

Climate Rescue of Wagga Inc.

Chairperson's report for 2010-11

CROW has had another good year that has kept a core of faithful volunteers busy and in the local media. The main events have been

- 22 July 2010 Meet the Candidates for the federal election.
- 9th Oct 2010 Sustainability Showcase in the civic centre with many displays and visitors.
- 12th Sep 2010 Assisted with National Sustainable House Day.
- 8th Jan 2011 planning meeting on the themes build membership and widen discussion in the community.
- Feb 2011 onwards. Participation in the national 100% Renewables campaign – participation in Port Macquarie workshop, many afternoons of surveying door to door and at markets in Wagga, meetings with local MPs, signing up some new CROW members along the way.
- 26 March 2011 Earthhour in Collins Park in conjunction with WWCC.
- 5th June 2011 assisted with AYCC's "SAY YES" rally.
- 8th July 2011 Vegetarian potluck community dinner in uniting Church hall – very enjoyable.

We need to keep working on membership and concentrate on events that draw new people in as well as keep CROW and its message alive in Wagga. The new year already looks promising for CROW in that I am sure we will find plenty to do. Australia may soon have a GHG pollution price legislated. If so, it will require support and pressure for improvement.

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