



Program

WEDNESDAY 8TH JUNE 2016

8:00 am	Registration Open <i>until 6:00 pm</i>
9:00am	Rijk Zwaan - Love My Salad – Live Preparation of Salads served to all delegates
11:15 am	Official Opening and Presidents Welcome
11:30 am	Martin Kneebone (<i>Freshlogic</i>) <i>The trends driving near term change in the food market and what they mean for Hydroponic producers</i>
12:00 pm	Lunch in the Exhibition Hall
1:30 pm	Danny Trandos (<i>Trandos Hydroponic Growers</i>) <i>Maximising plant potential with grafted plants</i>
2:00 pm	Scott Mathew (<i>Syngenta Australia Pty Ltd</i>) <i>Application: The Simple Things in Life Make it Easier, But are Often Overlooked</i>
2:30 pm	Richard Vollebregt (<i>Cravo</i>) <i>Production systems which combine nature and protection which increase revenues reduce operating costs and manage weather extremes.</i>
3:00 pm	Afternoon Tea - in the Exhibition Hall
3:30 pm	Nicky Mann (<i>Roses 2 Go Pty</i>) <i>Surviving and striving in the Australian hydroponic flower industry</i>
4:00 pm	Jan Dijkman (<i>Philips</i>) <i>LED Lighting – taking growing up a step</i>
4:30 pm	Don Grant (<i>Tasman Bay Herbs Ltd</i>) <i>To Recall or not to Recall – that is the question</i>
5:00 pm	Break
6:00 pm	Protected Cropping Australia AGM
6:30 pm	Welcome Cocktails for Registered Delegates - <i>Sponsored by South Pacific Seeds</i>
8:00 pm	Free Evening

THURSDAY 9TH JUNE 2016

8:00 am	Registration and Trade Exhibition open to delegates
9:00 am	Michael Simonetta (<i>Perfection Fresh Australia</i>) <i>Marketing trends and innovation</i>
9:30 am	Bryce Gilchrist (<i>Tasman Bay Herbs Ltd</i>) <i>Turning your business around – A strategic approach</i>
10:00 am	Nicky Mann (<i>Roses 2 Go Pty</i>) <i>Berries</i>
10:30 am	Morning Tea in the Exhibition Hall
11:00 am	Farm Tour (Packed Lunches)
– 6:00pm	Boomaroo - Thong Trihn – Surprise Visit
11:30 am	Public Event – Love My Salad - Free Salad Masterclass



– 2:30pm

6:30 pm **Conference Dinner – Sponsored by A&D Weighing**

8:30 pm **HFF Award Presentations (TBC)**

FRIDAY 10TH JUNE 2016

8:00 am Registration and Trade Exhibition Open

8:30 am Perfection Fresh Breakfast – **Frank Costa, AO OAM**

9:30 am **Herman van der Gulik** (*Enza Zaden Export B.V*)

Novel genetic and breeding techniques, speed to market(ing) for growers.

10:00 am **Sophie Parks** (*Department of Primary Industries*)

Doing your own research on farm

10:30 am Morning Tea in the Exhibition Hall

11:00 am **James Rattray** (*Flowerdale Farm*)

Is Export Your Next Step? Flowerdale Farms' Experience

11:30 am **Marcus van Heyst** (*Powerplants Australia*)

The Next Step for Berries: Precision Fertigation

12:00 pm **Len Tesoririo** (*Department of Primary Industries*)

How do plants defend themselves against disease attack?

12:30 pm HFF Cheque Presentation to Lorne CFA

12:35 pm Lunch in the Exhibition Hall

1:30 pm **James Altmann** (*Biological Services*)

Whitefly control with Nesidiocoris – friend & foe.

2:00 pm **David Wignall** (*CANN Operations*)

Medical Cannabis

2:30 pm **Wrap Up** finish at 3:00 pm