

Black Sheep Rising.



The official newsletter of the Black and Coloured Sheep Breeders Association of Australia (NSW) Inc.

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Welcome to the newest Black and Coloured Sheep owner – RUBY JOANNE MAHER, born 20 September to wonderful new parents Melissa and Simon. Details at birth 3.92 kg or 8.5lb and 50cm long. Congratulations and fondest love from all the members. We are looking forward to her active participation in future meetings!



President's Report: MELISSA HENRY

State meeting held on 18 June 2016 at the Yass Club.

Welcome to a rainy and green Yass! After a very dry Autumn, we are set for a wet Winter and Spring. A special welcome to Victorian President and NSW Member Helen Wright and her mum Norma. We are glad that you could join us today amount your travels in NSW.

We have a number of new members to our Association that I'd like to welcome.

- Kirsty Warren of Murrumbateman– Monaro / SW Slopes Region (here today)
- Paul Lindfield & Linda Jennings of Sydney & Taralga – South Coast and Southern Tablelands Region (here today)
- Henrietta & Geoff Summerhayes of Berry - South Coast and Southern Tablelands Region

We have had a very successful Summer / Autumn show and field day season, as shown in the May newsletter. Thank you to all of our members who have been involved in exhibiting, stewarding and coordinating these events. It has been a mammoth effort for some, which benefits all members and our Association. Of special note:

- Robertson Woolfest hosted by the South Coast & Southern Tablelands Region
- Wool & Natural Fibre Muster, Mudgee hosted by the Central Tablelands Region (Janos & Marianne Farkas)
- Camden Show which hosted a sheep section for the first time in many years and included a coloured sheep section (Hayley Mahoney & Jeff Sutton)

Two shows that have been long term supporters of BCSBAA that are currently experiencing hardship are:

- Castle Hill Show is considering not running a 2017 show due to space restrictions imposed by the new North West Rail Link and limited funding. A crowd-funding campaign has been established to raise the additional needed \$20,000 to run the 2017 show. More information on the Castle Hill Show website.
- Picton showgrounds have been severely affected by the floods (2m high) on 5th June 2016. The damage to the showground including all buildings has been immense. The Picton Show Committee have decided to cancel the 2016 show, as the showgrounds under-go major repairs. They are seeking donations of time and cash. See the Picton Show website for more details.

An update on commercial wool processing: *Cashmere Connections* are very busy with their tops processing (including coloured wool). Their spinning equipment is set up, but are finding it difficult to find time to focus on this, due to the high volume of tops orders. *Paddock to Ply* have their spinning equipment almost set up and owner Suzette Sayer is up-skilling herself to use the spinning equipment herself and is hoping to be able to spin wool in larger quantities later in the year.

Contacts for the various stages of wool processing will be up on our website in the coming weeks, as will some YouTube videos on processing wool at home. These ideas for the website have come from members so please keep the ideas coming in!!

Melissa Henry
State President

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Central Tablelands Regional Report (incorporating Northern)

The three months from February to the end of April would normally be taken up by participation in the Mudgee and then the Gulgong Shows. Unfortunately this activity has come to a complete halt in the region. We don't have members who own sheep and are willing to show or even organise showing of either sheep or fleeces. So, while both shows listed on their programs black and coloured fleeces, there were no exhibits.

We did however proceed to organise the Wool and Natural Fibre Muster. We embarked upon this project in order to boost the financial position of the region to enable it to continue funding the site fees at the Mudgee Small Farm Field Days and the Balmoral Wine and Food Fair. Both sites are very expensive, but we have been participating in these two events for over twenty years. We have people returning year after year to get their fleeces, yarns and some of the hand-crafted items offered for sale by our members.

Organising the Muster really highlighted the severe lack of manpower in the region. We had to rely on a couple of friendly neighbours to help set up trader's sites, display areas, workshops, etc. We even had to depend on a neighbour to sell entry and raffle tickets for us on the day of the Muster. At the end of the Muster a group of traders helped to pack away tables and clean up the hall. It's not possible to perform like a symphony orchestra when you're a one man band, but the Muster was a resounding success. We had 22 traders selling a wide variety of goods and over 400 visitors for the two days. All feedback was positive, all the traders we spoke to were pleased with the results. We managed to clear over \$1,250 dollars for the region which should keep it going for about three years at the current rate before another major fundraising event will be needed.

