



2024 TEAM TE MANIA WORKSHOP

Successful and profitable beef farming in 2030
20 – 22 MAY, 2024 ORANGE, NSW



WELCOME

Property Visit – Day 2
Duncan Clowes, Valdemar, Millthorpe, NSW

TE MANIA ANGUS BREEDING BETTER BEEF

ACCOMMODATION

Mercure Orange
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WORKSHOP COST

Workshop, lunches and dinners	\$350 pp
Team Te Mania Members	No Charge

WORKSHOP ENQUIRIES

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What does the beef farm of 2030 look like? How is Team Te Mania going to get there.

MONDAY 20TH MAY

ACCOMMODATION ARRIVAL <i>Mercure Hotel Orange</i>	From 2:00pm
WELCOME DRINKS <i>Orange Ex-Services' Club, Piano Bar 231-243 Anson St, Orange</i>	5.30pm
TEAM TE MANIA WELCOME DINNER <i>The Green House of Orange / Orange Ex-Services' Club</i> <i>www.thegreenhouseoforange.com.au</i> Hosted by Edward Gubbins & Sam Reid	6.30pm for 7.00pm

TUESDAY 21ST MAY

BREAKFAST <i>The Coffee Shop, Orange Ex-Services' Club (OESC)</i>	From 7.30am
STRESS MANAGEMENT VIRTUAL SESSION with Georgie Gubbins (Optional) 8.00 - 9.00am <i>Tobruk room, OESC</i>	8.00am
Meet at Mercure Hotel lobby for bus departure	9.15am
GUIDED SITE TOUR, SPARKLABS CULTIV8 <i>Orange Agricultural Institute (NSW DPI)</i>	9.45am
VALDEMAR, MILLTHORPE - Duncan Clowes The 1200-hectare property is spread across hill country just outside Millthorpe. Buying his first Te Mania-blood Angus cows in 2010, Duncan, along with wife Eileen and daughter Jessica, have expanded their commercial herd to now run 800 breeding cows at their 1200ha property at Millthorpe in Central West NSW and 607ha leased property at Orange. Originally running crossbred ewes, they run about 1200 Merino ewes and 800 crossbred ewes alongside the cattle.	11.30am - 3.00pm
Bus returns to Mercure Hotel	3.30pm
TEAM TE MANIA COLLABORATIVE GENOTYPING PROJECT <i>Progeny test members only</i> <i>Tobruk room, OESC</i> Christian Duff , <i>General Manager Genetic Improvement, Angus Australia</i> Te Mania Angus, Angus Australia and Zoetis have partnered in a collaborative effort to offer a genotyping initiative to the Team Te Mania progeny test herds. This project will essentially share the genotyping costs which will enable the data collected in the herds to contribute to the overall Angus Australia reference population most effectively.	4.30pm
TEAM TE MANIA DINNER , <i>The Union Bank Orange, 84 Byng Street, Orange</i> Speaker Tim Sullivan - <i>Sales Director, Endeavour Meats</i> Tim Sullivan is a Co-Founder/Director of Endeavour Meats Australia. They are a regionally based Beef and Lamb processor that exports their products to their numerous offices around the world.	6.30pm for 7.00pm

WEDNESDAY 22TH MAY – CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

BREAKFAST <i>The Coffee Shop, Orange Ex-Services' Club (OESC)</i>	From 7.30am
WORKSHOP ARRIVAL <i>The Green House of Orange, Orange Ex-Services' Club</i>	9.15am for 9.30am
WELCOME ADDRESS Hamish McFarlane	9.30am
LOW METHANE BEEF Tom Granleese , <i>Research Officer Quantitative Genetics, NSW DPI</i> For over 15 years Tom has worked in the agriculture industry in both private practice and research at the University of New England and now NSW DPI. He currently works in beef, sheep and goat research.	9.40am
ALTERNATIVE SUCCESSION THROUGH COMMUNITY LED FARM OWNERSHIP. SUCCESSION PLANNING FOR FUTURE SUCCESS Stephen Fisher , <i>Circular Head Farms director</i> Stephen is Founder and Managing Director of Circular Head Farms in North West Tasmania. A locally owned investment group provided an opportunity for Australians to invest in agriculture and build equity and potentially provide a pathway onto farm ownership.	10.00am
FEED EFFICIENCY AND INNOVATIVE NUTRITION Lachlan Campbell , <i>Co-founder and CEO. ProAgni</i> Lachlan is the co-founder and CEO of ProAgni an antibiotic-free animal feed supplement company. ProAgni was founded to have a profound positive impact on communities through unique and novel animal nutrition.	10.20am
MORNING TEA	10.45am
THE TE MANIA ANGUS INDEX AND AN UPDATE ON THE SOUTHERN MULTI BREED PROJECT Dr Brad Walmsley , <i>Animal Genetics and Breeding Unit (AGBU)</i> Brad is responsible for the R&D in breeding objectives and selection indexes for beef cattle including the continued development and support of industry application of the BreedObject technology.	11.00am
THE ADVANTAGES OF GENOMIC TESTING AND TEAM TE MANIA PROJECT UPDATE Lachlan Ayoub , <i>Sales Representative-Genetics Livestock, Zoetis</i> The benefits and an update on the collaboration project between Angus Australia, Zoetis and Team Te Mania.	11.45am
CATTLE COUNCIL UPDATE AND VISION FOR BEEF IN 2030 George King , <i>Industry Spokesperson and Board Member Cattle Australia</i> George is a current board Member of Cattle Australia. He is a seventh generation Australian farmer, currently managing his family property which they have held since 1880. George operates an Angus breeding and finishing operation joining 1,500 cows per year, with a low-cost model turning off steers at feeder weights and direct sales of females.	12.00pm
LUNCH	12.30pm
AFTERNOON TEAM COLLABORATION SESSION	1.30pm
GENETICS UPDATE Tom Gubbins	1.30pm
VISION FOR THE FUTURE - TEAM PARTNERSHIP PLANNING Hamish McFarlane	2.00pm
COLLABORATIVE SESSION Team Member Feedback Forum / Q&A Open floor discussion chaired by Sam Reid and Edward Gubbins	2.30pm
Event concludes	3.30pm