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Pure Ingredients,
Pure Style, Pure Taste.

What is Organic?

Certified Organic products are grown and processed without the use of synthetic chemicals, fertilisers, or GMOs. It is an innovative method of farming and production – and is increasingly being recognised as being on the leading edge of food and fibre technology into the future.

Organics is not just chemical free by testing. It is about the way your food is grown and handled. The whole system is linked - Soil. Plants. Animals. Food. People. Environment.

Standards to achieve this are internationally recognised, and are assured through annual audits of all certified operators by an independent third party auditor.

Why Choose Certified Organic?

The only way customers can be assured that they are purchasing REAL ORGANIC products, produced without the use of synthetic chemicals and GMO's, is to purchase products which have been organically certified with AUSTRALIAN CERTIFIED ORGANIC - NOW THAT'S CONFIDENCE.

The Natural Green Chemistry Company (NGCco) seeks to start a green revolution in the beauty care industry. After all, what good is radiant skin if there isn't a planet on which to flaunt it? NGCco products are based on the concept of using 'whole' natural ingredients, offering Certified Organic or Plant Based skincare and following green-chemistry principles where technologies allow.

Furthermore, NGCco supports Australian organic farming, mainstream farming and manufacture wherever possible. 10 cents from every purchase go to Cancer Council NSW.

The Natural Green Chemistry Company vigorously supports greenhouse gas reduction and is a certified carbon neutral business. NGCco offsets all emissions with carbon credits from both Australia and New Zealand, investing in wind power and forest carbon sinks. Karma never felt (or looked) so good!

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Eco-Celebrities offer Australians an Organic Experience Your Organic Experience Weekend Summary

Friday 5th March to Sunday 7th March 2010
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Certified Organic skin care the Natural Green Chemistry Company along with yoga to the stars, Charlotte Dodson, invite you and your friends to experience a revolution in health retreats.

Located in the haven of the Blue Mountains, Your Organic Experience is exactly that, YOUR time to encounter a refreshing weekend of organic living.

Your weekend will take an organic holistic approach led by experts and celebrities devoted to an eco-sustainable and organic lifestyle.

Choose how you spend your time and attend as much or as little as you please from our all-inclusive timetable, which will include:

- * Yoga with Miranda Kerr's personal yoga instructor Charlotte Dodson (suitable for all levels)
- * Hands-on and entertaining workshops with Aromatherapy Specialist Yvonne Gemmell, Founder of Natural Green Chemistry Company
- * Learn from celebrity model, actress and dedicated organic vegetarian chef Annalise Braakensiek
- * Interactive organic cooking class (suitable for all levels)
- * Sessions with Shiatsu Therapist, Renee Zamel (suitable for all levels)
- * Entertainment by special guests and international musicians, Nadav Kahn and George Byrne
- * Performance by acclaimed choral singer Rachel Hore with local choir VoiceWorks
- * Inspirational selected movies
- * Local bush walks
- * Hot tub....and much more...

Every guest will also receive **\$500 worth of complimentary Natural Green Chemistry Company skin care products**, tailored to your individual skincare type.

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WHEN: Friday 5th March (arrive mid-afternoon) to Sunday 7th March (depart mid-afternoon)

WHERE: Old Leura Dairy, Blue Mountains, a luxury eco-haven, much built from recycled materials.

ACCOMMODATION: Please visit www.oldleurdairy.com.au

COSTS: Total cost per person (twin/ couple share): \$1,195 excl GST

COST INCLUDES: All accommodation, organic meals, organic juices, organic wine, beer and champagne, all timetable activities, entertainment. Plus use of yoga mats, rice eye bags & organic blankets.

TRANSPORT: The retreat does encourage Car Pool to reduce carbon emissions and this option is offered when booking.

Allows up to 30 guests. To book online or for more information:

<http://www.oldleurdairy.com.au/NGCco/Retreat.html>

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Where;



In the beautiful town of Leura, World Heritage Blue Mountains, lies this quaint Award Winning Eco-Tourism luxury group of cottages, each with their different style, character and quiriness.

- Our goal is for our guests to leave taking "something" with them; an experience, a memory, an inspiration, a dream.
- As seen in Australian House & Garden, Sydney Morning Herald - 3 times including "The Best Picks", UK's Independent on Sunday Magazine.
- Featured on Foxtel Lifestyle Channel and "Getaway"
- Winner Eco Tourism Award and Winner Unique Accommodation
- Judges Award for Most Outstanding Contribution to Western Sydney Tourism by a Small Business
- Highly Commended for Environmental Management
- Finalist in Tourism NSW Awards for Unique Accommodation

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A stance against city grime

Yogi to the stars, Charlotte Dodson, and Natural Green Chemistry Company are launching an initiative to educate city professionals on how to counteract the fumes of the city with a weekend retreat on organic living. www.oldleurdairy.com. Picture: CHRIS PAVLICH

