



SOILCARE EXPO 2009

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Wollongbar Agricultural Institute

Site Number	Name of Organization	Description of products or services Website address	Contact Person Address	Phone/Fax Mobile/Email
9	Agrichem	Agrichem is an Australian owned manufacturer of high quality liquid fertiliser technology which supplies to a range of cropping industries worldwide. Agrichem also proudly manufactures 8 BFA certified products for organic/sustainable growers to choose from. www.agrichem.com.au	Chris Poletto 8 Parry St North Lakes Qld 4509	Phone: 0428 450491 Fax: Email: chrisp@agrichem.com.au
19	Ag Solutions Australia	AgSolutions is an Australian owned company providing solutions for soil regeneration and livestock nutrition. NatraMin Mineral fertiliser and Soil Conditioner provides a broad spectrum of minerals which is formulated to stimulate biological activity in your soil. The team at AgSolutions can customise a soil management program which addresses the three aspects of soil fertility... Nutritional, Structural and Biological. www.agsolutions.com.au	Roger Newman 8 Wadell Road Gympie Qld 4570	Phone: 1800 815757 Fax: 07 5482 7219 Email: natramin@agsolutions.com.au
2	Ausmin Australia	Ausmin provides products and services designed to support the Australian agricultural sector transition to more sustainable farming. www.ausmin.net.au	David Hardwick 35 Project Street Warwick Q 4370	Phone: 07 4661 7277 Fax: 07 4661 7303 Email: d.hardwick@ausmin.net.au
4	Australian Macadamia Society	The AMS is the peak body for the Australian macadamia industry. The AMS oversees the levy, R&D and marketing programs funded through Horticulture Australia and promotes and drives the development and continuing prosperity of the industry. www.macadamias.org	Jolyon Burnett Suite 1, 113 Dawson St Lismore NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6622 4933 Fax: 02 6622 4932 Email: exec@macadamias.org

28	Byron Shire Council	Byron Shire contains some of the highest biodiversity and most productive land in NSW. Byron Shire Council has strategies for achieving Sustainable Agriculture and Biodiversity Conservation within the Shire. Visit our stall and find out more about this vision for productive, profitable and diverse agricultural enterprises in living landscapes. Learn more about the importance of local food systems and find out how to restore wildlife habitat on areas of your land.	Wendy Neilan PO Box 219 Mullumbimby NSW 2482	Phone: 02 6626 7119 Fax: 02 6684 3018 Email: wendy.neilan@byron.nsw.gov.au
21	Coates Horticulture	Horticultural advisory services to the macadamia industry and horticulture. Our business advises and promotes sustainable farming practices with an emphasis on soil and environmental management.	Alan Coates PO Box 306 The Channon NSW 2480	Mobile: 0427 204 591 Email: coatesagriculture@yahoo.com.au
15	Creighton Fertilizer Spreading	Our spreaders are equipped with GPS Guidance Systems, computerised spreading management and low compact tyres. We provide services for tea tree, macadamias, broad acre, cane, crop farming and seed spreading. We spread all fertilisers from chicken manure, compost to super, lime, gypsum, feedlot and compost. All enquiries are welcome. We service Far North Coast and surrounding areas.	Gavin & Jodie Creighton 340 Old Dyraba Rd. Casino NSW 2470	Phone: 02 6667 5121 Fax: 02 6667 5021 Email: joegav@activ8.net.au
20	Environmental Analysis Laboratory	EAL is a commercial research and teaching laboratory in the School of Environmental Science and Management at Southern Cross University. EAL specialises in routine soil, leaf and water analysis, providing competitively priced services, quick turnaround and quality assured results. Soils analysis can include totals, available and soluble nutrients to assess nutrient cycling in your soils or your farm. www.scu.edu.au/eal	Graham Lancaster PO Box 157 Lismore NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6620 3678 Email: glancast@scu.edu.au
14	East Coast Spreaders	For details see Woodchippers Australia		

