



RURAL PROFESSIONALS

ALA CENTRAL ENGLAND AUTUMN TECHNICAL BRIEFING



Thursday, 11 October, 3.00pm

Wright Hassall Solicitors, Olympus Avenue, Leamington Spa CV34 6BF



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The ALA Central Group are pleased to invite you to its Autumn Technical Briefing at Wright Hassall Solicitors on **Thursday 11 October 2018**.

Our speakers are:

- **Charles Cowap**, MBA MRICS FAAV, Lecturer at Harper Adams University, Consultant
- **Jake Freestone**, Farm Manager at Overbury Enterprises and Nuffield Scholar
- **Charlotte Johnson**, Farmer and joint owner of Johnson's Farm Shop, Glebe Farm, Wasperton

Followed by a Panel Q&A Session

Charles Cowap

FLOGGING NATURE - SOME PROFESSIONAL IMPLICATIONS

What price nature? Recent policy announcements laud the idea of natural capital and rewards for nature's benefits. But what will this look like? How will it work? What are the practical, business and professional issues for landowners and farmers? What advice will be needed? Do the authors of the 25 year Environment Plan and the Health and Harmony Command Paper have the first idea about practical land management? Just what and who are the Natural Capital Committee? Charles Cowap has spent the last 10 years working on these themes and will share his experience and thinking on the opportunities and challenges ahead.

Jake Freestone – BREXIT – What next for farming?

Charlotte Johnson – the challenges and opportunities in British agriculture.

Based in Wasperton, Warwick, Charlotte and her husband Oliver are a small, non-intensive farm producing and selling their own meat and produce. They are a young family, passionate about agriculture and the countryside.

Itinerary:

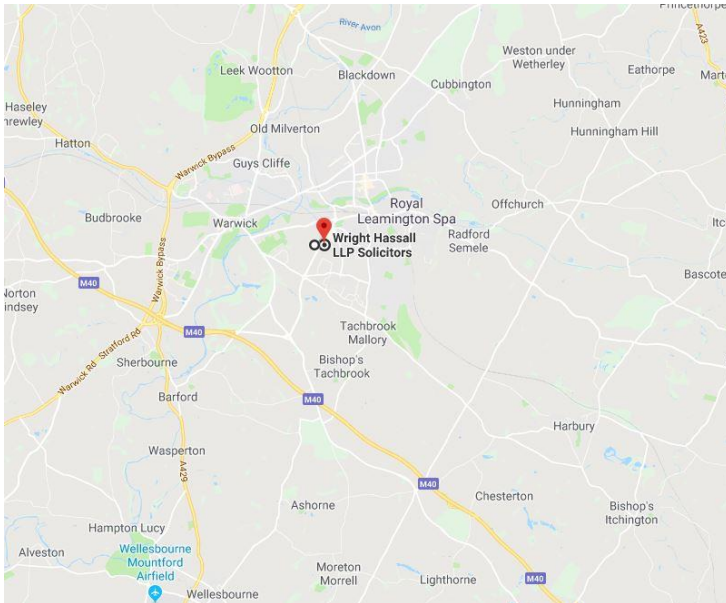
- 3.00 pm - registration, networking and refreshments
- 3.30 pm - Charles Cowap - Flogging Nature - some professional implications
- 4.00 pm - Jake Freestone – Brexit – what next for farming?
- 4.20 pm – Charlotte Johnson -
- 4.45 pm – Panel Q&A
- 5.00 pm – Coffee, networking and depart

Venue & Directions:

Please be aware; there are potential delays near the Wright Hassall office caused by the works being carried out on Europa Way.

Wright Hassall is located just a few miles from Jn 13 M40 Nbound/ Leamington Spa or Jn 14 M40 Sbound/Leamington Spa.

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Cost and Payment:

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More information about the ALA:

The ALA was founded in 1975 to provide a forum for professionals serving agriculture (lawyers, surveyors, accountants, bankers, farm business consultants and others) to support each other in their specialism. Day conferences are held each Spring and Autumn which provide an excellent selection of agriculturally-based talks plus an opportunity for networking. For more information, visit www.ala.org.uk

The regional groups are an initiative to cater for practitioners at a local level, their purpose being to:

- Provide a source of continuing professional development for those in rural businesses
- Encourage the development of working relationships by inter-professional networking



**ALA Central England
Thursday, 11 October 2018
RSVP by Tuesday, 4 October**

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