

# ...Karen Goldie



- Treasurer and valued Member of the Hawkesbury Harvest Team. Karen was raised and educated in the Penrith district, earning a scholarship with Price Waterhouse Chartered Accountants when in Yr 12. She went on to complete a Bachelor of Commerce, majoring in Accounting and sub majoring in Law at the University of Western Sydney - Nepean. Whilst working at Price Waterhouse Karen met Scott a fellow accountant. Karen & Scott were married in the Ebenezer Uniting Church with their reception being at Riverside Oaks. Their love affair with the Hawkesbury was beginning to unfold and they purchased their first home on Bowen Mountain.

Karen decided on a change from accounting and studied a Diploma in Events Planning at Blue Mountains TAFE embarking on another career.

Now Scott has his own business erecting rural fences and Karen is a Sales Representative with Elders Limited, in the Merchandise section of the Windsor branch. Karen has the pleasure of serving many Hawkesbury Harvest members at Elders and welcomes others to come and see her. She is now accredited to take soil samples, provides support to the store's Agronomists and is a valued member of the Elders team.

Karen's financial background has been essential in Hawkesbury Harvest gaining a strong foundation from which to work and grow. She has an ongoing involvement in our Farmers Markets at Castle Hill and has managed to establish - The Canine Café selling home-baked "muzzle watering" dog treats! Karen & Scott Goldie have turned their hobby of making and baking food and treats for their dogs into a viable business selling gourmet dog treats.

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WELCOMES  
COMMUNITY  
SUPPORT!**

Over these past months Hawkesbury Harvest has seen increasing interests in the organisation, by the local business community and in particular those in associated industries. Such businesses include heritage, culture, art, accommodation, finance and education.

This prompted us to form an Associate Member category "Friend of Hawkesbury Harvest" to accommodate businesses that see the benefits related to Sydney's evolving food culture, the value of sustainable agriculture, the importance of tourism and the ever growing awareness of Hawkesbury Harvest and it's Members.

**ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP** is open to businesses across the 3 shires ie: Hawkesbury, Hornsby and Baulkham Hills for \$50.00 plus GST. We assist these Members to be recognised within their community as supporters of the Harvest, by the display of logo within their premises.

Hawkesbury Harvest is proud of its place in the community and would always welcome your company's support as an associate member.

**For further information enquiries please call 0409 229 373 or drop a line to P.O. Box 447, Windsor, NSW 2756.**