

MEDIA RELEASE

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Canberra's newest markets strike the perfect balance

Canberra is a city of market lovers. There's (almost) nothing more relaxing than browsing stalls to find 'that perfect gift', tucking into freshly cooked Lebanese wraps or tapping along to live music.

Canberra's newest markets, the South Canberra Community Markets, set in the relaxing foothills of the Brindabellas, strikes the right balance to suit all market lovers. Throw in face painting, goats, buggy rides and tractor photos, and you'll keep the kids happy too!

There's a wide variety of stalls including organic teas, Barista-made coffees, framed photo prints, garden art, 3D collectibles, wooden home décor, and plenty of art and craft.

And for those who love supporting a local cause, the markets have you covered. Besides supporting local businesses, the South Canberra Community Markets is raising money and awareness to help Lions Youth Haven and Galilee School continue supporting Canberra's disadvantaged youth to re-engage in their education and find success in life.

The next markets are on **Saturday 1 February 2025**, from 10.00am - 2.30pm at Westwood Farm, 244 Kambah Pool Road, Kambah (opposite the Murrumbidgee Golf Club).

Gold coin donations are welcome on entry. If you'd like to further support Lions Youth Haven or Galilee School, eftpos facilities will be available.

Find out more

<https://www.commsatwork.org/galilee-school/south-markets/>

Available for interview /news bite

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ABOUT THE ORGANISERS

Galilee School – an alternative path to success

<https://www.commsatwork.org/services/community/galilee-school-canberra/>

Lions Youth Haven - youth support programs

<https://lyh.org.au/westwood-farm/>

SHORT VERSION

(for news bite or online short article)

Who doesn't love a good community market?! With great stalls, delicious food, live music, and a relaxing rural atmosphere, the South Canberra Community Markets is the perfect retail therapy. Throw in face painting, free farm buggy rides and tractor photos, and the kids will love it too!

Next market: Saturday 1 February 2025, from 10.00am - 2.30pm.

Where: Westwood Farm, 244 Kambah Pool Road, Kambah. (opposite Murrumbidgee Golf Club).

This market supports Galilee School and Lions Youth Haven in helping some of Canberra's most disadvantaged youth to re-engage in their education and find success in life. It's held on the first Saturday of most months.

Find out more:

<https://www.commsatwork.org/galilee-school/south-markets/>

Visit comms at work dot org and search 'South Canberra Community Markets'.

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