



Transition Kurilpa
Local Resilience in Action

Transition Kurilpa and Food Connect
bring you an evening with

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To keep costs down and if you can, please bring a plate/dish of food to share for a 200 km ethical pot luck!

Food Connect are donating bread and dips!

FUTURE SCENARIOS

CLIMATE CHANGE

PEAK OIL

How Communities Can Adapt to Peak Oil and Climate Change

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DOORS OPEN 6PM FOR TASTING AND A 6.30PM START
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What is peak oil and energy transition? How will actions for peak oil affect climate change? Where is our society heading with respect to where our energy and food comes from? What has Permaculture got to do with energy? Will society still be able to feed itself?

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The simultaneous onset of climate change and the peaking of global oil supply represent unprecedented challenges for human civilisation.

Global oil peak has the potential to shake if not destroy the foundations of global industrial economy and culture. Climate change has the potential to rearrange the biosphere more radically than the last ice age. Each limits the effective options for responses to the other.

The strategies for mitigating the adverse effects and/or adapting to the consequences of Climate Change have mostly been considered and discussed in isolation from those relevant to Peak Oil. While awareness of Peak Oil, or at least energy crisis, is increasing, understanding of how these two problems might interact to generate quite different futures, is still at an early state.

FutureScenarios.org presents an integrated approach to understanding the potential interaction between Climate Change and Peak Oil using a scenario planning model. In the process I introduce permaculture as a design system specifically evolved over the last 30 years to creatively respond to futures that involve progressively less and less available energy.

– David Holmgren, co-originator of the permaculture concept. May 2008

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