23	EnvITE	<p>EnvITE has been providing employment services, training and professional environmental services for over 15 years. EnvITE Employment has successfully completed over 850 restoration projects working with a multitude of partners throughout the region. EnvITE Training is a recognised leader in Conservation and Land Management training and runs regular Chem Cert courses. EnvITE Employment has a Job Services Australia contract to provide specialist employment services in the Richmond area (Lismore, Kyogle, Nimbin, Casino and Evans Head). www.envite.org.au</p>	<p>Kirrily Owen Level 1 Carrington St. Lismore NSW 2480</p>	<p>Phone: 02 6621 9588 Fax: 02 6622 2518 Email: Lismore@envite.org.au</p>
17	Far North Coast Weeds	<p>Far North Coast Weeds is responsible for the control and management of noxious weeds in Tweed, Byron, Ballina, Richmond Valley, Lismore and Kyogle shires. FNCW works closely with its constituent councils, landowners and the CMA in controlling noxious and environmental weeds on public and private lands. FNCW also provides information and guidance in best practice weed control techniques and fee-for-service weed control activities on private property. www.fncw.nsw.gov.au</p>	<p>John Moorhouse PO Box 230 Lismore NSW 2480</p>	<p>Phone: 02 6623 3833 Fax: 02 6622 1181 Email: fncw@fncw.nsw.gov.au</p>
15	Industry & Investment NSW (formerly DPI)	<p>Come to the NSW DPI tent at the SoilCare expo and see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How your soils are analysed at our labs • The latest information and research on biochar • New soil health research findings for the blueberry industry • How to make your farm fish friendly <p>and much much more</p>	<p>Wollongbar Agricultural Institute 1243 Bruxner Highway Wollongbar 2477</p>	<p>Phone: 02 6626 1357 Fax: 02 6628 1744 Email: abigail.jenkins@industry.nsw.gov.au</p>
30	Lismore Motorcycles	<p>We have available the American made FERRIS zero turn mowers, capable of maintaining parklands and private property from 3.5 acres/hour up to 7.2 acres/hour, with engine sizes from 21hp V-twin petrol up to the 33 ½ HP Caterpillar diesel engines. We will have on show our prototype Gas-Powered Ferris IS3100Z zero turn mower with a 61" cutting deck and a 32 hp LPG fuelled twin engine. Our mowers have patented suspension which helps to minimise back injury and addresses OH&S issues for property managers and owners. www.liscycles.com.au</p>	<p>Phillip Eckersley 3 Three Chain Road South Lismore 2480</p>	<p>Phone: 02 6643 3640 Fax: 02 6621 8971 Email: mowers@liscycles.com.au</p>

3	Mapleton Agri Biotec TwinN	<p>ADVANCED NITROGEN MANAGEMENT</p> <p>Suppliers of Twin N high performance free living nitrogen fixing microbes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic and sustained in-crop nitrogen supply for legumes and non-legumes. • Develop larger, more efficient root systems • Release soil bound nutrients like phosphorous and calcium <p>www.mabiotec.com</p>	Graham Golding	<p>Phone: 07 5445 7151 Fax: 07 5445 7769 Mobile: 0427 894665 Email: grahamgolding@mabiotec.com</p>
19	Natrakelp Pty Ltd	<p>Using world renowned Tasmania Bull Kelp (<i>Duvillea Potatorum</i>), Natrakelp has been manufacturing liquid SEAWEED products for plants and animals since 1957. The company has developed a modern process of effectively liquefying and fermenting the whole kelp to provide one of the world's richest sources of pure minerals and micronutrients. The process maximises the absorption of the high nutrient and growth support components of the kelp when applied to plants and animals.</p> <p>www.darglen-agencies.com</p>	Darryl Smith 9 Cotswold Street Mt Warren Park Qld 4207	<p>Phone: 07 3807 3230 Fax: 07 3807 3230 Mobile: 0417 718416 Email: darryl.smith@darglen-agencies.com</p>
22	North Coast Institute of TAFE	<p>Training provider in rural production techniques and skills, including soil management, integrated pest management, macadamia and production horticulture, organic farming techniques and beef cattle production.</p> <p>www.nci.tafensw.edu.au</p>	Phil Harvey PO Box 534, Alstonville NSW 2477	<p>Phone: 02 6620 4723 Fax: 02 6620 4897 Email: Phillip.Harvey@det.nsw.edu.au</p>
7	Northern Rivers Catchment Management Authority	<p>The Northern Rivers CMA provides advice and funding to individuals and community groups for targeted land use planning, biodiversity conservation, water management, coastal and marine resource management and soil and land resource management projects. A soil officer will be available at EXPO for advice on earthworks.</p> <p>www.northern.cma.gov.au</p>	Peter Boyd NRCMA PO Box 678 Murwillumbah NSW 2484	<p>Phone: 02 6676 7393 Fax: 02 6676 7396 Email: peter.boyd@cma.nsw.gov.au</p>

