



Department of  
Agriculture and Food



## Late Break Workshop

The Sheep's Back and DAFWA's Sheep Industry Business Innovation (SIBI) are hosting several late break meetings State-wide. On hand will be Consultants Ed Riggall and Mark Allington to discuss strategies for poor season and sheep nutrition requirements. DAFWA vets will present on sheep health issues that rear up in these seasons, particularly in ewes.

### Program

- **Late break strategies for the season** - It's never too late to make a plan. Agisting, feedlotting, growing more feed, early weaning, feed budgeting- there are many things to take into consideration in a poor season caused by a late break. Consultant Ed Riggall will go through the options and help you tailor your own plan.
- **Sheep Nutrition** - Are you feeding enough? Consultant Mark Allington delivers on what a ewe needs, how much is she getting out of the paddock and how much energy is being fed. Finish the session with a feed budget for your flock.
- **Sheep Health** - tight seasons are when sheep are most vulnerable and many sheep health issues kick in: pregnancy toxemia, acidosis, hypocalcemia, coccidiosis and more. DAFWA Vets will be on hand to tell you signs to look for and what to do. We will also host a Q&A session so you can discuss your individual issues.

**These sessions are all about growers getting answers for their own enterprises. It's also a good opportunity to see what others are doing and how this might fit into your own plan.**

**Afternoon tea and sundowner included**

Dowerin	Ejanding Stud Shearing Shed 183 Ejanding East Rd	Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> May	3.00 – 5.00 pm
Northampton	Community Centre	Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	3.00 – 5.00 pm
Corrigin	Tony Guinness' Shearing Shed 471 Jubuk South Rd	Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	3.00 – 5.00 pm

For catering purposes please rsvp to [admin@sheepsback.com.au](mailto:admin@sheepsback.com.au) or text 0428 299007.  
(number attending & location)