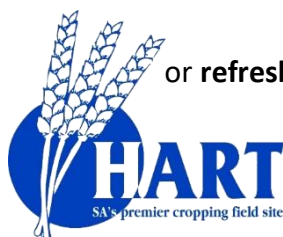


Been farming long?

We're inviting **early careers farmers** (with 0-8 year's experience) interested in **learning new skills** or **refreshing their knowledge** to register for this **8 part workshop series**.



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Each **half day** workshop will be a mix of **lecture style sessions** in the Hart shed and **practical work** to back up what you've learnt, plus a **road trip**.

Feb
27

'Cereal disease'

Marg Evans, SARDI

Root and foliar diseases; what to look for in the paddock (plant symptoms & ID), soil sampling for Predicta B testing.

Aug
14

'Insect identification'

Helen Brodie, SARDI Entomology

How to identify the insect you've found, how crop damage can help you ID the culprit, insect groups.

Mar
20

'The business of farming'

Barry Mudge, farmer & consultant

The two businesses of farming, profitability, gross margins, costs of production and risk vs return.

Sep
4

'Road trip'

visit 3 Mid-North farms

Managing different soil types and environments, crop rotations, stubble management, seeding equipment and finding the right enterprise mix.

Jun
19

'Plant growth, soil & nutrition'

Sarah Noack, Hart Field-Site Group

Determining plant growth stages, common soil types in the Mid-North, soil nitrogen cycling and plant availability.

Sep
25

'Succession planning'

Judy Wilkinson, Maro Creek

Understanding your business; what does it look now & what will it look like in the future, communication; getting the conversation flowing.

Jul
17

'Weeds and herbicides'

Peter Baker, Fenceline Consulting

Weed identification, chemical groups and how herbicides work, putting theory into practice in herbicide field trials.

Oct
16

'Commodity marketing & risk'

to be confirmed

Know your production capacity & risks, building relationships, contracts, where do insurance products fit & what is available.

**Register before
February 18**

Cost: \$300 all inclusive (places are limited)

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