

Coastal Farming Systems

Delivering productive, profitable and sustainable farming



The roadshow meetings are free, but please register your attendance using the link below. This helps us with catering.

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Roadshow 2018

Growers and industry technical staff are invited to join the Coastal Farming Systems team from the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries (DAF) and guests for a series of meetings being held to discuss the latest research, trial findings and innovative technologies for sugarcane production and what it all means at an on-farm level.

The meetings are open to all growers and industry consultants and will include presentations from Dr Phil Moody (DES) Professor Mike Bell (University of Queensland) DAF extension staff and Bundaberg grower Chris Russo.

ACTIVITIES:

- **Russo's Nitrogen Bar** – demonstration by Chris Russo
- **Soil health** - how to work with the soil you have
- **Plant nutrition** - defining constraints, managing variability, loss pathways and PUYP
- **Drones** – the role of drones and how they can help with intra-paddock variability
- **Insecticides** - ID cane grub and strategic insecticide applications
- **Demonstrations** – Stoolzipa, Dual Herbicide Sprayer and nozzle patterns
- **Trial updates** – EEF and N trials and Controlled Traffic trials

DATES, TIMES AND PLACES:

MACKAY

Monday, November 12
8:30am to 4:00pm

West Tigers Clubhouse,
10 Branscombe Road,
Walkerston

BURDEKIN

Wednesday, November 14,
9:45am to 2:45pm

Charlie's Shed, corner of
171 Cacciola Road and
Tomlins Road, Airville

SOUTH JOHNSTONE

Friday, November 16
9:45am to 2:45pm

South Johnstone Hall,
52 Hynes Street,
Innisfail

Lunch provided at all venues.

For more information about the Mackay meeting, please call 0459 875 911 or email: daniel.gonzalez@daf.gov.au



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