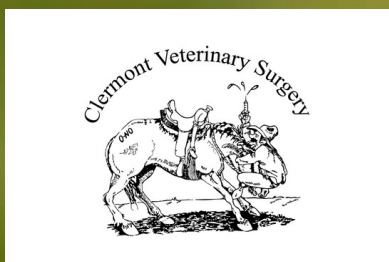


ReproActive Clermont



Weaner Management - Planning for Performance

Weaning is one of the most crucial management interventions in a beef operation, regardless of season.

Clermont Veterinary Surgery & Zoetis invite you to this informative & practical workshop. Developed by Australia's leading vets, cattle specialists & rural business experts, **ReproActive** is an outstanding workshop series designed to help maximise the reproductive & productive potential of beef herds.

Whats in Store?

- Dr Alan Guilfoyle, Clermont Vet Surgery: Implementing & managing early weaning to drive efficiency & production on farm & in the feedlot + Laying the foundations for lifelong heifer productivity using Critical Mating Weights
- Jim Wade, Wade Agricultural Consulting: Feeding weaners – meeting the needs of growing stock & the ramifications of getting it wrong
- Paul Williams, Tropical Beef Technology Services: Making use of genetic technologies to improve the bottom line
- Dr Lee Taylor, Zoetis: BRD in young cattle – Why it is important & how it can be managed

Includes practical session in cattle yards

When - 9:00am - 3:00pm, 27 March 2019

Where - Clermont Showground, Heritage Building, Wattle Hill Rd, Clermont

Cost - \$30pp (inc. admission, workshop materials, food & refreshment)

Registration & information - www.reproactiveclermont.eventbrite.com.au **RSVP essential**

Contact - Leon Buchanan - 0418 492 289, leon.buchanan@zoetis.com



Workshop experts

Dr Alan Guilfoyle, BVSc, Clermont Veterinary Surgery

Alan has dedicated his professional life to the Clermont Vet Surgery & its clients. He is passionate about all aspects of veterinary science & is a widely respected & well known advocate for animal health.

He was recognised by the Australian Cattle Vets Association as their Bovine Practitioner of the Year for 2014. Alan has also been the president of the Australian Cattle Vets Association since 2016.

If he is not in the clinic you can find Guillie tending to the “flock on the block”, his little piece of Central Queensland paradise & home to his prized steers & bullocks.



Jim Wade, B.Rur.Sc, Wade Agricultural Consultants

Jim is a consulting nutritionist, he is experienced in dairy, beef & sheep nutrition. He works with a wide range of feed & premix companies, some government departments like NQ Dry Tropics & individual farms.

Jim provides technical support to his clients including product development & diet formulation, staff training days, & nutrition seminars.

WAC has a large client base in South East Qld, Southern & Northern NSW & the Hunter Valley. Jim acts in providing feeding programs for all classes of stock & some whole farm plans.



Paul Williams, Technical Officer, Tropical Beef Technology Services

Paul commenced employment with TBTS in February 2012. Previously, Paul worked for CSIRO for 22 years based in Rockhampton working on projects within the Beef CRC. His research focused on beef production in Northern Australia.

This included performing ultrasound scanning on beef cattle for carcass & fertility traits & undertaking artificial breeding programs. He was firstly involved on the Northern Crossbreeding Project in CRC I. His work continued to CRC II & III where he specialised in ovarian & carcass scanning, studying genetic links between meat quality, adaptation and heifer puberty. In CRC III, he continued scanning the cows over six matings to study lifetime reproductive performance.



Dr Lee Talyor, Senior Livestock Veterinarian, Zoetis Australia

Lee has worked with Zoetis for 12 years, as technical support to the Zoetis livestock business in northern Australia. Lee graduated from the University of Queensland in 1988. In 1993 he completed a 2 year residency program in beef cattle herd health at the University of Saskatchewan in Canada where he conducted some of the early research on the impact of bovine pestivirus in beef herds. Lee has worked in a range of different roles including private veterinary practice, as a government veterinarian based in Biloela in central Qld & in his current role with Zoetis.

