



### Manager's Spot



Welcome back from Christmas break and we look forward to seeing you all the coming weeks.

Some exciting news this month with Aidan Kakoschke starting in our Agronomy team. Aidan hails from a Yorke Peninsula farming family and also has family ties right here in the Cummins district.

Aiden will be out on the road with Denis meeting our valued agronomy customers throughout February and is chomping at the bit to offer his services to our community.

Also, a huge congratulations to Denis Pedler on reaching 25 years with Carrs! A stalwart of the Carrs' business, Denis' commitment to the business is clearly something to celebrate!

Not only has Denis reached 25 years, Doug Green has also had a significant milestone reaching 20 years with the business. A large number of our customers are either family, friends or neighbours of Doug and I am sure you are as excited to have had his services for as long as we have!

Well done to Denis and Doug on your milestones and a warm welcome to Aidan.

**TEAM POLY**  
Water Solutions For Life.

**BIG TANK SALE**  
**FEBRUARY SPECIAL**

**BONUS OFFER**  
Kings Escape 30L Fridge/Freezer  
12v / 24v  
\*Holds 42 Cells\*  
Digital LED Display/Reversible Lid with cup holder

- Easy to use Digital Controls and LED Screen
- Works as a fridge or freezer, can be set from +20°C to -20°C
- Portable, Lightweight and easy to carry even when it's full
- Built in USB charging point
- Nation-wide 2 Year Warranty

### Team Poly Tank Special - Ph 8676 2016

Purchase big tanks (listed below) to **receive a free fridge** with your order!

2 x 22,500L SSR Tanks (not tall or squat)

2 x 27,000L Tanks

1 x 22,500L SSR Tank & 1 x 27,000L Tank

2 x 40, 950L Tanks OR 2 x 50, 050L Tanks

*Offer ends 28th February 2025*



Congratulations to Doug & Louise on the birth of their daughter, Molly!



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**Pasture Seed is short this year due to the dry season in 2024. Get your orders in early so you don't miss out!**

**Call us at Carrs' Seeds on 8676 2016 to place your seed order today**



# Pre-sowing Member Days 2025

**Wirrulla Sports Club 11 February**

**Kimba Golf Club 12 February**

**Ungarra Sports Complex 13 February**

Free event for AIR EP members  
Membership signup will be available on the day

### Morning tea & lunch provided

Contact Bek Peters for more information  
0447 973 489 projectofficer@airep.com.au

### Registration essential

<https://bit.ly/airepmd25>



REGISTER NOW

### Gold Sponsors



These events are supported by the RiskWiSe project and by funding from the South Australian Government's Landscape Priorities Fund (LPF).



RiskWiSe Project



8:45AM	Arrivals & registration
9:00AM	Welcome
9:10AM	Learnings from the Mallee - high value pulses and soil amelioration <i>Michael Moodie, Frontier Farming Systems</i>
10:00AM	Robot weeder <i>Jordy Kitschke, Flux Robotics</i>
10:15AM	Morning tea
10:50AM	Current soil water & nutrition status? <i>Brett Masters, EPAG Research</i>
11:15AM	Nitrogen management <i>Jacob Giles, EPAG Research</i>
11:40AM	Nutrient management in 2025 <i>Dr Therese McBeath, CSIRO</i>
12:10PM	Herbicide residues - what to watch out for <i>James Cant, Agra Agronomy</i>
12:35PM	Lunch
1:25PM	Frost - what have we learnt so far? <i>Rhaquelle Meiklejohn, EPAG Research</i>
1:50PM	2024 learnings & what it means for 2025? <i>Andrew Ware, EPAG Research</i>
2:35PM	Learnings from a Churchill Fellow: fluid fertilisers on calcareous soils <i>Andrew Polkinghorne</i>
3:20PM	Conclusion & wrap up



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**February 2025 Trading Hours**  
 Monday-Friday 8:30am to 5:00pm  
 Please note we are **CLOSED Saturdays from October to March**



### Seed Germination Testing

The quality of your seed that is saved at harvest depends on a number of things, including stress events that occur with your crop during the year, like high temperatures during flowering, moisture stress, even below optimum nitrogen levels can influence protein, germination and screenings. Another stress event we need to consider is frost. Last season was particularly challenging with a few of these factors, and the quality of your seed that you plant for next years crop, will determine what you harvest.

**Do you have an new ChemCERT License?**

please email us at [admin@nracs.com.au](mailto:admin@nracs.com.au)

**with a photo of your current ChemCERT License**

if you are interested in attending one of these courses please

call 1800 444 228

or go to website [www.chemcert.com.au](http://www.chemcert.com.au)

Its easy to get a seed test done through us here at Carrs' Seeds, we can get it tested for you through Seed Services Australia, based at the Wait institute in Adelaide. You with get a complete germination analysis that will take the guess work out of determining sowing rates for next years crops. Adjusting your sowing rate according to germination percentage can be one of the most economical decisions to make to get the best yields.

This seed testing service is provided by Seed Services Australia to seed growers, companies, processors, resellers, importers, exporters, research institutes, universities, and the farming community.

To get your grain tested grab a seed sample, drop it in to us at the Carrs' Seeds office (at 1-7 Phillips Street, Cummins), we can do the rest. it might be the best investment in your crop to get a head start this season!



### CHEP Pallet Returns

Just a Friendly Reminder that if you have collected anything from us on a **CHEP Pallet** can we please ask they be returned.



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+ FLY



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## WHAT IS AVENGE® + FLY?

It is indicated for:

**Lice:** for the control of neonicotinoid susceptible body lice (*Bovicola ovis*) when applied up to 7 days off-shears and to unshorn lambs up to 2 months of age. Protects sheep against lice re-infestation for 4 weeks after treatment when applied within 24 hours of shearing.

**Blowfly strike:** provides up to 10 weeks protection against body strike caused by *Lucilia cuprina* when applied off-shears and in lambs up to 2 months of age. Provides up to 14 weeks protection against body and breech strike when applied to long wool (6 weeks to 8 months post shearing).

**Physical Description:** A clear blue liquid with low viscosity.

**Active Ingredient:** 35 g/L IMIDACLOPRID

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- ✓ Can be applied up to 7 days off-shears.
- ✓ Protects sheep against lice re-infestation for 4 weeks after treatment when applied within 24 hours of shearing.
- ✓ Rainfast formulation for lice control.
- ✓ First new active for blowfly strike prevention in over 20 years.
- ✓ Available in 22 L value pack size.
- ✓ Solvent base allows rapid fleece penetration.
- ✓ Ideal rotation product either off-shears for lice or against blowfly strike.
- ✓ High volume dose for better coverage.



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