



# Future Orchards® Walks

## Spring Series – Western Australia

9am – 12pm  
Monday,  
13 November 2023

Nannup Fresh Fruit  
3418 Balingup-Nannup  
Road,  
Nannup, WA 6275

## Tree Nutrition, Growth Regulator Usage and the Season Ahead

Join us this November for the APAL Future Orchards® Spring Orchard Walks.

**Garrett Bishop**, Quality Services Lead, G.S. Long (Washington, USA) will discuss tools and tactics for apple diagnostics including field identification of diseases and disorders, mapping and tracking symptoms and sample collection for lab analysis.

**Ross Wilson**, Horticultural Consultant at AgFirst (Hawke's Bay, New Zealand). Ross will discuss the benefits of monitoring and managing nutrition in the orchard as well as how growers should consider reacting to nutrition tests based on good understanding of nutrition targets. Costs, benefits and logistics of the process will be covered and what it looks like in practice will be discussed in the field.

### What you will learn

- Practical strategies for ensuring optimal nutrition for your trees to meet demand and optimise quality.
- In-field management of tree vigour and crop load to improve block profitability.
- Discussions about growth regulator usage, tree nutrition and pest/disease considerations.

### Program outline

9.00am Program commences | 12.00pm Program concludes  
Followed by lunch

### For further information

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