

After his lunchtime seminar, Dr Syd Shea shows Human Resources Branch manager Cliff Gillham and former volunteers training officer Marie McDonald a piece of fine-oriented strand board. Made from pinewood chips, it has the strength of plywood and the finish of mediumdensity fibreboard. Photo by Verna Costello

Lunchtime seminars - 1997—1998

ELEVEN well-attended Como seminars were held throughout 1997 covering a range of CALM projects and issues.

These included Health and Fitness, Project Eden, Marine Conservation, Perth Observatory, Aboriginal Training and Tourism, Forest Communications, Western Shield, Blue Gum Plantations, Mari-time Pine Plantations, Region-al Forest Agreement and LANDSCOPE Expeditions.

The aim of the seminars was to inform CALM staff in Perth (or Regional staff visiting Perth) of projects and issues pertaining to the department, in an informal and relaxing atmosphere, while people had their lunch.

Attendance at these seminars has been excellent, and it was agreed that the calibre of the speakers and the topics discussed made it well worth while making the small effort to be there.

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Liddicoat for a sterling effort in organising the 1996 and 1997 seminars.

If you would like to become involved in the 1998 seminar series by contacting speakers on suggested topics, booking the venue(s) and advertising the seminars, please telephone Penny Walsh at the Corporate Relations Division, on (08) 9389 8644. If you can't become involved, please phone anyway with your suggestions for topics and speakers; they will be most welcome.

