

Tuesday 12th October 2021

Muchea Sheep Market Report

| | This Week | Previous Week | Change |
|--|------------|---------------|----------------------|
| | Head | Head | Head |
| Muchea Total Yarding | 13315 | 7837 | 5,478 |
| Nutrien Yarding | 6535 | 3757 | 2,778 |
| Sale Prices: | | | |
| Description / Approx Dress Weight | This Week | | Week Change \$/hd |
| | HIGH \$/hd | LOW \$/hd | |
| XB Lambs / Old Season | | | |
| Heavy (>24kg) | \$165 | \$155 | DOWN 10 |
| Trade (21-23kg) | \$150 | \$135 | DOWN 10 |
| Light Trade (18-20kg) | \$130 | \$125 | DOWN 10 |
| Feeder / Airfreight (13-17kg) | \$115 | \$100 | DOWN 10 |
| Store | \$90 | \$65 | DOWN 10 |
| XB Sucker Lambs | | | |
| Heavy (>24kg) | \$194 | \$190 | EQUAL |
| Trade (21-23kg) | \$185 | \$170 | EQUAL |
| Light Trade (18-20kg) | \$165 | \$150 | UP 5 |
| Feeder (13-17kg) | \$148 | \$130 | UP 5 |
| Store | \$130 | \$90 | UP 10 |
| Mutton | | | |
| Heavy (>25kg) | \$190 | \$140 | DOWN 5 |
| Trade (18-24 Kg) | \$135 | \$120 | EQUAL |
| Boners (14-17 Kg) | \$115 | \$90 | EQUAL |
| Light Boners (<13kg) | \$85 | \$70 | EQUAL |
| Merino Wether Lambs & Hoggets | | | |
| Trade (18+Kg) | \$180 | \$130 | EQUAL |
| Store (<17kg) | \$130 | \$75 | UP 5 |
| Merino Ewe Lambs / Hgts | | | |
| Trade (>18+Kg) | \$175 | \$115 | EQUAL |
| Store (<17Kg) | \$110 | \$70 | EQUAL |
| Wethers | | | |
| Slaughter (>24kg) | \$180 | \$150 | EQUAL |
| Store | \$145 | \$125 | EQUAL |
| Export | \$185 | \$150 | EQUAL |
| Rams | | | |
| Heavy Export >55kgs | \$160 | \$80 | EQUAL |
| Medium 48-54kgs | \$70 | \$50 | EQUAL |
| Slaughter | \$40 | \$10 | EQUAL |
| Ram Lambs | | | |
| Export >45kgs | \$150 | \$95 | EQUAL |
| Store 34-39kgs | \$105 | \$50 | EQUAL |

Market Comment:

A larger offering at Muchea this week with 13315 head offered in total. Nutrien accounted for 6535 head of the total yarding. The yarding was comprised of mostly ewe mutton with 4315 head offered while the balance was made up of 2412 sucker lambs and 4545 other grades

There were only a few heavy weight suckers offered within the yarding which sold at rates of \$180 to \$190 per head, genuine trade sucker lambs sold at rates of \$170 to \$185 to remain similar, the light trade and feeders finished slightly stronger with continued feeder and grazier support the majority sold at rates of \$130 to \$150 per head.

There were some bigger lines of ewe mutton yarded this week with some great quality offered. Heavy trade types sold similar at rates of \$145 to \$190 with the genuine trades selling at rates of \$110 to \$140 per head finishing slightly dearer with some grazier support, Boners sold at rates of \$90 to \$115 with very light boners to a low of \$70 per head. Black tag and younger ewes were selected by agents and graziers to sell significantly stronger for another week with the majority of bigger drafts \$150 to \$170 with lighter types in that age bracket at \$125 to \$145 per head.

Please remember to nominate your sheep through your local Nutrien agent.

Next week we are **First** sale

Jarrad Hubbard - Auctioneer

Top Prices

| | | |
|---|-----------------|----------|
| Braemar Farm, Toodyay | | |
| 45 | Crossbred Lambs | \$194.00 |
| GB Haywood, Dandaragan | | |
| 22 | Crossbred Lambs | \$188.00 |
| Hamilton Agriculture Pty Ltd, Murchison | | |
| 50 | Damara x Lambs | \$191.00 |
| S & L Booth & Co, Cadoux | | |
| 15 | Merino Ewes | \$182.00 |
| DJ & JR Ottaway, Lancelin | | |
| 40 | Dohne Ewes | \$174.00 |