYDRIE, HINCHEE, BINGARA & GIORDANO

29 KOALA ENHANCEMENT MEETING - MOREE

31 CARCASS DISCARDS BEHAVIOUR WORKSHOP - 1 NW GUNNEDAH

**NOVEMBER**

06 WILDLIFE POSTCODE TRAINING - MARRABRI

06 STEER WEED DEMO - GODFREY

07 NRM REGIONAL WEED COMMITTEE - MARRABRI

11 LOW STRESS STOCK HANDLING - BOOMI

17 - 18 NRM CONFERENCE

19 NORTHERN LANDHOLDERS MEETING - ARMIDALE & AGRAE - TERNERTHR

25 BOARD MEETING - MOREE

26 POST ANIMAL FIELD DAY - BINGARA

**DECEMBER**

2 - 6 MILL'S SUMMER SEASONAL UPDATES

**AG EXTENSION**

**CUSTOMER SERVICE**

**TELL US YOUR PRIORITIES ......**

TAKE A PHOTO OF YOUR PRIORITIES AND EMAIL TO ADMIN.NORTHWEST@LLS.NSW.GOV.AU

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