

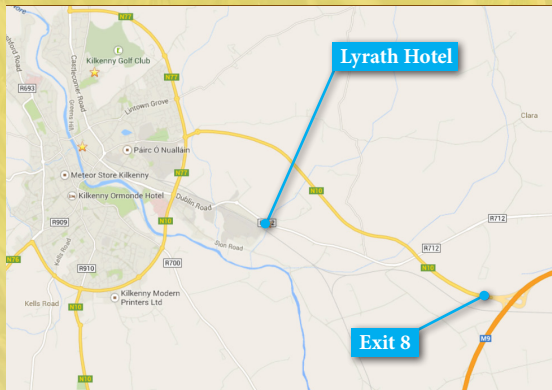
Conference Fees:

Teagasc Clients: € 35.00

Non Clients: € 55.00

Lunch: € 15.00

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Programme

Coping with, and managing risk on tillage farms

09.30am Registration/Tea/Coffee

10.30am **Conference Opening**

*Frank O'Mara,
Director of Research, Teagasc*

Session One:

*Chaired by John Spink,
Head of Crop Science Department,
Teagasc*

10.45am **Prospects for grain prices and managing volatility**

Andy Doyle, Irish Farmers Journal

11.05am **Grain use for alcohol production in the UK**

Sarah Clarke, ADAS

11.50am **OSR and Beans: Growing the markets**

Dermot Forristal, Teagasc

12.10pm **Spreading the risk on my farm**

*David Walsh-Kemmis,
Farmer, Laois*

12.30pm **The maize guide and inter-farm trading**

Kevin Cunningham, DLF and chair of the industry maize group

12.45pm Panel Discussion

13.00pm Lunch

Session Two:

*Chaired by Paddy Browne,
Head of Programme CELUP, Teagasc*

14.30pm **Resistance update wheat and barley**
Steven Kildea, Teagasc

14.50pm **Barley disease management: Optimising fungicide timings and rates**
Liz Glynn, Teagasc

15.10pm **The value of variety choice in cereals**
Joseph Lynch, Teagasc

15.30pm **Research Update, 5 minute presentations**

Grass weed resistance
Ronan Byrne, Teagasc

Aphid monitoring and resistance
Louise McNamara, Teagasc

OSR row spacing and seed rate
Roisin Byrne, Teagasc

Understanding genetic resistance to Septoria
Ger Hehir, Teagasc

Genome editing – what is it?
Ewen Mullins, Teagasc

Factors influencing eyespot
Henry Creissen, Teagasc

16.00pm **Close of Conference**
Professor Gerry Boyle, Teagasc Director

16.15pm Tea/Coffee