

Farmers Market

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Manager's moment...

Good morning everyone and welcome to market day!!

It's good to be back after a weekend away and thank you again to Nynka for taking charge; she had a bad fall from a horse so wasn't in the best shape—hooray for chiropractors and painkillers!!

We're back on the ABC 666 this week but over the phone and no visits to the studio anymore – not sure which is more stressful.....

Stallholder update: **Mayil – Crème n Sugar** is back after 2 weeks leave, and **Russell – Windellama Organics** is holidaying and will return on 7 May – enjoy!! **Eric – Dilliro Vegetables** returns after overseas travels catching up with family and hopefully is not too jetlagged ☺

Remember this is the Anzac Day long weekend, so spare a thought for those who gave their lives so we can enjoy ours – Lest we forget....



That's it from me, have a good one – Adrienne ☺

No Cash...

Just a timely reminder please now all the breaks and interruptions to the market are over for the year, to ensure your automatic EFT payment is re-set for weekly fees. We have been receiving a lot of cash payments over the last few weeks and as you know, this is no longer an accepted method of payment for security reasons. Thank you for your cooperation.

CRFM Signage Reminder...

Please be sure to use the **Producer** (Green Chook), **Agent** (Orange Chook) and **Organic/Biodynamic** (Maroon Chook) on applicable items so our customers know your product.

Slow down...

It has come to my attention that when entering and leaving the shed some of you are not observing the rules.... Your hazard warning lights should be on and your driving speed should be walking pace. Please remember there are a lot of you all trying to get in, unload/unpack and get set up for the morning as well as the "early bird" shoppers to consider so, **Slow Down** and proceed with caution and consideration for others – this will also reduce the risk of you hitting those new posts that EPIC have installed!!!

Do your bags comply?...

It is an offence in the ACT to use anything other than biodegradable bags, barrier bags or reusable bags. The rules in the ACT have been in force since November 2011 and are quite different from NSW. **Biodegradable** means the bag is fully **compostable** and meets **Australian Standard (AS) 4736-2006**. Plastic bags claiming to be "recycled" and/or "degradable" are not acceptable and do not meet the requirements. Further information can be found on the Access Canberra website – link below.

https://www.accesscanberra.act.gov.au/app/answers/detail/a_id/1316/~/-plastic-bag-ban

Fire Extinguishers & Blankets...

A timely reminder with winter just around the corner.... All heater appliances must have heat guards and caution signs – or be located well out of the reach of customers. Where gas appliances are used, stallholders are to provide their own firefighting equipment which, as a minimum, should comprise a powder ABE 2 kg fire extinguisher and fire blanket. You should also ensure all cables and power boards are checked and tagged.

Please Park Elsewhere...

All vehicles not parked on a stall site (stallholders and their staff) need to be outside the Market area in the general carpark. In particular, vehicles should **NOT BE PARKED** behind Warrens Fresh Seafood or against the park area fence where the new food cluster is. We need these areas to be a safe and open space not only for those stallholders sited there but also the extra pedestrian traffic shopping in that area. I realise a lot of vehicles have "crept" back in and I will be placing notes on your windscreens as from today; thanks for your cooperation.

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