Webcam photographs of groundwater filling Alpha Coal Mine test pit over two-week period after groundwater pumps were switched off in July 2011. There was no rainfall during this period and the groundwater is flowing from the aquifers that will be impacted by the proposed Alpha Coal Mine and Kevin’s Corner Coal Mine.


Plate 1: Wednesday 13 July – Sump pump switched off, perimeter bore pumps remain operational

Plate 2: Wednesday 20 July – Perimeter bore pumps switched off
Plate 3: Wednesday 27 July – 1 week after perimeter bore pumps switched off

Plate 4: Tuesday 2 August - 2 weeks after perimeter bore pumps switched off