

The background of the image is a scenic landscape at sunset or sunrise. The sky is filled with horizontal bands of orange, yellow, and pink. In the distance, a dark silhouette of a cliff or plateau is visible. The foreground is dominated by the dark, silhouetted branches of trees and bushes. A body of water in the middle ground reflects the vibrant colors of the sky. Overlaid on the left side of the image is a white, stylized graphic consisting of several overlapping loops and a horizontal line that ends in an arrowhead pointing left.

# World Wetlands Day

2nd of February

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Wetlands And Water – Supporting Life, Sustaining Livelihoods

World Wetlands Day marks the date of the signing of the Convention on Wetlands on 2nd February 1971 in the Iranian city of Ramsar:

World Wetlands Day 2006 celebrates the important role wetlands play in sustaining the livelihoods of people all over the world - "Wetlands and water – supporting life, sustaining livelihoods".



Check out [www.deh.gov.au/water/wetlands/day/index.html](http://www.deh.gov.au/water/wetlands/day/index.html) or contact **1800 803 772** for more information on World Wetlands Day 2006.



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