

EXPERIENCE GIDGEGANNUP INC.

The second Countryman Gidgegannup Small Farm Field Day will be held on Sunday 7th June, 2009. This is supported by about 40 local Clubs, Associations and Businesses.

We would also like to thank our sponsors, The Countryman, City of Swan, Port Bouvard and the EMRC. We would like to thank the City of Swan for entering into a Collaborative Grant with Experience Gidgegannup towards developing the Small Farm Field Day for the next three years to promote Gidgegannup and foster employment, tourism and the growth of business in this region.

The programme for the Small Farm Field Day is below please come along and support us. Feature speakers John Colwill and the Soil Sisters.

8.30 am	Bus departs Charcoal Lane Toodyay for Gidgegannup	
9.00 am	Small Farm Field Day opens.	
9.30	Talk On Wiltipoll Sheep	Livestock Pavilion
9.30-10.00	John Colwill (Magic of Mulch)	Port Bouvard Ltd. Sustainability Marquee
10.00	Buses leave for visits to Open Farms	Main Gate
10.00	Talk on Poultry Keeping	Poultry Shed
10.00	Talk by Susannah Brook Catchment Group	Ian Stannard Pavilion
10.15-10.45	Ross Mars (Water conservation technologies)	Port Bouvard ltd. Sustainability Marquee
10.30	Deputy Mayor of the City of Swan, Cr. Mel Congleton will open the Day	Bush Verandah
10.30	Talk on Llama Management G. Byrnes	Livestock Pavilion
11.00-11.30	Soil Sisters (Growing food)	Port Bouvard Ltd. Sustainability Marquee
11.00	Sheep Dog Trials	Arena
11.00	Bar Opens – Mucky Duck Bush Band	Bar Area
11.00	Talk by Wooroloo Brook LCDC	Ian Stannard Pavilion
11.00-3.00	Face Painting by Posh Chops	Lesser Hall
11.00-3.00	Crafty Creatures by Nearer to Nature	
	Interactive craft for children	Lesser Hall
11.00	Talk Alpacas for beginners – Dr. Antonia Bagshawe	Livestock Pavilion
11.30	Talk by the Dexter Association	Livestock Pavilion
12.00	Sheep Dog Trials	Arena
12.00	Buses leave for visits to Open Farms	Main Gates
12.00	Shearing Demonstration	Farriers Shed
12.00	Fashion Show	Bush Verandah
12.30-1.00	Ross Mars (Water conservation Technologies)	Port Bouvard Ltd. Sustainability Marquee
12.30	Talk/Hoof trimming Demonstration Boer Goats	Farriers Shed
12.00	Talk by Wildflower Society	Ian Stannard Pavilion

12.30	Talk by Lena Elliott (Best of Both Worlds - Living and Working on the Farm in Gidgegannup	Ian Stannard Pavilion
1.00pm	Sheepdog Trials	Arena
1.00 pm	Talk Alpaca Fleece – value adding at the Farm Gate Chris Pieterzek	Livestock Pavilion
1.30-2.00	Soil Sisters (Creating a habitat garden)	Port Bouvard Ltd. Sustainability Marquee
1.30	Talk by the Dexter Association	Livestock Pavilion
2.00	Sheepdog Trials	Arena
2.00	Buses leave for visits to Open Farms	Main Gate
2.00	Talk on Wiltipoll Sheep	Livestock Pavilion
2.00	Talk by David Cole of BRAG	Ian Stannard Pavilion
2.30	Llama Agility Display	Livestock Pavilion
3.00-3.30	John Colwill (getting the soil right)	Port Bouvard Ltd. Sustainability Marquee
3.00	Talk on Poultry Keeping	Poultry Shed
3.30	Talk/Hoof Trimming Demonstration Boer Goats	Farriers Shed
4.30	Bus departs Showgrounds for Toodyay	Main Gate
5.00pm	Close of Field Day	

Also Animal Petting Farm All Day and Fibre Display with Alpaca Spinners all day