

# **McDougall & Sons Pty Ltd Sheep and Lamb Report**

## **8/4/2020**

Has the corona virus started to affect numbers, Agents asked themselves at the weekly sale or was it due to the short processing week before and after the Easter recess? There seemed to be no consensus with only 702 head available to the buyers. Lambs were solid with atop of \$242 to average \$183.17 (\$23 up), hoggets topped at \$181 to average \$112 (\$9 down), ewes topped at \$170 to average \$141 (\$22 Up), wethers topped at \$142 to average \$127.41 (\$10 down). The market had a better volume of trade and export lambs compared to last week where the volume was in the feed on and light weight end. Mutton was still firm with both restockers and processors keeping each other on the ball.

Warren & Wendy Schelbach sold shorn Dorper x lambs 42.1kg to Grants Meats for \$200

Kylee Simpson sold Dorper ewe lambs 47kg to Ashtons for \$200, 33.3kg lambs to V.G.Smith for \$128, 21.3kg to restockers for \$117, ewe hoggets 56.7kg to Ashtons for \$181, ewes to Thomas Foods for \$170, rams to restockers for \$131

Richard Salter sold 43.3kg Xbred lambs to Mc Mahon Bros for \$182, 36.8kg to GR Prime for \$134, 35.5kg to restockers for \$122, hoggets 41kg to Whites Trading for \$113, ewes to Thomas Foods for \$148, \$101 and \$96

James Cowlshaw sold Merino wethers a month off shears to Thomas Foods for \$121

Coolmunda Olives sold Dorper x lambs 40kg to Mc Mahon Bros for \$182

Landers & Little sold 2nd x Dorset lambs 46.6kg to Mc Mahon Bros for \$198, ewes to Thomas Foods for \$131, rams to restockers for \$127

Dean Roberts sold Dorper x lambs 41kg to Highchester Meats for \$197, 35kg to Highchester for \$155, 35kg to GR Prime for \$134, 25kg to Highchester for \$110 and restockers for \$102, ewes to Thomas Foods for \$136

Carel Rothman sold Dorper x lambs 43.2kg to Ashtons for \$188

Terrica Pastoral sold Dorper x lambs 40kg to Grants for \$192, 37.8kg shorn Xb lambs to Gr Prime for \$140, Xb wethers to Thomas Foods for \$136, \$142 and \$125 shorn 1st x wethers to restockers for \$114, hoggets 42kg to Highchester for \$129, 40kg to Grants for \$130 and Gr Prime for \$100