



AVOCADOS AUSTRALIA'S

Sunshine Coast Growers QUALICADO WORKSHOP



When & Where: 9.00am to 3.00pm, Thursday 20th of March 2014

Morning venue: **Birdwood Nursery**
Address: 71-83 Blackall Range Rd, Woombye Qld
Host: Peter Young

Afternoon venue: **Jahade Farms Pty Ltd**
Address: 98 Youngs Rd, Glass House Mountains Qld
Hosts: Norm & Ann Pringle

PROGRAM

- 9.00am Complimentary coffee and tea on arrival
- 9.30am Welcome by Nathan Symonds, AAL Program Manager
- 9.35am **Program Overview** - John Tyas, CEO Avocados Australia
- 9.50am **Overview of Qualicado Program** - Nathan Symonds, AAL Program Manager
- 10.00am **Overview of Best Practice Resource** - Nathan Symonds, AAL Program Manager
- 10.10am **Grower Self-Assessments** for people undertaking Self-Assessment
- 10.40am Morning Tea for Self-Assessment Growers
- 11.00am Birdwood Nursery - plant varieties talk - Denis Roe
- 11.15am **Nutrition of Avocados** - Simon Newett (QDAFF)
- 11.40am **Pest Management** - Ruth Huwer (NSWDPI)
- 12.05pm **Canopy Management** - John Leonardi, QDAFF
- 12.20pm **Handling & Ripening** - What you can do to minimise risk - Terry Campbell, QDAFF
- 12.45pm **Avocados Australia Life Membership Presentation**
- 1.00pm Lunch (30mins)
- 1.30pm Departs travel to Norm Pringle's Farm for Orchard Walk (30mins)
- 2.15pm **Canopy Management of Avocados** - John Leonardi (QDAFF)
- 2.45pm **Phytophthora Treatments for Prevention** - Simon Newett (QDAFF)
- 3.15pm **Summary & Wrap up** - Nathan Symonds, AAL Program Manager
- 3.20pm Finish

Note: This program may be subject to change.

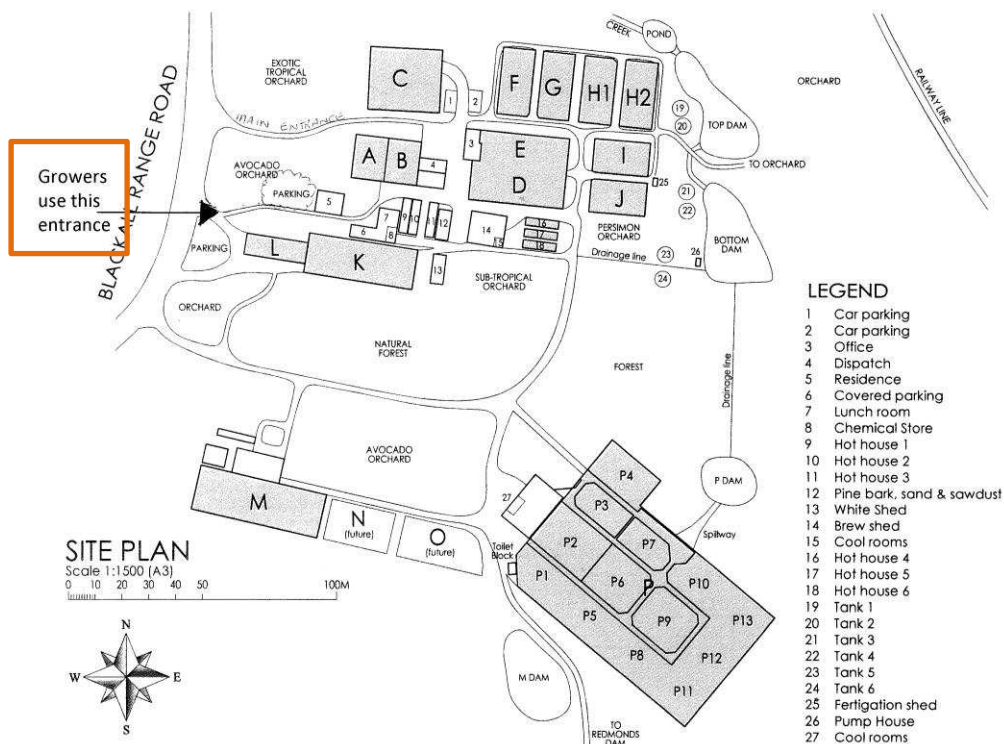
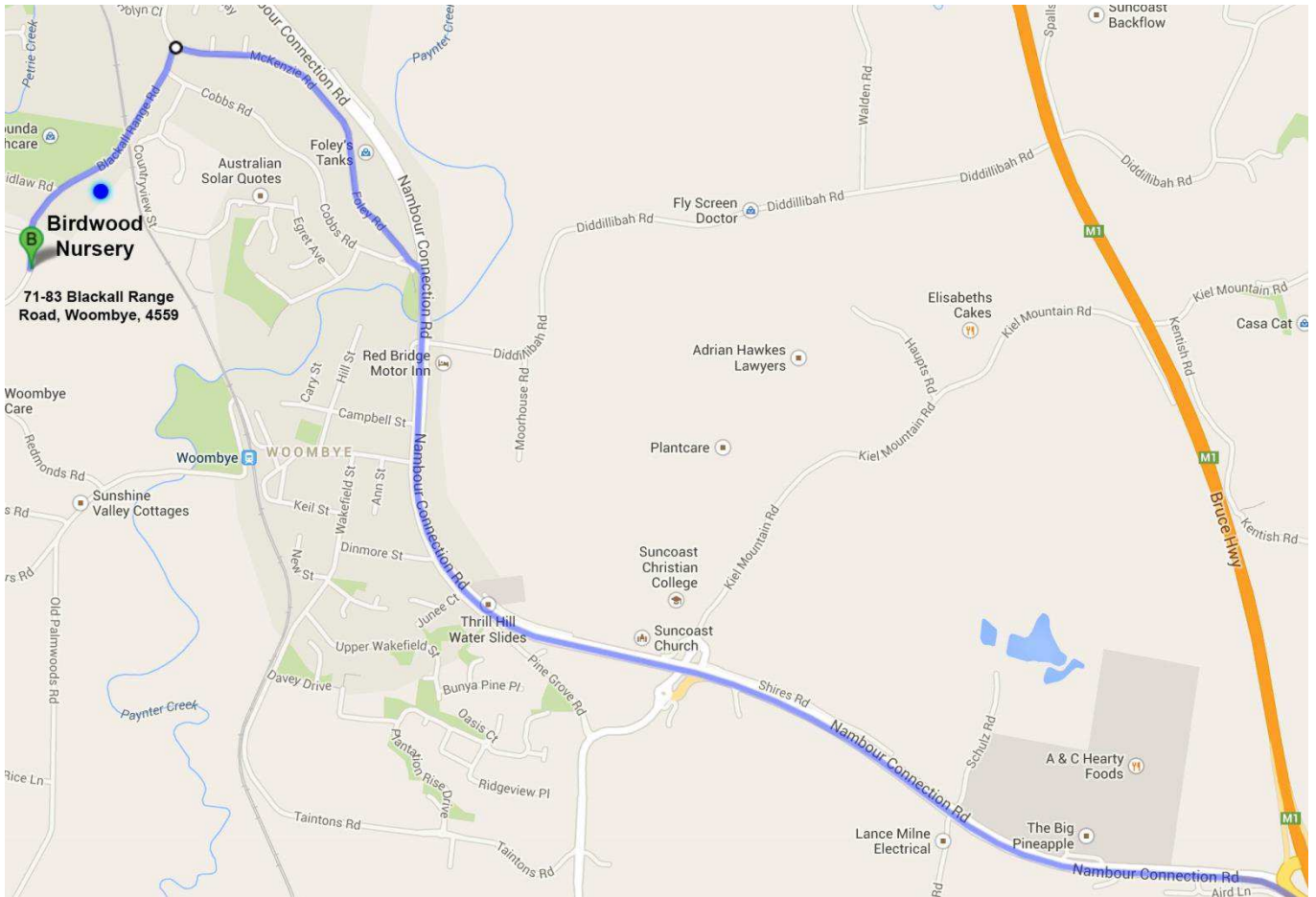
Growers:

