

# Vegetable Speaker Sessions

2023

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2023, Te Pae, Christchurch

## BREAKOUT 1 & 2

8:00am	MC - Blake Mackie
09:15-10:15am	Morning Tea - Networking / Introductions
10:15-11:15am	<b>10:15am Vegetables NZ Inc AGM</b>
11:15-12:45pm	<b>Vegetable Outdoor Speaker Sessions</b>
11:15-11:45am	Title <b>tbc</b> Dale Smith, Nanobubble Water Care Services Ltd
11:45-12:15pm	IPM Successful Outdoor Cropping Examples Dr Dave Bellamy (PFR) (Bioprotection & IPM) Dr Jessica Vereijssen - <b>tbc</b>
12:15-12:45pm	Genetic Technologies Dr Samantha Baldwin PFR
12:45-1:45pm	<b>Joint Lunch with RSE Conference</b>
1:45-2:30pm	Hawkes Bay Cyclone Experience and Response Scott Lawson – Hawkes Bay
2:30-3:00pm	A year in review, what are the challenges and what are your solutions Michael Cootes , AusVege
3:00-3:30pm	<b>Afternoon Tea with RSE Conference</b>
3:30-4:00pm	Domestic Consumer Vegetable Trends Brigit Corson (Foodstuff)
4:00-4:45pm	International Perspective on NZ Growing Practices Professor Paul Gauthier (University of Queensland)
5:00pm-6:00pm	<b>5pm Tomatoes NZ AGM</b>
6:00pm	<b>Pre-dinner Drinks (HortNZ Conference)</b>
7:00pm	<b>HortNZ + RSE Combined Gala / Awards Dinner</b>

## BREAKOUT 4

8:30am Potatoes NZ AGM
10:15am NZ Asparagus Council AGM
<b>Vegetable Covered Crop Speaker Sessions</b>
Updates on reducing energy demands from the Netherlands for NZ Growers Elly Nederhoff
What's new for IPM including trial update on BCAs Lex Dillon and Chris Thompson from Bioforce
Finding the Needle in the Haystack, the future for greenhouse water testing Jeremy Thompson / Hester Roberts
<b>Joint Lunch with RSE Conference</b>
1:45pm Strawberry Growers NZ AGM
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3:45pm Process Vegetables NZ Speakers
<b>Process Vegetables NZ Speakers</b>
5pm Process Vegetables NZ AGM

