

THE UNSW STAFF SOCIAL CLUB
(www.staffsocial.unsw.edu.au)
Day Trip to visit GRACE SPRINGS FARM & WYUNA FARM
(including Pick-Your-Own Oranges)
Sunday 11 February 2018

PLEASE NOTE: MY NEW EMAIL ADDRESS;
NADIA.WITHERS@HOTMAIL.COM

Approximate Itinerary

8.30sharp	Leave UNSW (just outside Gate 14, Barker St)
10.00-12.00	Farm tour of Grace Springs Farm including morning tea (located at Kulnura NSW)
12.30-1.30	Lunch at Mangrove Mountain Memorial Club.
1.45-3.30	Farm Tour at Wyuna Farm and Pick-your-own oranges
5.30 Appox	Arrive UNSW

Kulnura is a suburb of the Central Coast region of New South Wales, located north of Mangrove Mountain along George Downes Drive. It is within Central Coast Council local government area. Kulnura's name is an Aboriginal word meaning "in sight of the sea" or "up in the clouds". It was named in 1914 by a meeting of the early pioneers Messrs Archibold, Collins, Gatley, Penn, Young, Williams and Gibson. Its population of approximately 600 people rely mostly on the town's fruit and cattle industries for income, however many commute to regional centres of Gosford, Wyong and even to Sydney for work. It is also home to the biggest catchment area on the Central Coast, Mangrove Creek Dam which has a capacity of 190 000 ML

Grace Springs Farm – Farm tour with morning tea



Grace Springs Farm is a very small family run farm on the NSW Central Coast. They produce grass fed and grass finished beef, pastured eggs, pastured chicken, pastured muscovy duck, vegetables, garlic, as well as honey. They move all of their animals onto fresh pasture on a regular basis, allowing the animals to express their natural behaviours. They farm without the use of chemicals. Their main aim is to model sustainable farming, always working to improve the health of the soil and the pastures. They believe that healthy soils = healthy pastures = healthy animals.

The tour starts off with a lovely homemade morning tea. We will then be taken around to see the ducks, chooks, cows, calves, beehives and market garden. They explain why they farm the way they do and what is involved in chemical free farming. This is an informative and interactive tour. We will have the opportunity to cuddle the chooks, pat the calf and taste different foods in season as we walk around.

Mangrove Mountain Memorial Club and Golf Course:



The Club is situated in Hallards Road, Central Mangrove, in the hinterland of the Central Coast. It boasts some of the finest views looking out over the Golf Course and surrounding countryside and on a clear day the white caps on the ocean can be seen.

Lunch will be served at the club – main, dessert, tea/coffee. Drinks at your own expense.

Wyuna Farm – Pick Your Own Oranges and Farm Experience :



People tell them they have the best oranges they have ever eaten. Is it the chicken manure or the fact they don't use chemical sprays on the trees? Could be a combination of the two, however they thought they would share the experience with others.

During the visit to Wilson's Wyuna Farms, we will hear about the history of this fourth generational farm and how it has evolved since Lorraine's father, Ray Walpole, settled here in 1935, aged 15. Or just chat with Rodger, Lorraine, Greg or Kate and pick your own oranges to take home.

You will be provided with a bag and you can fill it by picking up your own Summer Valencias oranges. (at no cost). If you wish to purchase more oranges then it would be at your own expense.

Cost including: transportation from and to UNSW, morning tea, farm tour at Grace Spring Farm, Visit to Wyuna Farm, pick-your-own oranges and lunch :

Member (and one guest each at \$55): \$55;
Children \$25 each;
Guests: \$65 each

Sorry no telephone bookings and no refunds.

For any enquiries: please contact Nadia Withers, 0410-669-567 Or nadia.withers@hotmail.com -

Deadline: Tuesday, 30/1/2018.

DATES FOR YOUR DAIRY: (dates may change without notice):

March.2018	Easter Show 23/3/18-3/4/18
	Sun 18/3/18 - Day Trip : Koorinya Garden and Amazement
April.2018	Sun 15/4/18 - Day Trip: Hunter Valley
	Wed 25/4/18 1.00 p.m. Mamma Mia : The Musical.
May.2018	Sun 27/5/18 - Day Trip: Blue Mountains
June.2018	Sun 17/6/17 - Day Trip: Ausn Pioneer Village & Mandarin Orchard
July.2018	Lunch Cruise
	Tue 3/7/18 7.00 p.m. - Priscilla
August.2018	AGM
	Sat 25/8/18 - 2.00 p.m. The Book of Mormons : The Musical
September.2018	To be advsied
October.2018	Sun 21/10/18 - Day Trip: Galston Spring Gardens
November.2018	Thurs 8/11/18 - 7.00 p.m. - Jersey Boys : The Musical
December.2018	Sat/Sun 8-9/12/2018 Cherry Picking week-end

To : Nadia Withers, 63 Jennings St., Matraville 2036
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Name: -----

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

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

Dietary Requirement (if any): -----

---- places at \$55 each (max. 2 each at \$55) \$-----
 ---- places at \$25 each \$-----
 ---- places at \$65 each \$-----

Total \$-----

A cheque for \$----- made payable to The UNSW Staff Social Club is enclosed

Bank Transfer OK – contact Nadia for details (nadia.withers@hotmail.com)