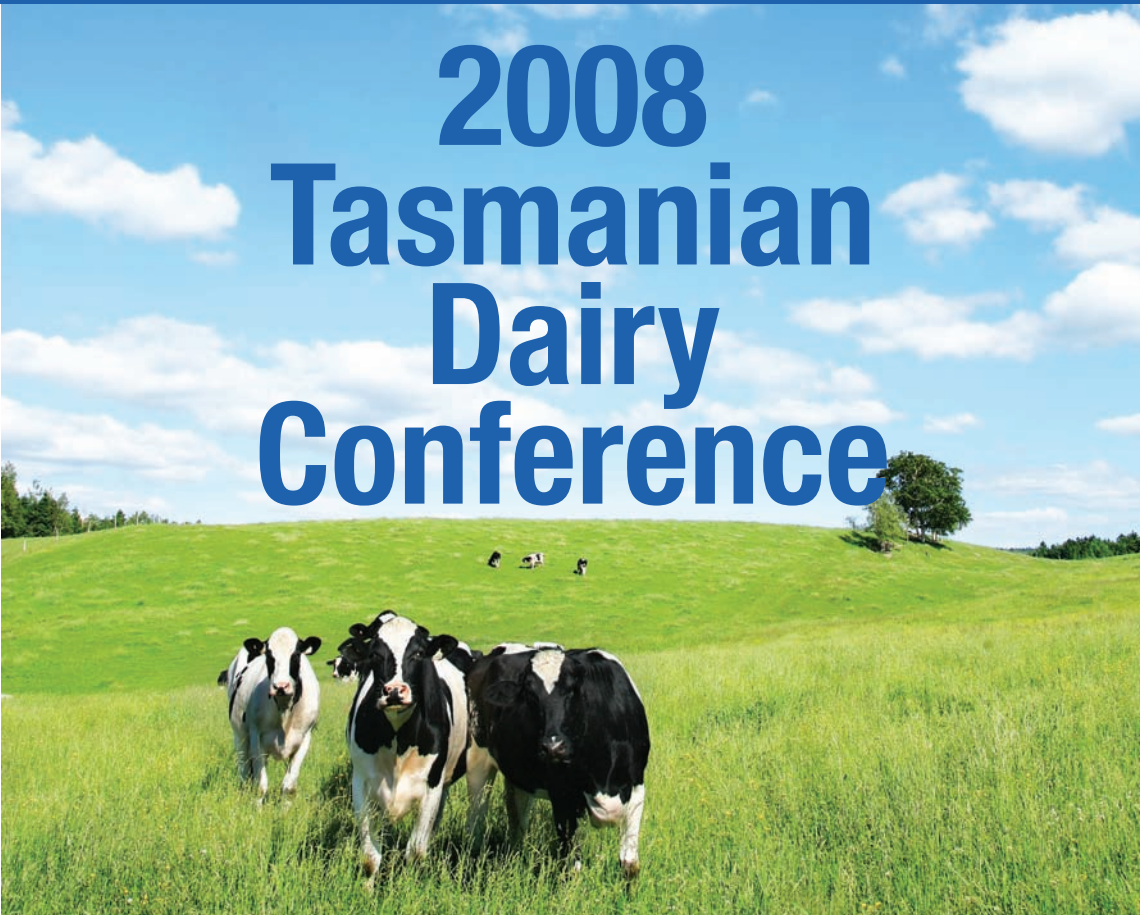


The DairyTas Board presents the

# 2008 Tasmanian Dairy Conference



## “Growth of the Tasmanian Dairy Industry Challenges and Opportunities”

**Burnie Civic Centre**  
**Wednesday October 8th 2008**  
**8.45am to 4.45pm**

The conference is a chance to hear the latest on some of the main issues and developments for the Tasmanian Dairy Industry. Farmers, service providers and anyone interested in what is happening in Tasmania's leading agricultural industry are encouraged to attend.

### Topics

Growth Prospects and Investment  
Natural Resources and Water Development  
People in Dairy  
Climate Change, Greenhouse and Farm Abatement Research  
Animal Health and Welfare  
Tasmanian Dairy Demonstration Farm  
Benchmarking Tasmanian farm performance  
Feeding our cows and the Grain Market

### Speakers:

Frank Drum  
NAB Agribusiness  
Economist

John Watson  
Chairman VDL

Allan Burgess  
President Australian  
Dairy Farmers

Bruce Donnison  
General Manager  
Fonterra Australia

Bradley Watson  
Little Lion

Tasmania's award  
winning dairy farmers

Richard Christie  
South Island (NZ)  
Dairying Development  
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Dave Henry  
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Feedbase Manager

John Lord  
Chairman Tasmanian  
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Tasmanian Institute  
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Chris Hibburt  
The People in  
Dairy program

Neil Leighton  
Smithton  
Veterinary Service

Amy Stokes  
Rural Logic

David Beca  
Red Sky Agriculture

Alan Davenport  
TFGA Dairy Council

Basil Doonan  
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