

11TH MARCH 2026

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## Sheep Market Report

**4TH MARCH 2026 - A YARDING 4,800 OF SHEEP & LAMBS, WITH 3,200 LAMBS AND THE BALANCE SHEEP.**

Just under 5,000 head were yarded this fortnight, with the market remaining very strong across all categories. Competition lifted further with the presence of an additional processor, helping push heavy lambs to a top of \$400.

Medium trade lambs sold to a high of \$290, while Merino lambs were keenly sought, topping at \$198. Numbers of hoggets were limited, with the best reaching \$260.

An outstanding result was seen in the Merino wethers, which sold to a top of \$342, reflecting the strength of the mutton market. Crossbred ewes also met solid demand, topping at \$320. Overall, it was another very strong sale, with good competition across the yarding and quality lines well rewarded.

### FORTHCOMING SALE DATES

<b>Fat Sheep &amp; Cattle Sale</b>	<b>Wed, 18<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>
<b>Dunedoo Store Cattle Sale</b>	<b>Wed, 25<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>
<b>Fat Sheep &amp; Cattle Sale</b>	<b>Wed, 1<sup>st</sup> Apr</b>
<b>Fat Sheep &amp; Cattle Sale</b>	<b>Wed, 15<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>
<b>Fat Sheep &amp; Cattle Sale</b>	<b>Wed, 29<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Gilmore Farms xl \$400.00
- Nestledown Pty Ltd xl \$340.00
- J & A Pilley ml \$198.00
- RB & JA Bowman mw \$342.00
- MG & DM Inder xe \$292.00
- DP & GL Rothwell me \$240.00

### IMPORTANT REMINDER

- NVDs need to be completed in full and signed. Any erasures or amendments to your NVDs must be signed/initialled.
- Please make sure that you are using the new 2020 version of the NVD with the Number **50720** on top.
- Anything not vendor bred needs the additional PICs written in the PIC box.

**FINALLY PLEASE CHECK AND MAKE SURE YOU ARE LPA ACCREDITED**

### QUOTATIONS

Extra Heavy X Lambs: (30kg+)	\$360 ~ \$400
Heavy X Lambs: (26kg - 30kg)	\$290 ~ \$340
Medium X Lambs: (22kg - 26kg)	\$242 ~ \$282
Light X Lambs: (18kg - 22kg)	~
New Season X Lambs:	~
Merino Lambs:	\$167 ~ \$198
X Ewes: (Score 3-4)	\$230 ~ \$320
Merino Ewes: (Score 3-4)	\$200 ~ \$240

### CROSSBRED LAMBS

Gilmore Farms	\$400.00
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DJ & KM Sweeney	\$360.00
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Wattle Grove Partnership	\$360.00
Nestledown Pty Ltd	\$340.00
PJ & CA Sullivan	\$331.00
RA & MA Hackney	\$331.00
SR & DM Hackney	\$331.00
Munro Pastoral Co	\$330.00
PJ & CA Sullivan	\$318.00
Bettergrow Pty Ltd	\$310.00
PJ & CA Sullivan	\$310.00
Yeomont Trading	\$310.00
RA & L Obst	\$303.00
DN & JL Stanford	\$302.00
Wattle Grove Partnership	\$300.00
Yeomont Trading	\$300.00
Bulliroy Creek Pastoral Co	\$295.00
PJ & CA Sullivan	\$295.00
AE Lincoln & Co	\$291.00

### MERINO LAMBS

IJ & VC Deutscher	\$268.00
DA & ME Deutscher	\$230.00
J & A Pilley	\$198.00
Portelli Pastoral Co	\$197.00
L & C Ratley	\$185.00
Burragundy Farming	\$170.00

### MERINO EWES

DP & GL Rothwell	\$240.00
RB & JA Bowman	\$230.00
Trustee For Est Douglas Seis	\$200.00
Trustee For Est Douglas Seis	\$188.00
RB & JA Bowman	\$180.00
LM & MH Deutscher	\$175.00

### CROSSBRED EWES

RB & JA Bowman	\$320.00
MG & DM Inder	\$292.00
NJ & HE Wicks	\$260.00
DP & GL Rothwell	\$250.00
Ms Kirsty Murdoch	\$250.00
Tongy Station	\$246.00
PJ & CA Sullivan	\$230.00

### HOGGETTS

Merriwa Central School	xh	\$265.00
Tongy Station	xh	\$260.00
DP & GL Rothwell	mh	\$240.00
LM & MH Deutscher	mh	\$240.00
Bettergrow Pty Ltd	xh	\$220.00
Merriwa Central School	mh	\$220.00
Jacob Carpenter	xh	\$200.00

