

Kidman Springs | Monday 19th – Wednesday 21st August 2024

Venue: Victoria River Research Station (Kidman Springs), Buchanan Hwy, NT

Time: BredWell FedWell: Monday 19th August
Starts: 9:00am on Tuesday 20th August
Finishes: 2.00pm on Wednesday 21st August

Cost: BredWell FedWell: \$200pp, includes lunches and dinner
BeefUp: \$50pp, includes lunches and dinner

Register: https://mla.microsoftcrmportals.com/event/registration?id=BeefUpBFWF_KidmanSprings_Aug24

RSVP: 13 August 2024

Accom: Camping with bathroom facilities

Join Meat and Livestock Australia and Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade as we collaborate for the 2024 Kidman Springs BeefUp forum to hear about the latest in local and world-leading research and technologies for the northern beef industry.

Prior to the forum, a BredWell FedWell workshop will be held at the venue on August 19. Across all three days, attendees can expect to:

- Gain insights on improving livestock, land and business performance.
- Connect with other producers, advisors and researchers.
- Hear about how new practices and technologies are being used on-farm in your region.
- Develop a customised breeding plan for your cattle enterprise aligned to your profit drivers.
- Learn about feeding animals well to achieve your objective and maximise your genetic investment.
- Find out about the programs, tools and resources available to you.

Beef producers in the NT can look forward to a regionalised program with the following features:

- Discussions and insight into the current live export markets.
- Updates on the current research and development outcomes and opportunities.
- Information about the nutrition opportunities available for cattle producers.
- A paddock tour of the Victoria River Research Station.
- All meals included, with plenty of time to catch up and network.

BredWell FedWell Beef Workshop | Monday 19th August 2024



An introduction to **Breeding and feeding cattle to maximise profit**

- Develop a customised breeding plan for your cattle enterprise aligned to your profit drivers
- Identify sires and select animals that help you meet your objectives
- Learn about feeding livestock well to achieve your objective and maximise your genetic investment



Informative

Presentations and discussions with deliverers and peers



Interactive

Practical and written activities hosted on-farm



Individualised

Learning outcomes you can apply in your own enterprise

Kidman Springs, NT 19 August 2024

When

9:15am for 9:30am–5pm

Where

Kidman Springs Station
Buchanan Highway
Kidman Springs NT

Hosted by

Victoria River Research Station
Department of Industry
Tourism and Trade

Registration fee - inc GST

Introductory price: \$200 per person

Register online:

mla.com.au/bredwellfedwell

Deliverer:

Todd Donaldson - Elders



Scan QR code to register:



Limited places - register to attend today:
mla.com.au/bredwellfedwell



Agenda – Day 1 | Tuesday 20th August 2024

Breakfast from 7am (for anyone staying Monday night)

Arrival and registrations from 9–10am

Morning tea with sponsors

Opportunities for the NT beef industry

10.30am	<p>Welcome Phil Hausler / NT DITT</p>
10.45am	<p>MLA Live Export Investments Update Peter Dundon / Program Manager – Live Exports, MLA</p>
11.00am	<p>Markets Panel - Panel discussion with Q&A, facilitated by Michael Laurence, MLA Rodd Dyer / FocusGroupGo Asia Pacific Ross Dyer / NT DITT Patrick Underwood / Australian Cattle Enterprises</p>

Enhancing breeder productivity in the NT

12:00pm	<p>Finding the ‘Sweet Spot’ for Pastures and Reproduction Robyn Cowley / NT DITT Dan Chapman / AAco. Steve Petty / CAIT Mike Bailey / Newry Station</p>
12:45pm	<p>Lunch</p>
1:30pm	<p>Paddock tour Legume Demonstration Site Arthur Cameron / NT DITT Shruburn’s 30th Birthday Party Tom Stockwell & Rodd Dyer / Sunday Creek Station & FocusGroupGo Asia Pacific Robyn Cowley / NT DITT</p> <p>Afternoon tea Crops for Cattle Tim Shatz / NT DITT Selected Brahmans: Where to Next Gretal Bailey-Preston / NT DITT Live Technology Demonstrations AK sky services, virtual fencing (Gallagher)</p>

5:30pm Dinner and drinks

Agenda – Day 2 | Wednesday 21st August 2024

Breakfast from 7am

8:00am

Cattle Australia Update

Kari Moffatt / Cattle Australia – Northern NT representative

Nutrition Opportunities

8:20am

Crops for Cattle

Tim Schatz / NT DITT

9:00am

Legume Establishment Trials

Mary Williams / NT DITT

9:20am

Improved Pastures in the NT Panel Session

Arthur Cameron / NT DITT

Matt Dennis / E. E Muirs

Steve Petty / CAIT

Mike Bailey / Newry Station

10:10am

Easy P and the Importance of Phosphorus in Breeding Animals

Tim Schatz / NT DITT

10:30am

Morning tea

Biosecurity

11:00am

Lumpy Skin and Foot & Mouth Update

Ross Ainsworth / NT DITT

Paddock Power

11:30am

Decisions in the Paddock

Christie Pearson / NT DITT

Animal welfare, genetics and reproduction

12:00pm

Animal Wellbeing Update

Michael Laurence / Program Manager – Animal Wellbeing, MLA

12:20pm

Genetics and Reproduction Panel - Panel discussion with Q&A, facilitated by Gretel

Bailey-Preston, NT DITT

Elsie Dodd / UQ – Genomics R&D

Brad Inglis / Sturt Plains Station

1:30pm

Event wrap-up and lunch