



# **Transitioning to Non-Mulesed Sheep**

# **Production Demonstration Site - Field Day 2023**



**16**th June **2023** | Time: **8:30am – 12:30pm** 



'Summerhill', 3611 Murringo Road, Young, NSW, 2594

### **Producer Demonstration Site (PDS)**

MLA's PDS program supports producers to adapt, validate and demonstrate the business value of integrating new management practices and skills into their local farming systems.

'Transitioning to Non-Mulesed Sheep' PDS is designed to support sheep producers with the transition to non-mulesing by developing a 5-year transition strategy, using tools and resources available and peer to peer learning.

## Topics to be discusses and demonstrated

- Project Information & PDS result updates
- Use of Electronic Identification and data capture
- Demonstration #1 Dag & Urine Scoring
- Demonstration #2 Breech & Body Wrinkle Scoring

Producers will be provided with the opportunity to discuss and learn how to perform the techniques of dag scoring and urine scoring as well as off shears body, neck and breech wrinkle scoring. These are techniques which can allow for benchmarking tracking the flocks progression during the transition towards non-mulesed.



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## Field Day - Schedule

8:30am	Arrive and Registration Summerhill Pastoral
9:00am	Host welcome, introductions and PDS overview  Mark Tiedemann (Summerhill Pastoral) & Sally Martin (SheepMetriX)
9:15am	Transitioning to Non Mules Project and Demonstration Outcome Update  Lucinda Eddy — SheepMetriX
10:00am	Use of electronic identification (eID) and data capture  Sally Martin – SheepMetriX
10:30am	Demonstration #1 – Dag & Urine Scoring SheepMetriX Team (audience participation)
11:30am	Demonstration # 2 – Body, Breech & Neck Wrinkle Scoring SheepMetriX Team (audience participation)
12:30am	Meeting close/depart home