

## Hail recovery strategies farm walk

Dried grape growers whose vineyards have been damaged by hail are invited to attend a storm recovery farm walk on Tuesday 22 November at 5pm.

The special meeting, hosted by Dried Fruits Australia's Red Cliffs Branch, will cover recovery strategies and ongoing management practices for hail damaged vines.

A number of industry experts will speak at the event, including:

- **Michael Treeby, DEDJTR**  
*Fertiliser and water requirements for damaged vines*
- **Peter Clingeffer, CSIRO**  
*Physiology of vines and possible recovery strategies scenarios*
- **Alison MacGregor, Agronomy Consultant**  
*Disease control for recovering vines*
- **Stephanie Ferdelja, Rural Financial Counselling Service**  
*Assistance available to growers*

The walk will begin at Michael Dubois' property at 630 Coorong Ave in Red Cliffs (see map below), and continue on to John Hunt's property at 42 Wolfe Road.

It will finish with a barbecue and drinks to give growers an opportunity to share stories and discuss strategies.

For catering purposes, please register your attendance with DFA Industry Development Officer John Hawtin on 5023 5174, 0407 235 174 or at [jhawtin@driedfruitsaustralia.org.au](mailto:jhawtin@driedfruitsaustralia.org.au).



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