

Special points
of interest:

- Cape Weed can be dangerous to stock!
- The Prince and the Microbiologist.
- Meeting with the tin man and two tin dogs!
- Not all Compost is compost!

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Announcing!! #1 Issue of Farming Secrets Digest

Welcome to our first ever **Farming Secrets Digest!** We are really excited to bring this monthly newsletter to you.

Regular segments will include: **“Weed of a month”** where we will be focusing on a weed and what use it is. We will also be featuring the **Hot Topic** as found at

www.farmingsecrets.com/members/forum. This month we discuss: What is Compost? The use of which is rapidly gaining in popularity.

We hope you enjoy what we have to offer you and would greatly appreciate letters about what you liked/disliked or what you would like to see here in the future.

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Farming Secrets is a Membership Club which brings the network of knowledge, experts and farmers to your door via DVDs, CDs and the internet. Some of the experts we work with include: Dr. Elaine Ingham, Dr. Maarten Stapper, Jerry Brunetti, Dr

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Guess who called upon one of our experts?



Dr. Elaine Ingham meets HRH Prince Charles and discusses the importance of soil life education and the dangers of GMO .

HRH and Dr Ingham had a brief discussion about the importance of people needing to understand the balances of bacteria, fungi, protozoa, nematodes, micro arthropods, insects, etc, and the harmony that must be supported in soil in order to have healthy food.

Dr Ingham fully supports Prince Charles' clear and unequivocal stand against the dangers of the inadequate testing of Genetically Engineered Organisms (GEOs) on their effects on balance and life in the soil.

Compost and compost teas are rapidly gaining popularity and Elaine's course (P2) is a must to understand the soil biology.

Trecking around with Hugo and Helen

Dubbo and Beyond

On the 22nd of October, we left for Dubbo, NSW in order to meet some of the most innovative minds in farming. On the way a tin man and his tin dog caught our eye so we stopped to



Tin Man @ Mirrool

have a gander and spotted a sign “Welcome to Mirrool, Home of the Silo Kick, Population 21”. There was a huge pub and some huge silos which are the challenge for all footballers who enter the annual competition to kick a football over them. The silos had won some years but we noted the 1st to win was Billy-Brownless, a well known exGeelong Player and TV personality.



Yes, we did meet up with the farmers including Colin Seis, the father of pasture cropping, Craig Carter, a student of Peter Andrews, Geoff Brown who is resisting BHP mining his farm !!, and his neighbour Cam McKel-

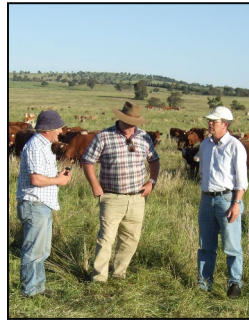
lar whose cropping rates are staggering. Two of the farmers we also met in NSW were Angus Maurice and Eric Harvey whom we met up again at the Stipa Conference @Horsham, where they were ad-



Angus Maurice



Mark Orchard & Joey at Stipa



Graeme Hand, Eric Harvey and Maarten

dressing the farmers. Graeme Hand, CEO organised this conference on native grasses. Graeme is a trainer of holistic management working with 100’s of farmers each year. We look forward to sharing the day with you.



Eric finds a new organic hair replacement for Gerhard Grasser who found the Stipa conference was hair raising!

Compost Making @de Bortoli Vineyards, Dixons Creek



Rob Sutherland & Hugo check the temperature

We were invited to film at de Bortoli’s vineyard to record the start of their venture in making compost for the whole of their operation. We will follow each step of the way.



Rob and the compost aerator. Want to see it in action? Go to our blog at: <http://farmingsecrets-blog.com>

Harvesting @ Wyalkatchem,

Last July we met Ian and Dianne Haggerty at the Nutrisoil day and were extremely impressed with their cropping results in Western Australia.. So when we were heading to Perth we went to their farm to see and hear for ourselves more of their farming successes. They are doing really well despite tough times due to their knowledge of the soil life and use of composts, compost teas and Nutrisoil. Can’t wait to share more with you!



Matthew, Ian and Dianne in wheat paddock



Wheels of Progress, Wyalkatchem



Tin Dog at Dowerin. A reminder of mining.

Hugh Level @ Darnum

Last week Hugh Level and Brett Sanders (See below) arrived at our place to stay when Hugh talked to the Vic. Organic Dairy Farmers Assoc.



Hugh is FULL of information and will be back for a 2 day workshop next year. We’ve some great footage for our new DVD coming up.



Hugh Level & the atmosphere reorganizer

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