



COUNTRY SHOWS  
AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES COUNCIL  
OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

# NEWSLETTER

August 2010

## brief news from the Secretariat

The 2010 Royal Adelaide Show is fast approaching! Please find below information that is of relevance to Show Societies:

- **2010 ANNUAL SHOW PRESENTATION DINNER**

The 2010 Annual Show Presentation Dinner incorporating the Rural Ambassador Award will be held at the Grand Chifley Adelaide on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September at 7:00pm for 7:30pm. You are encouraged to attend this event and support the 2010 Rural Ambassador State Finalists and the Agricultural Societies Council of SA. Enclosed with this newsletter is a Dinner Booking Form. All bookings must be received by Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> August.

- **2010 RURAL AMBASSADOR STATE FINALISTS**

The 2010 Rural Ambassador State Finalists are now preparing for their Royal Adelaide Show experience, starting with their presentation at the Annual Show Presentation Dinner on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September. The finalists will spend 3 days "behind the scenes" at the Royal Adelaide Show followed by an interview with the judging panel on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> September, and will be joined by 2009 Miss Queensland Showgirl Aimee Davina, and 2010 Young Rural Ambassador William Denholm. The State winner will be announced on the Tuesday evening at a special presentation dinner. The 2010 Rural Ambassador State Finalists are:

Tanya Edwards	Central
Carly Boon	South East & Border
Amanda Kroehn	South East & Border
Taryn Mangelsdorf	Murray Lands
Aisha Hargraves	Northern
Jess Ruciack	Northern
Camilla Hardy	Southern
Tim Moyle	Eyre Peninsula

The Agricultural Societies Council of SA Inc wishes the State Finalists the best of luck!

- **STATE FINAL COMPETITIONS – ROYAL ADELAIDE SHOW**

Judging of the **Rich Fruit Cake Championship and Genoa Cake State Final** will take place on Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2010 in the Goyder Mezzanine in conjunction with **the Laucke/CWA Scone Competition State Final**. Joyce Fendler will be guest judge for the Rich Fruit & Genoa Cake, with Margaret Hurst and Darren Curnow judging the best **sweet** variation in the Scone State Final.

The **Aussie Post Box Competition** will be judged by Australia Post representatives also on Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2010.

Make sure you make an effort to visit the Fruit Cake, Scone and Post Box displays at the 2010 Royal Adelaide Show and check out the State winners for 2010.

### Upcoming Show Dates

#### August

14	Crystal Brook (Nth Wstn)
15	Port Lincoln
21-22	Kadina
21-22	Whyalla
28-29	Gawler

**2010 Royal Adelaide Show**  
3 - 11 September



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- **YELLOW BRICK ROAD – VOLUNTEERS**

Volunteers are required to assist on the Yellow Brick Road stand at the Royal Adelaide Show. If you are interested in spending a few hours, or a whole day helping run the stand please contact Malcolm on (08) 8210 5230, or Bob Rankin on (08) 8667 5238.

- **FRUIT CAKE & SCONE COMPETITION PRODUCT HAMPERS**

Sunbeam & Laucke Flour have now delivered product to the Rural Services Office for the 2010/2011 Semi Finals. If you are hosting a Rich Fruit Cake, Genoa Cake or Scone Competition semi final for 2010/2011, please contact Malcolm on (08) 8210 5230 to arrange collection of your product hamper.

Note: Scone Competition hampers are only available for Spring shows. Fresh product for Autumn shows will be received just prior to the Autumn Show season.

- **2010 SYMPOSIUM REPORT**

A report on the 2010 Symposium will feature in the next newsletter to be published after the Royal Adelaide Show. This newsletter will feature a series of reports and results from the Show, as well as information and notes from the Country Shows Symposium held in July.

- **2010 YOUNG RURAL AMBASSADOR ANNOUNCED**

The 2010 Young Rural Ambassador State Final was held on Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> July where William Denholm, Kapunda, was announced the 2010 Young Rural Ambassador. Attached is a copy of the media release from the State Final for your information.



2010 YRA State Finalists: Back row (L-R): Mitch Schultz (Central), Bryce Breed (Eyre Peninsula), Kieran Wandel (Southern), Luke Zimmermann (Murray Lands), William Denholm (Kapunda). Front row: Alana Nagel (Yorke Peninsula), Megan Weston (Northern), Candy Obst (SE & Border), Cherie Johnson (SE & Border).



2010 Young Rural Ambassador winner William Denholm and runner up Cherie Johnson.



From left: Malcolm Buckby (Secretary), Kate Grivell and Daniel Richardson (JLT – sponsor), Keith & Ann Colyer, and Helen & Grant Waterman (President) at the YRA Dinner.



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