

AN INVITATION TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE NURSERY INDUSTRY

Building the Resilience and On Farm Biosecurity Workshop Series: Insect and Mite Identification and Integrated Pest Management

DATE: 09 OCTOBER 2019

TIME: 08:30AM – 1:00PM

**VENUE: REX MONEY ROOM ROUSE HILL LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY CENTRE
CNR CIVIC WAY AND MAIN STREET ROUSE HILL NSW 2155**

In collaboration with NGIA the Queensland Department of Agriculture (DAF) will deliver a workshop on how to prevent pests from damaging crops using IPM. This workshop is funded by the nursery levy, DAF and Hort Innovation.

DAF entomologists and pathologists will present an informative workshop designed for production nurseries to assist nursery producers build capacity in the area of integrated pest management (IPM). A range of topics will be covered including:

- using IPM to protect plants from key pests
- how to modify crop production to reduce pest pressure
- how to use pesticides within an IPM program
- the physiology behind the pesticide mode of action

- How to effectively manage pesticides to reduce resistance
- New biological control agents for production nurseries
- How to identify key pests and beneficials
- Getting the most out of industry resources e.g. the nursery production FMS.

Please bring the following

- Plants that have an unknown problem. As much as possible, seal in a bag or box that contains the sample – we don't want to spread pests or diseases
- Sticky traps with insects you want to identify
- Please email any topics you'd like covered

Tea and Coffee will be available

PLACES AT THIS WORKSHOP ARE LIMITED. To secure your place please complete the RSVP below and email to info@greenlifeindustry.com.au by Friday 04 October 2019

RSVP

NAME:

BUSINESS NAME:

CONTACT PHONE:

EMAIL:

DIETRY REQUIRMENTS:



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