

# Northern Genetics Field Day

## 27 August 2025

**Venue:** Spyglass Beef Research Facility – Charters Towers, QLD

**Time:** 9:00am–5:00pm

**Cost:** \$50pp, includes catering

**Register:** [RSVP here](#)

**RSVP:** 18 August 2025



A Spyglass field day featuring the latest genetics research, live cattle demonstrations, meat tasting and industry trade displays.

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## Agenda – Wednesday 27 August 2025

8:00am Registration desk opens, tea and coffee available

9:00am Proceedings commence

### Session 1

9:00am **Welcome, housekeeping and forum schedule – QLD DPI**  
QLD DPI

9:10am **MLA – The next five years**  
Michael Crowley MLA

9:40am **Market insights**  
Guest Speaker

10:10am **13 years of Repronomics**  
David Johnston AGBU

10:55–11.25am Morning break

### Session 2

11:25am **Northern beef producers and on farm genetic tools**  
Northern Beef Producers

11:55am **Measuring methane in the Northern beef industry**  
Ben Hayes UQ

12:20pm **What about the brothers? The Repronomics steers**  
Janine Lau MLA and Paul Williams ABBA

1:00–2:00pm Lunch (*Phenotyping and Recording Technology Demonstrations*)

### Session 3

2:00pm **Repronomics cattle demonstrations**  
Kirsty Moore and David Johnston AGBU

3:45–4:15pm Afternoon break

### Session 4

4:15pm **Bringing it all together – speaker panel**  
All speakers

### Session 5

5:00pm **Wrap-up**  
MLA and QLD DPI

5:00pm Event close