

3 October 2018 Update



NZFFA SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP SEMINAR

Te Awamutu 3 – 4 November 2018

Summary:

- Sat 9am 3 Nov visit to Wilson property ,Otewa
- Sat 2pm visit Forsythe property Te Kawa
- Dinner and Speaker at Te Awamutu Sports Club
- Sunday 4 Nov visit Ian Brown property at Pirongia to be followed by visit to Taitua Arboretum with guided tour by Bunny Mortimer

Come to Visit the Waikato

Many members and special interest group aficionados will not will not have had the opportunity to visit the region since the last conference many years ago. We have arranged an interesting programme with the chance to see and discuss items of interest to all the groups. We will visit redwoods, eucalypts, cypresses, melanoxylon and indigenous plantings and have some good discussion on poplar utilisation.

Key Facts

Te Awamutu has a range of motels for accommodation—contact I-site for tips.<http://www.teawamutuinfo.co.nz/>

If anyone has accommodation problems contact Dave Forsythe 0272 305 454

To register email your details to **Dave Forsythe**

forsytheview@wnation.net.nz and deposit \$50 to Waikato Farm Forestry

03-1558-0061907-00 for the dinner

We will not be covering big distances so will have plenty of discussion time

A buffet dinner and bar is being arranged at the Te Awamutu Sports Club in central Te Awamutu with a guest speaker you will all enjoy.

We expect the Sunday field trip to wind up by 2pm so you have time to make your journeys homeward.

"We expect to put on some great weather, and show you some great plantations being grown in pretty much ideal situations. We anticipate some robust debate on a raft of special species management."

Dave Forsythe

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Mixed species landscape Wilson Property ,Otewa
Photo J Simmons