

Increasing pollinators in orchards



Fruit Growers Victoria have been investigating ways in which to encourage pollinator and beneficial insects into orchards and to improve wind breaks/ spray drift. This idea should reduce the cost of chemicals and time spend managing pest insects and improve windbreaks.

Date: Friday 7 June 2019

Meeting place: 370 Edwards Rd Tallygaroopna – follow the signs

Time: 3.00pm to 5.00pm

A BBQ will be provided on the day.

Please bring sturdy walking shoes, a drink, hat and writing materials.

To register your interest contact:

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Please mention any dietary requirements when you RSVP.

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The demonstration site was developed in conjunction with Elizabeth Mace who has guided this project with species selection and site selection.

The aim of the demonstration was to improve the Casuarina windbreaks and increase plant diversity that will encourage pollinator insects on a commercial orchard.

The plant species in the demonstration site supports beneficial insects in their different stages of life and were planted with current vegetation and is connected to other native vegetation.



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