

News

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WELCOME TO THE SEPTEMBER 2016 TRARALGON FARMERS' MARKET

A brand new market !! No more wet feet for stallholders or customers. A happier market !!

Today there is a chance of a shower, light winds and temps from 7°C to 18°C - Winter's last gasp?

Have a good day - Fred & Geoff

CHANGES HAVE COME TO THE MARKET

Today is our first Market with the new plan and it has not come easy with many hours spent by Fred & Geoff trying to sort out everything from road closures to the new site layouts.

We think that we have it right, but there may be some teething problems. Please remember that it is the first market with our new layout and Fred & Geoff will work with you all to sort out any problems that may arise. Please talk to us if you have a problem.

These changes are coming at a cost to close off the road, signage, advertising etc., so, as advertised in the last Newsletter, stall fees rise an extra \$5 as from today - \$60 for powered sites, \$55 unpowered. The shortfall will be covered by Traralgon Lions Club.

Fred & Geoff will be discussing this and the lay out with you all during the course of the day.

Please remember that all Marquees are to be on the asphalt, not the grass, and that <u>you MUST have</u> <u>appropriate weights attached to your marquees to</u> <u>prevent accidents.</u>

DID YOU KNOW .. ?

Our website has a site map which tells you and your customers where you will be on the day.

We have it up-to-date by the Wednesday preceding the market, so when it doubt, check it out.

STREATRADER, THE HEALTH DEPT., ETC.

We had a visit from the Health Inspector at the last market and those of you who earned her attention know what you need to do to comply with local laws.

Start with Streatrader please! It's free and must be done to ensure compliance with State law.

There is every chance she will be back today, so please ensure you have all appropriate permits etc. on display where necessary and that any faults mentioned to you at the last market are fixed.

MARKET WEBSITE

A reminder to older stallholders and an invitation to newer ones:-

Our dedicated website is: www.traralgonfarmersmarket.org.au Check it out, particularly the entries under "Vendors".

If your details are there and need updating, please let Fred or Geoff know.

If you are not there, please grab Geoff to find out what you need to do to get your details on the site.

It's advertising and, best of all, it's FREE.

Reminder - Safety First at the Market

Got gas cooking? Have you checked the equipment including hoses and valves lately?

Electrical? Are cords in good condition and have they been tested and tagged recently?



Ad published in LV Express, 20 September 2016

Life would be infinitely happier if we were all born at the age of 80 and gradually approached 18.

Mark Twain



Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit; wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad.

Miles Kingston

Mistakes are proof that you are trying.

DATES TO REMEMBER



Saturday 24th September - Traralgon farmers Market NEW LOCATION

Saturday 22nd October - Traralgon Farmers Market

Saturday 26th November - Traralgon farmers Market



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THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

The pessimist sees difficulty in every opportunity. The optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty.

Winston Churchill



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