

## DAY ONE

### WEDNESDAY

08:30 – 09:00  
Registration and welcome (Andres Reidel, Allfarm NZ)  
09:00 – 09:40  
Nutrition for high producers (Carolina Diaz, AllfarmNZ)  
09:40 – 10:10  
Feed efficiency conversion and management of cows in intensive systems (Adolfo Alvarez, AllfarmNZ)  
10:10 – 10:40  
Management of Ketosis (Dr Laura Young, Elanco)  
10:40 – 11:00  
Morning tea  
11:00 – 11:40  
Lameness management programme (Fred Hoekstra, CEO VeeHof Dairy Services Ltd)  
11:40 – 12:20  
Mastitis management for high producers (Dr. Kiro Petrovski, Massey University)  
12:20 – 13:00  
Reproduction in high producers (Dr. Tim Parkinson, Massey University)  
13:00 – 13:40  
Lunch  
13:40 – 17:00  
Herd Homes® Farm visit  
18:00 – 19:00  
Buffet Gala dinner  
19:00 – 20:30  
Entertainment Duo

## DAY TWO

### THURSDAY

08:30 – 08:50  
Presentation and sponsors acknowledgment  
08:50 – 09:20  
Efficiencies in Dairy Shed (Vern Coxhead, Corkill Systems)  
09:20 – 10:00  
Herd Homes® return on investment (Tom Pow)  
10:00 – 10:40  
Individual cow feeding (Andrew Robarts, Allfarm NZ)  
10:40 – 11:00  
Morning tea  
11:00 – 11:40  
Fertiliser and manure (Andres Reidel, Allfarm NZ)  
11:40 – 12:20  
Biological Fertiliser (Jim McMillan, CEO Outgro)  
12:20 – 13:00  
Traditional Fertiliser (Dr. Ants Roberts, Ravensdown)  
13:00 – 13:40  
Lunch  
13:40 – 14:10  
Alternative protein sources (Nigel Meads, Alltech)  
14:10 – 14:40  
Energy requirements (Dr. Julian Waters, Nutritech)  
14:40 – 15:10  
Salt requirements (Shaun Balemi, Agvance)  
15:10 – 15:30  
Afternoon tea  
15:30 – 16:00  
Feed-pad utilisation in high producers (David-Raewyn and Jeremy Bennett, Waikato farmers)  
16:00 – 16:30  
In-shed feeding in high producers (Kevin Davidson, Hawkes Bay farmer)  
16:30 – 17:00  
Herd Homes® in high producers (Manawatu farmer)



**Sustainable farm profitability**

## DAIRY LEADERS ALLFARM NZ CONFERENCE

**PALMERSTON NORTH**  
**Kingsgate Hotel**  
**6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> July 2011**

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## SPEAKERS

**DR KIRO PETROVSKI** BVSc – Senior Research officer , Massey University  
Area of expertise is in dairy cattle medicine, mastitis, lactation biology, and milk harvesting and quality.

**DRTIMPARKINSON** BVSc, PhD - Professor, Dairy Systems, Massey University  
Area of expertise is cattle, reproductive physiology, veterinary medicine, animal production

**FREDHOEKSTRA** – VeeHof Dairy Services Ltd Founder of VeeHof Dairy Services Ltd has been trained in Europe and holds a diploma in hoofcare according to the Dutch method.

**TOM POW** – Herd Homes® Director  
Herd Homes® Shelter is a covered area in which animals can relax, be fed, and lie down in comfort - all with a built-in and sustainable effluent system.

**JIMMCMILLAN** – Outgro CEO  
Founder of Outgro Bio Agricultural Limited. Biological solutions for healthy soil, healthy pasture, healthy stock & a healthy bottom line.

**DRANTSROBERTS** BAgSc, PhD - Chief Scientific Officer for Ravensdown Fertiliser Co-Operative. Research interests includes soil fertility (particularly in dairying). Was a Senior Scientist in AgResearch.

**ADOLFO ALVAREZ** BAgSc, MSc - Allfarm NZ nutrition-business consultant.  
For the past 20 years Adolfo had been working in Europe in animal production, nutrition and also a laboratory assistant for the University of California.

**ANDRES REIDEL** BAgSc, DipAgSc – Allfarm NZ Director and nutrition-business consultant.  
Andres is trained and educated in both international and local universities. He specialises in fertilisation and soil nutrition over the past 20 years.

**CAROLINA DIAZ LIRA** BVSc, MVSc, currently completing PhD at Massey - Allfarm NZ Director. Carolina has an excellent reputation within the farming industry for her vast knowledge in nutrition and animal science.

**ANDREWROBARTS** – Allfarm NZ nutrition- business consultant.  
Andrew has an excellent knowledge base in the farming industry of over 30 years and has worked both locally and internationally in his field.

**DR JULIAN WATERS** BSc, MSc, PhD, CBiol, MIBiol, RNutr, CPAg,– Nutritech Limited  
Practical independent consultant in research, advisory, extension, commerce worldwide.

**NIGELMEADS** M.Agr.Sc. Alltech (NZ) Ltd.  
Previously worked as a nutritionist. Interests include feed borne mycotoxins and non-pharmaceutical approaches to pathogen control.

**SHAUNBALEM** B. Earth Sc. - Agvance Ltd.  
Founder of complete nutrition and representative of Agvance for the past 4 years.

**DR LAURA YOUNG** BVSc - Research and Regulatory Manager, Elanco Animal  
Previously worked as a dairy veterinarian and currently for Elanco. Has recently undertaken research into subclinical ketosis in dairy cows in NZ.

**VERN COXHEAD** Corkill Systems  
International Sales manager for Corkill Systems Ltd and is chief troubleshooter for their client farmers. CSL specialises in research and development and manufacture of automated products both for itself and under contract for other companies.

## REGISTRATION



## DAIRY LEADERS ALLFARM NZ CONFERENCE

Name: .....

Address: .....

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### TWO DAY CONFERENCE

- \$300+gst Early Bird Registration (including payment prior to 15 June)
- \$350+gst 2 day Registration
- \$180+gst 1 day Registration

..... Day 1 (*please tick which day attending*)  
..... Day 2

### ADDITIONAL MEALS

- (This is subsidised by ALLFARM NZ)  
Day 1 – Dinner & entertainment \$8.70+gst

TOTAL .....  
*(Please remember to add GST (15% to above costs) ALLFARM NZ GST # 99-076-577)*

### METHOD OF PAYMENT

- Direct credit to: ALLFARM NZ Ltd  
Account # 01-0755-0170518-00.  
*(Please include name in reference )*
- Cheque payable to ALLFARM NZ Ltd

### ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation available onsite at the conference, Kingsgate Hotel, 110 Fitzherbert Ave. please quote ALLFARM NZ conference delegates package for special rates.

### REFUNDS

80% of registration fees are refundable if cancellation is before the 20 June. There is no refund after the 20 June.  
Limited numbers, book early to ensure your place.

### POST CHEQUE WITH APPLICATION TO:

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