Please wear clean shoes and hats when visiting Birdwood Nursery and Jahade Farms in accordance with Bio Secure HACCP practices.

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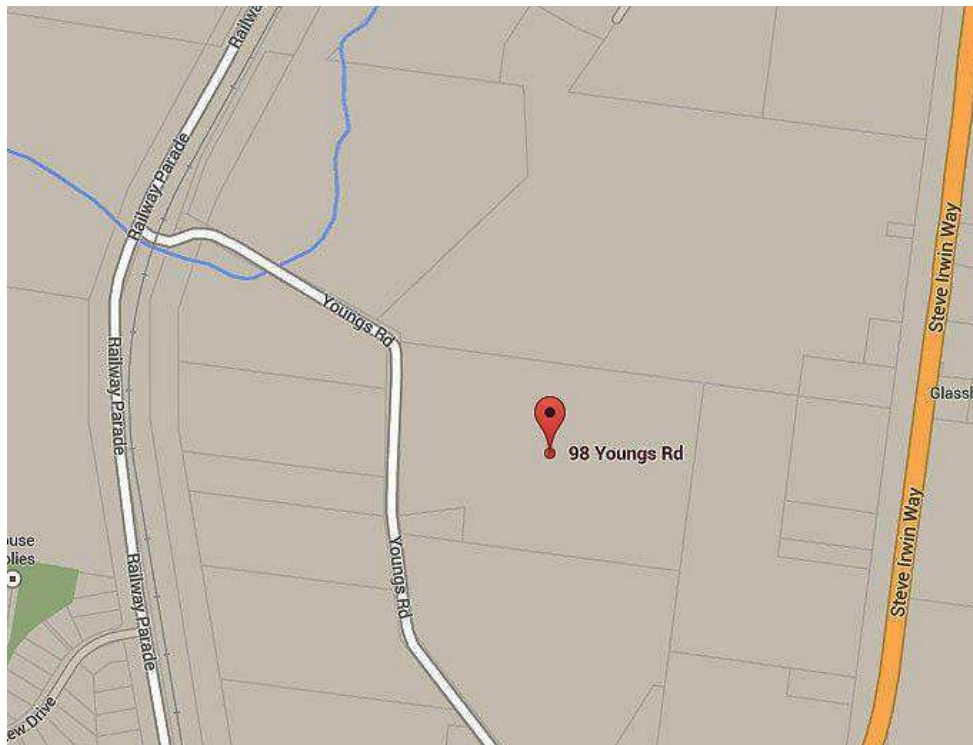
For more information or to RSVP contact **Nathan Symonds**, Supply Chain Program Manager, AAL: M 0488 384 222, Ph: 07 3846 6566, supplychain@avocado.org.au .

Location Map: Birdwood Nursery, 71-83 Blackall Range Rd, Woombye Qld





Location map: Jahade Farms Pty Ltd, 98 Youngs Rd, Glass House Mountains Qld



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