

## WP3.1 Field Day report from Steinkjer

**Date:** 26<sup>th</sup> August 2025

**Place:** NIBIO Tuv Field Station IN Steinkjer, Norway

**Participants:** The Open day gathered around 70 participants. They were groups of students from the nearby university, pupils from the local agricultural high school and a few pupils from primary school, as well as teachers for all groups. The biggest group were pupils from the agricultural high school.

**A short report:** The participants of Open day were divided into groups and went to different posts, rotating so all participants got to see all posts. The OatFrontier Project was presented at the Cereal post. The presentation was somehow adapted to the specific group. We explained the principles for field trials and variety testing, as well as oat production and challenges for oat production in the northern part of Europe. We presented the OatFrontier project and the project poster. The participants could also see different seeds and grains.

We had positive feedback from the participants, and several questions and discussion about the topics.

The field station is environmentally certified by the Norwegian Miljøfyrtårn.

**Farmer demonstrations:** We did not show the fields in this Open day, but we talked about the different fields and field registrations as well as the purpose of the fields in our presentation.