6	O'Grady Rural	<p>O'Grady Rural focuses on rebuilding an abundance of soil organic carbon by encouraging and nurturing farmers to form more diverse partnerships with Nature.</p> <p>Our services and products enable clients to break away from the win-lose focus of destructive and exploitative industrialised farming that promotes a continued reliance on the application of chemical inputs.</p> <p>www.smartbugs.com.au</p>	Ray O'Grady PO Box 6168 South Lismore NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6621 6088 Fax: 02 6621 6088 Email: rogrady@bigpond.net.au
11	Orchard Floor Protection Service	<p>A service to help promote orchard sustainability by integrating drainage, ground cover and other strategies to reduce runoff, erosion and other soil degradation. A complete assessment of runoff and erosion control requirements is offered along with the option to arrange and supervise their implementation.</p>	Daryl Firth 199 James Gibson Rd. Clunes NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6629 1412 Fax: 02 6629 1627 Email: dfi17428@bigpond.net.au
24	Organic Crop Protectants	<p>Organic insecticides, nematicides, fungicides, foliar and soil nutrients/fertilisers, plant biostimulants: seaweed extracts; biologicals</p> <p>www.ocp.com.au</p> <p>Organic gardening products www.ecoorganicgarden.com.au</p>	Leyland Minter 42 Halloran Street Lilyfield NSW 2040	Phone: 1800 634 204 02 6684 7656 Mobile: 0418 477 665 Email: leyland@ocp.com.au
10	Pacific Pyrolysis	<p>Pacific Pyrolysis is commercialising the BEST energies pyrolysis technology in the Asia Pacific region, which through the co-production of renewable energy and biochar from sustainable feedstocks, results in a net removal of greenhouse gases from the atmosphere.</p> <p>www.pacificpyrolysis.com</p>	Adriana Downie 56 Gindurra Rd Somersby NSW 2250	Phone: 02 4340 4911 Fax: 02 4340 4878 Email: Adriana.downie@pacificpyrolysis.com
13	Pellenc Green Technology	<p>We sell electric battery powered pruning equipment for commercial use. Pellenc is well known in the viticultural industry.</p> <p>www.pellenc.com.au</p>	David Price 59 Weis Lane Alstonville NSW 2477	Phone: 0418 241361 Fax: 02 66283580 Email: Juliedavid@activ8.net.au

27	PestWeb	<p>PestWeb is a regional insect pest-monitoring program and web based information-sharing tool for farmers, extension officers and researchers. Farmers and researchers monitor insect populations and upload the results to an online database where the information is stored and shared with other farmers and researchers. PestWeb offers farmers regional information on current incidence and movement of pest over time. PestWeb is a Tuckombil Landcare initiative supported by SoilCare Inc through funding from the Australian Government's <i>Caring for our Country</i> and Industry and Investment NSW.</p> <p>www.pestweb.com.au</p>	<p>Bonnie Walker SoilCare Inc Dr Ruth Huwer Centre for Tropical Horticulture, Alstonville</p>	<p>Phone: 02 6628 1788 Fax: 02 6628 3310 Email: bonnie@soilcare.org</p>
18	Precision Mulch Spreading	<p>Precision Mulch Spreading provides a service to the farming sector, band spreading of all types of compost and mulches to target areas at whatever widths and depths desired.</p>	<p>Bill Johnstone 64 Humpty Back Road McLeans Ridges 2480</p>	<p>Phone: 6628 8959 Fax: 02 6628 8952 Mobile: 0428 159624 Email: billj@bordnet.com.au</p>
5	Richmond Landcare Inc	<p>Richmond Landcare is the umbrella landcare network for the Richmond Catchment, managed by volunteers. Seven volunteers comprise the management committee and elected from the more than 75 Landcare groups which make up the network group.</p> <p>We are an incorporated non-profit group formed to support community Landcare groups and natural resource management projects. The current management committee has expertise in bush regeneration, horticulture, banking, public school education, beef cattle production, auctioneering, forestry, corporate management, public relations, media and natural resource management.</p> <p>www.richmondlandcare.org</p>	<p>Tony Walker Secretary/Treasurer PO Box 525 Alstonville NSW 2477</p>	<p>Phone: 02 6619 1582 Fax: 02 6628 3310 Mobile: 0427 485 910 Email: info@richmondlandcare.org</p>
16	Rous Water	<p>Rous Water is the regional water supply authority supplying water to the local authority areas of Lismore (excluding Nimbin), Ballina (excluding Wardell) and Richmond Valley (excluding land to the west of Coraki). In the Northern Rivers region Rous Water operates water catchment areas at Rocky creek, Emigrant Creek, the Wilsons River and is currently undertaking investigations for the future water supply including the proposed Dunoon Dam. The quality of water ultimately provided to its consumers is dependent upon the quality of the water</p>	<p>Anthony Acret PO Box 230 Lismore NSW 2480</p>	<p>Phone: 02 6621 8055 Fax: 02 6622 1181 Email: anthony.acret@rouswater.nsw.gov.au</p>

