

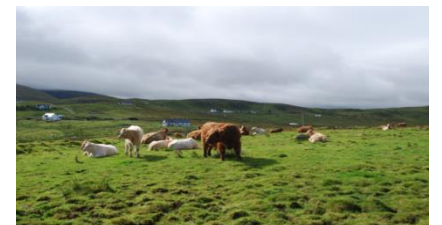
Welcome



**FARM
ADVISORY
SERVICE**



Programme:	First Meeting Agenda	
1.30 – 1.50	Welcome & Introduction	Aileen Buchanan
1.50 – 2.10	SRUC research & the importance of pH	Robin Walker
2.10 – 2.40	Visit to pH plots	Robin Walker
2.40 – 3.10	Tea/Coffee	
3.10 – 3.20	Benchmarking introduction (pH)	Aileen Buchanan
3.20 – 3.40	Market Outlook	David Michie
3.40 – 4.00	Organic action Plan	Wendy Seel
4.00 – 4.30	Q/A, General discussion & topics for future meetings	Aileen Buchanan



North East Organic Discussion Group

- FAS Funded
- 4 half day meetings – 1 at Craibstone and 3 on Farm
- Elm Farm Research Bulletin
- Chance to get together

Benchmarking

- pH
- 2 free soil analysis – drop off at Elgin or Thainstone
- Compare with target and group
- Do you want to take it further - ideas

General Discussion



- Questions
- Sign up for group – email, telephone & mobile numbers and address
- Suggested topics for future meetings
- Any volunteer farms

Evaluation Forms



Thank You

