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At the Clevedon Showground
Monument Road, Clevedon

Locals and visitors can enjoy a leisurely stroll around more than twenty market stalls at the Clevedon Village Farmers' Market on Sunday mornings.

The market had its debut on the 20th of November 2005, the day went off with out a hitch due to the commitment of vendors and locals who pitched in to help set up early in the morning. Shoppers where impressed by the many unusual and delicious treats on display. Along with preserves, pesto, fruit, vegetables, bread, baking, nuts, chocolates, wine, sausages, paella, crepes, plants, flowers and eggs; two large speckled roosters and two fluffy black hens changed hands. Children where not left out as they delighted in rides on the ponies from the Clevedon Animal Farm.

The market was an instant success with local shoppers; people loved the variety and quality of produce and made the most of the opportunity to catch up with friends and neighbours in the markets relaxed and attractive setting.

The advantage of being able to sample produce and talk directly to the producer was clearly reflected in the demand, vendors where sold out or frantically restocking by 10.30 am.

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The market has struck a chord with local producers and opened with a wonderful selection of produce reared, grown, caught or made in Clevedon and the surrounding region.

Over 20 vendors of fresh produce and specialty goods offered plenty to tempt local shoppers and food lovers. The advantage of buying from the source was the indisputable freshness of the produce. Over the coming months consumers will find a seasonal array of delicious spray free, organic and non organic fruit and vegetables, gluten free baking, specialty meats, game and fish, wine, handmade cakes, cheese, plants and cut flowers, chocolate, nuts, heirloom seeds, preserves and much more.

With the addition of awnings to shade shoppers and produce, Clevedon Farmers' Market has been designed as an informal market square. Two huge weeping willows invite shoppers to stop for a chat and a superb cup of coffee. The adjacent stockyards may provide the opportunity for sales of small stock, pony rides on fine days and the exhibition of rare or unusual breeds.

Given Clevedon's growing reputation as a producer of boutique food and wine the Farmers' Market offers a showcase for local producers, a regular source of income and a unique marketing opportunity.

Clevedon's accessibility as a rural destination also means the market has already proved popular with visitors to the area – with positive consequences for local business, farmers and growers and cottage industries.

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