

Mt Buller Mt Stirling Resort Management

The Living Bin program commenced in the 2010 season in the Alpine resorts (North East Victoria). A unique program involving businesses, lodges and apartments separating food organics from mainstream waste. Presentation will include program highlights and a case study around trialing in-vessel solutions at Mt Buller.

PRESENTERS:

Mt Buller Mt Stirling Resort Management

Louise Perrin, Environment Services Manager
Ali Kirkwood, Environment Services Officer

NORTH EAST THREE BIN CONFERENCE

ROLLING OUT NEW FOOD AND GARDEN ORGANICS COLLECTIONS

AGENDA

3pm **Afternoon tea**

3.20pm **Rural City of Wangaratta**

Rural City of Wangaratta rolled out their new service on the 1st September 2015, with under 1% contamination. The presentation will touch on the development of a waste management strategy as a lead in to the organics service delivery, their procurement process and the education program behind the organics roll out.

PRESENTERS:

Rural City of Wangaratta

Paul Somerville, Manager Waste and Contract
Courtney Naughton, Waste Management Coordinator

3.50pm **Close and lucky prize draw**



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MONDAY 16TH NOVEMBER 2015

9.30AM – 4PM

BENALLA PERFORMING ARTS & CONVENTION CENTRE

9.30am Registration and Check-in
Sign in, coffee, tea & fruit on arrival, mingle and find a seat.

10am **Welcome**

10.40am **City of Wodonga**

Halve Waste is an initiative of Albury City Council, City of Wodonga and the Shires of Towong, Greater Hume, Corowa and Indigo. The goal of Halve Waste is to reduce the amount of waste going to landfill by 50% by 2020. Presentation on the campaign, looking at the different stages and behaviour change and how thorough pre planning of an organics service gets good results.

Indigo Shire Council

Indigo Shire Council rolled out their organics service in collaboration with the Halve Waste councils. Indigo will highlight their experiences and challenges in rolling out the system across their dispersed community.

PRESENTERS:

City of Wodonga

Michelle Wilkinson, Green Waste Diversion Officer
Mark Verbaken, Manager of Environment & Community Protection

Indigo Shire Council

Mark Greene, Waste Management Coordinator

Transpacific Industries

Nina McHardy, Project Communications & Education Manager

11.40am **Morning tea**

12noon **Benalla Rural City Council & Western Composting**

Benalla will discuss the benefits of the collaborative procurement of services. They will also highlight the challenges of rolling out an organics service within short timeframes and strategies used to successfully turn around contamination rates.

PRESENTERS:

Benalla Rural City

Veronica Schilling, General Manager Development & Environment
Molly Odgers, Waste Management Coordinator

Western Composting

Ken Dickens, Managing Director

12.50pm **Lunch**

1.45pm **Goulburn Valley Waste Resource Recovery Group & Moira Shire**

Back to Earth is a campaign developed by the Metropolitan Waste and Resource Recovery Group to support a new organics processing facility in Melbourne. Led by Goulburn Valley WRRG, this campaign was modified and used for rolling out food and green organics collections across the Campaspe, Moira and Strathbogie regional councils in Victoria. Moira Shire will also present on the key learnings of their service roll out after 12 months in operation.

PRESENTERS:

Goulburn Valley Waste & Resource Recovery Group

Brad Montgomery, Manager Operations

Moria Shire

Sally Rice, Manager Safety, Amenity & Environment
