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## **Wow, who's a big boy now!!!**

What to get a six year old pig is the thought on everyone's mind at Willowmavin's Edgar's Mission Farm Sanctuary at the moment. As their eponymous porcine fast approaches his sixth birthday, gift suggestions are proving a little tricky. After all what does one get a pig who has everything?

"Six years ago I would never have thought I would be where I am today" said the founder of Edgar's Mission and Edgar's biggest fan, Pam Ahern. "but then that was before I met Edgar..."

Edgar Alan Pig, the formidable gentlemanly fellow that he is, is certainly responsible for much. His picture has appeared in leading newspapers around the country, being photographed with movie stars and politicians and he has even been seen to kiss elderly ladies and small children. He has inspired a legacy of other ambassador pigs championing for change. Pam's love of Edgar has seen her give up full time employment and devote her life to the protection of animals just like him. All this adding a distinctive air to this once pint sized porker's CV.

"I would like to extend a warm invitation to animal lovers everywhere to join us all here at Edgar's Mission Farm Sanctuary on Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup> for our Compassion-art Festival as we celebrate Edgar's sixth birthday. There will be heaps of fun things to do and see, and best of all the day is free!"

For more information go to [www.edgarsmission.org.au](http://www.edgarsmission.org.au) or contact Pam Ahern on 0408 397 301. Submissions of artwork most welcome

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**"If we could live happy and healthy lives without harming others... why wouldn't we?"**