

Esk

Tuesday 30 March 2021

Venue Somerset Civic Centre, 35 Esk Hampton Road, Esk

Time Registration 8.30am. Forum Sessions 9:00am – 5:00pm

Morning session

Welcome

Barb Bishop - MLA BeefUp Forum Coordinator
Kylie Schooley – SEQBRC Chair

MLA

- **Update 2021** - MLA
- **Research Update** – *Tim Huggins, Project Manager Grassfed Beef Productivity MLA*
- **CN30**
Margaret Jewell, Carbon Neutral (CN30) Manager, MLA
- **Q&A** – *Barb Bishop*

Sustainable Beef Production

- **Australian Beef Sustainability Framework** –
Melinee Leather, Barfield Station Banana, Sustainability Steering Group
- **What do consumers expect**
Ian McConnel, Director, Beef Sustainability, Tyson Foods
- **Your Beef Business**
Karissa de Belle, Bush Agribusiness
- **Q&A** - *Barb Bishop*

Afternoon session

R&D priorities - *Barb Bishop*

Research in the Paddock

- **Genomics R&D**
Professor Ben Hayes Centre Director, Centre for Animal Science, QAAFI, UQ
- **Growing Protein** - – **Leucaena and Desmanthus**- *Gavin Peck Senior Pasture Agronomist Department of Agriculture and Fisheries Qld*
- **Pasture Dieback research progress**
Dr Anthony Young, School of Agriculture and Food Sciences, UQ
- **Northern Breeding Business (NB2)**
Dr Lee Fitzpatrick, Chair, NB2 Management Committee
- **Q&A** – *Barb Bishop*

BeefUp forum close – *Barb Bishop*

BBQ Dinner

Cost: Producers free; Non-Producers \$50 **Includes:** Morning and afternoon teas, Lunch, BBQ Dinner

RSVP: 22 March 2021

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