

Tuesday 13th October 2020

## Muchea Sheep Market Report

Muchea Sheep Market Report		Previous Week	Change
	Head	Head	Head
Muchea Total Yarding	9252	10401	DOWN 1149
Nutrien Yarding	3838	4257	DOWN 419
Sale Prices:			
Description Type (Score)	This Week		Week Change
	High \$/hd	Low \$/hd	\$/hd
<b>XB Lambs</b>			
Heavy (3/4)	155	135	UP 10
Trade (2/3)	135	120	UP 10
Airfreight / shipping (1/2)	120	105	UP 8/10
Store (1)	110	90	UP10
<b>Mutton</b>			
Heavy (>24kg)	160	140	UP 10/12
Trade (2/3)	138	110	UP 10/12
Boners (2)	110	75	UP 10/15
Light Boners (1)	70	40	UP 5/8
<b>Merino Wether Lambs &amp; Hoggets</b>			
Trade (3)	130	110	UP 6/8
Store	115	75	UP 5/8
<b>Merino Ewe Lambs / Hgts</b>			
Trade (3/4)	120	90	EQUAL
Store (1/2)	105	65	EQUAL
<b>Wethers</b>			
Export	NQ		
Store (1)	125	105	UP 5/8
Slaughter (>24kg)	145	120	EQUAL
<b>Rams</b>			
Heavy Export >55kgs	110	80	EQUAL
Medium 48-54kgs	80	70	EQUAL
Slaughter	60	30	EQUAL
<b>Ram Lambs</b>			
Export >45kgs			NQ
Store 34-39kgs	105	50	EQUAL

## Market Comment:

Agents yarded 9252 head this week with Nutrien accounting for 3838 head of the total. New season lambs dominated the numbers in the yarding this week with several large drafts of trade types on offer (1934 Head), followed by strong numbers of mutton with old season lambs (now Hoggets) making up the remaining balance, mostly in store grade.

The trade lamb market saw a significant increase in competition on most lines strengthening the market up to \$10 per head. the top end of our market made \$150 for a pen of 37 white Suffolk cross suckers to the local trade market while the majority of our front row sold predominately between \$130 to \$145 per head. The lighter types also strengthened selling between \$115 to \$130 with stores mostly at \$90 to \$110.

The ewe mutton market bounced back from last week with strong contention from processors and graziers alike. woolly heavy mutton topped out at \$166 (Merino) with the majority of heavy mutton selling at rates of \$135 to \$150 per head with rade types also strengthening selling at mostly \$115 to \$130. the entire mutton yarding strengthened \$8 to \$10 per head throughout with some grades up to \$15 stronger.

Jarrad Hubbard - Auctioneer

### Representative Prices

Yagga Yagga Partnership, Talbot 10	Dorper Suckers	\$151.00
KR & PD Haeusler, Wannamal 37	Crossbred Lambs	\$150.00
A Rechichi & Son, Wannamal 45	Poll Dorset x Suckers	\$148.00
JH & HF Stone, Quairading 47	Poll Dorset x Suckers	\$148.00
Sunshine Past Co, York 12	Poll Dorset Ewes	\$168.00
NL & CA Watson, Northam 10	Merino Ewes	\$166.00
Kiara College Farm, Kiara 4	Merino Ewes	\$159.00