



# Beef Bulletin

04/24

I know it's a bit clichéd to say our School Steer Spectacular was indeed SPECTACULAR, but it truly was.

A great effort from all of our volunteer team, the teachers, students and their school communities and a special thank you to all of our generous sponsors (see the attached list) whom I trust you will support when you're looking for a product or service.

So the results are in, and our Manildra Champion School is Shoalhaven High School scoring 223pts out of 250. Equal runners-up were Snowy Mountains Grammar and Braidwood Central School scoring 222pts.

Here's a snap shot:      Champion Led Steer went to Boorowa Central School with a Murray Grey bred by Sue McCluskie formerly of Berry, now Cowra.  
Champion Carcass went to St Gregory's College with a Limousin carcass scoring 96 pts  
Runner-up was Bomaderry High School with a South Devon carcass bred by Lee Pippard at Tannoch South Devons. The full results are in the attached document.

Our next activity as part of the Spectacular is the dinner. Here are the details and how to book your tickets, don't miss it as there are lots of lessons to learn and plenty of stories to tell so I encourage you to be there.

<b>Venue:</b>	Ponte Bar & Dining, Wharf Rd Nowra (same venue as last year)
<b>Date:</b>	Friday 24 May
<b>Time:</b>	6pm for drinks and networking. Pay for your drinks at the bar.
<b>Dinner:</b>	7pm
<b>Guest Speakers:</b>	Kory and Katelyn Graham, our judges at the Spectacular. They have an interesting story to tell about their journey in the industry from a surprising beginning.
<b>Cost:</b>	\$65 per person
<b>Tickets:</b>	Book and pay on line at <a href="https://www.trybooking.com/CRLVS">https://www.trybooking.com/CRLVS</a>

South East LLS is holding a FREE workshop **TOMORROW**. This is a great opportunity to meet your local LLS team members and hear from some exceptional presenters (See attached flyer)

## South East Seasonal Outlook

**Where:** Nowra Hill (address provided upon registration).  
**When:** Friday 17 May 2024, 9:30am – 2:30pm.

Measure, manage and prepare for the season ahead with practical advice to assess pasture quality, quantity by identifying your targets and how to get there.

Please join us to discuss topics such as:

- ✓ Seasonal conditions – what can we expect to see this winter and coming spring?
- ✓ Animal health update – things to watch out for this season, with a particular focus on worm management
- ✓ Paddock walk – assess quality and quantity, options around feed utilisation, what we can expect from our pastures
- ✓ Production targeting – developing pasture and livestock production targets
- ✓ Using tools to support management decisions

Please RSVP for catering purposes by Wednesday 15 May 2024, morning tea and lunch will be provided.

Hannah Whatman from **Bishops** is organising an information session over a **Brunch at Pyree for Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 9:30am**. The topic for discussion is drench resistance to target liver fluke/ worms and Best Practice use of vaccines particularly for respiratory diseases. See the attached for more details.

Kind regards  
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