

## **BIGG Trigger Point Workshop and Pasture Walk**

## Tuesday 26th September 2023, 10.30am-4.00pm

With the season forecast to cut out early, BIGG will be running a workshop to help manage this risk and develop strategies going forward. In conjunction with the workshop, we will be visiting farmers who have sown mixed species pasture/hay options, including a newly installed water trough pumping system that aims to increase water intake through aeration.

| Time   | Topic  | Location                               |
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| 10.30- | <u>Trigger Point workshop</u>                                | Hoopman Room, Vine Inn, Nuriootpa      |
| 12.30  | (Deb Scammell, BIGG/Talking Livestock)                       |  |
|        | <ul> <li>Seasonal conditions and making decisions</li> </ul> |  |
|        | - Trigger points to determine if and when to                 |  |
|        | containment feed   |  |
|        | - Forecast of ration costs                                   |  |
| 12.30  | Lunch - Vine Inn   |  |
| 1.45-  | Multi species pasture vs ryegrass pasture                    | Neldner's - Paddock opposite Two Hands |
| 2.15   | (Matty Neldner & Brett Nietschke, BIGG)                      | Wines, 273 Neldner Rd, Marananga       |
| 2.45-  | Croc Trough Pumping System                                   | Hurn's - 42 Clifton Rd, Angaston       |
| 3.15   | (William Hurn & Janie Evans, BIGG)                           |  |
| 3.20-  | Oats/ryegrass/clover pasture for grazing and hay             | Zander's - Paddock just north of 256   |
| 3.50   | (Ben Zander & Brett Nietschke, BIGG)                         | Flaxmans Valley Road, Angaston         |
| 4.00   | Drinks and nibbles - Zander's shearing shed                  |  |

**Cost: Free (including lunch!)** 

RSVP: Essential for catering purposes by 12pm Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Sept

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