

NATIONAL EVENTS

Marketing opportunities

To show your products at domestic events contact the Biological Farmers of Australia. Contact: 07 3350 5706 ext 233 or events@bfa.com.au

24–27 September 2007

Fine Food Australia
Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre Darling Harbour
Over 750 exhibitors will showcase the latest food, drink and equipment ideas from around the world.
Contact: www.finefood.com.au

20–21 October 2007

Irresistible Gluten Free Wheat Free Food Show
Melbourne Exhibition Centre
In the first year, over 10 500 people enjoyed this popular event.
Contact: Sue Shepherd, info@coeliac.com.au
www.coeliac.com.au

27 October 2007

BFA Annual General Meeting
Sofitel Brisbane, 249 Turbot St, Brisbane
8am for a 9am start, finishing mid-afternoon
The BFA is holding its 20th AGM this year. The event provides an opportunity to network, listen to talks by invited guests and provide input and feedback on management of the BFA group.
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27 October 2007

BFA 20 Year Celebration Gala Dinner
Sofitel Brisbane, 249 Turbot St, Brisbane
From 6.30pm
Guest speakers: David Crombie, President, National Farmers' Federation; Dr Robert Carter, Research Professor of Geology, James Cook University
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Organic Roadshows provide industry support for meeting consumer demand

MANY PEOPLE THAT have attended the Organic Roadshow coordinated by the Biological Farmers of Australia (BFA) have made comments such as: 'invaluable information', 'great speakers' and 'great to network'. With topics covering every sector within the industry it is an unequalled opportunity for people who are exploring the world of organics to receive a snapshot of how the industry is developing, to find out where the opportunities and challenges are and to hear advice from successful business owners and operators. Current industry members are updated with the latest developments.

The roadshow next arrives at Denmark, WA (9-10 Nov) and then Armidale, NSW (30 Nov). If you would like to see a roadshow held in your region in 2008 please contact Holly Vyner, 07 3350 5716 ext 233, email events@bfa.com.au

6–9 November 2007

NTS Certificate in Sustainable Agriculture
Nutri-Tech Solutions Seminar Centre, Yandina, Qld
Features the NTS Management Approach, where five of the nation's leading biological agronomists cover every aspect of microbe, soil and plant nutrition (and protection).
Contact: Kirstie Henning, 07 5472 9900
kirstie@nutri-tech.com.au

9–10 November 2007

BFA WA Organic Roadshow
Centre for Sustainable Living, Denmark, WA
This year's emphasis will be on grower experiences from different areas of primary production.
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22–23 November 2007

Food Regulations & Labelling Standards Conference
Sydney, NSW
The conference will examine the latest developments in regulation, food composition and labelling standards, including setting an organic standard for Australia.
Contact: Tina Larssen, 02 9080 4338,
tina.larssen@informa.com.au
www.informa.com.au/foodregulations

30 November 2007

BFA Armidale Organic Roadshow
Armidale, NSW
The day will cover topics for all industry sectors such as the conversion process for producers, soil health, manufacturing food products, wholesale, retail and more. There will be an R&D forum to end the day.
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International events

Marketing opportunities – Japan and Europe

Certified organic companies are invited to display product on the Australian Certified Organic stand at BioFach Japan on 10–12 October and at BioFach Germany in February 2008.
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