



## Heritage Roses in Australia

Perth Region

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The rainy days are continuing which is wonderful, interspersed with some lovely warm weather. May it continue for a while as rainwater is so much better for the plants than tap water.

Our next meeting is **next Sunday the 15<sup>th</sup> September at 11.00am** –

**SUNDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER at 11.00am**  
**At Falls Farm, Cagney Way, Lesmurdie**

**'ROSES OF LONDON and ITALY'**

**By**

**JANET ROWE and JAN EASTMAN**

**(Lunch to follow)**

The Talk encompasses the roses of London and then onto beautiful roses in the different Italian regions. It is always a joy to see old roses that we unfortunately here in Perth are unable to grow, so come and take in the beauty of them through a Powerpoint presentation by both Janet and Jan with interesting information on the gardens themselves and the people involved with those gardens.

Please bring a plate of food to share at lunch.

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### **NEW HRiA PERTH NAME TAGS**

Don't forget to collect your new name tag, available from Melisa at the September meeting – they are so much better than the previous ones!

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### **SPRINGTIME OVERNIGHT TRIP DOWN SOUTH in NOVEMBER**

The opportunity to go on this trip has closed and the cost will be sent to you shortly with details of our bank to make your payment to prior to the trip.

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## FUNDRAISER – OPEN GARDEN

### JAN EASTMAN'S GARDEN

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October



This year as something different Jan's garden will be open to the public to raise money for HRiA Perth.

On the day we will require volunteers to assist with various activities (admission, teas, stall, etc. ). A roster will be circulated so that you can put your name down where you would like to be involved.

Jan has the recipes for the cakes that we will be providing at Morning and Afternoon teas. If you would like to bake a cake (or two) – just let Jan know and she will forward you the recipe/s.

We would also like to have "rose themed" items to sell and would appreciate it if you, our members, could contribute – i.e. rose petal jams, strike roses and companion plants to sell, cards etc.

Now is the time to start thinking about (and doing) what you think are good ideas to contribute. Maybe you have a good idea but can't 'do' what you're thinking of, suggest it anyway and perhaps another person is able to do it.

If you have any suggestions, please contact Jan [perthregionhria@gmail.com](mailto:perthregionhria@gmail.com)

It was decided at the recent Committee meeting that gate takings will be divided 50/50 between Cancer Research and the Perth region. Entry to the garden will be \$5.00. All other takings, Morning/Afternoon teas, sales etc. will be for HRiA Perth.

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## **A REVIEW OF OUR AUGUST MEETING 'Talking About Heritage Roses'**

It was great to once again see so many members (and visitors) at our August meeting – a round table discussion on Heritage Roses growing at Falls Farm.

Thank you to those who spent the time 'exploring' their chosen heritage rose and giving everyone the information, sometimes humorous, of their choice. After each talk there was discussion with everyone joining in. It was amazing how much we all learned that day.

The roses discussed were: Agnes Smith, Cornelia, Souvenir St. Anne's, Lady Hillingdon, Mrs B R Cant, Drumond, Mrs Herbert Stevens, Lamarque, Verchinbleau, Le Vesue, Banksia Lutea.



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## **GARDEN CLUBS & SOCIETIES FAIR in SOUTH PERTH**

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September**

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to help at the Fair this coming weekend. It is very much appreciated.

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## WA ROSE SOCIETY SPRING FAIR

At South Perth Civic Centre

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October

Yes, we are again calling for volunteers. This time to help at the WA Rose Society Fair.

It would be very much appreciated if you could help and would also be nice to see some new faces on our stall. Nothing to be concerned about as there is always someone to help. If you are available to help, could you please contact Janet Rowe (0400 450 331) or email [jrowe3@bigpond.net.au](mailto:jrowe3@bigpond.net.au)

Please do Not reply to me as I will be in Sydney.

**SATURDAY 12<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2024**

TIME	NAME	PHONE NO.
1.00PM TO 3.00 PM		
3.00PM TO 5.00PM		

**SUNDAY 13th OCTOBER 2024**

TIME	NAME	PHONE NO.
10.00AM TO 12NOON		
12.00NOON TO 2.00PM		

2.00PM TO 4.00PM		

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### PERTH HRIA EVENTS AND MEETINGS FOR 2024

All meetings will be at Falls Farm and begin at 11.00am unless otherwise stated.

There is a charge of \$5.00 entry at all meetings, unless otherwise stated.

- Saturday 7<sup>th</sup>/Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September** Garden Clubs and Societies Fair - Volunteers required
- Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September** 'Roses of Italy and London' Talk by Jan Eastman & Janet Rowe
- Saturday 12<sup>th</sup>/Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October** WA Rose Society Spring Fair – Volunteers required
- Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October** Visit to Kate Walker's garden in Brookton (drive yourself). More details later
- Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October** Fundraiser 'Open Garden' at Jan Eastman's garden
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>/Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November** Overnight Trip down South visiting Gardens.
- Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December** Lunch – Christmas Celebration – The Boat Shed, South Perth - more details later

Kind regards,

The Committee

