



Day 1

There will be a full day of discussion and pig handling demonstrations along with a farm tour to discuss issues such as fencing, water, housing, feeding, farrowing, land management and much more.

We will also cover legal requirements for owning and selling pigs and marketing options for your free range pig farming business.

Day 2

This is a very hands on day that will cover all aspects of moving and handling pigs, inspecting and assessing health and well-being, carrying out vaccinations, health treatments and elective husbandry procedures.

A workshop notebook will be provided say you wont forget any of the important issues addressed on the day.

Lunch and morning and afternoon tea are provided.

To book:

Go to the website and click the link on the first page or go to the Events section.

You can register online.

For more info phone 0265 627318

PayPal, Credit Card, Direct Deposit or cheque accepted.

Limited spaces so book early!

Price: \$550

(Kempsey \$495)

2 Day Free Range Pig Management & Handling Course

This course is run over two consecutive days and combines the Introduction to free range pig farming and the Advance Handling courses.

A certificate 'Free Range Pig Management and Handling' is issued by Humane Farm Management on satisfactory completion of this course should you wish to complete all assessment tasks.

You can opt to just attend the days without committing to any examinations but you will not receive a certificate.

On completion of this course you will be able to:

Comply with Industry Animal Welfare Requirements:

- Apply animal welfare practices
- Comply with standard operating procedures
- Report problems that affect animal welfare

Care For Health and Welfare of Pigs:

- Monitor and assess livestock health and welfare
- Provide an optimal environment for livestock
- Establish and maintain housing hygiene
- Administer medication to livestock
- Remove non-viable livestock
- Keep and maintain records

Administer Medications to Animals

- Prepare to administer medication
- Administer medicine
- Complete administration activities

Move and Handle Pigs

- Control and direct pigs
- Restrain pigs
- Weigh/Condition score pigs

Euthanase Livestock

On the second day of this workshop you will have the opportunity to herd pigs from the paddock, yard them, assess health, weight and readiness for market, and prepare pigs for sale. You will also be able to vaccinate and administer treatments.

