

Monday 31st October 2016

Storage and Rainfall Update

Rainfall has been consistent across South Gippsland Water's storages during October 2016. Total October monthly rainfall figures were; Lance Creek 115mm, Ruby Creek 146mm, Coalition Creek 164mm, Deep Creek 139mm, Little Bass 142mm and Battery Creek 163mm.

All six water storages continue at 100% capacity. Lance Creek 4200 ML, Ruby Creek 1910 ML, Coalition Creek 575 ML, Deep Creek 238 ML, Little Bass 219 ML and Battery Creek 122 ML.

The Bureau of Meteorology outlook is for some continued spring rainfall, 75% chance of 25 – 50mm for November 2016. All systems remain in a good position for this time of year.

Information and graphs depicting water storage levels can be found in the Services section of South Gippsland Water's website www.sgwater.com.au.

South Gippsland Water encourages customers to always use water wisely. Permanent Water Saving Rules continue to be in place across all Victorian systems and townships.

Reservoir	Major towns supplied	Capacity level %	Current Status
Lance Creek	Wonthaggi, Inverloch and Cape Paterson	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Ruby Creek	Leongatha and surrounds	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Coalition Creek	Korumburra and surrounds	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Foster Dam – Deep Creek	Foster area	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Little Bass	Poowong, Nyora and Loch	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Battery Creek	Fish Creek	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures

River Systems	Major Town Supplied	Current Status
Tarwin	Meeniyan, Dumbalk	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Agnes	Welshpool, Port Welshpool, Toora, Port Franklin	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Tarra	Yarram, Alberton, Port Albert	Permanent Water Saving Measures