

Supplementary information

S1 - Ashes description

SSA was produced as part of the ReNu2Farm project using the AshDec® process. The process aims to remove heavy metals from the sewage sludge ash and the conversion of non-plant available phosphate to plant-available calcium (Ca)-sodium (Na)/potassium (K) phosphates (Figure 1). The ash is thermally treated at high temperatures (~900°C) in a rotary kiln. Total P = 53-55 g/kg, K = 95-134 g/kg, S = 26-31 g/kg, Ca = 153-166 g/kg, Mg = 29-35 g/kg, Fe = 3.5-4.6 g/kg, Al = 4.9-7.5 g/kg (for more details, see [72]).

PLA was produced from 600 poultry manures through incineration at up to 1000°C. The obtained ashes are used for export to EU countries and the UK. PLA has a high dry matter content, pH-water of 12-13 and a low electrical conductivity, is P-rich with considerable amounts of K, S, Ca and Mg, but negligible N content. Heavy metals are present below prescribed legal limits (EU FertilisingProduct Regulation 2019/1009). Total P = 65-84 g/kg, K = 10-13 g/kg, S = 30-50 g/kg, Ca = 76-103 g/kg, Mg = 15 g/kg, Fe = 43-60 g/kg, Al = 4.5-53 g/kg (for more details, see [72]).

Supplementary Tables

Table S1 Mean AMF colonization of the L. perenne roots after cultivation in microcosms for 54 days in soil amended with P fertilizers SP, PLA and SSA a year prior to the experiment, arbuscular (AC), vesicular (VC) and hyphal (HC) colonization were recorded via microscopic investigation at 600x magnification after root staining with trypan blue [30], 100 observations per sample, \pm represents standard error, $n=6$. Letter “a” within a column indicates that there is no statistically significant difference between the treatments (ANOVA with Tukey post-hoc test, $P \leq 0.05$).

Treatment	AC (%)	VC (%)	HC (%)
SP0	62.50 ^a ± 6.4	67.67 ^a ± 4.5	98.67 ^a ± 1.1
SP60	43.83 ^a ± 6.4	61.83 ^a ± 5.5	90.33 ^a ± 5.3
PLA60	62.83 ^a ± 3.2	76.00 ^a ± 3.9	99.83 ^a ± 0.2
SSA60	67.00 ^a ± 11.1	53.67 ^a ± 9.7	98.00 ^a ± 0.6

Table S2 Alpha diversity measures of 16S rRNA amplicon sequencing results of the microcosm trial, significance determined via Kruskal-Wallis test and Wilcoxon post-hoc analysis and Benjamini-Hochberg correction, different letters within a column indicate statistically significant difference, $n=6$.

Treatment	Observed Features	Chao1	ACE	Shannon	Simpson
SP0	676.0 ^a ± 76.5	676.0 ^a ± 76.5	676.1 ^a ± 76.5	6.15 ^a ± 0.094	0.9965 ^a ± 0.0002
SP60	527.5 ^a ± 73.1	527.5 ^a ± 73.1	527.5 ^a ± 73.1	5.87 ^a ± 0.170	0.9954 ^a ± 0.0007
PLA60	611.2 ^a ± 38.8	611.2 ^a ± 38.8	611.2 ^a ± 38.8	6.06 ^a ± 0.060	0.9962 ^a ± 0.0001
SSA60	590.0 ^a ± 21.4	590.0 ^a ± 21.4	590.0 ^a ± 21.4	6.04 ^a ± 0.033	0.9962 ^a ± 0.0001

Table S3. Alpha diversity measures of phoD functional gene sequencing results of the microcosm trial, significance determined via Kruskal-Wallis test and Wilcoxon post-hoc analysis and Benjamini-Hochberg correction, different letters within a column indicate statistically significant difference, $n=6$.