We are now getting ready for the Mudgee Small Farms Field Days on the 15th and 16th of July. The only thing we lack is three or four nice coloured sheep to exhibit. None of our Mudgee and district members are interested in bringing sheep to the field days. The consequence of not displaying live animals may be that we lose our relatively low cost prominent site in the livestock area. We need help.

Janos (John) Farkas

Central Tablelands Region

Whilst the Northern group has been inactive for some time now, the local news from Veronica includes:

Clare and Russell Roach have settled into their new home in Tamworth following the sale of their acreage.

I have been busy wool classing (white sheep) after recovering from a badly broken leg. Despite the previous dry times the clips that I had classed has shown very low numbers of tensile strengths, good colour and very good staple length, along with very low vm counts.

The recent rains has seen some weather/water stains and some signs of dermo starting to some through in my area.

Best wishes to all members for a great Christmas and New Year.

Veronica Taylor

For the Northern NSW Regional Group





Photos: Jade Woodhouse, Central / Northern Region

Hawkesbury Regional Report

CASTLE SHOW was our first event for the year. We had perfect weather and good entries in B&C (15) with four schools being Nagle Menai, Oak Hill, Model Farms and Elizabeth MacArthur.

Our Terri (DELCO) did very well, see BSR for details.

There is a bit of a dark cloud over the future of Castle Hill Show due largely to the intrusion of the new rail link having taken a large portion of the grounds including that which was previously parking for horse floats and most equestrian events have been held on the previous weekend. Crowds have been down too which is straining the budget.

This was the first time in many, many years (somewhere between 15 and 20) that the Sheep Section was NOT run by the DUNNS with their merry bunch of helpers.

AN ABSOLUTELY WONDERFUL AND HISTORIC EFFORT.

However, we are very lucky to have Sheree Bourke of Alexandria Community School take over. Congratulations to Sheree on her first performance. It all went very well.

I visited Canberra, good B&C entries, well run, happy day see BSR
Congrats to Broni on her promotion within the Canberra Royal Show Society.

Camden show: Caroline Collerson, Wendy and I visited and had a very pleasant day. We were delighted with Hayley`s running and we wish her well in her new position at Chevalier.

Hawkesbury Show; our main event being the Fleece competition.

Sylvana did very well with a 1st in Crossbred fine, 1st, 2nd and 3rd in Medium fine; and CHAMPION Black and Coloured Fleece.

Credit goes back to Betty Nash too who bred this line which Sylvana now owns. Our Wendy van Raalte and Caroline Collerson featured well with some 1sts and other placings. See BSR for details.

I enjoyed the live sheep section run by Elaine Tracey with a broken leg.

Good entries with Terri Barrell and The Williams hogging the top places. So good to see young Piper Williams coming on so well. Good work Mark. Again, see BSR for details.

Fibre Muster Mudgee. Not directly B&C but an overlapping interest/ out let for our products. Jenny and Phil Dunn, Sue and Mark Griffiths attending throughout with product to sell. Good presentation and atmosphere created by Central Tablelands.

Our last meeting was 24th April. We discussed sharing drench to save money. Usual membership

growth- no great news but at least we have held our newer members, Sylvana and Ken are keen and active and I'm sure we will be seeing more of Dorit and Robert.

We had a lovely birthday party for Betty Nash's 80th. Big thanks to Judy Schonkala, and our very generous hosts, Cheyl and Geoff Uren of Tanglin Alpacas, Kurmond.

Our finances are meagre but healthy.
Our next meeting is scheduled for 7th August 2016.

Peter van Raatle
Region President

Monaro / South West Slopes Regional Report

Winter has certainly arrived around the Monaro / South West Slopes region in the past few weeks. Looks like our area will receive more rain in the next few days. Let's hope the rain does wonders for our pastures and that everyone's sheep get through this weather in one piece. Nice function centre at the Yass Services Club for today's meeting.

