

MEDIA RELEASE:  
NETHERCOTE WINTER PRODUCE MARKET  
**SATURDAY 23 OCTOBER 2021 8AM TO NOON**  
NETHERCOTE HALL  
CNR NETHERCOTE AND BACK CREEK ROADS

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It's springtime and the famous Nethercote Produce Market is back again to awaken food lovers from their winter hibernation. On Saturday 23 October we will be bringing our community together with fresh local produce in a laid back country atmosphere.

In season will be avocados, beetroot, broadbeans, capsicums, daikon radish, garlic, hazelnuts, herbs, lettuce, lemons, mandarins, onions, oranges, parsley, potatoes, rhubarb, rocket, silverbeet, snowpeas, spring onions and sweet potatoes.

There will be loads of cheese, honey, jams and pickles, ferments and delicious fresh baked goods, grass fed beef and lamb, oysters, sauces, chilli products and bread, all produced on Nethercote's doorstep.

If you have some fresh home produce to sell, but not enough for a stall of your own, you can sell it through the market's Growers' Stall. Drop your produce off to Nethercote Hall between 3pm and 4pm on Friday afternoon the day before the market, or before 8am on market day.

The Nethercote Produce Market donates a large portion of its profits to a worthy local food related cause, which you can support by buying your morning cuppa from the morning tea stall, fruit and veges from the Growers' Stall or raffle tickets for the bumper market hamper that contains samples of delicious goodies from each of the stallholders.

Enjoy your shopping experience to the sound of live music from Red Heart Blue and Friends.

To keep everyone COVID-safe, market goers need to check in using the COVID safe app, sanitise, follow the signs and move through as quickly as possible, socially distance and wear a mask indoors. Customers are asked to provide exact change where possible to reduce cash handling, as most stalls do not have EFTPOS. All stalls will be either inside the hall or outside on the northside to allow everyone to spread out. If you're staying for morning tea, please use the seats on the beautiful deck on the south side of the hall to avoid crowding near the entrance.

The Nethercote Produce Market is run on the 4th Saturday of January, April, July and October by volunteers and they are always happy to hear from people who'd like to help set up, wash dishes (there is a dishwasher!), serve morning tea or pack up. Contact Michelle on 0400 341282 if you can lend a hand.

The market opens at 8 am for the early birds and closes at 12 noon just after the mega produce hamper raffle draw.

More details can be found at [www.nethercoteproducemarket.com](http://www.nethercoteproducemarket.com) or find them on Facebook @nethercoteproducemarket.

[See also separate image files attached to email]



Nethercote Produce Market happens just four times a year, on the 4th Saturday of January, April, July and October. Enjoy a plunger coffee with freshly made cake from the morning tea stall or a sausage sanga from the Nethercote Residents Association BBQ, accompanied by live local music (Supplied: Nethercote Produce Market)



The Nethercote Produce Market specialises in locally grown produce. (Supplied: Nethercote Produce Market)

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