INVITATION

FCN THE FARMING COMMUNITY NETWORK

Please join us for our North Hampshire

farmwell **Social Supper and Discussion Evening**

on **Wednesday 9th December 2026**

at **Hurstbourne Tarrant Community Centre, SP11 0AX**

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Please arrive for a prompt **start at 7pm**

(meeting will finish at 9pm)

Discussion theme: The Changing Role of Farming (And how to thrive in it!)

Taking a positive look at food production, nature enhancement, diversification and health and wellbeing within our farming and rural communities

Panel members:

Jo Colman – Chief Mint Officer at Summerdown
Emily Leader – Rural planning and diversification consultant
Tim May – Farmer and Director at Kingsclere Estates Ltd and Founder of 'Pitch Up!'
Charlie More – Late entrant shepherdess bringing previous life experience to her role
Andrew Stilwell – Technical Director at Bartholomews Agri Food Ltd

The discussion will be followed by a casserole supper

Static stalls & displays including:

- FCN/Macmillan
- Tenant Farmers Association
- Bartholomews
- IAgSA
- Gamekeepers Welfare Trust
- Hampshire & IOW Countrywatch team and local Bobby

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Please advise of any dietary requirements when booking.

This event is open to anyone with an interest in farming and the countryside.
It is free to attend, but booking is essential please.

We are grateful to Bartholomews Agri Food Ltd for their support