

Salisbury Pig Club

Farrowing house management – what do the top herds do to achieve 30+ pigs weaned / sow / year?

What: John Richardson recently completed a survey of some of the higher performing UK indoor herds and a few Danish producers – one of which was rearing 37.4 pigs / sow / year.

His talk this evening will cover this survey – discussing techniques that the producers found beneficial, such as covered creeps versus heat mats, induced versus non-induced farrowing, open herd compared to closed herd replacement policy, batch versus weekly production and many other management routines.

John is also going to link in tips for outdoor production systems.

So if you aspire to join the 30+ group of producers – it could be worth coming along tonight.

Who: Open to All

Date & Time: Tuesday 5th April

6:45 - 7:30 pm – Meal

7:30 – Meeting Starts



Location: Red Lion Hotel, 4 Milford Street, Salisbury, Wiltshire, SP1 2AN

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Please RSVP by **Tuesday 29th March** if you would like to attend and also if you would like food.