



## **2017 AUTUMN SHEEP OPTIMISER WORKSHOPS**

- **A Piece of The Action**- Wool prices are breaking new ground and wool futures are strong- Ag concepts and Primaries will go through the futures marketing options as well as gaze into the price crystal ball.
- **Tools of the Trade** – There is plenty of technology available to growers but what tech is actually making/saving money and time? Consultant Ed Riggall reviews tools such as chaff carts, sheep apps, sheep handlers, remote cameras and drones as well as checking out developing technology.
- **Preparing a Shipper**- Assoc Professor Anne Barnes runs through her research on the impact of what you can do pre-export to improve live shipping. She will also discuss her experiences with shipping and destination feedlots. *Badgingarra & Wagin*
- **Sheep – More Money Less Work** - Is it possible? Following the Sheep's Back state-wide survey Mark Arlington (Icon Agriculture) will tell you the state's production results, what's possible in your area and what's required to deliver financial returns in your environment.
- **Market Impact & Social License** – From classrooms to catwalks: why wool is winning. Marius Cuming from AWI Corporate Communications discusses market impact and defending our precious social license.
- **Agriwebb- Mixed Farming App**- Jamie Lawrence from Agriwebb will outline their app; one of few that cover all areas of mixed farming. *Badgingarra only*

<i><b>Date</b></i>	<i><b>Location</b></i>	<i><b>Venue</b></i>	<i><b>Time</b></i>
<b>Mon April 3</b>	<b>Badgingarra</b>	<b>Community Centre</b>	<b>1.00pm - 4.30pm</b>
<b>Wed April 5</b>	<b>New Norcia</b>	<b>St Joseph's Hall</b>	<b>1.30pm - 4.30pm</b>
<b>Thurs April 6</b>	<b>Wagin</b>	<b>Eric Farrow Pavilion (Wagin Showgrounds)</b>	<b>1.30pm - 4.30pm</b>

**Cost -\$30, afternoon tea and refreshments supplied.**

**For catering purposes please RSVP to The Sheep's Back:  
email: [admin@sheepsback.com.au](mailto:admin@sheepsback.com.au); phone: 9736 1055 or text: 0428 299 007.  
Just leave your name and the location attending.**