

**Weed spraying at Nigretta Falls Scenic Reserve and Wannan Falls Scenic Reserve and  
Flora Reserve  
(Dec 2009 update from May 2008 report)**

Nigretta Falls Scenic Reserve

- 26 June 2008 – 8 L (Ally, Glyphosate & Pulse) sprayed on *Vinca* & Cocksfoot on west side of entrance rd and 2 L on east side (Phalaris and some Gorse and *Vinca*) - 2 hr
- 18 Nov 2008 – sprayed a few dozen *Vinca* near Toilet Block and Iris to the north. Also, about 12 bulbous plants at Lookout above the Falls. Also sprayed (4 L Ally & Pulse spray) several hundred new plants to the west of the entrance road, amidst area infested previously. 2 hr
- 25 Nov 2008 – applied Ally & Pulse spray (7 L) to *Vinca* on west side of the entrance track (thousands of new germinants) and a few dozen plants near the toilet block (previous spray seemed ineffective). Applied 3 L to Iris plants to north of toilet block. – 3 hr
- 22 April 2009 – applied 6 L (Ally + Roundup + Pulse) to *Vinca* west of entrance rd (several hundred new seedlings) and 1 L on east side of rd near toilet block (a few dozen plants) – 2 hr
- 15 Sep 2009 – sprayed bulbs near the lookout above the Falls, 10 small *Grevillea rosmarinifolia* plants and thousands of new germinants of *Vinca* to west of entrance rd, in the usual area. Worked around the area trying to compact it to about 30 m x 5 m (10 L Ally & Pulse spray).- 2.5 hr
- 20 Oct 2009 – applied Ally & Pulse (20 L, 3 hr) to *Vinca major* area west of entrance rd (virtually the entire area treated previously) – massive germination of seedlings.
- Nov 2009 – Julian Cook (SGSC) has sprayed some Gorse and *J. acutus* along the river.
- 18 Nov 2009 – 217 AWO dug and 104 pulled on the area near the Falls.

Wannan Falls Scenic Reserve

- Oct 2009 - Liz Fenton has been tackling Freesia and Sparaxis in area around the oval - many hours of spot-spraying. Also, a few Sparaxis near Boomerang Gates sprayed and the flowers of ~ 20 plants near the track on the west side ~ 20 m from entrance pulled off (plants to be sprayed next year).

Wannan Falls Flora Reserve

- 7 June 2009 – HFNC working bee. Pulled a few dozen *A. longifolia* from road reserve. Hydroaxe used to poison ~12 large wattles near road reserve. Thinned out some small *A. paradoxa* from reserve, to keep trails open.
- 11 June 2009 – PRB sprayed 12 clumps of bulbs in road reserve on Henty Highway. Also sprayed some Sparaxis to about 50 m west of Powells Lane (3L Ally and Pulse solution).
- 15 Sep 2009 – sprayed ~ 50 Sparaxis plants (not flowering) on road reserve alongside the reserve ~60 m from SE corner. Also sprayed ~ 100 Freesias in SW part of the reserve near old tip disturbance – these were starting to flower but some were not and could have been missed

Nigretta Flora Reserve

See separate report for African Weed Orchid control in Oct-Nov 2009 – 23,000 plants either pulled or dug up in Oct-Nov 2009.