		draining to the water extraction points from the catchment areas. Activities undertaken and catchment conditions in the abovementioned water catchment areas ultimately affect the quality of the water draining from the catchment. Soil management is an essential component of a healthy catchment www.rouswater.nsw.gov.au		
19	Rural Buying Service Supplier reps: Seasol Int'l SoilTec Lab Merv Dudgeon – supplier of smother grass	Suppliers of agricultural products to the nursery/farming industry for fertiliser, irrigation, chemicals, etc. Supplier representatives are listed at left. www.ruralbuying.com.au	Tony Cameron 42 Kays Lane Alstonville NSW 2477 & Kyogle Rd Lismore NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6628 5444 Fax: 02 6628 5244 Email: alstonville@ruralbuying.com.au
1	SoilCare Inc	SoilCare is an association of primary producers and others on the North Coast of NSW with special interests in soil processes. The aim of SoilCare is to provide: - a means for primary producers and others to access and share current information on sustainable soil management practices - an organisation with the ability to seek funding for educational seminars and workshops on topics identified by members - a movement to address soil issues of sustainability and productivity www.soilcare.org.au	Bonnie Walker or Pam Woods PO Box 525 Alstonville NSW 2477	Phone: 02 6628 1788 Fax: 02 6628 3310 Email: info@soilcare.org
8	Soil Foodweb International	The Soil Foodweb Institute is an international soil biology group providing laboratory soil testing and soil biology consultancy services. The team at SFI is fully committed to assisting growers achieve true sustainable soil fertility. www.soilfoodweb.com.au	Jack Waterman 1 Crawford Rd. East Lismore NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6622 5150 Fax: 02 6622 5170 Email: contact@soilfoodweb.com.au
2	The Meter Man – David von Pein	Suppliers of Brix meters, pH and Conductivity meters, Plate pasture meters, Dissolved Oxygen meters, Long Temperature probes etc for compost etc. Microscopes, Fruit Penetrometers, Soil Penetrometers for compaction. Books and CD's on Sustainable Agriculture and Human health and lots more. A farmer talking to other farmers and industry.	David von Pein P O Box 7964 Toowoomba MC Qld 4352	Phone: 07 4635 7065 Fax: 07 4635 7784 Email: dvp3@bigpond.com.au

29	Think Water	Think Water Alstonville is a leading supplier of irrigation and general water services to the Northern Rivers region. For more than 21 years Think Water Alstonville, (formerly Rothwells Pump and Irrigation), has been designing, installing and servicing the most efficient water systems available as well as stocking the widest range of irrigation products from pumps and pipes to controllers. Locally owned and operated with generations of local experience, drop on in to Think Water for all your water needs. www.thinkwater.com.au	Jayne Rothwell 24 Russellton Dr. Alstonville NSW 2477	Phone: 02 6628 6609 Fax: 02 6628 7997 Email: jayne.rothwell@thinkwater.com.au
12	Treemax	Suppliers of erosion and sediment control products, revegetation and horticultural supplies. www.treemax.com.au	Rod McDonald PO Box 507 Capalaba QLD 4157	Phone: 07 3823 5313 Fax: 07 3823 5314 Mobile: 0409 544 221 Email: qld@treemax.com.au
25	Tryton Organics	Suppliers of compost and fluid organic matter including fluid and granular silica, fertiliser and charcoal. Established in 2001. www.tryton.com.au	Leo McLean PO Box 5255 East Lismore NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6622 8855 Fax: 02 6622 8877 Mobile: 0427 197 109 Email: lmclean@tryton.com.au
14	Woodchippers Australia	Woodchipper mulchers – 19 models to choose from. They are ideal for compost or erosion control and organic matter in orchards. We have models from 16hp to 200hp which offer variable chip size. We also stock logging winches, cranes, trailers and everything you need for farm forestry. Also biological farming spreader for compost, woodchip, manure etc. Servicing the entire country we are the Australian distributor for Farmi products of Finland. www.woodchippersaustralia.com.au www.eastcoastspreaders.com.au	Shaun Stead PO Box 6181 South Lismore NSW 2480	Phone: 02 6688 8363 Fax: 02 6688 8337 Email: shaun@woodchippersaustralia.com.au

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