

2019 PGA Convention & State Pastoral ForumOfficial Program

2019 State Pastoral Forum - The Botanicals Crown Perth

Thursday 1 August, 2019
Forum Day - 9.00am to 4.00pm | Sundowner - 4.00pm to 5.00pm

The forum speakers will address a wide range of policy and technical issues that impact on pastoral businesses and operations. Throughout the day there will be ample opportunity for questions and discussion.

Topics and Speakers:

Managing and Reforming Pastoralism	Tim Shackleton, Chair of Pastoral Lands Board – Update of PLB activities and WA Government's Pastoral Reform process
DPIRD Updates	Bruce Mullan, DPIRD, Director Livestock Research and Industry Innovation – Update on Livestock Production and Pastoral activities
	Michelle Rodan, DPIRD, Chief Veterinary Officer – Update on biosecurity and animal welfare activities
Hot Topic - Wild Dogs	Barry Davies, DPIRD – Update on Wild Dog Action Plan, State Barrier Fence, Cell Projects and R&D Grants
	Mayne Jenour, Pastoralist – Drones for Wild Dog Management and more
Hot Topic - Pastoralism and Prospecting	Tony Bullen, DMIRS General Manager Resource Tenure Branch – Update on improving interactions between pastoralists and prospectors
Research & Technology Updates	MLA – Update on Pastoral & Livestock Production projects
	Panel Session: Learning to integrate modern surveillance technology into livestock production: Ashley Dowden – Pastoralist, Challa Station Simon Mathwin – Rio Tinto
	Chris Patmore – <i>Livestock producer, Eneabba</i>
Environment and Pastoralism	DBCA – Speaker to be confirmed – Plan for our Parks, Good Neighbour Policy and Indigenous Rangers
	Tim Allard, CEO Australian Wildlife Conservancy – An alternative approach to delivering conservation outcomes in pastoral regions

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