

To launch Small Business Month in the Narromine Region please join us for

Q+A PANEL

with the three Fionas

Small Business the bush and **BIG** Ideas



5.30 pm | Thursday 10 March , 2022



Soul Food, Dandaloo Street NARROMINE



MCs for the evening

Member for the Dubbo electorate, Minister for Agriculture and Western NSW, The Hon Dugald Saunders and Ex- Dubbo Regional Councillor, Former Dubbo electorate Woman of the Year, Chair of the Board of Orana Early Intervention, President of Clare's Angels and Senior Electorate Officer for the Member for Dubbo electorate, Jane Diffey



**Please RSVP via Eventbrite see QR Code below - this is a free event (catering included, bar at own cost)
Numbers are limited due to COVID-19 restrictions**



Fiona Nash



Fiona Aveyard



Fiona Hall



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Fiona Nash

Hon Fiona Nash

Regional Education Commissioner

Having grown up in Sydney, Fiona has spent the last couple of decades living and working in regional Australia. For many years she was involved in a farming enterprise in the central west of NSW, which her sons Will and Henry are now running.

She spent twelve years in the federal parliament as a Senator for NSW and also held ministerial positions including Rural Health, and in Cabinet the positions of Regional Development, Regional Communications and Local Government and Territories.

She also held the position of Deputy Leader of the Nationals.

From 2018 - 2021 Fiona was the Strategic Adviser, Regional Engagement and Government Relations for Charles Sturt University.

Fiona was appointed by the Australian Government as the Regional Education Commissioner in December 2021.



Fiona Aveyard

As well as being a 5th generation lamb producer, Fiona is the founder of the paddock to plate business, "OutbackLamb".

Outback Lamb is the creator of premium, farm-fresh, gourmet lamb sausage rolls. As a producer, Fiona's focus is on moving up the agricultural value chain by developing lamb based products sourced directly from the farm.

Fiona has achieved industry recognition through a number of awards. Whether she is the guest speaker for the Asian Productivity Organisation in Taiwan; a participant in accelerator program Farmers2Founders; pitching at AgriFutures evokeAg 2020 or advocating in her role as an MLA Livestock Leader, Fiona is committed to sharing rural Australia's story. She is dedicated to the future of family farming and regional prosperity.

Her focus is on hitting that sweet spot where the planet, profits and community are all winners.



Fiona Hall

Fiona Hall is the owner of BiteRiot Operations Pty Ltd at Orange, in central west NSW. BiteRiot Operations is an apple and cherry growing, packing and marketing operation, which Fiona and her husband Bernard founded. The company produce 368,000 tonnes of apples a year and handle between 1000 and 1500 tonnes of cherries.

She is the creator of the premium Australian fruit brand BiteRiot! - the unified brand under which cherries from Caernarvon and 20 other growers around Central West are now graded, packed, marketed and exported.