



Primex

2024 EVENTS PROGRAM

THURSDAY 16 MAY

TIME	EVENT	WHAT'S ON	LOCATION
08:00am-10:00am	SPECIAL EVENT	STRAIGHT TO THE SOURCE BREAKFAST: JOIN US FOR A MORNING IN CONVERSATION WITH CULINARY CHAMPIONS! Tickets \$49 pp, includes breakfast, panel discussion, networking, and day entry to Norco Primex. CLICK HERE TO BOOK	EVENTS CENTRE
9:00am-4:00pm	FARMER HEALTH CHECKS	National Centre for Farmer Health - FREE 20min Health & Lifestyle Assessments will be operating all day.	Pavilion 3
9:30am-10:00am	ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY	Acknowledgement of Country by Donna Harper	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
9:30am-3:30pm (every half hour on the hour)	CHAPERONED SCHOOL TOURS	Chaperoned tours of the Forestry and Timber Hub talking to industry leaders and key exhibitors about jobs and careers in the forest and timber industry. To secure a tour, book a time with Donna. Let her know size of group and age range of kids. Donna Layton Mob: 0408 768 751 Email: donna@marshallnotarashardwoods.com.au	C23 - Forestry Hub
10:00am-11:00am	PRESENTATION	Meat and Livestock Australia present: John McGuren (Meat & Livestock Australia) and Phil Tickle (Cibo Labs) to discuss Australian Feedbase Monitor.	B 22 - Beef Hub
10:00am-11:00am	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Wildlife Twins: Wildlife Demonstration	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
10:30am-11:00am	DEMONSTRATION	The Dairy Shed: Milking and cheese making demonstrations presented by The NSW Dairy team (NSW DPI, Subtropical Dairy and DairyNSW).	H3
11am-12:00pm	NETWORKING EVENT	Municipal Works Australia Local Government Networking Event: This event is perfect for local government works staff and industry professionals to collaborate, share ideas, and build connections. Join us for a day of insightful discussions, networking opportunities, and collaboration. Take advantage of this chance to connect with like-minded individuals and make a difference in your community. See you there! CLICK HERE TO BOOK	Pavilion 1
11:00am-11:30pm	DEMONSTRATION	THERMOMIX: Come along to see the Thermomix in action as the team demonstrate how to make everything from bread to mayonaise!	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
11am-12:30pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Musical Performance By: Isaac Frankham	NOURISH SOUTH
11:30am-1:30pm	SPECIAL EVENT + OFFICIAL OPENING OF PRIMEX 2024	NORCO Farmer Wellbeing Luncheon + Official Opening of Primex: with guest, WARREN DAVIES, THE UNBREAKABLE FARMER and podcast and hosting by OLI LE LIEVRE, HUMANS OF AGRICULTURE. \$15 per person including catered sit-down lunch and non-alcoholic beverages. CLICK HERE TO BOOK	EVENTS CENTRE
12:00pm-1:00pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Wildlife Twins: Wildlife Demonstration	NOURISH NORTH: P2P

12:30pm - 1:30pm	PANEL PRESENTATION	SCU X ReCirculator Present: Circular Economy Opportunities for Agriculture. CLICK HERE TO BOOK	Pavilion 1
12:30pm-2:30pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Musical Performance By: Lincon Turner	NOURISH SOUTH
1:00pm-1:30pm	DEMONSTRATION	The Dairy Shed: Milking and cheese making demonstrations presented by The NSW Dairy team (NSW DPI, Subtropical Dairy and DairyNSW).	H3
1:00pm-2:00pm	CHEF DEMONSTRATION	Presented by local growers: The Natural Rice Company	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
2:00pm-3:00pm	PRESENTATION	Wildlife Twins: Snake Safety Talk	Pavilion 1
2:00pm-3:00pm	CHEF DEMONSTRATION	Presented by local growers: Eden Creek Mushrooms	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
2:30pm-4:30pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT + EXHIBITOR DRINKS	Musical Performance By: Katie Brooke, where we invite our exhibitors to join us for drinks and nibbles as a birthday celebration when the event closes at 4pm.	NOURISH SOUTH
3:00pm-4:30pm	NETWORKING EVENT	AGTECH ALLEY: Networking & Knock Offs hosted by Achmea Insurance: This event encourages networking opportunities with the exhibitors inside AgTech Alley and the producers attending Primex. This is an all-ages, free event.	Pavilion 4 - AGTECH ALLEY
3:30pm-4:00pm	DEMONSTRATION	The Dairy Shed: Milking and cheese making demonstrations presented by The NSW Dairy team (NSW DPI, Subtropical Dairy and DairyNSW).	H3

