



FUTURE IN TURF SEMINAR



Don't miss this opportunity to learn from industry leaders and explore the future of sustainable turf management, new turf varieties, water and ecosystems, and biodiversity and sustainability!

STA (WA) Members FREE

Allied Industry Members \$75.00

(Golf, Landscape, Nursery)

Not a Member of Anyone - Still welcome - \$100.00

(Includes membership of the STA (WA))

Sam Kerr Football Centre

Wednesday

25th September 2024

OUR SPEAKERS:



Prof. Maria Ignatieva



Terry Sellick



Kate Torgersen



Monina Gilbey



Daniel Ferguson



Prof. Sally Thompson



Nathan Tovey

Join us for an exclusive site tour of the Sam Kerr Football Centre

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More information at

<https://www.sportsturfwa.asn.au/events/>

Contact Eva Ricci, eva.ricci@turfwa.com.au and 0422 120 990

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FEATURED PRESENTERS:



08:30 am 🌿 Professor Maria Ignatieva

UWA School of Design, Discipline of Landscape Architecture

Topic: Lawn as a Social and Cultural Phenomenon in Perth, Western Australia

Explore the sociological aspects of urban lawns in Perth, including public perceptions and innovative approaches like the "blended model" for urban lawns. <https://research-repository.uwa.edu.au/en/persons/maria-ignatieva>



09:00 am 🦎 Kate Torgersen & Monina Gilbey

Green Gecko Studios

Topic: Sustainability and Environmental Management in Turf

Case studies on sustainable and biodiverse sports turf surrounds, including golf courses, playing fields, and schools. www.envirogolf.com.au and <https://www.greengeckostudios.com.au/>

09:45 am 💧 Daniel Ferguson

Department of Water and Environmental Regulation, Water Services Manager

Topic: Groundwater Levels in Perth and Peel

Get an update on groundwater levels, water reductions, and challenges facing turf management in WA. <https://www.wa.gov.au/organisation/departments/departments-of-water-and-environmental-regulation>

10:45 am 🌍 Dr. Sally E. Thompson

UWA Centre for Water and Spatial Science, Ecohydrologist

Topic: Plants, Water, and Ecosystems

Insights into the impacts of environmental changes on water cycles and ecosystems in WA. <https://www.sallyethompson.com/about-the-ecohydrology-group>

NEW TURF VARIETIES COMING TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA

11:15 am Nathan Tovey

TurfBreed, Turf Industry Expert

Topic: IronCutter™ Hybrid Bermudagrass

Insights about and introduction of IronCutter™ Hybrid Bermudagrass and its suitability for Australian conditions. <https://www.turfbreed.com.au/nathan-tovey-a-lifetime-in-turf/>

11:40 am Terry Sellick

Lawn Doctor Turf Farm and Contracting, WA Turf Industry Veteran

Topic: TifTuf Hybrid Bermuda

Insights about and introduction of on TifTuf Hybrid Bermuda, and its suitability for Australian Conditions. <https://www.pinterest.com.au/pin/terry-sellick-the-lawn-doctor-talks-about-the-best-lawn-varieties-dispels-a-few-turf-myths-and-shares-tips-on-maintenance-to-keep-lawn--132574782765767780/>

12:10 pm - LUNCH

01:00 pm 🚶 Site Tour: Sam Kerr Football Centre

Time: 30 mins

Join us for an exclusive tour of this state-of-the-art facility, featuring competition and training pitches. Learn about its management from Craig Harris, Stadium Curator.

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