EWE SALES

25 - 35 White Suffolk Ewes are available for private sale in late November each year.

How are they selected?

Firstly, the Farrer White Suffolk Stud is limited to approximately 125 breeding ewes due to the diverse nature of the activities undertaken on the school properties (ie. 120 HBR Angus breeders, 35 Illawarra milking cows, Pigs, Chickens, Merino Sheep). Each year 60 young replacement ewes are brought into the stud and as a result Farrer is able to sell 25 - 35 mature ewes in late November each year.

After pregnancy scanning, weaning and structural assessment unsatisfactory performing ewes are sent straight to the Tamworth Regional Livestock Exchange. The rest are then ranked using Lambplan's Lamb LEQ index. The top 125 ewes (with only slight adjustments) are retained in the Farrer White Suffolk Stud and the rest are offered for sale. (2011-2012, 2015 stud ewes were sold on AuctionPlus). Therefore, the available sale ewes will come from the various age groups currently in the flock.

Contact the school closer to the date for further details, or to organise an inspection.