

Farm Talk & BBQ

Wednesday 28th August, 2019

Time: 1.45pm to 5.30pm

Location: Eamon Sheehan's Farm, Bawnlusk, Cuffesgrange, Co. Kilkenny

Eircode: R95 XFK1

1.45pm	Welcome & opening talk	
	Richard Bruton, T.D., Minister for Communications, Climate Action & Environment Joe Healy, IFA President	
2.15pm	Improving farm returns - sustainably	Field demos
	Mary McEvoy, Germinal - Introducing white clover into pasture Mark Plunkett, Teagasc - Spreading manures to maximise returns David Wall, Teagasc - Protected urea. Does it work?	
	Cathal Somers, ASSAP - Using GrassVESS to determine good soil structure Tom Fallon, Teagasc - Constructing farm roadways for animal & water health	
	Paul Moore, BRIDE Project - Biodiversity & lowland intensive farming Carol McCarthy, Local Authority Water Programme - What's in the waters?	
4.20pm	CAP, Climate and the Consumer – where to next?	Discussion
	Bill Callanan, Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine Gerry Gunning, IFA Phillip O'Brien, Environmental Protection Agency Padraig Brennan, Bord Bia Eamon Sheehan, Smart Farming host farmer	

Exhibitors include:



Attendance is FREE

Please confirm your attendance: **01 426 0343** or **smartfarming@ifa.ie**



HYUNDAI and MITSUBISHI MOTORS electric and hybrid vehicles will be available for test drives.