



# Organic Agriculture Association Inc.

~ 1 Day Seminar ~

8:30am - Thursday 28th June

the Hub - 27 Dalmahoy St, Bairnsdale Victoria 3875

## Pesticides: Safety Myths Farming without Pesticides

### Guest Speakers/Program:

- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 - 9.15 Welcome
- 9.15 - 10.15 **Andre Leu:** *Pesticides effects on children*
- 10.15 - 10.45 **Alan Broughton:** *Effects of chemicals on soil biology*
- 10.45 - 11.15 Morning tea
- 11.15 - 12.15 **Liz Clay:** *Growing vegetables without pesticides*
- 12.15 - 1.15 Lunch
- 1.15 - 1.45 **Van Kien Nguyen:** *Emerging organic agriculture movement in Vietnam*
- 1.45 - 2.15 **Reza Davari:** *Pest management experience in Iran and India*
- 2.30 - 3.30 **Andre Leu:** *Farming without chemicals: How it can be done ?*
- 3.30 - 4.00 Afternoon tea
- 4.00 - 4.30 Panel discussion and conclusion

Registration/RSVP - 20th June All Welcome

Entry - \$30 OAA Members \$35 Non-members (Catering Included)

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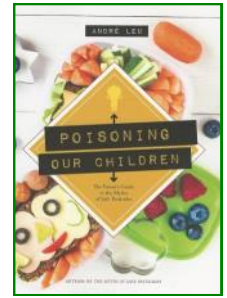
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## Speaker profiles:



**Andre Leu:** Organic tropical fruit grower, Daintree, North Queensland, International Director of Regeneration International, past president of IFOAM (International Federation of Organic Agriculture Movements), author of *The Myths of Pesticide Safety and Poisoning Our Children*.



**Alan Broughton:** Vice-president Organic Agriculture Association, organic farming educator, author of *Sustainable Agriculture Versus Corporate Greed*, retired pasture management researcher at "Strathfieldsaye Estate", Perry Bridge.



**Liz Clay:** Organic vegetable grower at Baw Baw Organics, Noojee, past Australian representative on IFOAM World Board, decades of involvement in organic farming movements.

**Dr. Van Kien Nguyen (Kien):** Research Fellow, Fenner School of Environment & Society (Australian National University, Canberra), Director of Research Centre for Rural Development (An Giang University, Vietnam).



**Dr Mohammadreza Davari (Reza):** Former general secretary of Iran Organic Association, past researcher at Payame Noor University, Arak, Iran, and Indian Agriculture Research Centre, New Delhi, India, now Australian resident, author of many research papers.

## Seminar host

**Organic Agriculture Association:** Formed 1984, farmer and gardener membership throughout Gippsland, manager of most comprehensive biological farming library in Australia at 14 McKean Street, Bairnsdale (Open Thursdays 11.00-3.00), publisher of quarterly magazine 'Seedbed.'

# Venue - the Hub, 27 Dalmahoy St (Cnr Dalmahoy & Service St)



## Registration - Membership

Register Online at [www.oaa.org.au](http://www.oaa.org.au) or utilise the Registration Form below to post or email your details accompanied by your Payment.

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10% Discount on Books.  
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(*'Seedbed'* - Quarterly Newsletter)

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