

**Orphan School Creek Gully: Forest Lodge 1999-2009
National Trust (NSW) Bush Management Section & Frasers Development**



Creekline revegetation successfully established after 5 years

Orphan School Creek Gully is a section of the redeveloped Camperdown Children's Hospital Site Development at Forest Lodge. The Gully was a section of largely exotic vegetation found along the original creek line. The Creek itself is enclosed in a Sydney Water box culvert.

Sturt Noble Associates was originally engaged by the National Trust (NSW) Bush Management section to assist them in preparing a revegetation strategy and Master Plan for the Orphan School Creek Gully.

Our aim for this site was to increase the diversity of local flora and fauna while maintaining existing communities and public amenity.

Sturt Noble Associates completed the project with the developer, Frasers Development in 2009.

Extensive public consultation was carried out by Sturt Noble Associates with the National Trust, South Sydney, City of Sydney and Leichhardt Councils, FRROGs and other community stakeholders.



Timber decking isolates contaminated soils whilst protecting trees.



The creek although piped, now carries some overland flow.