



FARMED RABBIT INDUSTRIES OF AUSTRALIA LTD
present:

**2008 National Field Day
Gourmet Rabbit &
Red Wine Day
25th October 2008**

**Kempsey Showground
19 Sea Street
Kempsey NSW 2440**

*Registration 8.30am
Formal Opening and Welcome 9.30am*

*\$30 per head for Non-members
\$15 per head for Members
Includes lunch, morning & afternoon tea*

To assist with catering book by 10th October 2008

*Guest Speaker
Dr Sandra Eady
Crusader Rabbits CSIRO*

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- 8.30am Registration
- 9.30am Mayor John Bowell - Kempsey Shire Council
Formal Opening and Welcome
- 9.35am Overview of Council requirements for rabbit farming
- 9.45am Daniel Brown—Growtec
What do I need to get into Rabbit Farming — Step by Step
- 10.15am Glen McNeil - Quality Australian Farmed Rabbits
Commercial Rabbit Farming Systems in Australia
- 10.45am Morning Tea
- 11.15am Dr Mark White - Allied Diagnostics
Animal health and wellbeing
- 11.45am Margaret James — Macleay Valley Rabbits
Market potential
- 12.00pm James Roberts - Chef
Nutritional info and overview of the farmed rabbit from a chefs perspective
- 12.30pm Gourmet lunch and wine tasting
- 1.50pm Stephen Keir- Akubra Hats
Rabbit pelts for hats
- 2.00pm Chris Bushell - Bushmin Farmed Rabbits
Boning Demonstration of farmed rabbits and overview of Value Adding
- 2.30pm Dr Sandra Eady - Crusader Rabbits CSIRO
Update on the farmed rabbit industry in Australia
- 3.00pm Allan Clarke - Border Range Rabbits
Waste Management and Renewable Energy
- 3.15pm Chris Bushell President FRIA
Thank you and conclusion THANK SPONSORS
- 3.30pm Afternoon tea

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