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## **Support the organisation that support farmers – Join today!**

NSW Farmers' Association has launched its 2010 Field Day Membership Special at Gunnedah's Ag Quip.

NSW Farmers' Association President Charles Armstrong has issued a call to all farmers in NSW who are not members to join today and help strengthen the voice of agriculture in NSW, with nothing to pay until January 2011.

"There are many challenges ahead for farmers that the Association is working on including the protection of property rights, Murray Darling Basin Plan, native vegetation to mining, and regardless of what we produce or where we live, we need strength in numbers to overcome these hurdles," Mr Armstrong said.

"As today's launch demonstrates, one of the major priorities for our Association moving forward is Membership and we are asking all of our current Members to help us in encouraging other farmers to join our Association.

"With a State Election looming, we will make sure all key decision makers understand what is happening in rural areas and respond accordingly.

"With each new Member, our lobbying power grows, allowing us to build a stronger and brighter future for agriculture in NSW," Mr Armstrong said.

All Association Members who refer a new Member will receive an extra three months added to their Membership when they renew at no extra cost, meaning Members will receive 15 months of Membership for the cost of 12.

"New Members who sign up during this period will not have to pay until January 2011, so if they join today, they will have 4 months free membership," Mr Armstrong said.

This membership offer runs from today until Friday 19 November 2010. For more information regarding this special offer, farmers can contact the NSW Farmers' Association Member Service Centre by phoning 1300 794 000.

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