

GRAINS RESEARCH UPDATE 2026



Driving profit through research



NORTH STAR, TUESDAY 11 AUGUST

North Star Sporting Club, 6226 North Star Rd, North Star, NSW 2408

8:30am registration for a 9:00am start, finish 2:50pm

Join researchers, agronomists, and innovative growers at North Star for a GRDC Grains Research Update, showcasing the latest advances shaping profitable grain production.

Topics

- Scalable approaches to mapping within-field frost risk and damage in grains using precision agriculture tools. *Si Yang Han (Sydney University)*
- Plant available water triggers for risk management in northern crops. *Andrew Erbacher (DPI Qld)*
- Comparing nitrogen strategies for risk & reward – data from the RiskWi\$e project. *Lindsay Bell (CSIRO) & Skye Traill (AMPS Research)*
- The state of nitrogen fixation across Queensland – benchmarking data from over 50 paddocks. *Jordan Davis (DPI Qld)*
- Management strategies for Phalaris. *Bhagirath Chauhan (UQ)*
- The longer-term economics of ameliorating sodicity constraints – insights and impacts on K nutrition. *Chris Guppy (UNE)*
- Challenges and strategies with the current seasonal outlook – Panel discussion. *Leigh Norton (Delta Agribusiness) & Jack Williamson (Williamson Ag)*

(Agenda subject to change)

Cost: Free (registration essential for catering).
Morning tea, lunch & proceedings provided.

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