



AUGUST *diary*

#stayhome
#staysafe
#staypositive

OPENING HOURS

Mon to Fri 8am - 5pm
Saturday 9am - 2pm
Sunday **CLOSED**
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NEW PRODUCT

pisces nutra squeeze

It is so important to feed your fish with the best quality feed, Nutra squeeze is a premium frozen fish food formulated by marine biologists as a complete daily diet for your aquatic pets. The Nutra Squeeze is organic and can be easily proportioned for accurate daily feeding using the easy squeeze tube. A good rule of thumb is to give your fish no more food than they will consume in less than five minutes. When in doubt, underfeed. You can always give them another small feeding if necessary. If you feed your fish cheap, inadequate food, they will need to be fed a large quantity of this poor quality food. Some people think that fish are always hungry because they are begging for food. This may indicate they are not getting proper nutrition. The Nutra-Squeeze is made with quality fresh fish, vegetables, and added multivitamins, minerals, and probiotics, There is no need to defrost the feed either as it can be squeezed directly from the freezer, keeping your hands clean. Available for goldfish, tropical, and turtles, and also suitable for shrimp, axolotl, and crayfish.



Whats happening this month...

Are we still open?

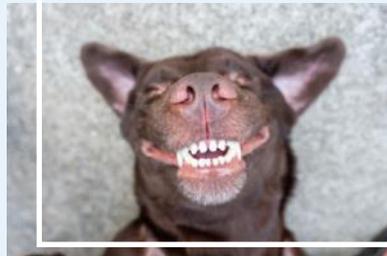
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PET DENTAL MONTH

August is Pet Dental Month we are encouraging local pet owners to take an active role in keeping their pets teeth and gums healthy. According to the latest studies, dental disease is one of the most frequently diagnosed health problems for our pets. By the age of two, 80% of dogs and 70% of cats have some form of dental disease. Pets can't brush their own teeth, but pet owners can help to protect their pets from dental disease by combining a good dental homecare program, with regular dental examinations, dental chews, and a complete and balanced clinically proven dental food. The Whimzees daily dental treat toothbrushes are a great way to fight tartar, reduce plaque and freshen your



dogs breath. The importance of looking after your dog's teeth is critical not just to their oral health but to their total wellbeing. Left untreated, dental disease can cause not just tooth loss and severe pain but also systemic health issues such as heart, kidney and liver disease.



smoochies

Smoochies, your crunchy baked heart-shaped biscuits, made from the freshest wholesome



Love it first-try taste **SUPER TASTY**
Dilutely all-natural gourmet flavor **FENUGREEK**
Comely selected wholesome Aussie produce **NUTRITIOUS**

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GET 1 FREE

*sale ends August 31

August in the Garden



anemones
asters
banksia
cordifolium
daffodils

WHAT'S IN FLOWER

- Capsicum
- Parsnips
- Parsley
- Garlic
- Radish
- Broad beans
- Snow peas
- Silver beet
- Spinach
- Cabbage
- Turnip
- Onion
- Potato
- Rhubarb
- Beetroot
- Dill
- Leek
- Asparagus

What to plant

JOBS TO DO

- ⊗ Pruning, especially apricots and other deciduous trees.
- ⊗ Weeding and preparation of garden beds, propagation of plants to be put into spring gardens.
- ⊗ If you're planning on putting in some tomatoes next month, prepare your garden beds now. Do this by applying some organic compost, chook poo, a little water and apply some mulch—your tomatoes will thank you for it

faecal egg count

Grazing animals in Australia are rarely free of worm infection, though effects on stock health and productivity vary widely. Clinical effects of enteric parasitism include ill thrift, diarrhoea, anaemia, and death in severe cases. The degree of damage is influenced by the numbers and identities of the parasites present, host age, immunity, general health, and nutrition. Faecal egg counts test your horses manure to determine what kind of parasites are present and whether the infection is light, moderate, or heavy. Results are usually expressed as eggs per gram or manure. For optimal results, a FEC should take place 14 days after worming your horse. However, you may also like to perform a FEC prior to worming to evaluate the effectiveness of your ongoing worming program is. We provide free testing kits that are to be sent to the vet for a small vet fee. With the results we will advise to an appropriate worming product as well as developing specific worming strategies.

RESULT	FEC	RISK	COMMENTS
Low	Less than 200	Negligible	No need to worm your horse as this is an acceptable egg count.
Moderate	200 - 500	Small risk	Your horse has a burden of worms and you should consider treating. There is a small risk of worm associated disease.
High	More than 500	High risk	Your horse has a high worm burden. Treatment should be administered to reduce the risk of worm associated disease.



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Hello All...

We know there has been a lot of questions about our availability and if we will still be trading once stage 4 restrictions kick in tomorrow... So, here's a little Q & A for you.

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How will Drive through service change?

To enter our Drive through you will be going through reverse (Don't worry you will be well directed by signage). Once you have entered our Drive through it is requested that you do not exit your vehicle and our Drive through staff will assist you with your order. Once your order has been fulfilled and you need to pay for your order at one of our multiple Points of Sale, then only 1 person from each vehicle can exit and this includes children. You MUST be wearing a mask or face covering to exit your vehicle (This is our Store policy upon entry)

How will Call and Collect orders work?

You will be able to call us on (03) 5941 1844, place and pay for your order over the phone. Your order will then be available to collect from our designated Prepaid order Collection point at out near our Hayshed and Yard Office.

How does Our Delivery service work?

Did you know that we offer **FREE LOCAL DELIVERY?**

Let us deliver your goods to your door, with FREE delivery service for orders over \$25 to Pakenham Township (3810) or Outside this area we can offer delivery service for orders over \$100 on scheduled delivery days for that area. If you need an order urgently a small delivery fee will apply.

Get all your stock feed, farming supplies, pet supplies and rural fencing equipment delivered by our fleet of utes & trucks right to your door or worksite! *(Some Conditions apply)

*Our Regular Weekly scheduled delivery days are as follows

Monday: Local Pakenham, Nar Nar Goon, Toomuc Valley

Tuesday: Officer, Berwick, Clyde, Cranbourne.

Wednesday: Warragul, Darnum, Nerrim, Labertouche, Tonimbuk and along Princes highway

Thursday: Kooweerup and Surrounds and a fortnightly Phillip Island Run

Friday: Pakenham, Upper, Gembrook, Cockatoo, Macclesfield and Upper Beaconsfield

Orders need to be received up to close of business the day prior to enable picking & packing of all orders and loading of trucks.

** We deliver to all other areas for a small fee based on quantity ordered and Km's travelled, please call to discuss your needs.

**All deliveries of fencing products, timber, wire, Bulky Items such as Round Bales or otherwise will incur a \$30 delivery fee due to the manual handling, weight and extra safety precautions required for such products.

"For All Your Animals Needs!"