

## Wednesday Walk in Queanbeyan Nature Reserve – 18 February 2015

The start of the walk was from the entry on Hoover Road, Queanbeyan. The Reserve is a good example of Natural Temperate Grassland with *Bothriochloa macra* as the dominant grass. Other grasses were *Enneapogon nigricans*, *Rytidosperma carphoides*, *R. laeve*, *Austrostipa bigeniculata*, *A. scabra* ssp. *falcata*, *Anthosachne scabra*, some *Chloris truncata*, *Panicum effusum* and *Aristida ramosa*. We were pleased to find quite a few forbs flowering - lots of the endangered *Rutidosia leptorrhynchoides* (Button Wrinklewort), *Goodenia pinnatifida*, *Chrysocephalum apiculatum*, *C. semipapposum*, *Convolvulus angustissimus*, *Wahlenbergia communis*, all 3 *Vittadinia* - *V. cuneata*, *V. gracilis*, *V. muelleri* providing good fuzz displays, a couple of *Tricoryne elatior*, one *Glycine tabacina* and a nice population of *Zornia dictyocarpa* with a few flowers. There were lots of spent flowers of *Eryngium ovinum*. All images by Roger Farrow.



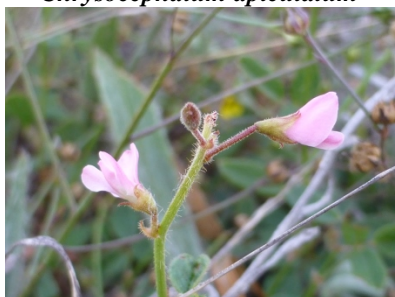
*Chrysocephalum apiculatum*



Fuzz of *Vittadinia muelleri*



*Zornia dictyocarpa*



*Desmodium gunnii*



*Desmodium varians* leaves



*Desmodium varians* seed



*Glycine tabacina*



*Wahlenbergia communis*



*Haloragis heterophylla*



*Vittadinia gracilis*



*Aristida ramosa*



*Enneapogon nigricans*



*Sporobolus creber*



*Euchiton* sp.



*Arthropodium fimbriatum*



*Tricoryne elatior*



*Vittadinia muelleri*

## Plant List for Queanbeyan Nature Reserve (Hoover Road) –18 February 2015

? indicates that those present were unsure of the plant name

Amyema miquelii  
Anthosachne scabra  
Aristida ramosa  
Arthropodium fimbriatum  
Asperula conferta  
Astroloma humifusum  
Austrostipa bigeniculata  
Austrostipa densiflora  
Austrostipa scabra ssp. falcata  
Bothriochloa macra  
Brachyloma daphnoides  
Bursaria spinosa  
Carex appressa  
Chloris truncata  
Chrysocephalum apiculatum  
Chrysocephalum semipapposum  
Convolvulus angustissimus  
Cryptandra amara var. longiflora  
Cymbonotus lawsonianus  
Desmodium gunnii  
Desmodium varians  
Dichondra repens  
Einadia nutans  
Enneapogon nigricans  
Eryngium ovinum  
Eucalyptus blakelyi  
Eucalyptus bridgesiana  
Eucalyptus melliodora  
Euchiton sp.  
Geranium retrorsum  
Glycine tabacina  
Goodenia pinnatifida  
Haloragis heterophylla  
Kunzea ericoides  
Leucochrysum albicans var. tricolor  
Lissanthe strigosa  
Lomandra bracteata  
Lythrum hyssopifolia  
Melichrus urceolatus  
Microlaena stipoides  
Panicum effusum  
Persicaria prostrata  
Pimelea curviflora  
Plantago varia  
Rumex brownii  
Rutidosis leptorrhynchoides  
Rytidosperma carphoides  
Rytidosperma laeve  
Schoenus apogon  
Scleranthus biflorus  
Solenogyne dominii  
Sporobolus creber  
Tricoryne elatior  
Triptilodiscus pygmaeus  
Vittadinia cuneata  
Vittadinia gracilis  
Vittadinia muelleri  
Wahlenbergia communis  
Xerochrysum viscosum  
Zornia dictyocarpa