

# FARM BUSINESS UPDATE

## 2026



### High performing farms

**Karribank Retreat, Porongurup, Friday 13 February**

## PROGRAM

<b>8.30am</b>	Registrations open	
<b>9.00am</b>	GRDC Welcome	GRDC
<b>9.10am</b>	Understanding farm benchmarking & how to integrate new agronomic research	<i>Peter Newman (Planfarm)</i> virtual delivery with LIVE Q&A
<b>9.55am</b>	Positive, proactive communication language	<i>Dr Jane Foster (Emotional Resilience Training)</i>
<b>10.40am</b>	Morning Tea	
<b>11.10am</b>	Strategic planning: taking control with a farm business strategy	<i>Jeanette Long (Ag Consulting Co)</i>
<b>12.40pm</b>	Lunch	
<b>1.30pm</b>	Managing capital in a farm enterprise	<i>Joanne Gilbert (RSM Australia)</i>
<b>2.15pm</b>	Optimising machinery investment: repair or replace?	<i>Ben White (Kondinin Group)</i>
<b>3.00pm</b>	Bringing it all together	
<b>3.10pm</b>	GRDC Closing comments	GRDC

*Program, topics and presenters subject to change without notification*