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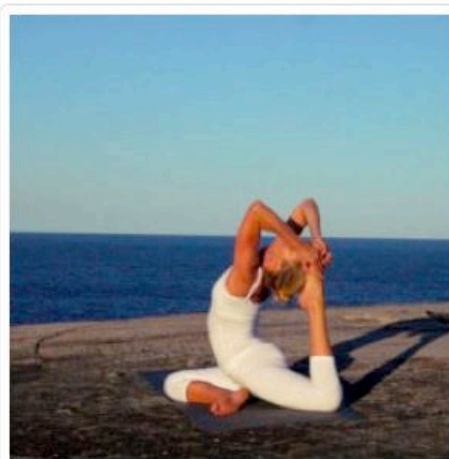
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Organically yours

Your organic experience weekend

Garbage in = garbage out. Despite agreeing with such sentiment, your body is somewhat a wasteland.

Sign yourself up (and convince your friend most in need) for "[Your Organic Experience](#)", a weekend-long wellbeing retreat led by experts and devotees to an organic lifestyle.

The Old Leura Dairy, surrounded by crisp Blue Mountains air will be your home-stay. This indulgent ecohaven, previously a fully working Dairy farm, is built mostly from recycled materials.

Be inspired to make healthy choices in your day-to-day. Through a pick-and-choose timetable that features yoga classes led by Miranda Kerr's personal instructor, Charlotte Dodson, interactive organic cooking classes with Annalise Braakensiek and Shiatsu massages under the deft and therapeutic digits of Renee Zamel.

Get hands-on with [NGCco founder Yvonne Gemmell](#) in her aromatherapy and skin care workshop. Go for a long bush walk in the surrounds or relax with a performance by acclaimed musicians including choral singer Rachel Hore.

Repeat after me: My body is my temple.

[Your Organic Experience](#)

Old Leura Dairy

61 Kings Road, Leura, Blue Mountains 2780

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*\$2,629 per twin/couple share **

*Includes all accommodation, organic meals, organic juices, organic wine, beer and champagne, all timetable activities, entertainment, plus use of yoga mats, rice eye bags and organic blankets.

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Your Experts



Yvonne Gemmell, Founder and Chairperson, Natural Green Chemistry Company. Following 13 years of study in aromatherapy and the chemistry of cosmetics, being one of a handful of certified organic processors of skin care in Australia. At 68 years of age, Yvonne proves it's never too late to follow one's dreams. Yvonne, who was raised on a vertically integrated farm and taught at an early age by her Grandmother that nature is the best chemist for everything, has endured serious life-long allergies from synthetic products. Only after using natural home-developed products did her allergies improve. In 2008, after being diagnosed with breast cancer, the side effects of chemotherapy on her skin and nails made Yvonne experiment with making serums using oils and extracts with synergistic properties. The results prompted Yvonne to research the new Australian native essential oils and extracts and incorporate them into a complete skincare range. Overseeing a team of qualified aromatherapists, agricultural scientist and formulating chemists, Yvonne's dream came into fruition with the birth of the NGCco certified organic beauty range. Yvonne received her organic certification in December 2008 after an exhaustive audit into her Personal ethics, processes and record keeping. All her ingredients, labels and packaging have been approved by the (ACO), and, impressively, Yvonne can trace all her ingredients back to their source; wherever in the world that may be.

Annalise Braakensiek, NGCco Spokesperson, is an advocate for a healthy and organic lifestyle, a supporter for animal welfare, and an Accomplished organic vegetarian cook; undoubtedly there is more to Annalise's beauty and intellect than meets the eye. Renowned for her model and acting career, Annalise's true passion in life is her belief in healthy living, which stemmed from an early age growing up on a biodynamic farm. "My mother has exceptionally green fingers, so pesticide free, delicious fresh produce was in abundance for me to cook with from an early age." Annalise is also an outspoken supporter for animal welfare, and continues to be involved with People for Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) and the Humane Society International (HSI). She is also penning her own cookbook with recipes she picked up from her extensive global travels; the majority of which she has adapted to organic, low fat, meat free versions available through www.LoveLunch.com.au. All the taste but no guilt! "And of course lots of love, always my main ingredient," says Annalise. Her belief in a healthy lifestyle is syndicate to NGCco due to the formulation efficacy and performance, as well as the brand positioning to help reduce the environment impact.



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Charlotte Dodson, NGCco Brand Ambassador, Yoga to the Stars, found the love for yoga literally by accident. After a weekend away, Charlotte broke her arm surfing and it changed her life positively. Charlotte is a Certified Yoga Teacher who has been practicing and teaching yoga for over 9 years in London, India, New York and Sydney.

Charlotte brings a wealth of experience to every class having practiced; Hatha, Ashtanga and Kundalini yoga with master teachers across four continents. Working to develop sincerity and mindfulness in her students, Charlotte's creative classes are light, playful and uplifting. She encourages individuals to find their own meaning in their practice; to accept, trust and believe in themselves.

