Northern Australia Climate Program

Rain Gauge: Forecasting for a Profitable Future

WHAT & WHO

The **Northern Australia Climate Program (NACP)** and **Meat & Livestock Australia (MLA)** have developed a Profitable Grazing Systems (PGS) climate specific training course called **Rain Gauge: Forecasting for a Profitable Future.**

Red meat producers from central west Queensland are invited to participate in the pilot offering of Module 2 & 3 of PGS: Rain Gauge. In return producers will provide feedback on the content and practical relevance of this course.

KEY LEARNINGS INCLUDE:

➢ Understanding the impacts of seasonal and mid-seasonal climate drivers: ENSO, IOD, MJO, and SAM
➢ Impact seasonal conditions, including temperature and rainfall can have on breeding programs
➢ Strategies for managing pasture response and grazing pressures in unfavorable seasons
➢ How to integrate climate information and forecasts into land management plans including tools to mitigate risks associated with establishing improved pastures
➢ The impacts of thermal stress on livestock

WHEN & WHERE:

Wednesday 21st & Thursday 22nd February 2024 (2-day workshop)

8:30am – 4:30pm

Venue: Blackall Living Arts Centre
Corner Hawthorne and Rose St, Blackall

Morning tea and lunch provided both days

Register to attend:
https://share.hsforms.com/1TO1iJiLNRPif7JoCvlOOwQcp50q

For further details contact your regional Climate Mate

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