



Future-proofing NZ Potatoes

2023 Potatoes NZ Conference


22nd August 2023
Te Pae Convention Centre, Christchurch



Conference Programme

Dobson Rooms

Programme is subject to change

Tuesday 22 August		
Time	Topic	Speaker
8.00am	Registration Arrival Tea & Coffee Amongst the Exhibitors	
8.30am	Conference Welcome & Opening	Mary Lambie Kate Truffitt - CEO (Potatoes New Zealand)
8.45am	Sustainable Vegetable Systems (SVS)	Bruce Searle Dr Trish Fraser Hamish Brown (Plant and Food Research)
9.45am	Morning Tea Amongst the Exhibitors – Proudly sponsored by Primary Insight.	
10.15am	Soil Resilience to Adapt to a Changing Climate	Darren Long (Soil First) Sponsored by:  Plant & Food Research Rangahau Ahumāra Kai
11.00am	Canterbury Potato Liberibacter Initiative (CPLI) Introduction	John Jackson (Potatoes New Zealand)
11.15am	Canterbury Potato Liberibacter Initiative	Jessica Dohmen-Vereijssen (Plant and Food Research) Clive Kaiser (Lincoln University)
12.00pm	Potatoes New Zealand AGM	
12.30pm	Lunch Break Amongst the Exhibitors – Sponsored by Corteva Agriscience	
1.30pm	Tuber Moth	Ian Kirkwood (Potatoes New Zealand) Daniel Sutton (Fresh Veg New Zealand)

		Jessica Dohmen-Vereijssen (Plant and Food Research)
2.00pm	Economic Sustainability	Cameron Bagrie
3.00pm	Afternoon Tea Amongst the Exhibitors - Proudly sponsored by Leicesters Soil Solutions.	
3.30pm	Powdery Scab	Professor Calum Wilson University of Tasmania
4.15pm	Potatoes New Zealand <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grower priorities • Panel with PNZ Board 	Potatoes New Zealand Board
5.00pm	Networking Drinks in the Dobson Foyer proudly sponsored by McCain	
6.30pm	Entertainment with pre-dinner speaker	Hamish McKay
7.00pm	Conference Dinner in Dobson Rooms	