As the temporary editor for the most recent edition of Black Sheep Rising, I learnt very quickly the time and effort needed to complete such a diverse newsletter. A big thank you to my partner in helping me research, collate, build and tie together the most recent edition. Cheers also to the people who sent in results, photos and information to us. I fully understand now the tireless work made by Broni in getting every past edition developed and released out on time. Thanks to Broni for all of her past work on the newsletter. Just want to wish Pat all the best with the next edition (*I'm on standby to help with creativity and answer any issues she may come across in developing this extremely important document for our members*).

We have had quite a few Black and Coloured Sheep (and of course their owners!) represent our area at shows around Canberra, Holbrook, Gunning and Yass. This proves how vital our work is in showcasing this wonderful product to the general public. Congratulations to all of our members who have won many awards, accolades and ribbons at each of the shows (*for more information, refer to previous edition of Black Sheep Rising*).

Prior to this meeting, our region held its AGM. Positions remained the same, with the exception of Anne Hazell who has stepped down as our Events Coordinator. Anne has given many years to our Association through the organisation of our participation at the Old Bus Depot Markets and Murrumbateman Field Days, as well as stewarding the fleece sections at Gunning and Yass shows. Anne will continue to chief-steward these fleece sections.

President: *Melissa Henry*
Vice President: *Simon Maher*
Treasurer: *Mac Macdonald*
Business Secretary & Shows Coordinator: *Broni Jekyll*
Minutes Secretary: *Anne Barnes*

Simon Maher
Region Vice-President



Oviston Coloured Sheep owned by Kirsty, Georgia and Seth Warren at Boorowa's Irish Woolfest, October 2016.

South Coast and Southern Tablelands Report

Our region has picked up some new members:

Henrietta and Geoff Summerhayes (single membership)

Paul Lindfield & Linda Jennings (double membership)

Our Robertson Wool fest, went off very well this year with the sun shining for us, Mark and Piper Williams did a great job with their crowd pleasing display of coloured sheep at the entrance to the venue, fleece sales were strong and all traders reported good sales.

Hayley Mahoney has settled into Chevalier College Bowral, and after her new students getting a taste of showing sheep at Camden are now excited at the prospect of continued shows.

We are hoping that Hayley will re-join the group and also encourage a joint membership for the school.

Sponsorship for Picton show was coming along well but after the devastating floods at Picton, which destroyed all the buildings on the showground there looks to be a possibility of either a reduced show or a cancellation, I will keep up to date on this matter with Hayley. Picton show has been cancelled for 2016 with the hope of celebrating their 80th show next year 2017

Next regional meeting to be held August 6th 11 am Goulburn workers club

Robertson woolfest for 2017 is 22 April

Cooma Show Results – whilst the show was held on 12 March, the results were not available in time for the last BSR edition, so congratulations to the following successful exhibitors.

Black and Coloured Sheep Section:

Class 8 Rug Wool Ewe: 1st Christine Parkes

Class 9 Ram Lamb: 1st Christine Parkes, 2nd Christine Parkes

Class 10 Ewe Lamb: 1st Christine Parkes, 2nd Christine Parkes

Champion Ewe: Christine Parkes

Champion Lamb: Christine Parkes

Reserve Champion Lamb: Christine Parkes

Most Successful Exhibitor: Christine Parkes

Black and Coloured Fleece Section:

Class 2: Fine Wool ewe or wether fleece: 1st Michelle Suthern, 2nd Michelle Suthern

Class 3: Medium Wool ram fleece: 1st Christine Parkes

Class 4: Medium Wool ewe or wether fleece: 1st Christine Parkes, 2nd Christine Parkes 3rd Christine Parkes

Class 5: Strong Wool ram fleece: 1st Christine Parkes

Class 6: Strong Wool ewe or wether fleece: 1st Christine Parkes

Class 9: Rug Wool ram fleece: 1st Christine Parkes

Class 10: Rug Wool ewe or wether fleece: 1st Christine Parkes

Champion Fleece: Christine Parkes (Class 4)

Reserve Champion Fleece: Michelle Suthern (Class 2)

Best for Handicraft: Christine Parkes (Class 6)

Delegate

Terri Barrell



There were also no photos available so here is a blast from the past: Christine Parkes with Supreme Exhibit "Speckles" at Cooma Show 2000

