

Tuesday 15th February 2022

Muchea Sheep Market Report

		This Week	Previous Week	Change
		Head	Head	Head
Muchea Total Yarding		10621	14299	DOWN 3678
Nutrien Yarding		5246	5902	DOWN 656
Sale Prices:				
Description / Approx Dress Weigh		This Week		Week Change
		HIGH \$/hd	LOW \$/hd	\$/hd
XB Sucker Lambs				
	Heavy (>24kg)	\$215	\$200	DOWN 5/10
	Trade (21-23kg)	\$215	\$175	DOWN 5/10
	Light Trade (18-20kg)	\$170	\$150	DOWN 5/10
	Feeder (13-17kg)	\$135	\$95	DOWN 5/10
	Store	\$85	\$20	DOWN 10/15
Mutton				
	Heavy (>25kg)	\$193	\$155	DOWN 10
	Trade (18-24 Kg)	\$140	\$110	DOWN 5/10
	Boners (14-17 Kg)	\$105	\$70	DOWN 5
	Light Boners (<13kg)	\$75	\$60	EQUAL
Merino Wether Lambs & Hoggets				
	Trade (18+Kg)	\$185	\$145	EQUAL
	Store (<17kg)	\$130	\$75	EQUAL
Merino Ewe Lambs / Hgts				
	Trade (>18+Kg)	\$180	\$115	EQUAL
	Store (<17Kg)	\$110	\$70	EQUAL
Wethers				
	Slaughter (>24kg)	\$180	\$145	EQUAL
	Store	\$145	\$125	EQUAL
	Export	\$170	\$120	EQUAL
Rams				
	Heavy Export >55kgs	\$140	\$90	EQUAL
	Medium 48-54kgs	\$70	\$50	EQUAL
	Slaughter	\$30	\$20	EQUAL
Ram Lambs				
	Export >45kgs	\$120	\$95	EQUAL
	Store 34-39kgs	\$105	\$50	EQUAL

Market Comment:

An offering of 10621 Head this week at Muchea, Nutrien accounting for 5246 Head with some good quality large drafts offered. The yarding was comprised of 6751 lambs and 2309 ewe mutton.

There were several top quality drafts of trade lambs available which predominately sold at rates of \$175 to \$200 per head to a top of \$215, finishing up to \$10 easier on last week, light trade lambs sold easier as well at rates of \$150 to \$170 while the handful of feeder and store lambs offered sold at rates of \$70 to \$135 per head also easier, despite support from local agents.

There were very few mutton available this week, an ease in competition saw rates reduce by \$5 to \$10 across most grades, heavy trade types sold at rates of \$155 to \$193, the genuine trades sold at rates of \$110 to \$140 per head. Boner mutton remained similar selling at rates of \$75 to \$110 with very light boners to a low of \$40 per head.

*Next week we are **Second Sale***

Jarrad Hubbard - Auctioneer

Top Prices

P & J Michael, Bolgart		
12	Crossbred Lambs	\$215.00
RW & GJ Gentle, York		
44	Crossbred Lambs	\$210.00
SW Richards & Co, Watheroo		
28	Crossbred Lambs	\$205.00
N & MJ Cooper, Wongan Hills		
44	Crossbred Lambs	\$199.00
Mitchell Tiver, Walkaway		
29	Border Leicester X Ewes	\$187.00