



Heritage Roses in Australia

Perth Region

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Next Sunday the 28th August is our special Big Event Day

At Falls Farm, Cagney Way, Lesmurdie at 10.00am

**FRENCH PERFUME, CHINA TEA
And a Really Good Book**

AGENDA

9.45 am – Library Open

10am – Morning Tea

10.30am - Welcome

10.40-11.30am – Ailsa Allen
“Portland Roses”

11.40-12.30 – Di Durston
“Tea Roses”

12.40-1.30pm
Lunch/Gift Store/Library

1.40-2.20pm - Lynne Chapman
“Tea Roses, Old Roses for Warm Gardens”

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Call Jan Eastman for more details 0400013885

If you haven't put your name down to say you're coming – do it now!! (We need to know for catering purposes)

Phone Jan (m) 0400 013 885 or email her janeastman2@yahoo.com.au ASAP and let her know you will be coming – you're welcome to bring a friend with you.

The Gift shop and Library will be open at 9.45am. We have some lovely 'roses' themed cards, aprons, bags etc, - bring some extra money with you to purchase these delightful items!

The entry fee is \$5.00, the same as all meetings at Falls Farm – and please bring a plate of savoury, fruit or cheese platter to share at lunchtime –all to be finger food please. Tea/coffee and slices will also be served.

Morning tea will be provided on arrival.

We would appreciate it if you would wear your name badge.

A preview of the last meeting –

PRUNING AND SOUP DAY (LUNCH)

SATURDAY 30th JULY from 9.30am onwards

This did NOT eventuate on the 30th due to really inclement weather and an alternative day also did not happen due to rain, hail and wind.

Eventually a few people, namely Pauline Tonkin, Di and Lee Durston, Jos and Bob Henley and Jan Eastman braved the elements and have now completed the task. Pauline spent many hours there over the past month pruning a lot of the roses. Thank you so much everyone!!

GARDEN CLUBS AND SOCIETIES FAIR

We would appreciate it if you could volunteer to assist on our stall at the above Fair. The Fair is open on Saturday 10th September from 8.30am to 4.30pm and on Sunday 11th September from 9.00am to 2.00pm. It is always very popular with the general public and good exposure for us to inform people of the beauty and scent of old roses. There is free entry to the Fair for all volunteers, these vouchers are available to volunteers at the meeting on the 28th August. Please contact Gay by return email if you are able to assist. Thank you.

FUTURE EVENTS AND MEETINGS

Events and meetings that are to follow in the coming months and for you to write in your diary now. All meetings at Falls Farm will begin at 11.00am unless otherwise stated.

Sunday 28th August at 10.00am

Please see information on Page 1 of the newsletter

Saturday 10th & Sunday 11th September

Garden Clubs & Societies Fair. We would like members to assist on our stall (please keep in mind to volunteer. Free entry to all volunteers)
Saturday 10th: 8.30am to 4.30pm
Sunday 11th: 9.00am to 2.00pm
Entry: \$5.00

A Friday in late September/early October

Proposed Day Trip to Northam. Date to be confirmed

Saturday 8th & Sunday 9th, October

WA Rose Society Fair in South Perth. We would appreciate it if you are able to assist on our stall
Saturday 8th: 1.00pm to 5.00pm
Sunday 9th: 10.00am to 4.00pm
Entry: \$?

Sunday 23rd October at 2.00pm

Afternoon Tea in Jan's Rose Garden in Thornlie

Sunday 6th November at 11.00am

Talk on "Falls Farm History" by Pauline Tonkin

Sunday 4th December at 5.00pm

Our 'Christmas Sundowner' – Yet to be decided

Below are a few more events happening in and around Perth –

Friday 14th & Saturday 15th October

Kelmscott Agricultural Society Show
Rushton Park, River Road, Kelmscott
Fri. 4.00pm - 9.00pm Sat. 9.00am – 6.00pm

Saturday 22nd October

Geranium & Pelargonium Society Plant Sale
Cnr Stock & Kitchener Roads, Melville
9.00am to 12 noon.
Entry: \$2.00

Saturday 22nd October

Kalamunda & Districts Agricultural Society Show
Kalamunda Ag. Hall, Canning Road, Kalamunda
Time & Entry: ?

Thursday 27th to Sunday 30th October

Perth Garden and Outdoor Living Festival
Langley Park
10.00am to 4.00pm

Happy gardening,

The Committee



'The organization was formed to bring together people who love and collect old roses, the roses of antiquity and the survivors from Australian colonial gardens'