

# UPPER MURRAY AGRICULTURAL FIELD DAYS WEDNESDAY 12TH & Corryong Justralia

# THURSDAY 13TH APRIL 2023

## OLD CORRYONG CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL SITE Enter via Donaldson Street

**FEATURING** ~

TRADE EXHIBITORSWORKSHOPS, SPEAKERS, TRAINING SESSIONSSTALLHOLDERSSUPPORTING LOCAL BUSINESS AND THEIR SUPPLIERSDISPLAYSINDUSTRY PROFESSIONALSOPENING HOURS:9AM - 5PMWEDNESDAY 12TH APRIL

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WOODCHOP DEMONSTRATIONS RANGER NICK CAMP OVEN DEMONSTRATION BOOT THROWING COMPETITION LIVE PERFORMANCE - KEVIN SULLIVAN SHOW WARREN DAVIES THE UNBREAKABLE FARMER

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#### **ALL ENQUIRIES**

Man from Snowy River Bush Festival Field Days Office 50 Hanson Street, Corryong VIC 3707





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## WEDNESDAY 12TH & THURSDAY 13TH APRIL OPEN 9AM DAILY

### **Exhibitors** Open from 9am Daily

9.15am Wood Chop Demonstration

**9.45am** - Into Whos who in the Zoo-Love Life Marquee

- 10am Ranger Nick Camp Oven Cooking Show
- **10am Workshop** Silk Scarf/resin serving board the Hub
- 11am Drone Demo
- 11am Wood Chop Demonstration

#### 11.30am - Warren Davies -

The Unbreakable Farmer - on main stage

12 noon The Kevin Sullivan Show on stage.

1.15pm Ranger Nick Camp oven cooking show
2.15pm Wood Chop Demonstration
2.45pm Blundstone Boot Throwing Competition (Ag Ware house site)
3.15pm Ranger Nick Camp Oven Cooking Show
4.30pm Wood Chop Demonstration
Shuttle Bus from the camp grounds daily 8.50am

#### Agriculture leads the way



The Man From Snowy River Bush Festival (MFSRBF) will once again present the Upper Murray Agricultural Field Days which was successfully run last year and well supported by local and regional businesses.

There is plenty on offer throughout the two days with a great line up of exhibitors along with many services manning the Emergency Recovery Victoria (ERV) 'Love Life' marquee.

Entertainment will be provided daily including the Kevin Sullivan family show at lunch time, woodchop (four times per day), camp oven cooking demonstration with Ranger Nick (three shows throughout Wednesday and Thursday) and silk scarf and resin serving boards workshops.

A highlight of the Field Days will be the 'Love Life' wellbeing marquee.

Hosted by local suicide prevention networking group Thrive, the special guest will be Warren Davies, 'The Unbreakable Farmer' (above).

Warren is not your average farmer. There is more to him than meets the eye. His eventful life has tested his resilience, persistence and determination and has had a massive impact on his young family, relationships and finances.

Warren has become an inspiration to many farmers across the country. He will be speaking about his own mental health journey and how he overcame adversity.

Warren's authentic, inspiring and sometimes confronting presentations are filled with take home strategies developed from his business and life journey, that his audience can implement in their day-to-day life to overcome challenges or pick themselves up and keep moving forward.

His message is simple and so very important at a time when stress is seen as normal and depression is commonplace.

The Upper Murray Field Days will be located at the former Corryong Consolidated School site on the corner of Towong Road and Donaldson Street. The cost is \$5 per person including a raffle ticket.

A shuttle bus will run between the Field Days and bush festival grounds at the Corryong Recreation Reserve for the convenience of visitors.

The Field Days are an initiative supported by the bush festival and driven by Kiewa Mitta Murray Community Enterprises Limited (KMMCEL) Bendigo Bank and fellow sponsors McGregor Machinery, Zoetis, AgriWebb, HPV Plantations, Blundstone Boots and local street businesses.



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## Exhibitors

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The Unbreakable Farmer - Warren Davies - Guest Speaker Fly Gone - Full Cover Livestock Back Rubs, Trough Trailer, Hay Feeders and more.

Fantastic Products Aust - Leather mate Italian leather care + igadget store camera lens for mobile ph

Funky Trail-Hats Bush clothing & accessories

Gilmore Valley Grove - Extra Virgin olive oil table olives and black garlic

Lesley Heilikmann - Cotton attire, Hats Jewellery assorted

## Exhibitors

Kiewa Mitta Murray Community Enterprises Ltd - Bendigo Bank

Hutcheon & Pearce - John Deere Farm Machinery

Honey Fox Hats -Custom made handcrafted felt hats

Intersales Wodonga -Case MAXXUM 115 tractor with a challenge loader and a Horsch Avatar 4.16 disc seeder

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Natural Hand Knits -Hand made leather bags, wallet & belts Regional Ag & Construction- Bobcat, Toyota, Hino,VW, segway Rotor Solutions - Helicopter Ag Spraying, Seeding & Fertilizer Swan Build Modular Homes -Modular home builder over 35yrs in design & construction

**SW Diesel** -performance diesel chips improving performance & fuel economy of diesel engine.

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**QPL** - Aust White Breeds

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## Attack those weeds, moss and grime

If you have reluctantly been reaching for the chemical bottle to spray weeds forget about it.

