

‘Narnu Farm’ wins the 2006 South Australian Tourism Award for Standard Accommodation



Saturday Night - 11th November was South Australia's tourism night of nights, showcasing over a hundred tourism award nominees in 29 categories, a brilliant blend of South Australia's fabulous tourism operators representing a wealth of awesome products the state has to offer. We were simply overwhelmed to walk away with an award and are still pinching ourselves to believe it all!

A Bit of a Background



We took over Narnu Farm a little over 3 years ago and have been working hard ever since to rejuvenate our Hindmarsh Island property, which has been renowned by school children for generations over the past 28 years. Fresh out of our Eco-Tourism degree at Flinders University (where we met) we were keen to get our hands dirty and put our degree to work - we travelled Australia searching for a business idea or a niche to begin our dream of running our own business. We returned home less than 1 year from graduating, only 22 years old and discovered 'Narnu' on the Market - Through a lot of determination, plenty of hard work, some huge learning curves and a firmly held dream; we have managed to create a 'family getaway' that we are just so very proud of!

Cheers Everyone



Having grown up in Strathalbyn myself and Sarah having a holiday shack in Goolwa her whole life; we have always felt like 'locals', but the support we have received from local businesses, organizations, Fleurieu Peninsula Tourism, our Parents and other locals has been overwhelming in our short history here on the Island. In our 1st year entering the awards we are just 'stoked' to have been honoured with an award and would like to thank the South Australian Tourism Commission, **all of our customers**, our staff, our parents and everyone who's given us a 'leg up' along the way. We also can't forget our beautiful family of horses and friendly farm animals that make Narnu so special.

Kindest Regards,

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