

THE UNSW STAFF SOCIAL CLUB
A DAY TRIP TO Yarramalong Valley
Sunday 27 February 2011

Approximate Itinerary

7.00 sharp	Leave UNSW (just inside Gate 14, Barker St)
9.00-11.00	Morning tea and guided tour of A Dozen Roses Farm
11.45-12.45	A Farm Tour of Cedar Park Lavender Farm
1.00-2.00	Lunch at the Yarramalong Manor
2.00-3.00	Yarramalong History Tour on board of our coach
3.15-4.30	Free time at Koorinya Park Gardens
5.40approx	Arrive UNSW

A Dozen Roses Farm – Morning Tea and Guided Tour of the Rose Farm

The hydroponic rose farm was established in January 2003. This is a 100% Australian family run business. We will be taken on a guided tour of this state-of-the-art high tech, hydroponic rose growing facility.

The tour will begin with a brief history on the background of the Mann family and the origins of A Dozen Roses. Then we are escorted through the two cultivation green houses where the hydroponic roses are grown. All rose varieties which they grow are displayed. The tour then takes a detailed view of the processing shed where the roses are prepared for bunching into dozens for sale. You will also have the opportunity to browse through the beautiful farm retail outlet where the roses can be purchased, or other memorabilia.

Morning tea will also be served.

Please wear comfortable clothing and sensible shoes as it can be hot touring a working hydroponic rose farm and green house.

Cedar Park Lavender Farm:

The farm has been established with an initial planting of 5000 Intermedia variety lavender plants and companion plantings of rosemary and more than 100 fragrant roses. Hydroponic lettuce and herb production and a small herd of beef cattle complete the picturesque location.

Cedar Park Lavender has been described by visitors as 'Provence in the Yarramalong Valley'. Cedar Park is the only lavender farm on the Central Coast. Stroll through thousands of fragrant lavender plants. Experience the aroma and ambience of the farm shed where lavender oil is distilled. Purchase lavender essential oil and skin care products. Learn about lavender – there will also be a demonstration of the oil distillation followed by a browse through the shop.

All guests (adults only) will receive a small sample bottle of lavender oil.

Yarramalong Manor – lunch:

The Manor offers the ultimate relaxation experience. A 2 course lunch with tea/coffee will be served. Following lunch a guide will take us on a history tour of the Yarramalong Valley region on board of our coach.

Koorinya Park Gardens – free time

Koorinya Park Gardens is situated high above the beautiful Yarramalong Valley with magnificent ocean views. The three acres of landscaped gardens have been awarded Wyong Shire and the Central Coast grand champion during the past 30 years of competition making it an ideal venue for weddings, special events, etc. There is a beautiful Bridal Arch, Gazebo with a bridge over the fish pond.

Cost including: transportation from and to UNSW, morning tea, Guided tour of A Dozen Roses Farm, A farm tour of Cedar Park Lavender Farm, lunch, history tour and visit to Koorinya Park Gardens:

Member (and one guest each at \$65): \$65;
Children 12 years and under: \$25 each;
Children 13-18 years: \$35 each;
Guests: \$75 each

Sorry no telephone bookings and no refunds. For any enquiries: please contact Nadia Withers, 9385-3652 or n.withers@unsw.edu.au - Deadline: Friday, 4th of February 2011.

To : Nadia Withers, School of Marketing, UNSW, Sydney NSW 2052

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Name: -----

School/Home Address: ----- Extn. No. -----

Email Address: ----- Mobile No./Home No.: -----

Special Dietary Requirements (if any): -----

----- places at \$65 each (max. 2 each at \$65)	\$-----
----- places at \$25 each (children 12 years and under)	\$-----
----- places at \$35 each (children 13-18 years)	\$-----

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<u>Total</u>	<u>\$-----</u>
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A cheque for \$----- made payable to The UNSW Staff Social Club is enclosed

(Cash OK by prior arrangement – to be hand-delivered – Quad Building, Room 3031B)