

Event Booking Form (book by 30th May)

I would like to book:

- places at the Wakelyns event, 24th June
- places at the Sheepdrove event, 17th June

Name:.....

Address:.....

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Post Code:.....

Telephone:.....

E-mail:.....

Special dietary needs:.....

Places required

I am an Organic Arable member YES / NO
If yes, no payment is required.

or I am a participatory farmer YES/NO
If yes, places are £14 +VAT (£16.45) per person.

or my Holding Number is.....
places are £28 +VAT (£32.90) per person.

or I do not have a Holding Number YES / NO
Places are £40 +VAT (£47) per person.

Payment details

I enclosed a **cheque** for £..... made payable to
Progressive Farming Trust Ltd.

or debit my Mastercard/Visa/Maestro (circle one)

Amount: £.....

Card no.:.....

Expiry date:...../.....

Start date (Maestro only):...../.....

Issue no. (Maestro only):.....

Security no. (last 3 digits on back of card):.....

Post this form to the address overleaf, **or book by phone.** Contact Pam Tibbatts on 01488 658298.



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The Organic Research Centre, Elm Farm, is one of Britain's leading research, development and advisory organisations for organic agriculture. Founded in 1980 as an educational charity, it undertakes research and demonstration projects on organic farms throughout the country and works to influence organic food and farming policy in the UK and EU.



www.organicinform.org

Organic *Inform* is a part Defra-funded project aimed at providing independent and reliable research to organic farmers and producers. Relevant and current information on industry developments, new contracts, prices, quality, trade information and contacts as well as supply and demand information is provided.

The service acts as an independent umbrella, collating and disseminating information and expertise in a user-friendly format which is both affordable and accessible.



The Organic Research Centre - Elm Farm

Arable Systems Events 2008



We are pleased to present two wide-ranging events which will cover important practical topics as well as addressing wider organic issues. A delicious local/organic lunch will be served, followed by the chance to tour the innovative research on the farms.

Organic arable systems: practical advances

Sheepdrove Organic Farm, Berkshire,
17th June

Programme:

10.00 am	Arrivals & coffee
10.30 am	Welcome & Introduction
10.40 am	Wheat Populations: the answer to stable wheat performance Sarah Clarke, ORC
11.00 am	Better Organic Bread: results of spring wheat trials Steve Wilcoxson, Newcastle University
11.20 am	Coffee
11.40 am	Current UK organic grain market Andrew Trump, Organic Arable
12.00 pm	Discussion session: On-farm feeding of cereals With input from Ian Salmon, farm manager of Sheepdrove
12.45 pm	Lunch
2.00 pm	Tour of field trials Better Organic Bread spring wheat; Organic Research Centre oats breeding & agronomy trials
4.00 pm	Tea & depart

Organic developments: today and tomorrow

Wakelyns Agroforestry, Suffolk,
24th June

Programme:

10.00 am	Arrivals & coffee
10.30 am	Welcome to Wakelyns
10.35 am	Organic agriculture & food security Peter Melchett, Soil Association
11.05 am	Wheat populations: leaving monoculture behind Martin Wolfe, ORC
11.30 am	Coffee
11.45 am	Adding value to organic wheat production John Pawsey, Lavenham Lodge
12.00 pm	Organic livestock farming in Suffolk Roy Goodwin, Syleham Hall
12.15 pm	On the road to Damascus: Embracing the ecological approach David Younie, SAC
12.35 pm	Current UK organic grain market Andrew Trump, Organic Arable
12.45 pm	Lunch
1.45 pm	Tour of trials & agroforestry system Organic Research Centre wheat & oats breeding & agronomy trials.
3.15 pm	Tea & depart

We are pleased to announce that places at these events will be priced at **£28 + VAT** for farmers with a holding number. This is a subsidised rate made possible by contributions from:

WheatLINK & OATLINK projects. These projects are sponsored by Defra through the Sustainable Arable LINK programme.

If you are a participatory farmer growing the wheat populations as part of the Wheat Breeding LINK project, we would like to thank you by offering you a half-price place (£14 + VAT)

organic arable members will be able to attend free of charge. This has been made possible through the support of:



All other places will be £40 + VAT.

Please book by 30th May. Places are limited, so early booking is advised. Use the booking form overleaf, then send (free) to:

The Organic Research Centre,
Elm Farm,
FREEPOST SCE15022,
Newbury,
RG20 0ZA.