



NZ Murray Grey Society

Celebration of 50 years of Murray Greys in NZ

NZ Murray Grey Society are celebrating 50 years in NZ and to mark this achievement are planning several events from June 24 until Friday 26 June in Canterbury with Christchurch being the main base for activities.

We are organising the following activities and events:

WEDNESDAY 24 JUNE

AGM to be held at Rosebank Winery starting at 10:30am. This will be followed by a buffet lunch.

After lunch we will visit Bruce Blacks farm at Clifton Downs in North Canterbury

THURSDAY 25 JUNE

All day trip to Roger and Nicki Beattie's property on Banks Peninsula.

In the evening we will hold a celebration dinner at Rosebank Winery with a guest speaker.

Auction – During the evening we will have an auction of various items and all proceeds from this will go towards the Youth Exchange we have with Australia.

FRIDAY 26 JUNE

The morning is free for you to explore Christchurch's attractions. Or you may wish to visit a local Murray Grey breeder Ross Hayes or George Climo.

1:00 pm We will all join together for a farewell lunch at the Botanic Gardens.

ACCOMMODATION

Suggestion - There is a small motel complex next to Rosebank Winery called Chardonnay Motor Lodge. This is close to Christchurch Airport.

ONLINE STOCK SALE

The Murray Grey Council have decided to run an online stock sale in conjunction with the 50 years celebration. The sale will be run by StockX. Cattle to be auctioned will be featured on the website from Wednesday 24 June until Sunday 28th June. Bidding will close at 8pm.

Any member wishing to enter stock please contact either:

STOCKX

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TORRISDALE MURRAY GREY STUD

Female Sale

Auction to be held on property,
263 McFetridge Road, Oreti, Southland.

Starting 3.00pm,
Thursday 26 March 2020

15 x R2yr heifers and 25 x mixed aged cows
will be available for inspection from 2.00pm on sale day.

All the females on offer have been:

- PTIC
- BVD vaccinated.
- Tb Tested.
- Vaccinated with 7:1
- Carcass scanned and performance recorded.

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CONTACT ME

To help with planning and bookings we need to have some idea of numbers. If you are interested in attending the 50 years of Murray Greys celebration please email me ggclimo@farmside.co.nz. A full schedule of activities and costs will be posted on the website shortly along with the booking sheet for activities.

The Society will also have memorabilia items celebrating 50 years of MG's available for purchase. We are thinking of having coffee mugs, hats, wine glasses. More information will be available soon.

This will be a great celebration and we would love to see as many of you as possible, as well as past members, to attend.

If anyone has photos, memorabilia or anything of interest regarding the history of the Murray Grey Society we would love you to share that with us.

George Climo

President- NZ Murray Grey Beef Cattle Society (Inc)