

From Soil to Sustainability: Pathways to Net Zero Farming

We are delighted to invite you to an informative and practical event focusing on **Soil, Grassland & Catchment Management**, alongside nature-friendly farming practices. This event will provide valuable insights to assist you on your journey to **Net Zero** while enhancing your farm's sustainability.

Event Details:

- **Date:** Thursday, 29th May, 1.30pm.
- **Venue:** Cot Lane, Biddenden, Ashford, Kent TN27 8JD
- **W3W:** shunts.exile.exhaling

Event Overview:

The event will cover the following key topics:

- Improving grassland health without excessive nitrogen use
- The importance of drainage, rooting, and selecting appropriate grass varieties
- Enhancing soil health and water-holding capacity
- The significance of understanding your soil through visual assessments
- Working with local catchments and the benefits of ponds and wetland areas
- A whole-farm approach to sustainable farming systems

Additionally, we will explore how these practices contribute towards reducing carbon footprints and achieving your **Net Zero** ambitions.

Agenda:

1.30pm – Arrivals, Teas, and Coffees

2.15pm – Start Talks

3.00pm – Farm Walks

5.00pm – Short talks from event sponsors, networking, BBQ & drinks!

This will be an excellent opportunity to learn about progressive practices in grassland and soil management, while networking with other professionals in the farming community.

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We look forward to welcoming you to what promises to be an engaging and informative event

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