

## **ALL YOUR DUCKS IN A ROW**



Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February - Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March Blunsdon House Hotel, The Ridge, Swindon, Wiltshire, SN26 7AS

### FRIDAY - PM BUILD YOUR POND

Workshops & Tradestands (Workshop booking not required)























# SATURDAY - AM RUFFLING FEATHERS, NAVIGATING CHANGE

Start your Saturday with a refreshing yoga session to get you ready for a morning of engaging panels and inspiring talks





Lorna Simpson from Marches HR on Employment Law updates - top 10 tips Becky Miles from Real Success Ltd

Beyond the Balance Sheet - legal, financial and human sides of change (succession, selling or buying)







Hazlewoods Accountants
Thrings Solicitors
BCM Wilson Hill Rural Consultants
Kingsclere Counselling Service

#### SATURDAY - PM TIME TO SPREAD YOUR WINGS

**OPTION 1:** Hawkstone Brewery Tour - See the extensive Hawkstone range with a tour of the brewery including the tap yard and brew house, learn about the production and history, now in their 20<sup>th</sup> year. There will be a 'generous' tasting of their range. <u>Surcharge of £20 per person.</u>



**OPTION 3:** Greyhound Racing - there's great entertainment for all at Swindon Greyhound stadium Swindon Greyhounds – Enjoy the thrill of live greyhound racing!

OPTION 2: Leaze Farm visit by kind permission of Andrew Stevens.

Leaze Farm covers about 200Ha owned and rented. The main enterprise is an autumn block calving dairy herd, calving 80% of the 340 cows in 6 weeks. We also run a 280 head beef calf unit. The objective is to run a low-cost system maximising profit per litre, with a yield per cow comfortably inside the cow's genetic potential. By not pushing for maximum yield, we can utilize a cheaper more forge-based ration, maintain good health and fertility resulting in longer lasting cows.

<u>Participation in the afternoon trips is optional — you're also very welcome to stay at the hotel and take advantage of its excellent facilities at your leisure</u>

# GALA DINNER FEATHERS & FINERY

Drinks reception 7pm

Toast by Garry Carter, ICB

Dinner 7:30pm









#### SUNDAY - AM OUR DUCKS IN A ROW FROM FLEDGLING TO FULL FLIGHT

✓ The AGM will take place first before our speakers commence.

IAgSA Members panel discussion

Rules & Regulations Update

Industry - George Veltom, Laurence Gould IHT - Joe Attwood, Hutchinsons Partnership MTD - Alice Wood, Farm Office Services





### **PRICES & BOOKING**

**CLICK HERE** 

For booking queries please contact: conference@iagsa.co.uk

Package	Member		Non-Member	
	Early Bird	Standard (from 1 <sup>st</sup> December)	Early Bird	Standard (from 1 <sup>st</sup> December)
Full Weekend - Single Accommodation	£400	£430	£470	£500
Full Weekend - Shared Accommodation	£350	£380	£425	£460
Individual Days				
Friday afternoon (no accommodation or evening meal)	£60			
Saturday only (includes lunch and trip, no accommodation or gala dinner)	£150			
Sunday morning (no lunch)	£60			
Additional Charges				
Hawkstone Brewery Tour	£20			
Gala Dinner only	£60			
Sunday Lunch	£27			
Thursday Night B&B	£109			
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Booking closes: 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Early bird closes: 30<sup>th</sup> November 2025