

APPC2017 Conference Tour Program

Wednesday 13 December 2017

DPIRD Katanning Research Facility (KRF) 453 Katanning Nyabing Road (approx. 4.5 kms east of Katanning)

KRF Program Timetable

6:40 - 10.00 am	Travel to Katanning Research Facility (KRF)
10.00 – 10.30 am	Morning tea and refreshments
10.30 – 12.00 pm	Welcome and introduction to the KRF (Christine Thompson Site Manager and Steve Bell Farm Manager) Demonstrations of technologies used in KRF research projects <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Labour efficiency technologies (John-Paul Collins)- Fitbits for sheep (Beth Paganoni)- Genetic Flocks (Melanie Dowling)- Pastures from Space (Perry Dolling)
12.00 – 12.15 pm	Travel to Katanning Regional Saleyards (KRS)
12.15 – 1.00 pm	Tour of the KRS facility
1.00 – 2.00 pm	Buffet lunch
2.00 – 3.00 pm	e-Connective project <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Building a model network at the KRF (Darren Gibbon) A producer's perspective <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Using technological solutions to increase efficiency, gather data and improve decision making (TBC) Q & A Panel – all speakers
3.00 pm – 3.15 pm	Afternoon tea and refreshments
3.15 pm	Return to Perth