

Farmers Market


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Manager's moment...

Good morning everyone and welcome to market day!! 

Well, I made it in and out of Forbes without getting my feet wet, a few traffic diversions along the way, but overall not a bad trip.

Thank you to Nynka for holding the fort in my absence and pulling a full shift; the following day she nearly got crushed by her horse – not the best of weekends!!

Apparently it was a quiet day down in the kitchen area for the cooking demo; I guess the weather beat us again! Huge thanks to the following generous folks who contributed produce:

Auddino's Produce – blood orange/orange/mandarin juices

Rosa's Home Bake – gluten free puffed rice muesli

South Coast Cheese – olives

B & S Produce – radish, strawberries & red cabbage

Riverland Produce – fennel, broad beans

Dilliro Vegetables – baby carrots, string beans & eggplant

Thank you also (lots of thanks this week) to those stallholders who remembered the stall fee increase and adjusted their payments accordingly; I'm sure the rest of you will follow suit this week.

School holidays end this weekend and back to school for term 4, Xmas is on the way!!

Stallholder update: Absent this week are **Allan – Crafted3**, **Andre – Quinoa Catering**, **Tammy – CPS Canteens**, **Dennis – Orgazmo Smoked Foods**, **Oliver – Wicked Waffles** and **Ian – Alpine Nuts**; joining us for another monthly visit is **Donna – Claron Park**.

That's it from me this week, have a good one ☺

CMCA RV Mega Rally...

...Is happening today, hopefully it wasn't too painful for those of you who arrived on Friday; the campers will be encouraged to visit the market so it could prove to be another busy day with lots of new visitors ☺

Winners...

Peter & Caroline have just been awarded Gold and Silver medals at the Australian National Olive Oil competition;

Gold – Early Harvest Extra Virgin

Gold - Lemon/Myrtle Infused

Silver – Lime & Chill

Congratulations from all of us at CRFM!!

Xmas Trading...

Just for your information and future planning purposes; our last official Saturday market this year will be **17 December 2016**; we will return on **14 January 2017**. Once again, this is a long 4 week break so I have negotiated with Summernats to hold an afternoon market on **Thursday 22 December 2016**, from **3.00pm – 7.00pm**. I will request numbers of attendees later.

CRFM Gift Cards...

For those of you who may not know, we have gift cards available. Customers can purchase them and give to friends/family as presents. Occasionally, the committee donates them as auction items for fundraisers and they are also gifted to VIP visitors to enhance their market experience. If you are presented with one as payment for a purchase, you treat it as cash, and if the customer does not spend the full amount of the card, you give them change (to make up the value of the card); you then bring the gift card to me (or Nynka) and we will reimburse you with cash. They come in \$10, \$30 & \$50 denominations; please do not refuse them, they are a legitimate market promotional item.

60 seconds with...

Amanda Quinn – Cakes of Eden (formerly Patty's Patisserie)

How long have you been attending the market?

Several months' now

Why did you choose your career?

I've always wanted to be a Pastry Chef ever since I was a little kid; it's what I've always been good at.

Favourite Food?

Can never say no to a toffee apple – love them!

What or who are you most proud of?

I'm most proud of my little brother who studies advanced computing at ANU.

If you won the lottery, what would you do?

I would buy a big block of land and build a house on it, with a huge vegetable patch!

Who do you most admire?

My former boss Patricia Ortiz; she is a living legend!

Favourite music?

A song called "Out in the back" by Cosmo Jarvis

Bad habits?

Biting my nails when stressed



Guess... A doctor and a bus driver are both in love with the same woman, an attractive girl named Sarah. The bus driver had to go away on a long bus trip lasting 7 days; before he left, he gave Sarah seven apples. Why?

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