

WAI RURAL ENVIRO SERIES

All sessions are limited to 10 people - RSVP essential



SEPT 16th 9.30 – 11am

THE REGULATORY LANDSCAPE

with Kate Scott from Landpro



Kate Scott is the founder and Executive Director of Landpro Limited, a planning, surveying and environmental company she jointly founded in 2007. Kate also recently founded GroundHQ, an environmental advisory firm focused on fostering environmental excellence within agri-business.

Kate will cover the current regulatory landscape, the proposed changes and what it means for you, with plenty of time for questions.

DEC 1st 9.30 – 11am

UNDERSTANDING CARBON ON FARM

with Rachel Cooper



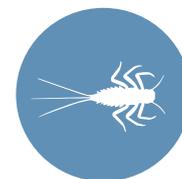
Rachel is a Business Sustainability Advisor with a background in climate change science and circular economics. She supports people to measure and understand the environmental impact of their business and their activities. Previously, Rachel established, and project managed an innovation and practice change work programme. She has also developed national climate change policies and agricultural emissions reduction strategies.

Carbon is a hot topic at the moment, but what does it truly mean for your farm? Join Rachel Cooper for a discussion around the impact of Agricultural Green House Gas emissions on farming businesses.

OCT 20th 9.30 – 11am

AQUATIC HEALTH

with Ash Rabel WAI Wanaka's Science Co-ordinator



Ash has a BSc. in Biological Sciences, Post Grad Diploma of Science (with distinction) and a MSc. in Zoology, specifically focusing on Ecophysiology/ Ecotoxicology. He has spent many an hour soaked to the skin trying to find good specimens for analysis and even more time playing around with monitoring technology and all the data that these efforts create and can be safely assumed to be a science geek.

Ash will be answering your questions about WHAT is aquatic health, WHY should we consider it and HOW do we measure and manage it from a farm perspective.

FEB 2022 9.30 – 11am

PLANTS, PLANTS, PLANTS

with Arne Cleland



Arne and Jenny Cleland started Pukerau Nursery and 'retired' to Wānaka - Arne's home town - a couple of years ago. Throughout his time in Southland Arne continued to eco-source seed for natives from Wānaka and the surrounds. Having worked with farmers for many years, Arne will answer your questions about native plants, and planting, within a farm business.

Join a practical session with Arne to understand native plant species, where to plant (choosing your areas), and why it's important to consider biodiversity and water quality when you plant.

