

THE AVO BUS TOUR



Regional Forum



Western Australia - South West

Tuesday, June 22 2021

Presentations: Pemberton Sports Club, 1 Club Rd, Pemberton WA 6260

Time	Item	Presenter
8:00am - 8:25am	Registration	
8:25am - 8:30am	Welcome	Brad Rodgers - Avocados Australia (AAL) WA Director
8:30am - 9:00am	Industry Update	John Tyas - Avocados Australia (AAL)
9:00am - 9:15am	The use of flies in avocado pollination (PH16002)	David Cook - Department of Primary Industries & Regional Development (DPIRD)
9:15am - 9:30am	Study of native pollinators in Western Australia	Josh Kestrel - Curtin University
9:30am - 9:45am	Managing Avocado Pests: Current Threats & Future Directions (AV19001)	Ian Newton - Department of Agriculture & Fisheries (DAF)
9:45am - 10:15am	Morning Tea	
BUS TOUR - CANOPY MANAGEMENT		
10:15am - 10:45am	<i>Travel to Manjimup - Participants from Manjimup will have the opportunity to drive and hop on the bus here.</i>	
11:10am - 12:10pm	Travis Luzny orchard	<i>Inspect and travel to next site</i>
12:10pm - 1:25pm	Kim & Claire Skoss orchard	<i>Inspect & travel to Brad Rodgers for lunch</i>
1:25pm - 2:25pm	Lunch & Evaluation	Coffee van available - cash required!
2:25pm - 3:15pm	Brad Rodgers orchard	<i>Inspection</i>
3:15pm - 4:30pm	Travel back to cars - Manjimup & Pemberton	
End		



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