



PROGRAMME

Friday 2nd
August

Workshop and gathering

10.30 pm –
3.30 pm

On-farm workshop - “Are you curious about regenerative farming, but don’t know where to start?”

- This session is aimed at anyone who wants a deeper dive into what regenerative farming means. For example, advisers, consultants and people working in the supply chains or industry
- Paul and Nic Renison of Cannerheugh Farm, and Tim Nicholson from Sleastonhow (and Cactus Tree Guards) will be talking through their approaches
- Liz Genever will be facilitating the interactive workshop
- See separate programme for more details

Tickets need to be purchased separately to attend the workshop. Attendance is not included in the Saturday ticket.

4.00 pm

Registration opens
Wild camp site available (please purchase camping tickets)

5.00 pm onwards

The bar will be open from 5 pm, with food served from 6.30 pm. Please book a meal ticket online, with payment taken on the evening.

From 7.30 pm, Rob Yorke (@blackgull on X) will be leading - ‘Food, booze, and talk’ - a barstool open-mic session on diverse contested rural topics.

There will be plenty of opportunities to share your experiences with other farmers in the bar.

Saturday 3rd August	Main conference	
8.00 am	Registration opens Breakfast available to purchase. Free tea and coffee will be available, but bring your own mug	
9.30 am	Welcome and opening	<i>Liz Genever and Nic Renison</i>
9.35 am	Farming Floor Play	<i>Chaired by Rob Yorke</i>
	<i>A session that you have never experienced before. Rob will be leading a panel session to set the scene, to warm people up and to ensure we hear from the range of people attending the conference. The panellists will be from the audience and will change as we go through the session.</i>	
10.45 am	Break	
11.15 am	Headliner: Allen Williams	<i>Chaired by Matthew Jordon</i>
	Allen is a sixth generation farmer and co-founder of Understanding Ag. He will talk through his experiences of working with other farmers as they transition to regenerative approaches. He will provide background to Understanding Ag and their 6-3-4 Framework, and how it can be applied to your farm.	
12.45 pm	LUNCH BREAK	
	Lunch is included in the ticket price, or you can bring your own. Janet from Langwathby Café will be providing the food and it will be excellent. The bar will open from lunch time and there will be free tea, coffee and tap water (bring your own bottle).	
	Over the lunch break, there will be a few sessions running:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tom's table – Tom Fairfax (farmer from Northumberland) will be talking through the range of kit he uses to bring more biological life to his farm - Ian Bell from Northern Regen Soils will be available to talk through everything soil - Megan Gimber from People's Trust for Endangered Species will lead people on a hedge safari - Stuart Johnson (Understanding Ag and farmer) and Matthew Jordon (Regenerate Outcomes) will be talking people through how mentoring can help soil health and gain income from carbon credits 	
2.00 pm	Workshop sessions	
2.05 pm	In the afternoon, interactive sessions will be available (booked in advance) - Allen Williams (Understanding Ag) – Deeper dive into 6-3-4 Framework and understanding your context	

- Tim Nicholson (Cactus Tree Guards) and Pete Leeson (Woodland Trust) - How to make more of your hedges and trees, including a focus on chestnut coppicing
- Nikki Yoxall (Pasture for Life) – how to make decisions about stocking rates from grazing systems
- Julia Cooper and Lindsay Whistance (Organic Research Centre) plus farmers – how to balance trees with livestock
- Chris Turner (Environment Agency) and Niels Corfield (independent adviser) – making sure your soils are becoming healthy and managing water better

3.45 pm Refreshments available, including gelato from Torpenhow

4.15 pm **Round-up** *Chaired by Nic Renison and Liz Genever*

The final session will bring it all together and help people identify the next steps for their businesses.

5.00 pm **End of presentations and bar opens**

5.30 pm – 7.15 pm **Allen Williams’ workshop (take two)**

There will be an opportunity for people who couldn’t book into Allen’s first session to be part of his workshop

The evening Food served from 6.30 pm. Please book a meal ticket online, with payment taken on the evening.

Wild camp site available (please purchase camping tickets)

Music in the bar until late

Sunday 4th **Problem-solving session**

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- This is included in the Saturday ticket

10.00 am This session is designed to address some of the practical limitations of pushing your businesses further. It will run as a co-creation workshop, which is a new idea for Carbon Calling this year.

Please bring your skills, experience and thoughts to help others. Plus your problems, logjams or frustrations for the group to help you solve or overcome.

11.15 am Break

11.45 am Session continues

1.00 pm **LUNCH**