



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### **Full Agrifest Line Up Announced**

Organisers of Agrifest are pleased to announce the full line up of presenters for the large scale field day held at 'Overdale' Concongella on March 29.

With a range of presenters, all experienced in their field, farmers can be confident that presentations will be informative, engaging and relevant to their farming situation. 'In fact, many of the Agrifest presenters are actually farmers who are considered experts in their field. Not only does this mean that they know their presentation topic inside out, they also understand the everyday operational requirements of farm businesses and can relate to their audience'. Said Agrifest organiser Bronwyn Bant.

Topics covered at Agrifest will include carbon farming, commodity marketing, no-till cropping, native pastures, on-farm revegetation techniques and much more. Throughout the day, Agrifest attendees select and attend a range of presentations and practical workshops, all aimed at assisting local farm businesses to remain sustainable into the future.

Furthermore, attendees will also be able to view trade displays from a number of supporting local businesses and organisations.

Ms Bant encouraged those interested in attending to visit the Project Platypus website to view the full line up and register at [www.platypus.org.au](http://www.platypus.org.au)

Agrifest is held as part of the Farming in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century series and is organised by Project Platypus and supported by Northern Grampians, Ararat and Pyrenees Shire Councils. Agrifest is made possible thanks to funding received from the William Buckland Foundation.

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