

14TH FEBRUARY 2024

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Sheep Market Report

7TH FEBRUARY 2024 - A LARGER YARDING OF 3720 SHEEP & LAMBS, WITH 1386 LAMBS AND THE BALANCE SHEEP.

Scattered showers to start the week off saw a slightly larger yarding this fortnight, with less extra heavy lambs penned. A complete field of buyers but not all active. The best of the extra heavy lambs were either side of firm on last sale selling from \$152-260. A quality yarding of trade lambs with majority crossbred and a couple of pens of Merino lambs. The best of the trade lambs sold from \$90-\$160 with re-stockers buying lambs between \$40-90. A large yarding of mutton saw prices slide this fortnight with the best of the crossbred ewes being \$20-30 cheaper, selling from \$30-72. Merino ewes held firm this fortnight with most ewes selling from \$45-90 making this job firm.

VENDOR TOP PRICES LAMBS

		PRICE
PJ & CA Sullivan	xl	\$ 260.00
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Minemoorong Pastoral Co	xl	\$ 230.00
Warren B Hogden	xl	\$ 220.00

SHEEP

		PRICE
DJ & KM Sweeney	xh	\$ 117.00
Bolaro Pastoral Co Pty Ltd	xh	\$ 100.00
O'Neill's Rural Services	me	\$ 90.00
Pemcaw & Co	mw	\$ 88.00

DUNEDOO 76th Annual Breeders Sheep Sale

We held our 76th Annual Sheep Breeders Sale on the 1st February with a bigger yarding than last year with 11,355 sheep penned. The quality of the yarding was excellent with all vendors to a doing a great job to present their stock. A good crowd was on hand with buyers from all over the state. The sale was best described as 'in and out' with some excellent sales and some looked very reasonable.

Best of the 1 1/2 year old Merino ewes were \$192 for Nigel & Emma Roberts 'Dunbogan' Elong Elong, Garry & Kel Cox 'Langdene' Dunedoo also sold 1 1/2 year old Merino ewes with not as big a skin for \$167. Ken & Brenda Rawling offered some excellent SIL 4 1/2 year old Merino ewes which sold for \$206 and Joel and Kylie Bennetts sold some mixed ages SIL Merino ewes for \$190. The best of the older Merino ewes were the Pemcaw & Co, Dunedoo 5 1/2 year old ewes that made \$144. The scanned 1st X ewes made up to \$252 for some 1 1/2 year old from Peter and Claire Portelli. The best of the 1st X ewe lambs were \$196 for Seton Croake and \$193 for Matthew and Fleur Guan. David and Victoria Seis had a dispersal of their Composite ewes, they made up to \$154 for the 2 1/2 year old ewes and \$142 for the mixed ages. A lot of sheep were purchased from the Forbes, Wagga and Dubbo areas.





Cattle Market Report

7TH FEBRUARY 2024 - 900 CATTLE YARDED

We had another outstanding yarding of yearling and prime cattle this fortnight with feeder steers firm on last sale with the top pen up to 373.2c/kg and feeder heifers up to 10-15c/kg dearer with the best pen of feeder heifers 334.2c/kg. Heavy cattle saw strong to firm trends with one meat processor not operating. 3-4 score cows were firm to 10c/kg cheaper while the secondary cows were firm to 15c/kg dearer.

QUOTATIONS

Yrling str: (350kg - 400kg)	340.0-373.0 c/kg
Yrling hfrs: (350kg - 400kg)	294.2-334.2 c/kg
Trade str: (400kg - 500kg)	340.0-373.2 c/kg
Trade hrs: (400kg - 500kg)	230.0-324.0 c/kg
Export str: (500kg+)	290.0-324.0 c/kg
Export hfrs: (500kg+)	250.0-315.0 c/kg
Cows: (3-4 score)	220.0-260.0 c/kg
Heavy Bulls	180.0-230.0 c/kg

VENDOR TOP PRICES

YEARLINGS	PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
Nijetibe Partnership str	373.2	401	\$ 1,494.50
Jack Foran str	370.0	436	\$ 1,612.35
Kirriwa Partnership str	365.0	369	\$ 1,345.94

STEERS	PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
JR & SG Bourke	343.2	518	\$ 1,778.92
MB & KA Duce	340.0	463	\$ 1,573.44
JR & SG Bourke	330.0	470	\$ 1,551.00

HEIFERS	PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
Brennan Family Trust	315.0	453	\$ 1,426.36
BT & LA O'Neill	304.2	450	\$ 1,367.63
MH & SR Dent	300.0	480	\$ 1,440.00

COWS	PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
Martin Bros Pastoral P/L	260.0	622	\$ 1,615.90
Citriodora Pty Ltd	256.0	644	\$ 1,647.26
Marombi Pastoral Co	255.0	800	\$ 2,040.00

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SAVE THE DATE!

DUNEDOO STORE CATTLE SALE

WED, 28TH FEBRUARY

TAKING BOOKINGS NOW!

Jamie 0427 467 322 | Angus 0427 751 009
James 0477 781 009 | Lachie 0409 920 800

DELTA AGRIBUSINESS

Cattle Weaning Workshop

Friday 16th February
Garden Hotel Gibbs Street Dubbo
9am - 12pm (Lunch provided)

Dr Paul Cusack: (Australian Livestock Production Services) (BSc, BVSc, MVSL, FACVSc, M.Agribus, PhD) is a consultant cattle veterinarian, ruminant nutritionist, and beef producer with post-graduate training in the intensive and extensive ruminant industries. Paul has lectured veterinarian and animal science students at the universities of QLD, Sydney and Charles Sturt University, where he is an adjunct professor. Paul serves as head examiner in beef medicine and production for the Australian College of Veterinarian Scientists. Paul also teaches post graduate courses in ruminant nutrition and beef production medicine through the Centre of Veterinarian Education.

Paul also operates his own trading enterprise giving him a very practical knowledge that allows him to explain information in a simple format that can be incorporated into any beef enterprise. As weaning is one of the most stressful and critical periods, Paul will discuss ways to limit stress and production losses during this time.

Key Topics

- Preparing cows for joining and best practice for promoting conception.
- Late pregnancy management into calving.
- Calf management through to weaning and feed budgeting for cow and calf.
- Weaning weights and how to manage weaners if having to wean early.
- Weaning protocols and processes that should be followed to limit stress and production losses.
- Feeding weaners for production and disease management (nutrition and disease).

RSVP essential by Friday 2nd February 2024
Peter Thornton 0427 069 247 or pthornton@deltaag.com.au

FORTHCOMING SALES

Fat Sheep & Cattle Sale - Wednesday 21st February

Dunedoo Monthly Store Cattle Sale - Wednesday 28th February

Fat Sheep & Cattle Sale - Wednesday 6th March

Fat Sheep & Cattle Sale - Wednesday 20th March

REAL ESTATE

3172 CASTLEREAGH HWY, BIRRIWA



UNDER
CONTRACT

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3172 Castlereagh Highway, Birriwa a former church building with solid foundations set in quiet village only 40 mins from Mudgee and 15min from Dunedoo. A truly unique and versatile property that offers endless possibilities.

FOR SALE

\$80,000

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70 TUCKLAN STREET, DUNEDOO



PRICE
REDUCED

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- Elevated, north facing block
- Ideal location close to schools
- Large outdoor entertaining area
- Tidy and well maintained
- Split system air conditioning
- Renovated bathroom
- Built-ins in master bedroom

FOR SALE

\$400,000

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