FRIDAY 17 MAY

TIME	EVENT	WHAT'S ON	LOCATION
08:00am-10:00am	SPECIAL EVENT	NORTH COAST LLS BREAKFAST: "Are You Boggled Mate?". North Coast Local Land Services is hosting a roadshow througho	EVENTS CENTRE
9:00am-4:00pm	FARMER HEALTH CHECKS	National Centre for Farmer Health - FREE 20min Health & Lifestyle Assessments will be operating all day.	Pavilion 3
9:30am-10:00am	PRESENTATION	SOILCARE PRESENTS: Dr John Grant with a presentation on Biological, physical and chemical management considerations for post-flooded soil. CLICK HERE TO BOOK	Pavilion 1
9:30am-3:30pm (every half hour on the hour)	CHAPERONED SCHOOL TOURS	Chaperoned tours of the Forestry and Timber Hub talking to industry leaders and key exhibitors about jobs and careers in the forest and timber industry. To secure a tour, book a time with Donna. Let her know size of group and age range of kids. Donna Layton Mob: 0408 768 751 Email: donna@marshallnotarashardwoods.com.au	C23 - Forestry Hub
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10:00am-11:00am	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Wildlife Twins: Wildlife Demonstration	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
10:00am-10:20am	PRESENTATION	Simon Lovell/Andrew Kemsley - LLS FF: Getting into Farm Forestry - An overview of the PNF approval process	C23 - Forestry Hub

10:15am-10:45am	PRESENTATION	SOILCARE PRESENTS: Alan Coates (via Zoom) with a presentation on Soil Health – the key to managing damaged soils. CLICK HERE TO BOOK	Pavilion 1
10:20am-10:40am	PRESENTATION	Bill Schulke - PFSQ: Benefits of actively managing your private native forest	C23 - Forestry Hub
10:30am-11:00am	DEMONSTRATION	The Dairy Shed: Milking and cheese making demonstrations presented by The NSW Dairy team (NSW DPI, Subtropical Dairy and DairyNSW).	H3
10:30am-11:00am	PRESENTATION	Meat and Livestock Australia present: Martin Lonergan (Meat & Livestock Australia) to discuss eNVD and NLIS.	B 22 - Beef Hub
10:40am-11:00am	PRESENTATION	Bill Cox - Landholder: Practicing farm forestry under the Forest Stewardship Pilot Program	C23 - Forestry Hub
11:00am-12:00pm	CHEF DEMONSTRATION	Presented by Celebrity Chef: Mindy Woods	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
11:00am-11:30am	PRESENTATION	Meat and Livestock Australia present: Brad Walmsley (Department of Primary Industries) to discuss Southern Multibreed Project.	B 22 - Beef Hub
11:00am-12:00pm	PANEL PRESENTATION	Southern Cross University & SoilCare Present: Building Resilient Farms with Regenerative Principles. Join us for an insightful panel discussion at Primex, where Southern Cross University and SoilCare proudly present an exploration into "Building Resilient Farms with Regenerative Principles." CLICK HERE TO BOOK	Pavilion 1
11am-12:30pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Musical Performance By: Isaac Frankham	NOURISH SOUTH
11:30-12:00 pm	PRESENTATION	Michael Taylor – 2023 Farmer of the Year: Benefits of growing trees on farms	C23 - Forestry Hub
12:00pm -2:30pm	SPECIAL EVENT	PRIMEX BUSINESS LEADERS LUNCHEON: CELEBRATING RENERATIVE AGRICULTURE. Please join us for our annual agribusiness luncheon with leaders from across the Northern Rivers. Enjoy an amazing paddock-to-plate experience, hear from an inspiring panel - and every ticket includes free 3-day pass to Primex. CLICK HERE TO BOOK	EVENT CENTRE
12:00pm-1:00pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Wildlife Twins:	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
12:00-12:20pm	PRESENTATION	Mark Wright - Super Forest Plantations: Growing and managing durable eucalypts on farms	C23 - Forestry Hub
12:15am-12:45am	PRESENTATION	SOILCARE PRESENTS: Dr John Grant with a presentation on Integrating farm forestry into farm systems. CLICK HERE TO BOOK	Pavilion 1
12:20-12:40pm	PRESENTATION	Dr Nahual Pachas – QLD DAFF (MLA Silvo/Pastoral Project): Steak 'n Wood: demonstrating livestock productivity and environmental service benefits of trees on farm	C23 - Forestry Hub
12:30pm-2:30pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Musical Performance By: Tapestry Road Duo	NOURISH SOUTH
12:40-12:50 pm	PRESENTATION	Simon Lovell - DPI Plantations: Registering a new plantation for timber and carbon	C23 - Forestry Hub

