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The Small Farm Field Day – Sunday 6th June, 2010. (Programme in Gidgegram)

This is the third Gidgegannup Small Farm Field Day. Gates Open at 9.00 am. Admission \$10 per adult – under 16 free. The Mayor of the City of Swan, Cr. Charlie Zannino will perform the Official Opening Ceremony at 10.00 am. This year the Alpaca Sale will be held on the day also the Dexter Association Show, the Boer Goats Breeders Association Show and the Bullsbrook Poultry Club Promotional Day and Sale.

There will be visits to the Open Farms the LLewta Dorper and Boer Goat Farm showcasing breeding goat and sheep meat livestock and the famous Auzzie Kid Mohair Products. Autumn Lane Alpaca Farm where you can see a working farm and meet the animals. Jim Dawson's Jujube and Fig Farm, Jim is a knowledgeable plantsman who shares his experience on growing and propagating these exotic fruit and nut trees. Transport to all farms is free to Field Day attendees.

Over at the Livestock centre there will be all the above animals plus llamas, several different breeds of sheep. There are Shearing displays and sheepdog displays. Talks on Animal husbandry and advice on caring for your own livestock throughout the day. The Department of Agriculture is there to provide advice on Small Block Landcare. There is also an animal petting farm.

Examples of value added goods will be in the Fibre Pavilion and a Fashion Parade in the Café Entertainment area will showcase some of these fabulous garments as well as garments from Horseland and local boutiques. Live spinning demonstrations are also in the Fibre Pavilion.

The Bush Verandah is the corner for local Growers and Producers and your chance to purchase some wonderful home grown produce.

The Food and wine pavilion offers many chances to sample the Olive Oil that is produced in Gidgegannup together with local and South West wineries.

The Café entertainment area will provide day long entertainment starting with Josephine and Goggles the Goose, Punch and Judy, Face painting, the Fashion Show and then the Mucky Duck Bush Band.

This area is surrounded with local volunteer groups providing fabulous food and our exhibitors with their great products.

The Sustainability Marquee features talks and question and answer sessions with the Garden Gurus and Ross Mars on all sorts of sustainability related topics in the garden.

Please do not forget all our exhibitors as well with their wonderful range of products for you to view and purchase.

A great day full of information and fun for everyone – come along and enjoy the day in the fabulous setting of Gidgegannup. For more information contact 9574 7065.