



PROGRAM 9.00am – 5.30pm | Friday 23 July 2021 | The Tramsheds, Launceston

8.30am Registration desk opens, tea and coffee available

9.00am Proceedings commence

Session 1: Welcome		<i>Chair: Iain Bruce, Red Meat Updates Working Group</i>
Welcome – Iain Bruce, Chair, Red Meat Updates Working Group		
Welcome address – Jane Weatherly, CEO of Integrity Systems, Meat and Livestock Australia, Sydney NSW		

Session 2: Red Meat Champions		<i>Chair: Richard Ellis, Red Meat Updates Working Group</i>
Rabobank Industry Innovator: Future proofing our workforce – it’s everyone’s role – Clare Peltzer, Logan, Evandale TAS		
Newton & Henry Gate to Plate: Avoiding the saleyards – lessons learnt from direct marketing – Guy Robertson, Mount Gnomon Farms, Penguin TAS		
Angus Australia Emerging Leader: Competing as a young farmer – Stafford Ives-Heres, Shanford Park Estate, Marrawah, TAS		

10:35am – 11.10am Morning tea

Session 3: Sheep Updates <i>Chair: Phil Jarvie, Zoetis</i>	Beef updates <i>Chair: Frank Archer, Landfall Angus</i>
Confinement feeding for increased production – Tom Sweeney, Jigsaw Farms, VIC	Where do trace elements fit in beef production systems? – John Webb-Ware, Mackinnon Project, Melbourne VIC
Using individual animal management to maximise profit and efficiency – George Nichols, Nutrien Ag Solutions, Lachlan TAS	Prioritising investment in beef businesses – Hilary Bunny, Aggregate Consulting, Wagga Wagga NSW
Carcass monitoring in processing plants & what this means for lamb suppliers – Dr Bruce Jackson, Veterinary Consultant, Hobart TAS	Fodder beet as a feedbase tool – Frank Archer, Landfall Angus, Dilston TAS

Session 4: Profitable Futures	<i>Chair: Courtney Ramsey, Red Meat Updates Working Group</i>
Business analysis for better decision making – David McLean, Resource Consulting Services, Yeppoon QLD	

1.20pm – 2.20pm Lunch

Session 5: Irrigated Pasture Updates <i>Chair: David Squibb, PGG Wrightson Seeds</i>	Dryland Pasture Updates <i>Chair: Tim Pepper, Barenbrug</i>
The costs associated with compromising perennial pastures – Basil Doonan, Pinion Advisory, Devonport TAS	Promoting productivity and persistence in dryland pastures – Jason Lynch, Pinion Advisory, Devonport TAS
Worm management for sheep and cattle under irrigation – John Webb-Ware, MacKinnon Project, Melbourne VIC	Getting your grasses rooted for the long run – David McLean, Resource Consulting Services, Yeppoon QLD
Pasture utilisation: Key learnings from the Tasmanian Dairy Industry – Panel Q&A facilitated by Dr Richard Rawnsley, Fonterra Farm Source Paddock Specialist	Pasture utilisation in a dryland system: Beating 1ton of pasture DM/100mm rainfall – Steve Crawford, Lackrana Grazing, Flinders Island TAS

Session 6: Virtual Farm Tour	<i>Chair: Richard Mollineaux, Nutrien Ag Solutions</i>
Nutrien Ag Solutions Virtual Farm Tour	
Chris Macqueen and Rachel Jones, Skyhaven, Flinders Island TAS	
Tom and Jo Youl, Quoin Farm, Flinders Island TAS	

Session 7: Networking Drinks	<i>Chair: Iain Bruce, Red Meat Updates Working Group</i>
Presentations, red meat raffle, networking drinks	

4.45pm Networking drinks

5.30pm Event concludes