

## LEAF E-Brief – May 2009

### **BROOM'S BARN OPEN DAY** **1<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2009**

Broom's Barn Open Day will be held on Wednesday 1st July starting at 12.00 noon until 4.30pm.

The day will be combined with the Rothamsted Research Association Science day. Broom's Barn science staff and science specialists from Rothamsted will be available throughout the day.

A key focus of the afternoon will be the way that research can help plan future inputs and growing strategies to maximise profit. Research leaders will be on site to discuss their areas of research.

There will be field demonstrations, static displays of research areas, plant clinic, industry stands. Topics will include:

- Cereal fungicide strategies
- Fungicide resistance
- Crop physiology / Drought
- Oilseed rape viruses
- Sugar beet nutrition
- Weed control
- Sugar beet foliar disease control
- Field margin management and conservation.

The afternoon provides an opportunity to discuss the work in the field at Broom's Barn with the researchers.

If you are interested in attending please register at [www.rothamsted.bbsrc.ac.uk/broom/events/](http://www.rothamsted.bbsrc.ac.uk/broom/events/) or contact Christine Hobart [christine.hobart@bbsrc.ac.uk](mailto:christine.hobart@bbsrc.ac.uk) . Tel 01284 812202