



Invites you to a field day and workshop  
at Jon and Marg Hauser's property:  
"Tany-bryn" 1471 Loch-Wonthaggi Rd,  
Glen Alvie, 3979

## *Mid-rotation Agroforestry Harvest*

Saturday, February 23rd, 8:30am to 2:30pm

### FARM WALK including:

- Explanation of farm plan
- Commercial harvest site inspection
- Small tractor demonstrating:
  - 6.5 tonne log winch
  - Front-end loader log grapple
  - Debarking options



### FOLLOWED BY LUNCHTIME WORKSHOP

- Refreshments and sandwich lunch provided **if you RSVP**

### Grower and buyer agroforestry thinnings markets panel.

Hear short talks and ask panel members questions. A great opportunity to learn from growers who have done something commercial with thinnings and people who buy wood products.

Panel comprises:

- **Jon** on what he has done with his trees to date and what he has in mind for the future;
- **Peter Smyth** from CERES Fairwood on firewood and rough posts;
- **Frank Hirst** on selling firewood and preserving thinnings for use as farm posts;
- **David Taylor** from Victorian Sustainable Products at Fumina South on using agroforestry logs for tree stakes and other products (VSP purchased 2 loads of bluegum);
- **Andrew Walpole** on selling thinning logs to a CMA for erosion control;
- **Kevin Piercy** from Australian Paper on the value of agroforestry thinnings for pulpwood (AP purchased 18 loads); and
- **Peter Devonshire** from Devtree regarding the management of the harvest and product marketing.

*Please RSVP for numbers and late notices. Field activity will be limited if a high-risk fire day.*