

# **EFNCP NETWORK DAY, preceding the BURREN WINTERAGE SCHOOL 2015**

**The Community Centre, Corofin, County Clare, Ireland**

**Wednesday October 21<sup>st</sup>: EFNCP team and members arrival**

**Thursday October 22<sup>nd</sup>: EFNCP Network Day**

## Session 1: EFNCP work in Ireland

- 9.00 – 9.30 a.m. Welcome, presentations and introduction to the day
- 9.30 – 9.45 a.m. Main features of Ireland and its farming systems
- 9.45 – 10.15 a.m. Presentation of EFNCP work in Ireland: an example of what we can achieve with sustained co-funding from national partner
- 10.15 – 10.45 a.m. Factors, successes, impediments: debate on the lessons extracted from the Ireland experience

## Session 2: Partnering for European policy work

- 11.15 – 11.45 a.m. General overview of EFNCP work and partnerships in 2015
- 11.45 – 12.30 p.m. Involving members to work on EU policy together: presentation and discussion of country-level CAP implementation
- 12.30 – 1.00 p.m. How we work as an organisation and network: results and discussion of the survey for members

## Session 3: Brainstorming on improved networking, awareness raising, communication

- 2.30 – 3.30 p.m. Communicating better what we do: website, social media, La Cañada newsletter, seminars... Are we reaching our target audience?
- 3.30 – 4.30 p.m. Towards a more functional and useful network of members and partners: how to meet our needs and aims
- 4.30 – 5.00 p.m. Main conclusions and future steps

## **Followed in the Evening by the Start of Burren Winterage School**

*WHO'S WHO: An evening of getting to know one another and of finding out what's happening on the High Nature Value front in Ireland and across Europe.*

- 7.00 – 7.30 p.m. Welcome & Introduction
- 7.30 – 9.00 p.m. Poster presentation & networking session with drinks, canapés and music.

*EFNCP members are invited to bring along posters about their organisations and the type of High Nature Value farming systems they work on, to present them during this evening. Visually appealing posters, with little text or technical graphs, are highly recommended.*



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