

ALPACA SHEARING - TRAILERDAY PROGRAM 2020

Shearers:

Our main shearer James Wheeler has many years' experience shearing alpacas, and shears large numbers through South Australia, Queensland, and some years into New South Wales and Victoria. For various reasons, there are less shearers around this year and time has come to increase our team. We welcome our apprentice shearer Emily Waters to the team. Some of you will have met Emily in previous years when she has helped in our sheds and we are excited that she has decided to take up shearing.

Cost:

Regrettably, after five years at the same price, we have had to raise the price this year as a result of increased costs. \$40 per alpaca including shearing, toenails, checking teeth, vaccination and vitamin AD&E shots for alpacas in one year fleece. A surcharge will apply to alpacas in more than one year's fleece due to the extra time required to shear them and the extra wear and tear on equipment.

Payment methods:

Cash - Please ensure you have the correct money as change may not be available.

Credit card payments can now be taken.

Dates/Venues are:

Due to Covid restrictions we have had to make some changes this year – less venues but more dates available. Hopefully there is something to suit everyone.

BALD HILLS

Yaringa Alpacas, "Coomooloo", 91 Coomooloo Road, Bald Hills

Saturday November 14th – Shearer James Wheeler

Tuesday November 17th – Shearer Emily Waters

Sunday November 22nd – Shearer James Wheeler

Tuesday November 24th – Shearer Emily Waters

December dates to be advised.

For those of you who have been to this venue before, the following information has changed.

Once you turn onto Coomooloo Road, follow the signs to Yaringa Alpacas at the end of the road. Once on the property Coomooloo, take the right hand fork in the driveway. Pass between the two houses and turn left across the front of the shearing shed. This year we will be shearing at ground level inside the sliding door – there will be pens outside for you to unload your animals into.

If you are bringing just one or two animals and they are halter trained, you may prefer to park in front of the house and walk your animals around.

MT CRAWFORD

Andean Gold Alpacas, 125 Mount Road, Mt Crawford

Shearer James Wheeler

Date to be advised – will probably be during the week rather than a weekend.

Bookings and Enquiries:

By email (preferred): susan@yaringaalpacas.com.au

When sending your email, please indicate which DATE and VENUE you wish to attend and how many alpacas you will be bringing and whether or not the alpacas were shorn last year.

If you cannot book by email, please phone Susan between 6 pm and 9 pm on: 0418 846 271