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Next Meeting

Crop Walk at Roseworthy Campus

Venue

Meet in front of the Main Building

Date

WEDNESDAY 25th October

Time

2.30 pm

Speakers and Trials

Gurjeet Gill and Ben Fleet - University of Adelaide

- **Competitive Crops**

Stuart Milde - AGT

- **S4 advanced breeding trial and glasshouse facility**

Ben Fleet (for Sam Kleemann)

- **Canola competition and pre-emergents**
- **Wheat competition and time of sowing**

Newsletter

- Vale Neville Mildren
- Careers scholarships - full steam ahead
- Grains and fodder competition

Vale - Neville Mildren

MILDREN, Neville Lloyd Passed away suddenly at home, surrounded by his family on Saturday 30th September, Aged 68 years. Dearly loved husband of Lynette, Loving father of Karen, Simon and Bradley. Loved and respected father-in-law of Travis and Cilla. Devoted and much-loved Pop of Dayna, Laura, Mikayla and Brody; Jake, Max and Zara.

Neville was a foundation member of crop science was a regular attendee ever since. Neville found organisations such as Crop Science as an important way to gain information on farming and discuss issues relating to farmers as well the opportunity to network after the meetings over a cup of tea and cake.

A long term durum seed grower and strong involvement on Durum Growers Assoc, continues to show Neville's commitment to farming and improvement. This commitment shows Neville's desire to be a progressive and innovative farmer. Farming in the Mundoora and having a strong passion for farming and improvement led Neville to be involved in many different farming groups.

Neville and his wife had the good fortune of being able to travel the world extensively. Amongst family Neville was known for his family breakfasts at the shack at Fisherman's Bay where he would cook breakfast for everyone. Often with stories of his barefoot skiing prowess.

Neville will be widely missed in the farming and wider community as demonstrated by > 450 people attending his funeral. Crop Science Society and its members offer the Mildren Family its condolences.

Jamie Wilson

FOOD & FIBRE EDUCATION SA

2017 FULL STEAM AHEAD!

CAREERS SCHOLARSHIP

A free scholarship initiative for secondary school students involving a camp and work placement.

This year the Society has begun a 3 year support programme for this Agricultural Careers Scholarship. The concept has been developed by Belinda Cay and Ag Communicators to encourage more students into the industry by learning about the careers, research and innovation in agriculture. The program consists of a camp run over 4 days and is followed by one week work placement later in the year. Advertised across SA schools, 40 high quality applicants were reviewed to select 20 for the first camp.

The camp was held October 9th to 12th with a small team from Ag Communicators and Agriculture teachers supervising the group of year 10 to year 12 students. They came from all parts of the state (Lucindale to Loxton to Kadina) to participate in the second week of the school holidays. The itinerary across the Adelaide hills and plains and the lower north enabled students to see businesses and farms who are both cutting edge and offer both very interesting career stories and opportunities for work placement and potential employment.



Day 1	Coopers Brewery tour	
	The Mitolo Group tour	
	Pasture Genetics	Nutrition and grazing research careers in the industry
	Landmark Gawler	
	Accommodation	Gawler and Levi Caravan Parks
Day 2	Emmets Machinery	novation

	Lauckes	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] ng</p>
	Aherns	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>
	AGT	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>tour of glasshouses and facilities</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>
Day 3	The University of Adelaide - Roseworthy Campus	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] nd embryo development</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>
	Lienerts	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] utrition plan</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] ers in nutrition</p>
	Ashmore Stud	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] heep breeding and breedplan</p>
	UniSA - Agricultural Engineering	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>
	Viterra	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] world</p>
	PIRSA	<p>[REDACTED] rategies to minimize pests/disease outbreak</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>
Day 4	Lenswood Apples	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] enetics and varieties</p>
	Udder Delights	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>
	Waite Agricultural Research Institute	<p>Ag Science Experience</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] senses</p> <p>Careers in Agriculture</p>



The camp was a huge success. Students participated with enthusiasm and were a credit to themselves and their schools. As a participant I really enjoyed the experience and believe our support for this project is well grounded. If members would like to have a student for work placement please contact me (0411127478)

Peter Smith

GRAINS AND FODDER COMPETITION

RECOGNISED AS NATIONAL EVENT

The Adelaide Show Grains and Fodder Competition is the biggest and most successful event across Australia. To advance this position they are asking Crop Science Grain Growers for support to make it even better. "In 2017 242 entries were received and next year is a chance to grow this further." Deputy Chair of the Committee Peter Smith said.



"With harvest beginning, I encourage you to commit to entering at least one sample in the 2018 show in one of the many categories. This is a special way to advertise the great crops you grow."

Adelaide Show Classes

Cereals	Pulses	Oil Seeds	Prepared Seed	Fodder
Wheat (5*)	Peas**	Canola (2*)	Wheat	Chaff (wheat, barley & lucerne)
Durum (2*)	Beans**	Any other Oil Seeds	Barley	Cereal hay
Barley (5*)	Chick Peas		Oat	Export Cereal Hay x Double dumped x Core samples
Oats (2*)	Lentils	Small Seeds x Medic, Clover, Sub Clover & Grasses x Lucerne (dryland & irrigated)	Triticale	Mixed hay x cereal/legume x pasture
Triticale	Lupins	Ag Bureau	Pulse	Legume hay and Lucerne hay
	Vetch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collection of Wheat, Barley &/or Oats Hay core sample 	# Your seed cleaner will assist in collection of samples	Schools Cereal Hay



* Number of classes

** Feed and suitable for human consumption classes

How Can You get involved?

- x Collect and store a small sample ready to enter next year.
 - o Grain 3kg (Small seeds 1kg)
 - o Fodder (Chaff 10kg , Hay 15kg)
- x Contact Jo Geschmay at the RAHS on 82105267 or entries@adelaideshowground.com.au
- x Entries close 8th June and samples must be delivered to showground by Friday June 15th. x Committee members will assist you in the collection of samples. (interstate growers included).



Committee Members

Andrew Hentschke - Lock	Bill Rowett - Marrabel	Belinda Cay - Pinery
Ian McGowan - Murray Bridge	Ian Sanders - Hewett	David Shannon - Kapunda
	Peter Smith - Blackwood	



Adelaide Uni. Ag Students at

Grain judging in August



Release of new Oat Variety

"Kowari"



Winner of the Junior

Grain Judging

In 2018 the Feature Grain will be Durum

Peter said "We really encourage Durum growers to be involved in this class as part of the National Grains and Fodder Competition. Industry has committed to support the feature and the Adelaide Show will let the public see the great work of Australian growers and the range of Durum food products"

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