

### **Town & Country Rural Supplies**

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# Town and Country Rural Supplies Wins at the Carillon Business Awards 2023

In a shining moment for the Bathurst community, Town and Country Rural Supplies was honored with the 2023 Carillon Business Award for Excellence in Diversity and Inclusion. This recognition underscores our resolute commitment to creating an inclusive workplace and championing diversity.

Diversity and inclusion are no longer buzzwords but essential facets of contemporary businesses. Town and Country Rural Supplies goes the extra mile in embracing these principles, evident in our hiring practices and customer interactions. Their diverse workforce, hailing from varied backgrounds and experiences, fosters an atmosphere of unity and vibrancy.



Town and Country also sponsored the "Outstanding Community Group" category at the Carillon Business Awards, emphasising our dedication to empowering local initiatives that uplift Bathurst residents' lives. Bathurst Community Transport (BCTG) emerged as the deserving recipient of the "Outstanding Community Group" award. Their vital transportation services reflect unwavering commitment to Bathurst's betterment. Vicki and the team at Town and Country congratulate BCTG.

Town and Country Rural Supplies, thanks our customers for their continued loyalty.





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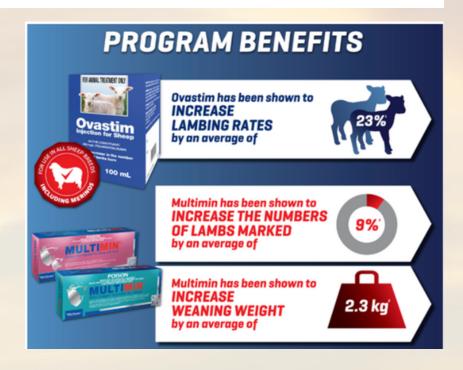
# Improve the fertility and productivity of your flock with Multimin® and Ovastim®

What is Ovastim®?

- Ovastim® is a reproductive vaccine that results in ewes releasing more eggs.
- Ovastim® has been shown to increase lambing rates by an average of 23%.1

The use of Ovastim® and Multimin® in the Target Sheep Repro program can deliver unparalleled results to help improve productivity, fertility and fecundity and will result in:

- MORE LAMBS PER EWE JOINED
- MORE MULTIPLES AND FEWER SINGLES
- HEALTHIER EWES AND LAMBS
- IMPROVED SHEEP WELFARE
- HEAVIER LAMBS AT WEANING



Producers using Ovastim® must be prepared for more multiples and have the capabilities to manage additional lambs. There are a number of considerations producers should take into account before deciding to use Ovastim. For more information visit <a href="https://au.virbac.com/targetrepro">https://au.virbac.com/targetrepro</a>





## Carbon Farming 101 An Introductory Workshop

#### Trunkey Creek | 13 Oct 2023

NSW Department of Primary Industries: Clare Edwards, Development Officer, On-Farm Carbon Advice carbon@dpi.nsw.gov.au

For more information please contact Local Land Services: Casey Proctor, Senior Land Service Officer Agricultural Systems M 0429 110 072 | E casey.proctor@lls.nsw.gov.au

Register here <u>https://events.humanitix.com/carbon-farming-101-trunkey-creek</u>



Come and learn about on-farm carbon management with NSW Department of Primary Industries On-Farm Carbon Advice Team. This workshop is designed for farmers of extensive beef and sheep, dairy and mixed farming systems.

This workshop will introduce carbon farming concepts including:

- terms and definitions
- Industry drivers and carbon markets
- sources and sinks of on-farm greenhouse gas emissions, including flows of carbon dioxide, methane and nitrogen oxide
- tools, calculators and how to estimate your on-farm emissions
- current and future strategies to reduce emissions and increase carbon sequestration
- Farm Carbon Management Plans: what is it and help your decision making process?



### **2023 COBBER CHALLENGE**

This year's Cobber Challenge is set to be the best yet. We've created a new format that is smarter, fairer and more fun!

Competitors will have more time to track their dogs, levelling the playing field for all regions.

#### THE COBBER CHALLENGE STORY

The Cobber Challenge is a celebration of the unique partnership that keeps farms running across Australia and New Zealand - farmers and their working dogs.

Since 2016, the Cobber Challenge has shared the true stories of the lives of working dogs.

Cobber use GPS collars to tracks the distance, duration and speed that Aussie and Kiwi dog clock over a three-week period. They have seen sprints as fast as Usain Bolt, and dogs covering 1,000km in just three weeks. Along the way, they have seen how hard our farmer's work. But not without their best mates by their sides.

Cobber is proud to provide the food that fuels working dogs across Australia and the Tasman.



Cobber Dog Food is available in store at Town and Country Rural Supplies. Call today 02 6332 4044



Bathurst Regional Council, Lithgow City Council and Oberon Council have received funding from the NSW Government under the Regional Drought Resilience Planning Program to develop a Regional Drought Resilience Plan. This plan will identify the regions priorities, provide a roadmap of actions to help prepare and act early to respond to future drought risks, ultimately reducing impacts on our people, environment and economy.



Share your feedback via a survey (open from 25 September to 6 October) – scan the QR code to access the survey



Share your feedback at a workshop

Bathurst Regional Council

Thursday 12 October

Workshop 1 Bathurst Rail Museum, 126 Havannah Street, Bathurst

10:30 - 11.30am

RSVP

Email: sophie.drysdale@wsp.com Telephone: 0481 799 529 Bathurst Regional Council

Thursday 12 October

Workshop 2

Bathurst Rail Museum, 126 Havannah Street, Bathurst

5.30 - 7.00pm

RSVP

Email: sophie.drysdale@wsp.com Telephone: 0481 799 529

The Regional Drought Resilience Planning program is jointly funded by the Australian Government and NSW Government under the Future Drought Fund.