



# Prepare for the Season and Update your Tools

## Workshop

'Prepare for the Season and Update your Tools' will be a jam packed afternoon session looking at preparing farmers for the break in the season, whatever that may be.

We will explore a broad range of issues around climate impacts on livestock management, grain production, farm and business resilience and market forecasting.

**When: 12 March 2019**

Beginning with a light lunch from 12:30pm, BBQ dinner at 5:20 after the event.

**Where: Hole's Woolshed, Naracoorte**

The new woolshed on western side of Langkoop Road, 2km south of Carters Road. Signs will be on the gate.

**RSVP via email with number of people attending to Nicola Turner [nicola.turner2@sa.gov.au](mailto:nicola.turner2@sa.gov.au), or call/text 0438 726 315.**



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## Workshop agenda

Speaker	From	To	Topic
Lunch	12:30pm	1:00pm	
<b>BOM</b> <i>Darren Ray</i>	1:00pm	1:40pm	Predictions for the break, long term forecast and what to expect with climate variation
<b>Elders</b> <i>Brendon Voss</i>	1:45pm	2:15pm	Feeding through late autumn/early winter and costings of different feeding options
<b>Red Meat Cluster</b> <i>Meg Bell</i>	2:20pm	2:50pm	Return on assets managed and livestock business resilience
Afternoon tea	3:50pm	3:10pm	
<b>Climate and Ag Support</b> <i>Melissa Rebbeck</i>	3:10pm	4:10pm	Tools and support for: mitigating impacts of climate, improving nitrogen management, trigger points for decision making
<b>Naracoorte Seeds</b> <i>Jamie Tidy</i>	4:15pm	4:45pm	The effect climate will have on crop and pasture planting and establishment
<b>Mecardo</b> <i>Andrew Whitelaw</i>	4:50pm	5:20pm	Market forecasting for the major commodities, and emerging alternative markets
BBQ dinner	5:20pm		

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