

## Avocado Regional Forum

## **TriState Regional Forum**

## Wednesday August 14 2019

Presentations: Renmark Club, 160 Murray Avenue, Renmark

Orchard walk: Nick Hobbs - Chinoola Orchards, 160 Tarcoola Street, Renmark

## Agenda

Time	ltem	Presenter
8:45am - 9:15am	Registration	Tea & Coffee Available
9:15am - 10:00am	Industry Update	John Tyas - Avocados Australia (AAL)
10:00am - 10:15am	New fruit management and handling project - AV18000	Bridie Carr - Department of Agriculture & Fisheries
10:15am - 10:45am	Morning Tea	
10:45am - 11:30am	Using Plant Growth Regulators (PGRs) in Avocados	Harley Smith - CSIRO
11:30am - 11:45am	Maximising yield and reducing seasonal variation - AV16005 (project update)	TBA - CSIRO
11:45am - 12:30pm	Managing canopies through PGRs and nitrogen	Grower Experiences
12:30pm - 12:40pm	Q&A session	Panel Discussion
12:40pm - 1:30pm	Lunch	
1:05pm - 1:30pm	General Meeting	South Australian Avocado Growers Association (SAAGA)
1:30pm - 3:00pm	Orchard Walk	Nick Hobbs & Sebastian Recabarren (IMTRADE Australia) - PGR trial
	End	PGR - Plant Growth Regulator
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