12:50-1:05pm	PRESENTATION	Mia Cassidy - SCU: What do Landholders think about Forestry? results from a north coast survey	C23 - Forestry Hub
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1:00pm-1:30pm	PRESENTATION	SOILCARE PRESENTS: Kieran Livermore with a presentation on Post Flood Pasture Reboot: an alternative path to a perennial pasture using cover cropping techniques. CLICK HERE TO BOOK.	Pavilion 1
1:00pm-2:00pm	CHEF DEMONSTRATION	Presented by Celebrity Chef: Mindy Woods with local producers Swan Bay Butchers	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
1:05-1:10 pm	PRESENTATION	Nick Cameron – NENSW Forestry Hub: Government funding for establishment of plantations	C23 - Forestry Hub
1:30-1:50 pm	PRESENTATION	Dean Kearney - FCNSW: Technology in the Forest	C23 - Forestry Hub
1:45pm-2:15pm	PRESENTATION	SOILCARE PRESENTS: Ross Arnett with a presentation on Regenerative Orchard Management: Establishing a regenerative macadamia orchard relies heavily on cover crops and the intricate soil biology, both pivotal in meeting the nutritional needs of a low-input macadamia plantation. CLICK HERE TO BOOK.	Pavilion 1
1:50-2:10 pm	PRESENTATION	Simon Parker/Christian Gibson – A.E. Gibsons & Sons: Automation and Robotics for the Innovative Machinery & Renewable Resource Industries	C23 - Forestry Hub
2:00pm-3:00pm	CHEF DEMONSTRATION	Presented by Celebrity Chef: Mindy Woods	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
2:10-2:25pm	PRESENTATION	Mia Cassidy - SCU: Farm forestry safety systems made simple using digital technology	C23 - Forestry Hub
2:25 -2:40 pm	PRESENTATION	Dr Mark Brown-USC: The Australian Forest & Wood Innovation Research Fund	C23 - Forestry Hub
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3:00pm-3:30pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT + 40th Anniversary Celebrations	Musical Performance By: Mick Harrington (the Executive Officer of Forrest and Wood Communities and as seen on the Voice)	NOURISH SOUTH
3:30pm-4:30pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT + 40th Anniversary Celebrations	Musical Performance By: JAMES BLUNDELL & BAND! We invites visitors + exhibitors to celebrate our 40th Anniversary with us; come along and listen to some live music, eat some incredible food and have a drink to celebrate!	NOURISH SOUTH
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11:00am-11:30am	PRESENTATION	SOILCARE PRESENTS: Dave Forrest with a presentation on Regenerative Ag: supported by principles, practises and inputs which create soil health. This talk explains and informs where to start and what to do to improve productivity and resilience of your farm. <u>CLICK HERE TO BOOK</u>	Pavilion 1
12:00pm-1:00pm	LIVE ENTERTAINMENT	Wildlife Twins: Wildlife Demonstration	NOURISH NORTH: P2P
12:00pm-1:00pm	CATTLE AUCTION	Commerical Heifer Sale: Presented by George and Furhmann	Sale Complex - Pavilion 1
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