

Smart Management

Wednesday 23 May 2012: Havelock North Community Centre, Te Mata Rd

08:00	Registration			
08:45	Welcome		Dan Bloomer	Programme and house keeping
08:50	Platinum Sponsors		EIT and CASE	Introductions
09:00	Farming within limits		Hugh Ritchie	Chairman's Intro
09:20	UK Experiences - farming within limits		James Peck by skype	Intro to UK farming regulations that limit environmental effects
09:40	Progress at the Land and Water Forum		Alastair Bisley	Implications for farming
10:00	HBRC perspectives		Andrew Newman Hawke's Bay Regional Council	Setting Limits Implications for regulation and education
10:20	Trade Display Introductions			60 second introductions
10:30	Morning tea		Sponsored by Apatu Farms	
11:00	Ensuring Good Irrigation: Industry initiatives		Paul Reese Irrigation NZ	INZ Codes and accreditations, Audited Self-management, Benchmarking
11:20	Measure or (which) model to set limits & monitor achievement		Val Snow AgResearch	Options, strengths and weaknesses.
11:40	NZ GAP		Matt Dolan NZ GAP	role in making good practice normal practice
12:00	Spatially distributed experimentation		Rob Bramley CSIRO, Adelaide	GPS and monitoring for improved on-farm decision making
12:20	Gold Sponsors			Introductions
12:30	Lunch		Sponsored by McCain Foods	
13:00	Strategy for understanding farm variability		Tim Neale precisionagriculture.com.au	The basis of site specific management
13:20	Crop variability		Bruce Searle Plant & Food Research	
13:40	Beer and Wine don't mix		Rob Bramley CSIRO, Adelaide	Mixing drinks: scoping the opportunity for selective harvesting of grains
14:00	UAVs potential to aid research and management		Ian Yule, Massey University Centre for Precision Agriculture	Eye in the sky hexacopter
14:20	LandWISE AGM			
15:00	Afternoon Tea		Sponsored by Ballance Agri-Nutrients	
15:30	Complete Solution- connecting you & your farm for the future		Royce Bell John Deere Australia	A solution case study
15:50	What's happening where?		Tim Neale	Advances in geospatial location Future telemetry
16:10	GIS 101: Electronic map jargon		Matt Flowerday GPS-It	Points, lines, polygons and surfaces Projections and coordinates
16:30	Farming in the Cloud		Ben Jones, PA Source	Future of web-based applications PA Source - an example web tool
17:00	Happy Hour			
18:30			Heinz-Watties Conference Dinner	