



WATER-USE, NUTRIENT CYCLING & PROFIT MARGINS



GROUND COVER

Keeping it for what it's worth

A different outlook on “use it or lose it”

Fri 19th August, 9am-5pm
@ Woodanilling Sportsground

Professor Lyn Abbott (UWA Soil Scientist)

- The Soil Foodweb, C & N ratios and how they work to build fertility
- How soil biology is affected by fertilisers and chemicals
- Effect of bare ground
- Microbiology— what is their food source and how we can help

Michael Eyres (independent agronomist)

- How soil chemistry and biology relate
- How to nurture soil biology in profitable farming systems
- View on production benefits from more biology, what is it actually worth?
- The Nitrogen cycle

Nigel Kerin (2008 NSW Farmer of the Year)

- Case Study - making a quid from ground cover
- Triple bottom-line farming
- Easy decision-making

Cost: (includes catering):

\$20 Bugs & Biology members & Southern DIRT members, \$40 non-members

To register: return attached form by Tuesday 16th August



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