Treatment	Observed Features	Chao1	ACE	Shannon	Simpson
SP0	3071.2 ^a ± 82.80	3648.3 ^a ± 54.14	3704.8 ^a ± 44.18	5.864 ^a ± 0.0386	0.9888 ^a ± 0.0005
SP60	3011.8 ^a ± 99.07	3710.7 ^a ± 62.39	3751.4 ^a ± 53.65	5.893 ^a ± 0.0257	0.9892 ^a ± 0.0002
PLA60	2769.2 ^a ± 151.51	3499.3 ^a ± 135.04	3573.2 ^a ± 120.18	5.805 ^a ± 0.0223	0.9869 ^b ± 0.0003
SSA60	3235.5 ^a ± 61.91	3755.4 ^a ± 57.27	3814.4 ^a ± 56.24	5.891 ^a ± 0.0229	0.9883 ^a ± 0.0003

Supplementary Figures

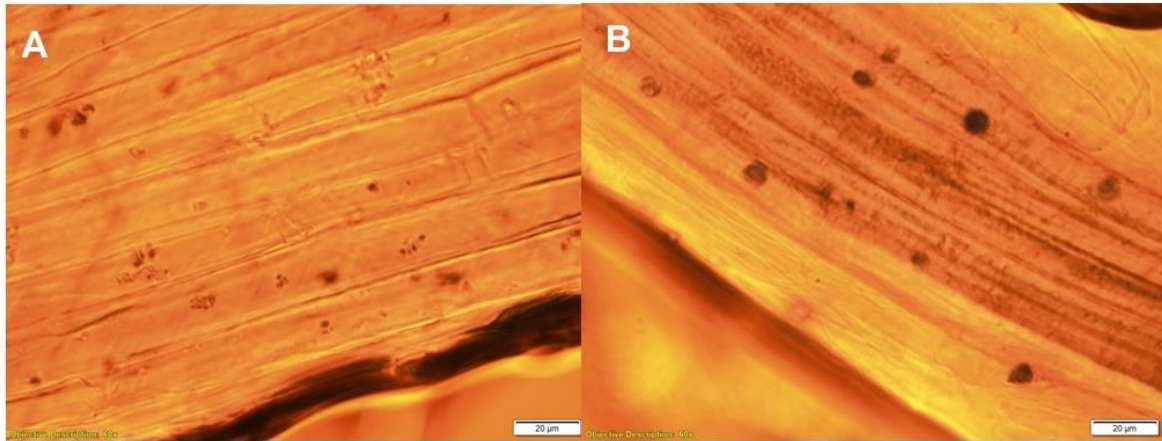


Figure S1. Example of arbuscules (A) and vesicles (B) in L. perenne roots after cultivation in soils fertilized with ashes, visualised at 600X magnification (BX60, Olympus, Tokyo, Japan)

