

## Programme (Weather Permitting)

<b>10.00am Registration, tea and coffee at the Rosehill Woolshed</b>		
10.15am	<p>Welcome &amp; Introductions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health &amp; Safety</li> <li>• Judge's comments</li> <li>• Preview of the days programme &amp; information</li> </ul>	<p>Tim Forde (HBFFA)</p> <p>Garth Eyles/James Hunter</p> <p>Charlie Bogard</p>
<b>10.30am Carpool in 4WDs to Stop 1. Passing shade and shelter trees and recently harvested shelterbelt.</b>		
Stop 1. Shelterbelts including harvest and replacement	<p>Discussion on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shelter planting</li> <li>• The harvesting of <i>P radiata</i> shelterbelts and options for replanting</li> <li>• Mixed shelter block</li> </ul>	<p>Charlie Bogard</p> <p>Rob Angus (Log On Logging Rotorua)</p>
<b>11.00am Travel to Stop 2. Passing mixed shelterbelt. Views of the Ruahine Range and back toward the coast.</b>		
Stop 2. Mixed commercial woodlot. 3ha block of 14year old <i>R. radiata</i> and <i>C. lusitanica</i>	<p>Discussion on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Farm boundaries and overview</li> <li>• Site selection and optimising land use</li> <li>• The challenges of mixed species woodlots</li> </ul>	<p>Charlie Bogard</p> <p>Tim Forde</p>
<b>11.30am Travel to Stop 3. Overview of QEII block.</b>		
Stop 3. Overview of the 1.6ha QEII block and 0.4ha of fodder willow	<p>Discussion on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• QEII block and native plantings</li> <li>• Willow fodder block</li> <li>• Space planted soil conservation and shade plantings</li> </ul>	<p>Charlie Bogard</p> <p>Troy Duncan (QEII Trust)</p>
<b>12. 00pm Travel to Stop 4. Passing by a small quarry, which is a good opportunity to see the local soil profile. Also, look out for managed willow plantings.</b>		
Stop 4. A recently harvested small block, planted and managed under an agro-forestry regime	<p>Discussion on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1980s agro-forestry trials and planting configurations</li> <li>• Some comments on the quantity/quality of timber extracted from this woodlot</li> <li>• Replanting opportunities</li> <li>• National Environment Standards (NES) for production forestry</li> </ul>	<p>Charlie Bogard</p> <p>Rob Angus</p> <p>Madeline Hall, HBRC</p>
<b>12.30pm Return to the woolshed for lunch and naming sponsors address Pan Pac Ltd</b>		

<b>1.30pm</b> <b>Travel to Stop 5. Passing by honey locust shade/soil conservation plantings</b>		
Stop 5. Another mixed <i>P. radiata</i> / <i>C. lusitanica</i> block on a very hard site. Planted for erosion management	<p>Discussion on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The challenges of this site in terms of establishment</li> <li>• The marketing of timber, particularly non-radiata</li> <li>• Geology of the Maraekakaho area</li> </ul>	<p>Charlie Bogard Tim Forde Turkington Forestry Ltd</p> <p>Garth Eyles</p>
<b>2.00pm</b> <b>Travel to Stop 6. Passing by more managed willow tree plantings.</b>		
Stop 6. Willow trees planted and managed to protect watercourses from gully-degrade erosion. More shelterbelt harvesting	<p>Discussion on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Erosion flooding and willow tree management</li> <li>• Discussion on shelter belt harvest and replacement</li> </ul>	<p>Charlie Bogard Warwick Hesketh, HBRC Rob Angus</p>
<b>2.30pm</b> <b>Travel to Stop 7. Passing through a 14ha pine block replanted ten years ago.</b>		
Stop 7. 13ha of recently harvested R. pine	<p>Discussion on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Log volumes and quality</li> <li>• Market Update, current and predicted trends in forestry and carbon markets</li> <li>• Site management and contingency planning</li> <li>• Site remediation and replanting</li> </ul>	<p>Charlie Bogard Tim Sandall, Pan Pac</p> <p>Rob Angus</p>
<b>3.30pm</b> <b>Return to woolshed for a wrap, BBQ and refreshments. Time permitting there will be an optional walk to the QEII block, or mixed eucalypt and native plantings</b>		