



IPM and Cover Crops Field Day



The field day will focus on cover crop species selection, nutrient cycling and pest management results on this farm for this year.

9.30 AM to 11.30 AM

Saturday, 18 December, 2021

Lindendale, (address supplied after booking)

The Field Day is free to SoilCare and Tropo members. Non-members donate \$10.00 on the day – cash only.



Covid restrictions apply.

Farm walk speakers include:

Denham Thompson from [S & W Seed Company](#) leading suppliers of elite seed genetics to Australian farmers. The seed product portfolio includes alfalfa, medic, clovers, vetch, forage cereals, as well as pasture and other grasses.

Kirsten Ellis, PhD candidate from the Centre for Organics Research at Southern Cross University, has set [her sights on macadamia lace bug](#). Ms Ellis' research aims to improve understanding of the lace bug's ecology and identify beneficial predators and management practices to optimise predatory activity.

Chris Carr - is an entomologist who also studies and teaches the ecology of insects. Chris works with [BioResources](#) in the [Macadamia Integrated Pest Management Project](#) focussing on inter-row management to conserve and encourage beneficials.

Ross Arnett – macadamia grower; generous collaborator in ground cover and IPM research.

Morning tea provided. Bookings to SoilCare are essential.

When booking indicate name/s, phone number & membership in SoilCare, Tropo or non-member. Booking deadline is 15 December. [Click here to book.](#)