There is now a very productive and long lasting organic weed control option on the market, developed right here in Australia by Weedtechnics.

They are exhibiting at The Upper Murray Agricultural Field days with their Green Ninja Satusteam<sup>™</sup> machine, a robust commercial grade mobile unit designed for multiple uses on rural properties. It's fast and effective on weeds and also brilliant for cleaning and sanitising horse floats, stables, paved areas and even bringing new life to weathered timber and buildings.

Horse owners are well aware of the importance of controlling weeds and avoiding the use of chemical herbicides that can affect the horse's digestive and immune systems. Flames, desiccant sprays and hand pulling are options but not as effective as Satusteam<sup>TM</sup>.

Managing Director, Jeremy Winer, describes Satusteam<sup>TM</sup> as "A mixture of saturated steam and boiling water delivered at low pressure and high temperature, at a volume that destroys all soft leaved and stemmed vegetation on contact".

The volume of the Satusteam<sup>™</sup> delivered allows for penetration of the heat into the subsurface growing point of the plant, which results in longer residual control than flame weeding or other desiccant organic herbicide weed killers.

Jeremy says "It's very satisfying, watching the weeds shrivel on contact!"

Being able to switch applicator heads and use the Green Ninja for cleaning and other uses provides customers with a quick return on investment.

Satusteam<sup>TM</sup> weeding is a safe process for use around horses, livestock and children.

"One of the main advantages of steam weeding is that it's a chemical-free proces," Jeremy says.

"Satusteam<sup>TM</sup> weeding eliminates the risk of exposure to harmful herbicides. It's a non-toxic process that doesn't introduce any toxins to the soil, sand or paved areas. This makes it a safe option for horse arenas and around the home where you want to eliminate possible exposure.

"Unlike chemical herbicides, steam weeding leaves no residues in the soil. All that is left on the ground is water and cooked weeds. There is no damages to surrounding plants because Satusteam weeding is a targeted process that only affects the weed it's applied to. You won't have to worry about spray drift or off target damage. It eliminates the risk of contamination of feed or water. It's even safe to use around bee hives.

"Satusteam steam weeding won't harm the soil, so you can be confident that when spot weeding in paddocks or controlling vegetation along the fence lines, in your orchard or vegie gardens, the soil health will be preserved. All you leave on the ground is desiccating weeds and some moisture.

"We observe a spike in soil organism activity after treatment that consumes the



dead weeds and incorporates them into your soil," Jeremy added.

"This is opposite of what we see with repeated chemical applications. It's a great tool in organic gardens and regenerative farming."

Satusteam<sup>TM</sup> is also super efficient at cleansing and cleaning as it uses low pressure and high temperature. Cleaning mossy paths, sanitising stables, removing cobwebs, cleaning and sanitising horse

floats are all easily done with Satusteam<sup>™</sup> with less water use, less mess and less cleanup and abrasion than a regular pressure washer.

Jeremy and his daughter Sid will be demonstrating the use of the Green Ninja at the The Upper Murray Agricultural Field days. Jeremy invites you to "come down, have a chat and experience the satisfaction of killing weeds and cleaning with Satusteam<sup>TM</sup> for yourself."



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ञी you see me at the field days, come & say g'day!

# A harmonious service with a shared goal

The sky is the limit for all things aerial application and the team at Rotor Solutions is reaching new heights with their new service on offer.

Rotor Solutions wants to ensure no weed is left behind. Commencing this autumn they will be offering agricultural application from drones.

Taking their experience, knowledge and skill into new a division of the business, Rotor Solutions' drones will be piloted by experienced agricultural helicopter pilots.

Drones have a place in agriculture in small and large farming situations, hill country to cropping and with a full service shop, Rotor Solutions have a solution for you.

"While we love how precise and accurate we can be with the helicopter

and have spent time and money investing in new technologies to ensure this is always the case, sometimes a buffer isn't close enough," said Monique Acton-Adams, General Manager.

"We are very much at a place now where trees need to be protected but also proper weed management doesn't leave large weedy clumps under trees. So many customers want under the trees sprayed right



up to the tree line and sometimes these areas are too tight for the helicopter or too risky."

Monique describes how the helicopter and the drone can work together or separately but the goal is that they will complement each other.

"The helicopter will come in and do as much of the spraying as is possible, such as the large open areas and the normal work it would do," she said. "The drone will then come in and clean up all those "too close' areas under trees, around sensitive areas and closer to the tight spots, like powerlines."

The drone can also be used for smaller jobs - jobs which are out on their own, jobs that require special decontamination or are too high risk for the helicopter.

With the passion for offering the same result driven service and the customer experience always priority, Rotor Solutions knows that the new service will be of benefit to many of their current, longstanding customers and hope it opens the door for new customers who may have shied away from aerial application in the past due to a fear of drift and bad aircraft control.

"We are adopting the same principles we use daily with helicopter application," Monique said.

"Ensuring correct spray mixes and ideal weather conditions, state of the art equipment with tools specifically designed for the task and using experienced staff who are trained above and beyond the industry standard ensuring the customer will get the best results possible."

Head on down to the Upper Murray Field Days and speak to the Rotor Solutions team about all your helicopter and drone requirements.





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