Diary Dates

Date	Event	Region
Ongoing every 2 nd Tuesday	Tahmoor Fibre Group, Tahmoor Uniting Church Thirlmere Way, Tahmoor. Further information Dianne 0438 423 168 or Terri 0429 468 420	South Coast and Southern Tablelands
12-13 November	Queanbeyan Show – sheep and fleece classes. Sec. Cherie Harriden. Mob: 0488 043 185. Email: secretary@queanbeyanshow.com.au	Monaro / SW Slopes
13th November	Hawkesbury Regional Meeting – contact Peter van Raalte for details	Hawkesbury
19th November	BCSBAA (NSW) Inc. State Meeting 12 noon lunch for 1pm meeting start, Goulburn Workers Club	All Regions
26-27 November	Dorrigo Show	Central / Northern Region
2017		
29 January	Bungendore Show	Monaro, South West Slopes
19 February	Gunning Show	Monaro, South West Slopes
24 – 26 February	Canberra Royal Show	Monaro, South West Slopes
25 – 26 March	Yass Show	Monaro, South West Slopes
31 March – 1 April	Camden Show	
22 April	Robertson Woolfest	South Coast and Southern Tablelands
5 – 7 May	Hawkesbury Show	Hawkesbury

If your meeting, local show or event is not listed here, you should contact the Editor and give her all the information.

MINUTES OF THE STATE GENERAL MEETING

BLACK & COLOURED SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA (NSW) INC.

Held on Saturday 18th June 2016 held at Yass Club

Meeting was opened at 1.45 pm by the President. Melissa Henry

Present: Anne Barnes, Terri Barrell, Alan Bertram, Janos Farkas, Melissa Henry, Broni Jekyll, Lynda Jennings, Paul Lindfield, Mac Macdonald, Simon Maher, Christine Parkes, Peter van Raalte, Wendy van Raalte. Kirsty Warren, Helen Wright

Visitors: Norma Croft

Apologies: Anne Anderson, Jenny Dunn, Phillip Dunn, Caroline and Barry Collerson, Marianne Farkas, John French, Kath Frey, Myra Males, Betty Nash, Elaine Tracey, Shirley Unthank, Mark Williams, Piper Williams.

Minutes as printed in BSR

Moved minutes be accepted as published in BSR by Broni Jekyll 2nd by Anne Barnes

CARRIED

Business Arising from Minutes: Nil

President's Report: See page 2

Moved by Terri Barrell that presidents report be accepted 2nd Simon Maher

CARRIED

TREASURERS REPORT

Our current bank statement shows that we have **\$1,756.78** in the bank.

The last Treasurer's Report showed a closing bank balance of \$1,778.31 plus one outstanding cheque for \$33 taking our account balance to \$1,811.31.

From our starting balance on the 7th of February 2016 of **\$1,778.31** we paid \$666.00 Membership Rebates to the Regions and \$54.00 to the Department of Fair Trading for lodgement fees for our annual financial report for 2015 our only expense for the period. We have received 17 membership payments, four double (family) totalling \$666.00. See attached transactions list.

Opening Balance		\$1,778.31
We recorded membership receipts	\$665.00	\$2,433.31
Bank interest received	\$0.47	\$2,433.78
Less payment to Fair Trading	-\$54.00	\$2,389.78
Less Membership Rebates to Regions	-\$666.00	\$1,723.78
Add back outstanding cheque for R Bosma	\$33.00	<u>\$1,756.78</u>

We have one unrepresented cheque of \$33.00 to pay for our internet domain registration renewal. This was paid to Ruth Bosma. The original cheque issued on 20 July 2015 remained unrepresented. It was reissued on the 23rd of November but still remains outstanding.

This leaves an actual bank balance of **\$1,756.78**

Comparing the current financial status with the full year results in 2015, we are \$280 behind in membership receipts and \$301 behind in total income. Our total expenses differ only by \$5 from the previous year. Year to date we spent \$141 more than our income. Overall we remain in a strong financial position with very little spending.

Refer to "Income & Expenses Report attached.

Janos (John) Farkas

Moved that treasurers report be accepted by Janos Farkas 2nd by Christine Parkes **CARRIED**

Business Arising:

Query from Mac Macdonald re additions. Answered by Janos.

