

# Welcome to the DTAS Annual Conference 2024



*Volvo Centre, Warwick – 16 April 2024*

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# DTAS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE 2024

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Meadow

## **MMI Distribution**

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## **TP Niven (Vice-chair)**

## **Red Tractor Assurance**

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Independent Assessor

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DTAS Management Committee Secretariat

Dairy UK Scheme Administrator

## **Gary Elkington**

Rowena Marshall

*To be appointed*

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Phil Forder

Steve Newton

## **Andy Brookes**

Gemma Schofield

## **John Whitelaw**

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# AGENDA (am)

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**09.30**      **Coffee, breakfast rolls and Registration**

10.30      Welcome from Gary Elkington – *Chair of the DTAS Management Committee*

10.40      Battery electric trucks - the current situation

*John Comer – Head of Truck Product Management, Volvo*

11.00      Scheme Overview to include: Annual Fees, Changes in Membership, Main reasons for non-compliance failures, New Assessors

*Ian Wakeling – Scheme Administrator*

11.15      HACCP update to include the Food Safety and GMP for DTAS Hauliers online Training Course from Techni-K

*Gosia Johnstone - Senior Manager: Technical, Saputo Dairy UK*

11.30      Assured Integrated Milk Supplier (AIMS) Scheme update

*Sinead Wall - Chair of the AIMS Management Committee*

11.45      NMR: Working in Partnership with the Dairy Supply Chain

*Ben Bartlett – Sales and Marketing Director, NMR*

12.00      Questions arising from morning presentations

12.10      Summary of morning session – *Gary Elkington*

**12.15**      **COFFEE BREAK**



# AGENDA (pm)

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**12.30**      **Draw for the raffle prizes**

12.35      Red Tractor update

*Rob Brown – Technical Manager (Licensing) – Fresh Produce, Crops & Dairy, Red Tractor Assurance*

12.50      Revisions to DTAS Standards and Operating Protocol – to review changes proposed for Version 14 (April 2024 to March 2025) of the Standards, including the incorporation of Module G: Traction-only Haulage.

Proposed updates to the DTAS Tanker Driver Handbook

*Gary Elkington - Inbound Logistics – QEHS Manager, Arla Foods Limited*

13.10      DTAS Training initiatives, including DTAS Awareness Course

*Paul Charlton – Charlton Agricultural Solutions*

13.25      Carrick CIP Tracking System

*Connor Meehan – Carrick Engineering Ltd*






13.40      Closing comments and final questions – Gary Elkington

**13.45**      **LUNCH**



# TODAY'S EXHIBITORS



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# PRIZES FOR TODAY'S RAFFLE

Leave your business card for a chance to win – blank cards available if you do not have one.

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<p><b>1st</b></p>	 An image of a Marks & Spencer (M&S) gift voucher. The voucher has a decorative background of overlapping gold-colored circles and the text 'M&S' in the center.	<p>£50 Marks &amp; Spencer gift voucher (redeemable online or in-store)</p>
<p><b>2nd</b></p>	 An image showing a box of Butlers chocolates. The top part shows the closed box with a ribbon and the 'Butlers' logo. The bottom part shows the open box filled with various chocolates.	<p>One 410g box of Butlers Platinum Collection chocolates</p>
<p><b>3rd</b></p>	 An image of two wine bottles. On the left is a bottle of white wine with a light-colored label. On the right is a bottle of red wine with a dark label and a white crest.	<p>One bottle of Yealands Reserve Sauvignon Blanc white wine <i>and</i> One bottle of Croix des Coteaux Saint-Émilion red wine</p>

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