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LRG Annual Meeting, Nairobi, Kenya

10 October 2025

A background image for the Livestock Research Group Annual Meeting. It shows a pastoral scene with several black cows grazing in a dry, yellowish field. In the background, there is a wooden fence, a small wooden building, and a larger barn-like structure. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow and long shadows. The text 'Livestock Research Group Annual Meeting' is overlaid in large white letters.

## Livestock Research Group Annual Meeting

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- Updates from the wider GRA (Special Representative & Council) – including new GRA Strategy (2026 to 2030)
- Reports from LRG networks
- Partner updates – opportunities and challenges for LRG
- Flagship project updates – current, planned & potential
- Discuss and develop the LRG Work Plan for 2026
- ..... Interspersed with some short science updates

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## OBJECTIVES FOR THE DAY

- Developing the LRG workplan - aligned with the new GRA Strategy
- Reinforcing the network in Africa
- Building partnerships - how can the LRG and networks get involved?

### Desired outcomes of the meeting

- 2026 workplan for the LRG
- Priorities for the LRG Networks and GRA Partners
- Contribution to the discussion about enhancing work in Africa

Practical: everybody 'gets their say' (within reason!)

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## RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

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- Ongoing work of the networks within LRG – all different, but addressing: partnerships, collaborative projects, workshops, webinars, newsletters.....
- Manure Management Network reinvigorated and running a webinar series
- Rumen Additives Flagship was rooted in members of Feed & Nutrition network; Rumen Gateway Flagship gaining traction
- Contributions to discussions on major global initiatives, particularly with the Global Methane Hub – early-life; GreenFeeds, rumen physiology, animal breeding ... more to do



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