

Town & Country Rural Supplies

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REWARD YOURSELF THIS SPRING

PURCHASE 2 x 20 L EXTINOSAD™ POUR-ON OR 4 x 20 L VIPER™ POUR-ON BEFORE 30/09/23 AND GET A \$100 PREZZEE GIFT CARD OR 128 ELANCO REWARDS POINTS!3



Scan here for full details!



eBale

eBale is a technology system that supports the traceability of Australian wool. It includes wool packs that have a unique (matching) QR code and RFID microchip – these are known as eBale packs. To maximise the success of the technology, the QR Code can be read on farm using WoolClip, an electronic wool classing & data App and the RFID is used in commercial warehouse settings.



The eBale technology only carries a unique number (a string of 24 numbers), for example: Unique Tag Id:

093253480000021002346917 Company Prefix: 9325348 (this identifies the object as an Australian (AWEX registered) wool pack) Asset type: 00000 Check digit: 2 (this can differ between tags) Serial component (unique): 1002346917 (actual number used as as the eBale moves along the supply chain. For more info visit https://awex.com.au/media/2206/241120-awex-

ebale-faqs.pdf



Bathurst Merino Association Ram Expo

The Bathurst Merino Association hosted another sucessful Ram Expo on the 12th August . 7 studs on display, 15 teams in the super six maiden ewe competition and 6 entrance in the Junior Judging. Congratulations to all.

Results

Junior Judging

1st Tim Codington 2nd Jemima McLeod 3rd Joel Cicciari

Fine Class

1st Peter Moore 2nd Scott Seaman

Medium Class

1st Peter Moore

Y Super Six Maiden Ewe **Superfine Class**

1st Scott Seaman 2nd Richard Webb

Champion Ewe - Peter Moore

Reserve Ewe - Scott Seaman Local Ram Stud Display - Pomanara Open Ram Stud Display- Koonwarra



Photos and results - Kirby McFee

Funding available to transition to electronic identification

The \$38 million NSW Sheep and Goat eID Infrastructure Rebate Scheme will soon be open.



Applications open:

- processors and saleyards from 1 August 2023.
- producers and stock and station agents from 3 October 2023.

What can I do now?

- <u>Sign up</u> for the newsletter to receive updates <u>https://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/animals-and-livestock/nlis_old/sheep-and-goat-electronic-identification/eid-explainer</u>
- <u>Read the Scheme Guidelines</u> for processors and saleyards on the RAA website. https://www.raa.nsw.gov.au/grants/eid
- Rebate Scheme Guidelines for producers and stock and station agents will be made available soon.

Potential Issues with our Monthly Statements



During the month of July and August TCRS experienced some issues with our internet service. This meant that some customers did not receive their invoices via email or their statments. Please check you accounts thoroughly and if you have invoices missing please let Trish know on 02 6332 4044. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Fertiliser Update

PLEASE BE AWARE FERTILISER UPDATE AS FOLLOWS:-

- CROPLIFT 15 WILL BE AVAILABLE AFTER 11TH SEPTEMBER
- MAP FERTILISER WILL BE AVAILABLE AFTER 11TH SEPTEMBER
- DAP FERTILISER AVAILABLE NOW
- SINGLE FERTILISER AVAILABLE NOW
- UREA FERTILISER WILL BE AVAILABLE NOVEMBER

It is important that you get your orders on early. Call in store today or phone 02 6332 4044.



Weed removers, pasture improvers – effective weed control

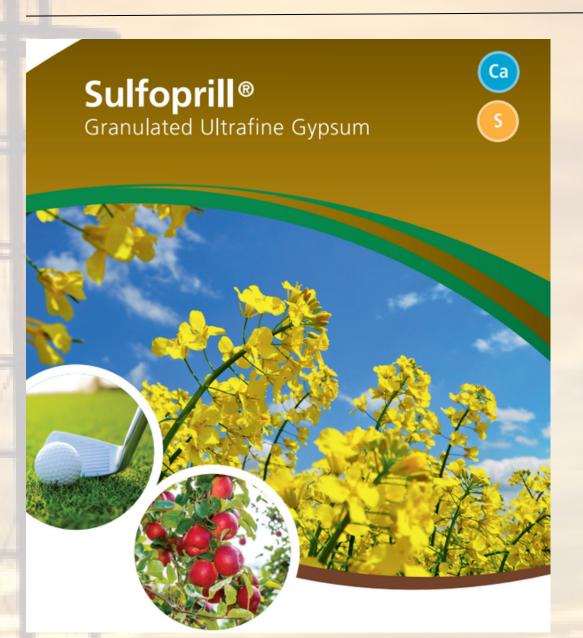
Source MLA

Over 2,500 species of weeds are currently impacting on the Australian environment, and the cost of weeds to Australian agriculture now exceeds \$4 billion per year. Weed removers and pasture improvers are essential in planning and implementing an effective weed control program. For More information visit:

www.townandcountrybathurst.com.au/publications



20lt \$175 inc GST until stock lasts



Sulfoprill (NEW PRODUCT ALERT)

Sulfoprill (made in WA) is a 2-6mm granule made from ultrafine, high purity gypsum manufactured in Australia by Omya AG. Sulfoprill is low in dust, easy to spread and breaks down rapidly in moisture. It gives you the option to use your own fertiliser spreading equipment to minimise your reliance on weather and reducing the risk of introducing off-farm pathogens.

Sulfoprill can be direct drilled or air-seeded to aid in crop establishment. To maintain a healthy, balanced soil, Sulfoprill can be applied regularly at lower rates to replace sulphur and calcium removed at harvest.

- Readily available source of sulphur and calcium for plant nutrition and a healthy crop
- For cost effective precision agriculture, accurate placement of product and reduced dust drift
- Applied easily with standard fertilizer spreaders
- Readily available source of sulphate (S04) to the crop
- Banding allows for cost efficiencies over other
- gypsums
- Improved soil structure in sodic conditions Helps offset high magnesium in soils
- Improved nutrient absorption in plants
- Better quality and storability of the crop