### WETHERS

RB & JA Bowman	mw	\$342.00
PD Pearce & M Richards	mw	\$260.00
S & KH Isbester	xw	\$193.00
Trustee For Est Douglas Seis	mw	\$188.00

### RAMS

Rhodes Grandchildren	xr	\$170.00
RB & JA Bowman	mr	\$170.00
Trustee For Est Douglas Seis	mr	\$170.00
LM & MH Deutscher	mr	\$150.00
PD Pearce & M Richards	mr	\$140.00
Bettergrow Pty Ltd	xr	\$125.00
George Zerafa	xr	\$125.00
NJ & HE Wicks	xr	\$125.00



# Cattle Market Report

## 4TH MARCH 2026 - 1009 CATTLE YARDED

Numbers were similar to the previous sale, with all major processors and feedlots present and competing strongly in a dearer market. Feeder steers (400-500kg) sold 15-25c/kg dearer compared to the last sale. Feeder heifers (400-500kg) remained firm, reaching a top of 470c/kg. In the export section, export steers improved by around 8c/kg, while export heifers lifted up to 30c/kg, with some price variation reflecting quality. The best heavy 3-4 score cows sold 20c/kg dearer or more in places, highlighting the strength of the cow market. Heavy bulls sold firm on the previous sale. Overall, it was another strong market with solid competition across most categories.

### HIGHLIGHTS

Merriwa Race Club; AxA strs 504.2c/kg (406kg) rel \$2,044.30  
 J & A Maben Family Trust; Ax hfrs 470.0c/kg (484kg) rel \$2,274.80  
 H H & F Hogden; Ax strs 483.2c/kg (668kg) rel \$3,225.36  
 H H & F Hogden; Ax hfrs 460.2c/kg (840kg) rel \$3,865.68  
 DK Saxelby; AxA cows 407.0c/kg (348kg) rel \$2,639.07

### QUOTATIONS

Yrling strs: (350kg - 400kg)	470.0~516.2c/kg
Yrling hfrs: (350kg - 400kg)	440.0~470.0c/kg
Trade strs: (400kg - 500kg)	470.0~504.2c/kg
Trade hrs: (400kg - 500kg)	440.0~470.0c/kg
Export strs: (500kg+)	430.0~483.2c/kg
Export hfrs: (500kg+)	440.0~460.2c/kg
Cows: (3-4 score)	380.0~470.0c/kg
Heavy Bulls (900kg+)	390.0~408.2c/kg

YEARLINGS		PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
CZ & EL Enterprises	strs	516.2	354	\$1,829.28
Ben Swan	strs	516.2	320	\$1,651.84
Merriwa Race Club	strs	504.2	406	\$2,044.30
Merriwa Race Club	strs	500.0	444	\$2,218.75
TM & CM Ward	strs	500.0	408	\$2,041.67
MJ & AM Darlington	strs	500.0	390	\$1,948.44
PJ & CA Sullivan	strs	495.0	435	\$2,153.25
Merriwa Race Club	strs	490.0	375	\$1,837.50
DA & ME Deutscher	strs	489.2	418	\$2,046.49
Ben Swan	strs	489.2	380	\$1,858.96
IJ & VC Deutscher	strs	489.2	350	\$1,712.20
Kurrajong Vale Partnership	strs	486.2	411	\$1,997.84
TM & CM Ward	strs	485.2	379	\$1,838.91
JC & FA Wightman	strs	482.2	385	\$1,856.47
SR & DM Hackney	hfrs	470.0	400	\$1,880.00
TM & CM Ward	hfrs	470.0	379	\$1,779.59
DK Saxelby	hfrs	460.2	390	\$1,794.78
MJ & AM Darlington	strs	460.0	433	\$1,989.50
Chris Hallett	hfrs	460.0	428	\$1,966.50
PJ & CA Sullivan	hfrs	460.0	403	\$1,855.33

HEAVY HIEFERS		PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
J & A Maben Family Trust		470.0	484	\$2,274.80
RA & MA Hackney		470.0	466	\$2,190.20
PJ & CA Sullivan		467.2	506	\$2,365.65
J & A Maben Family Trust		463.2	491	\$2,274.64
H H & F Hogden		460.2	840	\$3,865.68
Chris Hallett		460.2	460	\$2,116.92
Brennan Family Trust		460.0	510	\$2,346.00
J & A Maben Family Trust		458.2	458	\$2,097.90
RA & MA Hackney		443.2	515	\$2,282.48
MJ & MJ Skinner		420.0	450	\$1,890.00
MJ & AM Darlington		396.2	450	\$1,782.90
Burragundy Farming		360.0	450	\$1,620.00

