



# NZ WOOLCLASSERS ASSOCIATION INVITES YOU TO OUR 2023 NORTH ISLAND INDUSTRY DAY

**DATE: October 11 2023**

**TIME: 8.45am - 4pm**

**VENUE: Bremworth Factory/Elco Direct wool store  
19 Leamington Street, Castlecliff, Whanganui**

*The programme for the day is designed for NZWCA members but will be a day of upskilling and connecting for all involved in the wool and wool harvesting industry. All welcome*

**Pre-registration (by October 7) is essential as the venues are work places**

**ALL REGISTRATIONS GO INTO THE DRAW ON THE DAY FOR A WOOL RUG (rrp \$1499) FROM**



**Programme:** (Hot drinks and biscuits supplied for morning smoko, attendees supply own lunch off-site)

**8.45am – 9am** Registration via Bremworth reception

**9am—9.10am** All gather in Bremworth caf for welcome, housekeeping and H&S briefing

**9.20am– 10.30am** wool exercises, wool displays and wool store tour

**10.30am – 10.45am** Bremworth caf for SMOKO

**10.45 am – noon** – speakers in Bremworth caf: Tom O’Sullivan of Campaign for Wool NZ

[www.nzwool.co.nz](http://www.nzwool.co.nz) ; Margo Riach, Taihape [www.thewoolcompany.co.nz](http://www.thewoolcompany.co.nz) ; Wool tutors Laurie Boniface and Richard Gavigan on NZ wool education opportunities ; Ian Hopkirk PGG Wrightson wool rep on the importance and value of upholding quality preparation in the shed

**Noon – 1.15pm** – lunch for all attendees off-site (not supplied)

**1.30pm – 2.30pm** Speakers in Bremworth caf: Andy Caughey of [www.woolimpact.com](http://www.woolimpact.com); Sam Hurley of [www.honestwolf.co.nz](http://www.honestwolf.co.nz) ;Andrew Karl, GM Yarn Plants, Bremworth Spinners Ltd [www.bremworth.co.nz](http://www.bremworth.co.nz);

**2.30pm – 3pm** – Elco woolstore, wool exercise answers, discussion and certificates for top scorers presented, feedback forms completed and **BREMWORTH WOOL RUG PRIZE DRAW**

**3pm – approx. 3.45pm** – Bremworth wool spinning plant tour, commencing and ending in wool store

**REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED BY SATURDAY 7 OCTOBER 2023**

To: [secretary@woolclassers.org.nz](mailto:secretary@woolclassers.org.nz)



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Classer Registration Number/Company \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration fee \$10 per person**

**NZWCA MEMBERS NO CHARGE**

*(Student rate and discount for groups of five or more available on request)*

**Payment by Direct Credit to BNZ 02 0828 0036732 00 - use your name as reference**

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