



## TYRE SERVICE AVAILABLE

We not only service Tyres in the shop but we also come to you for those emergencies on the road or on the farm.

> Trucks, Tractors, Bikes, Equipment... Full range of Hydraulic fittings Mobile service for tyre fitting and repairs.



### **Agronomy Corner**

#### BRD VACCINATION

Bovine Respiratory Disease is a serious issue for cattle producers sparking a good deal of conversation as well as research & development. This infectious and quick spreading disease can lead to symptoms such as pink eye, respiratory issues and even infection, having serious implications on productivity. Tara Rural Supplies and Condamine Seeds and Tyres stock a couple of quality options for protection from and treatment of BRD.

BRD is most prevalent during high stress times such as weaning, transporting, mixing, handling and changes in diet. IBR (Infectious Bovine Rhinotracheitis) along with MH (Mannheimia Haemolytica) aid in the progress of Bovine Respiratory Disease making vaccination against IBR and MH critical in combating the spread of BRD.

Our friends at Cooper's Animal Health share a bit about the real costs of IBR. They say that BRD can cause mortality [1], reduced growth performance [1], more days on feed [1], and reduced meat quality [2] and can cause animals who do not face mortality to suffer long term issues associated with production loses and reduced weight gains. 77% of pulls are associated with BRD and 51.5% of feedlot mortalities are caused by BRD[3]. With this threat to productivity, it is worth considering your vaccination options.

Copper's Bovilis MH+IBR is an effective option for your fight against BRD. This single shot vaccine has proven itself effective. Trials show that pre-vaccination with Bovilis MH+IBR followed by booster doses at feedlot induction provided better protection against BRD when compared to a MH and Live IBR protocol[4].

Give us a call at Tara or Condamine to speak to our knowledgeable staff about Bovilis MH+IBR from Cooper's as well as our great stock of animal health products.



This is prime time to consider grasses. Tara Rural Supplies and Condamine Seeds and Tyres has over a dozen varieties of summer grasses for grazing and cover. These quality varieties are well suited to our \_\_\_\_\_local conditions. Give us a call and speak to our agronomists about your options.

#### Fine Cut Rhodes

A diploid developed for hay, this quality Rhodes grass is a quality fine leaf options for palatable grazing. Selected from Katambora, it is quick to mature and flowers bi-annually and is quick to mature.

#### Desmanthus

This high protein grazing option is a broad leaf making it great for areas affected by die-back. Desmanthus fixes nitrogen through its deep root system and its high drought tolerance means secure, palatable high quality feed.

#### **Gatton Panic**

This tufted perennial is well suited for medium fertility and loamy soils. Gatton Panic provides a quality palatable feed through Spring, Summer and Autumn and is drought tolerant.



Time o Consider

Grasses

Visit us online For product information, blogs and news. www.tararuralsupplies.com.au www.condamineseeds.com.au





#### OAT OPTIONS IN STOCK NOW



Sorcerer<sup>®</sup> is made for our region having been bred, trialed, tested and selected in our region. Sorcerer<sup>®</sup> is resistant to all known pathotypes of rust, reducing your need for fungicide. Its palatability is on par with similar varieties as is the case with weight intake. Sorcerer<sup>®</sup> grows quick to first graze while maintaining a greater yield throughout. It has a medium to late maturity and excellent recovery after grazing and cutting in the winter months.

Call Now to Order Yours.

Warlock<sup>®</sup> is part of Barenbrug's great range of forage oats. This tall plant offers a quick speed to first graze giving producers the opportunity to feed stock earlier. With its overall plant height and medium thick leaves and stems, Warlock<sup>®</sup> has proven itself in SE QLD trials to have high yield potential and good plant vigour when compared to other varieties. Warlock<sup>®</sup> is susceptible to at least one known pathotype of leaf rust, but is great for our drier region. Call Now to order yours.

# Soil Testing

Tara Rural Supplies and Condamine Seeds offer soil sampling. Our corer is up and running and ready to help you determine the quality of your soil. Our sampler takes cores of up to 1 meter deep and with it, our agronomists can test for available nutrients in your soil. Call the shop and speak to our agronomist Andy to book your soil test.

# February, 20th 2025

#### <u>Speakers Include</u>

• <u>DPI</u> Speaking on Carbon Sequestering and the Carbon Edge Courses

Representatives from Abbey Animal Health on Animal Health Products

• Pioneer Seeds Rep speaking on sorghum, forage & canola options.

Condamine Sports Club

Drinks Available & Food Provided

<u>RSVP</u> (07 4627 7222 07 4665 3366 info@tararuralsupplies.com.au

CONDAMINE SEEDS

Tara Rural Supplies 46 Day Street Tara, QLD Phone: (07) 4665 3366

TARA RURAL SUPPLIES

www.tararuralsupplies.com.au

Condamine Seeds and Tyres Wambo Street, Condamine, QLD Phone: (07) 4627 7222

www.condamineseeds.com.au