HEAVY STEERS		PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
N & DF Salisbury		496.0	469	\$2,327.66
Donna Salisbury		496.0	456	\$2,263.00
H H & F Hogden		483.2	668	\$3,225.36
SR & DM Hackney		480.0	486	\$2,332.00
RA & MA Hackney		480.0	451	\$2,166.86
Nagundie Pastoral Co		479.2	541	\$2,592.47
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Kurrajong Vale Partnership		471.2	535	\$2,520.92
Paul FC McGirr		471.2	533	\$2,509.14
Nagundie Pastoral Co		470.2	585	\$2,750.67
Chris Hallett		460.0	452	\$2,077.67
Nagundie Pastoral Co		458.2	570	\$2,609.45

COWS		PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
Ben Swan		407.0	725	\$2,950.75
DK Saxelby		407.0	648	\$2,639.07
Gilmore Farms		406.0	644	\$2,616.16
Pemcaw & Co		405.0	651	\$2,637.00
Bettergrow Pty Ltd		405.0	605	\$2,449.06
J & A Maben Family Trust		404.0	616	\$2,489.26
ML & R Flynn		400.0	714	\$2,854.29
Jock Stuart		400.0	650	\$2,600.00
Central West Truck & Tractors		399.2	650	\$2,594.80
Jacob Medd		398.2	736	\$2,928.76
Brennan Family Trust		396.0	621	\$2,457.00
J & A Maben Family Trust		395.2	583	\$2,305.33
Kareba Pastoral Co		395.0	618	\$2,442.72
Thomas W Magann		395.0	580	\$2,289.03

BULLS		PRICE	AV.WGT	HD VALUE
Bulliroy Creek Pastoral Co		408.2	800	\$3,265.60
G & D Kiem		404.2	745	\$3,011.29
Sylvia Dimech		400.0	800	\$3,200.00
Bulliroy Creek Pastoral Co		390.0	910	\$3,549.00

# CAIRN HILL

524 HA | 1295 ACRES | 190 MELROSE ROAD, LEADVILLE NSW  
A HIGHLY PRODUCTIVE GRAZING PROPERTY



**MILLING STUART PTY LTD ARE PLEASED TO PRESENT FOR SALE CAIRN HILL, A PRODUCTIVE 524HA (1,295AC) GRAZING PROPERTY LOCATED JUST 20KM EAST OF DUNEDOO AND 30KM WEST OF CASSILIS.**

Cairn Hill features rolling red basalt hills with areas of lighter grazing country, the property includes 50ha of cultivation (40ha sown to subtropical grasses). Water security is excellent with two bores, spring-fed dams, 50,000+ gallons of storage, and a modern reticulated trough system. Infrastructure includes near-new Western Electric fencing across the property, a **fully renovated 3-bedroom, 3-bathroom homestead with landscaped gardens and spa**, a 3-bedroom workers' cottage, machinery shed and hay shed, steel cattle yards — offering a well-improved and highly functional grazing enterprise.

Contact Jamie Stuart 0427 467 322





2026

# MENDOORAN SHOW

SATURDAY

28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2026



## NSW SHEEP AND GOAT EID EQUIPMENT REBATE

\$2 million has been announced in NSW Government funding for the Sheep and Goat eID Equipment Rebate. This rebate helps producers and livestock agents invest in eID technology not only to meet mandatory movement requirements but also to level up on-farm management with accurate individual animal data.

### What's on offer:

- 50% rebate on handheld eID readers
- Up to \$1,500 per eligible applicant
- Applications opened 2 March 2026 and close 31 August 2026 or earlier if the program's funding is fully allocated
- Purchases made since 3 October 2023 are eligible to claim

Find information on the rebate program including details on how you can prepare, the process and FAQs here: [NSW Sheep and Goat eID Equipment Rebate](#)

## FOR SALE



### 71 Digilah Street, Dunedoo

Full of character, this three-bedroom weatherboard home just needs a touch of TLC to shine once again. Featuring a welcoming wrap-around verandah at the front, tile roofing, and set on a generous 917.2m<sup>2</sup> block, this property offers both character and space. Set in a great location near schools and the main street, this is the perfect opportunity to create something special.

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**\$240,000**

## FOR SALE



### 31 Farnell Street, Mendooran

**3 Bed | 1 Bath | 4 Car**

- 1,264m<sup>2</sup> Corner Block
- Fibro Cottage with Potential
- Fully fenced yard + Sheds
- Walk to Main Street (700m)
- Timber floors
- Rainwater tanks

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**\$290,000**

JOKE OF THE

**WEEK**

A man walks into a bar, orders a double bourbon, neat and downs it in a single gulp.

"How big is a penguin?" he asks.

The barman says, "Around 18 inches."

He orders another double bourbon, neat, and gulps it down.

"What's the biggest a penguin can be?"

The barman frowns, "Three feet, maybe an inch or two more."

The man orders a third double bourbon, neat and gulps it down even quicker. He sighs.

"I may have run over a nun...."