



Seymour Alternative Farming Expo

FRIDAY 19th FEBRUARY 2010 LECTURE & DEMONSTRATIONS

The Owner Builder—Building Seminars

10:00am - 10:45am	Construction Methods, Benefits and Properties of Insulated Concrete Forms
10:45am - 11:30am	Cordwood Masonry
11:30am - 12:15pm	Owner Building with Straw Bales
12:15pm - 1:00pm	Practical Building Tips to Avoid Building Problems.
1:00pm - 1:45pm	Energy Efficient Windows and Doors, Including Bush-fire Attack Levels and New Standards
1:45pm - 2:30pm	An Introduction to Straw Bale Building - Q & A Session
2:30pm - 3:15pm	Earth Building in Today's Environmental and Economic Climate
3:15pm - 4:00pm	Earth Sheltered Housing and Living Roofs

The Owner Builder - Demonstrations

10:00am - 10:45am	Cordwood Masonry Demonstration
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Agricultural Society Lectures

11.00am	Cattle Yards and Basic Handling
12.00pm	Vegetables and Fruit Production
1.00pm	Selling your Cattle - an Overview of Selling Strategies and Regulations
2.00pm	Pastures for Profit - Pasture Management to Optimize Returns
3.00pm	Cattle Health - A Hands-On Overview

Butcher's Shop & Country Chef Demonstrations

10:00am	<i>In the Butcher's Shop</i> Breaking Down a Lamb Carcass
11:00am	<i>Culinary Creations</i> A Fun Cook-Off where the Audience Decides the Winner
12:00pm	<i>In the Butcher's Shop</i> Breaking Down a Goat Carcass
1:00pm	<i>Making the Best of the Distinctive Flavour of Lamb</i> Great Lamb Recipes Including Creative Garnishes, Salads and Curries
2:00pm	<i>Making Sausages Using Trim</i> Creating Delicious Sausages Using the Trim from Meat Cuts
3:00 pm	<i>Chefs Special - Italian</i> Modern Presentations and Dishes

NMIT Seminar Series

11.00am	Adding Value to Farm Dams
12.00pm	Cattle for Small Holdings
1.00pm	Soil Biology - The Missing Link to Ongoing, Healthy, Productive and Profitable Growing
2.00pm	Choosing the Right Poultry Breed
3.00pm	Alternative Livestock Enterprises <i>Boer Goats & Dorper Sheep</i>

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