



News Letter

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Product of The Year WE WON!

NutriSoil was awarded Product of the Year (non-food) with Australian Organic at an awards ceremony in Melbourne in November 2016. The judges were highly impressed with both the quality of the operation at NutriSoil, and the integrity behind the business that has invested heavily in product research and farmer education.



New Bank Partnership

It's time... we have made a significant decision to move over to a local, community driven, non-profit-focussed institution – yes we're moving over to Hume Bank.

Our new account details are:

Name: NutriHealth Int
BSB: 640 000
Acc: 111 232 287



Sharing the Message through *On Farm Sessions*

Soil health is now seen as not just a biological but a human science. The future of soil and human health depends on how well we understand that extension. Are you passionate about wanting your friends and neighbours to experience the positive results and extended soil, profit and human health benefits from using NutriSoil? Hosting an on farm session is a powerful tool which has led to hot spots of biological farmers expand in districts. After these sessions farmers have experienced strong farming community networks and resourceful bulk billing opportunities within these groups. *It's also a great way to share your story and inspire your fellow farmers.* We are eager to get back out on the road, invite us to your area with 5-20 farmers in attendance and be rewarded with a complimentary 25L.



Did you say Bulk Rates!!!

With the cropping sector taking off nationwide, we have reviewed our bulk rates and allowed for bulk ordering to be at rates below the 10,000L rate of \$4.05.

The new rates are:

15,000L = \$3.95/L
 20,000L = \$3.85/L

In other news, we have extended the Dairy Crisis 25% discount to dairy operations of any size to June 30, 2017!

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February

- ▶ **17-19** Seymour Alternative Farm Expo
- ▶ **23** Biological Farming Round Table

March

- ▶ **7-8** Maarten Stapper - Dandaragan
- ▶ **7-9** Wimmera (Horsham) Field Days
- ▶ **30 Mar-2 Apr** Warragul Farm World - Lardner Park

April

- ▶ **20** Tallangatta Farm Expo
- ▶ **27** Biological Farming Round Table

May

- ▶ **4-6** Agfest Launceston

June

- ▶ **6-8** Farmfest (Toowoomba)
- ▶ **15-17** Primex Casino
- ▶ **29** Biological Farming Round Table
- ▶ **14-15** Mudgee Small Farm FD

July

- ▶ **27** NutriSoil Open Day

August

- ▶ **22-24** Agquip Gunnedah Field Days
- ▶ **30-31** Dowerin (WA) Field Days
- ▶ **31** Biological Farming Round Table

September

- ▶ **15-16** Riverland (SA) Field Days
- ▶ **19-21** Henty Machinery Field Days

October

- ▶ **3-5** Elmore Field Days
- ▶ **14-15** Murrumbateman Field Days
- ▶ **26** Biological Farming Round Table



Productive and Profitable Farming Systems with Healthy Soils

Dr Maarten Stapper, Dandaragan, WA 7th & 8th March Bookings Essential

WA farmers will have the opportunity to get close and personal with Dr Maarten Stapper, one of Australia's foremost Biological Scientists, over a 2-day short course in Dandaragan.

Dr Stapper helps farmers improve the profitability of their operations by harnessing the power of natural soil processes, improving their use of inputs and understanding those practices that negatively impact on soil fertility.



Key Farmer Alert – We Need Leaders

Anyone that has attended our education and open days will testify that NutriSoil is not only about sales of NutriSoil. There is a much more important goal we all play a part in and that is helping fellow farmers to realise the detriment that modern farming has caused to our land and the importance of transitioning to farming in-line with nature. We operate in a market economy as well as a natural economy, in the pursuit of public health, it is essential that our farmers produce high integrity food with healthy profit margins through practicing regenerative farming.

Nominate yourself, or a farmer you know that could play a support role in advocating and advising biological farming principals.

Call us to discuss 02 6020 9676.



Biological Farming Roundtable

The February Biological Farming Roundtable will strike a cord for any broadacre cropping farmer.

The group will be facilitated by Nakala Maddock and Col Harper.

Nakala is an adult educator who has facilitated training in communication, teamwork and leadership in Government Organisations. Nakala is currently undertaking her Masters in Sustainable Agriculture and is a passionate messenger of change in the food production and agricultural industry

Col Harper operates a 5,000 acre mixed farming enterprise in Aria Park, NSW and will be translating the well-known American book "When Weeds Talk" by Jan McCaman into an Australian version of local weeds. This book maps and explains the mineral deficiencies where a weed is present.

WHEN: Thursday 23rd February

TIME: 10:00am to 12:00pm

WHERE: 343 Whytes Road, Baranduda, VIC 3691

COST: **FREE** – Morning tea provided.

What's to come for 2017?

27 Apr Monitoring Soil Biology with David Hardwick

29 Jun Pulling Apart Soil Tests with David Hardwick

31 Aug On Farm Bugs and Brews with David Hardwick

26 Oct Understanding Soil Constraints with David Hardwick

Time to go digital

We invite those with email addresses to update details so we can move into a more streamlined and efficient method of contact and away from snail - mail. We will continue to post newsletters to those without email or who prefer to receive their newsletter in hardcopy.

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