

## Saturday 11th March 2017

### Horticultural Stage (MC: Marcia Grace-Byriel)

Time	Speaker	Topic
9.30am – 10.00am	Cr David Morrison	Event Opening
10.00am – 11.00am	Paul Plant	Rare plant collecting and growing
11.00am – 12.00pm	Don Burke	Gardening for health, exercise and the Mediterranean diet
12.00pm – 1.00pm	Arno King	Designing a beautiful garden – what are some of the current trends
1.00pm – 2.00pm	Don Burke	Wildlife in the garden
2.00pm – 3.00pm	Costa Georgiadis, Arno King, Annette Irish, Paul Plant	PANEL SESSION

### Green Stage: Grow and Eat (MC: Adrian Tofilau)

Time	Speaker	Topic
10.00am – 11.00am	Arno King	Designing the veggie garden to maximise production and success
11.00am – 12.00pm	Green Dean	Growing for living long – foods we can grow for longevity
12.00pm – 1.00pm	Roushini	Nourishing coconut dishes
1.00pm – 2.00pm	Green Dean	Korean Kimchi – learn how to make this amazing gut health food

### Gardening Stage: How To (Exhibitor's only) (MC: Robert Bateman)

Time	Speaker	Topic
10.00am – 10.30am	Norma Ensor (Cut Above Tools)	Selecting, cleaning and sharpening pruning tools
10.30am – 11.00am	Clive Puzey (Puzey Garden Products)	Using solar power in the garden
11.00am – 11.30am	Russell Young (Russell Young Garden Designs)	Citrus – growing a healthy crop in small gardens
11.30am – 12.00pm	Annette Irish (AIMS Pty Ltd)	Compost: what makes it work
12.00pm – 1.00pm	Costa Georgiadis	What exactly is a community garden and how and where could I start one?
1.00pm – 1.30pm	Nigel Thomson (Dandaloo Valley)	How to grow, fertilise and split up bromeliads
1.30pm – 2.00pm	Alan Singleton (Water Saver Gardens)	Get the most out of your garden with the least amount of water

## Sunday 12th March 2017

### Horticultural Stage (MC: Marcia Grace-Byriel)

Time	Speaker	Topic
10.00am – 11.00pm	Costa Georgiadis	Building Biodiversity from your garden beds to your benchtop
11.00am – 12.00pm	Phil Dudman	What to plant now for a bumper autumn/winter harvest
12.00pm – 1.00pm	Paul Plant	The four B's essential in our gardens – bees, butterflies, birds and bats
1.00pm – 2.00pm	Costa Georgiadis, Paul Plant, Phil Dudman, Claire Bickle	PANEL SESSION

### Green Stage: Grow and Eat (MC: Adrian Tofilau)

Time	Speaker	Topic
10.00am – 11.00am	Claire Bickle	Subtropical fruit are fun! What is tasty, looks good and is reasonably easy to grow in the average backyard?
11.00am – 12.00pm	Noel Burdette	World of herbs
12.00pm – 1.00pm	Arno King	Designing an ornamental and productive veggie garden
1.00pm – 2.00pm	Noel Burdette	Growing spices at home

### Gardening Stage: How To (Exhibitor's only) (MC: Robert Bateman)

Time	Speaker	Topic
10.30am – 11.00am	Victoria Brun (Direct Compost Solutions)	How to direct compost in small gardens
10.30am – 11.00am	Colin Purnell (Earthlife)	Potting up with rock minerals
11.00am – 11.30am	Hedrick Kwan	How to look after orchids
11.30am – 12.00pm	Norma Ensor (Cut Above Tools)	Selecting, cleaning and sharpening pruning tools
12.00pm – 12.30pm	Steve Flood (Mellum Creek Nursery)	Propagation of tropical and subtropical foliage plants
12.30pm – 1.00pm	Michael Grange (Grange View Gardens Nursery)	How to prepare bromeliads for full sun