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Avocados Australia is coming to Manjimup - 24 July! - 22/07/2014

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All avocado growers and packers based in the Western Australian growing region are invited to attend an Avocados Australia workshop happening on **Thursday 24 July 2014** at 313 Seven Day Road, Manjimup. Avocados Australia's "**Western Australian Qualicado Workshop**" aims to provide avocado growers and packers in the region with the latest information on how to manage irregular bearing, improve the overall quality of their avocado fruit and to improve orchard productivity.

The day starts at 9.00am (arrive 8.30am) and finishes at 3.10pm and includes an orchard walk with host and grower Anthony Fontanini.

Growers will hear from a range of expert presenters among them a principal extension horticulturalist from the Queensland Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, and a principal plant pathologist from the Queensland Alliance for Agricultural and Food Innovation. To view the program [click here](#).

Avocados Australia's CEO John Tyas encourages all avocado growers and packers in the region to attend because "*growers will be presented with an update about QUALICADO, the national avocado quality program, Irregular/Alternate Bearing Management in avocados, and hear the latest information from leading Australian researchers about handling and ripening, integrated Phytophthora control, plant varieties, irrigation and Nutrition of avocados and more.*"

After the presentations growers during the orchard walk can talk one-on-one with researchers.

This Qualicado Workshop is one in a series of events that are being delivered as part of Avocados Australia's Qualicado program. [Click here](#) to find out more about Qualicado.

To register to attend call Avocados Australia's toll free phone number **1300 303 971** or email co@avocado.org.au.

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