Correspondence in:

28/4/16 Suzette Sayer, Paddocks to Ply – Requesting a letter of support application for the 2016 Perpetual Foundation, through the International Specialised Skills Institute, to up-skill in using her spinning plant equipment.

Thank you email to Janos from Kirsty Warren for her welcome to the group.

Correspondence out:

1/5/16 Letter of support provided to Suzette Sayer. (note that Suzette has been shortlisted for the Fellowship)

NEW MEMBER WELCOME PACKAGES SENT BY JANOS: to Henrietta & Geoff Summerhayes, Paul Lindfield and Linda Jennings, Kirsty Warren

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Membership total paid	64	
Assoc.	4	
Full	37	of which 9 are doubles
Group	1	
Youth	2	
Life	11	

General Business

Bendigo sheep show to be held in July, members from NSW attending and showing sheep are Anne Barnes, Helen Wright, and Eve Ogilvie. Good luck girls.

Introduction to three new members, Kirsty Warren, from Murrumbateman, is a long time knitter and now has a few coloured sheep to show and as pets.

Linda and Paul have purchased 25 acres at Taralga, they bought the old railway station, with a view to use as a country getaway and future retirement venture, they hope to run some coloured sheep on the property.

We are waiting for request from Canberra Royal show society for sponsorship for the coming show 2017. Motion moved in principal by Peter van Raalte 2nd by Kirsty Warren, that this year we sponsor a total of \$150.00 to be made up as follows: \$100.00 on sheep classes as per this year 2016 and \$50.00 to go to the coloured fleece section which will be on the program for the first time in 2017. This will also include a 10% GST as we dictate what classes are sponsored and not just a donation to the Society. Broni advised that we wait for her to advise the secretary when to send this off to Canberra Royal as the person who organises sponsorship this is off sick at the moment.

Janos told us about Adagio Alpaca Mills in Orange and they are interested in processing wool. They have

applied to Orange Council for approval to scour the wool on site. They hope to process from raw wool to yarn, they are waiting for approval. They would be looking at processing larger amounts not single fleece. Nadine Holme was the representative from Adagio.

South Coast & Southern Tablelands region purchased 4 supreme ribbons from the treasurer, for upcoming shows next year: Cooma and Camden. Christine Parkes to hold.

There was discussion re: sheep and fleece entries for the upcoming National Sheep and Wool Show at Bendigo, all entries are submitted online, but coloured fleece in different section to white fleece, so was some confusion. Helen Wright to Liaise with Anne Barnes re this matter.

Next meeting to be hosted by South Coast & Southern Tablelands Region, at the Goulburn workers club. Date to be advised.

Meeting closed at 3.35pm

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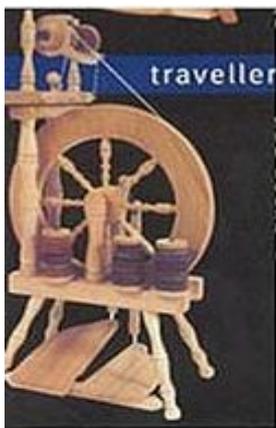
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Website:

"Our website now has a list of commercial wool processors listed, as well as links to a number of YouTube videos on how to process your own wool at home. Our goal is to share this information amongst our members and to new sheep and/or fleece buyers, with a goal of increasing participation in black and coloured sheep and wool trade. So please feel free to share our website links with your wool and sheep buyers!" Current wool processors shown on our website include: Adagio Alpaca Mills, Cashmere Connections Pty Ltd, E P Robinson Pty Ltd, Gary Sheen Carding Services, Feltfine, Gum Nut Cottage Fibre Mill, Paddock to Ply Fibre Mill, Velieris and Wool to Yarn.

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BLACK SHEEP RISING

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Please forward to the Editor, email and postal address as on this page. Preference is given to soft copy but hard copy will also be gratefully received. Please save photos to approximately 500KB before forwarding.

Next State Meeting is hosted by

South Coast and Southern Tablelands
On Saturday 19 November
At Goulburn Workers Club
1 McKell Pl. Goulburn

12 noon lunch for 1pm meeting.