



GrowSmart Training November Newsletter

Riverland Horticultural Council, trading as **GrowSmart Training** is an incorporated, not for profit organisation, providing training in:

- **Horticulture, Production Horticulture, Conservation & Land Management (WorkReady subsidies available for Certificate III)**
- **Short Courses:**
 - **ChemCert**
 - **Chainsaw operation and maintenance**
 - **Quad Bike operation**
 - **Mobile Elevating Work Platform – daily maintenance and operation**

Chainsaw course (one-day course, cost is \$200 person)

- Tuesday, November 7 – **Course is full**
- We will run another course this year if we have a minimum of four participants

Full ChemCert course (two-day course cost \$320 – includes the ChemCert manual and card)

- Tuesday and Wednesday, November 28 and 29 – **only a few vacancies**

ChemCert Reaccreditation Course (cost \$260 – includes the ChemCert manual and card)

Required every five years to retain ChemCert licence

- Thursday, November 30
- Friday, December 1

New Development for 2018

We are planning a series of short (3 hour) evening courses – hopefully monthly. The cost for each course will be around \$30 and we will need a minimum of 10 participants to run a course.

Suggested course topics at this stage include:

- Chemistry and nutrition for growers
- Entomology for growers
- Plant identification – weeds, native plants
- Basic IT
- Basic plant physiology
- Propagating plants
- Basic machinery maintenance
- WHS compliance

Please indicate via email if you are interested in any of these courses, or if you have other suggestions. Your expression of interest does not commit you to attending.

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