

# G'day

Daniel Linklater – Farmer – Trentham Cliffs



# Sweep vs knife-point (soil disturbance)



- “A nation that destroys its soil destroys itself”

Franklin Delano Roosevelt

- Take care of your soil, and your soil will take care of you

Not sure. Would make a good soil meme though

# Christmas eve 1988





# February 2011



# Crop sown into stubble



# 'Long Fallow'





# Crop rotation 1978-2009





# Crop rotation 2010 onwards



# Luke Follet – vetch June 2014

- Sown mid march
- 300ha paddock
- Grazed 2000 ewes and lambs until end of July
- Vetch regenerated and harvested seed
- \$ BONANZA \$
- Vetch-wheat-wheat-barley



CHALLENGES WILL CONTINUE  
THEY WILL BE **OVERCOME** BY RESILIENT FARMING SYSTEMS





# MSF Trials – Tapio Station 2016





**MARKETS OF THE FUTURE  
DIGITAL FARMING INFRASTRUCTURE  
NEXT GENERATION FARMING TECHNOLOGY**

Special guest, Pip Courtney (ABC TV's Landline) will join us as MC for the two day event, and help us look back and remember MSF's 20 years of achievements.



Chef Simon Bryant (ABC TV's 'The Cook and the Chef') will join us for a light hearted discussion about consumer food trends and future proofing industry wide food movements at our conference dinner.



**Date:** Monday 7th - Tuesday 8th August 2017  
**Location:** Quality Hotel Mildura Grand, 195 Seventh St Mildura VIC 3500  
**Time:** Registration starts at 11:00am  
**To view ticket packages, purchase tickets or to view the program please visit our website**  
[www.msfp.org.au/events](http://www.msfp.org.au/events).

**Tickets are on sale until  
August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

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