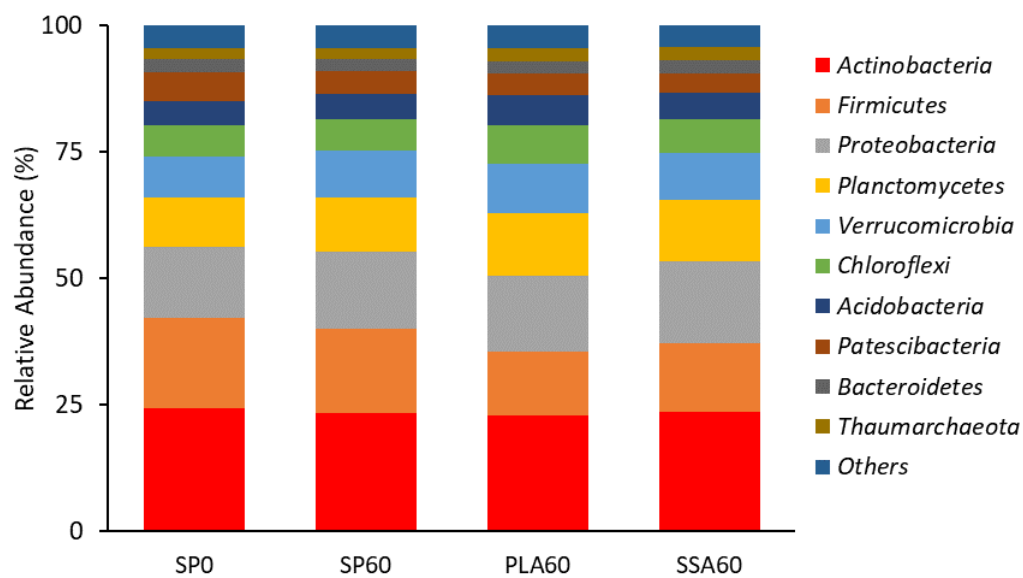


Figure S2. Mean relative abundance of the top 10 abundant phyla obtained from 16S rRNA amplicon sequencing of the microcosm trial, all other genera collapsed in “others”, $n=6$.

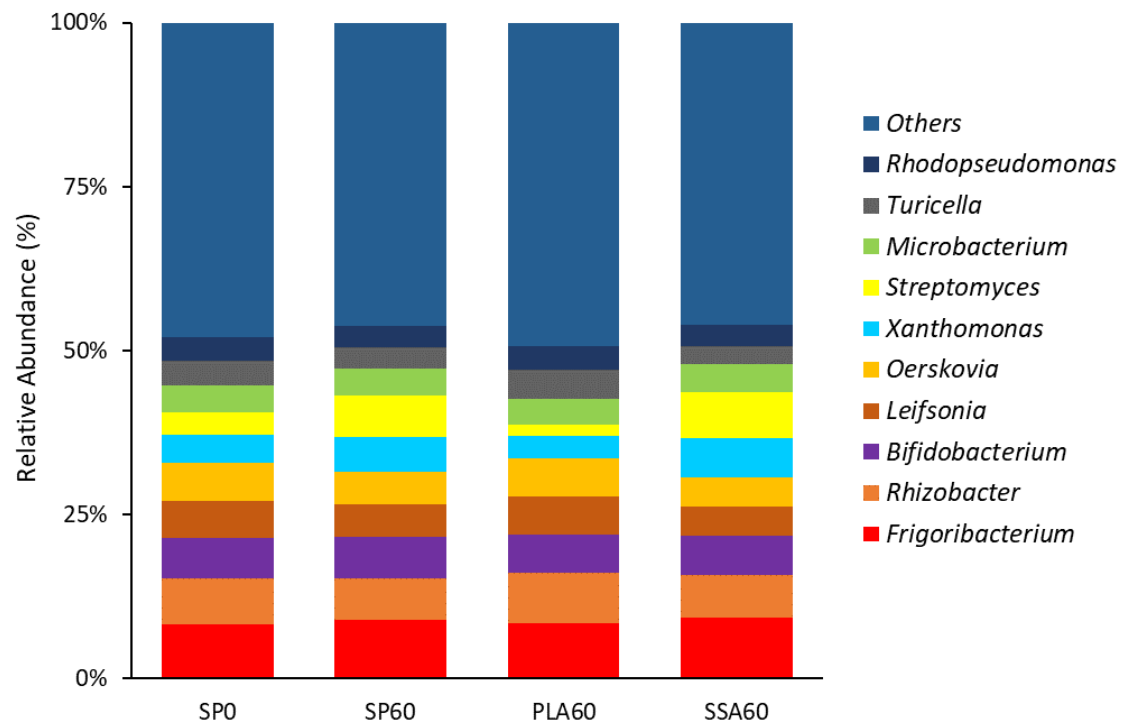


Figure S3. Mean relative abundance of the top 10 abundant genera obtained from *phoD* amplicon sequencing of the microcosm trial, all other genera collapsed in “others”, $n=6$.