Charlotte, teaches yoga to many stars of sport, the big screen and business. Her one-on-one sessions are booked by models, actors, film directors, TV entertainers, sportsman and influential professionals. Along with her private A list clientele she keeps her projects diverse to stay inspirational and spread the word of positivity.

'Be true to yourself and become that which you are', this phrase govern Charlotte Dodson's teaching practice. This approach has hit a chord with top supermodel Miranda Kerr, who cited Charlotte Dodson as her favourite teacher. *"With yoga I believe it's really important who you have as a teacher, to me Charlotte is the best - her energy is really grounding and nurturing, it has become a part of my life,"* says Miranda Kerr.



Renee Zamel, Shiatsu Therapist & Teacher for "Self Shiatsu for Meridian and Organ Health".

Renee first experienced the healing benefits of massage therapy at a young age and has since devoted much of her adult life participating in the beauty behind many healing modalities and massage styles.

Obtaining her Diploma in Shiatsu and Oriental Therapies in Melbourne, Renee most recently trained with renowned Shiatsu Masters and natural healers in Sydney. She continues to work at Natures Health Practice along with continuous appearances at high end luxury spas and resorts worldwide, including yearly consultation visits at the luxury Chiva Som resort in Asia.

Renee uses the language of touch to express an evolutionary treatment in Shiatsu Therapy. Her compassion and intuitive nature enables the receiver to release both physical and emotional tension and activates the body's ability for self healing and regeneration.

Renee teaches awareness about the daily stresses and psychological patterns manifest in the body and her in-depth knowledge and insights help all to strengthen, regulate and empower all to lead a fuller and more joyful life.

Charlotte Dodson
yoga



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George Byrne is a musician who writes lovely tunes - some quiet some loud, some slow some fast. Some people say the music could be described as 'Pink Floyd Americana' and others say it's nothing of the sort. In any case it's melodic and of high quality. His first (and only) LP 'Foreign Water' was released to critical acclaim in Australia, UK and most recently the US.

Described as "A stunning debut of quietly beautiful songs" (Kathy McCabe, Daily Telegraph), 'Foreign Water' first got the attention of UK MOJO (No 1 New Release Playlist) and then Tori Amos, who invited George to tour with her around Australia. Since then George has showcased SxSW, toured Australia & Europe (with Jason Molina and LIOR) and most recently returned to NYC & LA for a 12 show run in conjunction with his records US release. George has recently returned from NYC where he has been working on pre-production for his 2nd studio record.



In 2000, **Nadav Kahn** was a founding member of art rock band GELBISON, releasing two critically acclaimed records, "1704" and "See The World" (2004) with Virgin/Emi. Since 2005, Nadav has collaborated with various artists in Australia and abroad, including Nations by the River and Operation Aloha. In 2006, Nadav and his brother formed The Kahn Brothers and released Love Melts Fear, their debut record. For the past few years, Nadav has split his time between Los Angeles and Sydney, recording, performing, and collaborating with artists in the US, Europe, Israel, India and Australia. In 2009, Nadav won an APRA Music Award for song of the year in the blues and roots category for co-writing & producing the Old Man River song "Sunshine". Nadav is currently working on a solo album and several other projects.

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Rachel Hore, A much sought after teacher of choral singing, Rachel has been performing and teaching throughout Australia and internationally for over 15 years. From Canberra to Kalgoorlie, Burnie to Brisbane and beyond, Rachel has mentored hundreds of singers in community choirs.

A graduate of the NSW Conservatorium of Music, Rachel began her singing career with the highly acclaimed Australian vocal quartet 'Arramaieda', who became an important influence on the now flourishing choral scene in Australia, with their original music and arrangements.

Rachel has conducted the 450 voice Woodford Folk Festival 'Fire Choir' (2005, 06), the Melbourne Millennium Chorus (2005), the Blue Mountains Concert for Peace with 400 Primary school children, and the Wintermagic Festival Big Sing, live -to -air on ABC radio (2005)

Rachel is coordinator and tutor at the annual choral music camps Wintersong NSW (2000-2007) and the Italian choral retreats Singing in Tuscany (2004) and Singing in Siena (2005). Other recent teaching and performance events include Singing in Paradise (Savu Savu Fiji), The Femme Funk Festival (New Caledonia), The Denmark Festival of Voice (2004), Rhythmsong W.A. (2002, 03, 07), Dayelsford Singers Festival (VIC), Hastings Choral Festival (N.S.W 2004, 06), The Tasmanian Acappella Festival and Courageous Conversations Conference (QLD), You're the Voice Children's Choral Festival (2006, 07).

Rachel has travelled several times to Western Australia, setting up music workshops in remote communities for young aboriginal women. She is currently musical director of two community choirs in the Blue Mountains, NSW, Voiceworks and ROC.