

MONDAY 7TH
LIVESTREAM

FARM TO PROFIT FARM BUSINESS UPDATE



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Economic overview and post-covid economic recovery

Stephen is a Partner of Deloitte Access Economics and is responsible for managing the Canberra practice. As the leader of the Macroeconomic Policy and Forecasting Group Stephen has a detailed understanding of the Australian, Asia Pacific and global economies and his work focuses on long term macroeconomic forecasting. Stephen will provide an assessment of the current status of the economy and the likely drivers and barriers to post-Covid economic recovery

Stephen Smith, Partner, Deloitte Access Economics



Developing a professional business culture – nurturing skills and capacity in your people

Bec Fing brings a down to earth and sensible approach to managing arguably the most important resource you have – your people.

Bec will address challenges such as transitioning the younger generation back on to the farm, structuring roles and responsibilities to encourage accountability and conducting performance reviews that motivate and ‘incentivise’ your people.

Rebecca Fing, House Paddock Training and Consulting



Adaptive management and decision making during a global pandemic

The covid-19 pandemic has thrown many curve balls at agribusinesses large and small. CBH has been impacted by major disruptions in shipping and supply chains and a chronic labour shortage.

Head of Planning Nelson Aylmore will share insights into the challenges, decisions and solutions that navigated them through the last two years and will drive them into the future.

Nelson Aylmore, Head of Planning



Off-farm investment – building a strategic approach

Off farm investment alternatives are of interest to most farming families. Inevitably key decision points arise for each generation around Off-farm investment.

This session will test assumptions, expectations and explore the ‘why’ of investing. Matthew is a Certified Financial Planner and his area of expertise is predominantly in long term strategic planning as well as retirement advice.

Matthew Yates, Certified Financial Planner, Byfields Wealth



Diversifying your wealth through property investment

Find out how to diversify your wealth through property investment. Damian will discuss how property can be leveraged to create a supplementary income source to your farming income and support your retirement plans. Learn the property investment strategies that could help you strengthen your overall wealth position and how these strategies can adapt over time.

Damian Collins, Chairman Westbridge Funds Group, Managing Director Momentum Wealth, President REIWA.



Farm Safety – Changing the culture

Safety mindset and culture on many farms are below where they must be. Too many deaths and injuries are still occurring. Mark will share his experiences and lessons learned from shifting safety culture in the residential building industry.

Mark is currently working as the Group Safety Manager for the second largest residential building group in Australia. He is responsible for the development, implementation and continued improvement of the groups safety systems, processes and culture.

Mark Edgley, Group Safety Manager, ABN Homes Group



Changing safety culture through action on the ground – a farm case study

Ruth Young and her husband John run Wyening Mission Farm at Calingiri. Their business employs 4-6 people in full-time and casual roles. Ruth’s interest in farm safety began when their business commenced growing hay and employing backpackers 15 years ago. Three boys growing up on the farm has influenced the focus on farm safety.

Ruth has developed a practical farm safety system to suit their business – the focus is on improving safety, not on ticking boxes and compliance. Ruth will share the progress made with creating a simple farm safety system that is practical and has the staff contributing and supporting the system.

Ruth Young, Wyening Mission Farm

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