

GRAINS RESEARCH UPDATE



Streaky Bay Community Complex, Wells Street

9.00 am to 1.00 pm followed by lunch (doors open at 8.30 am for a 9.00 am start)

Topics

▶ **Developing pulse agronomy foundations**

The combination of a variable climate and calcareous soils may prove challenging when growing lentils. Sarah outlines the key considerations for nitrogen fixation and lentil agronomy when growing lentils on calcareous soils.

*Sarah Day,
SARDI*

▶ **Deep P placement and nutrition on calcareous soils**

Phosphorous tie up on calcareous soils has been a long-standing challenge for local growers. Brian outlines how to unlock the potential of high pH, low fertility soils with strategic soil amelioration strategies.

*Brian Dzoma,
SARDI*

▶ **Tackling pulse disease challenges**

Add a few new tools to your toolbox when tackling pulse diseases this year by implementing an integrated disease management strategy, Sara provides an update on the current state of pulse diseases and the varietal opportunities on the horizon for growers.

*Sara Blake,
SARDI*

▶ **Seasonal forecasts and the implications for growers**

With last years late harvest what's in store for the rest of this season? Dane provides a climate outlook and how it will impact on farm decision making leading into harvest.

*Dane Thomas,
SARDI Climate
Applications*

▶ **Snail Control: Key strategies and where to next**

Snails are a persistent challenge for the region. Kym provides a few key strategies for snail control as well as a snapshot of things to do between now and harvest.

*Kym Perry,
SARDI*

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