

# GRAINS RESEARCH UPDATE 2025



## MOREE, THURSDAY 7 AUGUST

Moree Services Club, 3 Albert Street, Moree NSW 2400

**8:30am for a 9:00am start, finish 3:00pm**

Join researchers, agronomists and top growers at the Moree GRDC Grains Research Update to explore leading-edge developments in grains research to enhance farm profitability.

### Topics

- **Dryland cotton and canola in the rotation – legacy and system performance in farming systems trials.** *Lindsay Bell (CSIRO)*
- **Canola – performance and experience in NW NSW.** *Matt Gardner (AMPS Research), Andrew Erbacher (QDPI) & Leigh Norton (Delta Agribusiness)*
- **Crop recovery of applied N fertiliser – nitrogen use efficiency and losses.** *Graeme Schwenke (NSW DPIRD)*
- **P uptake by crops after fertiliser is applied – what is taken up when and implications for fertiliser placement and timing.** *Tim McLaren (UQ)*
- **The economics of soil amelioration at grower scale – long term outcomes from larger scale strip trials and small plot work.** *Cameron Silburn (QDPI)*
- **On-farm automation**
  - **Getting Seeding Right: SmartFirmer technology to help you see what's happening in the furrow.** *David McGavin (PSSAG)*
  - **Automated in-furrow soil moisture sensing & seed depth control.** *David Finlay (MPT AgTech)*
  - **SwarmFarm – new developments and applications enabled by auto docking.** *Andrew Bate (SwarmFarm)*

**Registration:** 8:30am for a 9:00am start. Finish 3:00pm.

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

(Agenda subject to change)

To RSVP or register, or further information or agenda, please contact Andrea Mathers or Erica McKay on 02 9482 4930, email [erica@icanrural.com.au](mailto:erica@icanrural.com.au) or register online at <http://www.icanrural.com.au>



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