

SARDI

2022 Root Health Workshops

TURRETFIELD • EYRE PENINSULA • COONALPYN • KANGAROO ISLAND



IMAGE: JIM LARWOOD

Underperforming crops? Get to the root of the problem

Growers and advisors are invited to attend this SAGIT funded workshop to investigate the impacts of soil-borne root diseases on plant health.

THE WORKSHOP WILL:

- Explore the main soil-borne root diseases in your region, providing an insight into symptoms and management.
- Include an interactive session where you get to identify root disease and score the root health of your own cereal and pulse crops.
- Review PREDICTA rNod, a new soil testing service to measure levels of rhizobia that nodulate pulses.
- Provide opportunity for discussions with SARDI pathologists.

POINTS TO NOTE:

- All participants are required to bring along cereal or pulse plants. We will post you sample bags with further instructions.
- Plants can be assessed by PREDICTA@B at participants expense to confirm diagnosis. Results will be sent to the owners within 4 weeks post workshop and will be followed up with an online consult.
- Includes resource material (back-pocket guide)
- Note the Kangaroo Island workshop is an extended workshop which will include a session on best inoculation practices and nitrogen fixation of pulses on acidic soils.



IMAGE: KATHERINE LINSELL



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WORKSHOP LOCATIONS

TURRETFIELD

9 AUGUST: Turretfield Research Centre

9:00am - 1:00pm (followed by a field walk)

Register at: www.eventbrite.com.au/e/383188786977

EYRE PENINSULA

KIMBA

17 AUGUST: Kimba Gateway Hotel

9:00am - 12:30pm

Register at: www.eventbrite.com.au/e/383241745377

CLEVE

17 AUGUST: Cleve Rural Traders

4:00pm - 8:00pm

Register at: www.eventbrite.com.au/e/383244704227

COONALPYN

30 AUGUST: Coonalpyn Football Club

9:00am - 2:00pm (includes field walk)

Register at: www.eventbrite.com.au/e/383245797497

KANGAROO ISLAND

6 SEPTEMBER: Parndana Bowling Club

9:00am - 2:00pm

Register at: www.eventbrite.com.au/e/383246549747

SPEAKERS

Presenters will include:

- Dr Katherine Linsell, SARDI
- Dr Tara Garrard, SARDI
- Blake Gontar, SARDI
- Dr Liz Farquharson, SARDI (Kangaroo Island only)

COST

The workshop costs \$35 inc. GST.

This includes morning and or afternoon tea plus workshop materials.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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A note on participant safety

In light of COVID-19 we wish to reassure participants that your safety is our number one priority.

A reminder on participant safety measures will be sent out a few days prior to each workshop to all registered participants.

In the event these workshops need to be postponed or cancelled due to an outbreak all participants will be refunded and content will be delivered in an alternative format.

