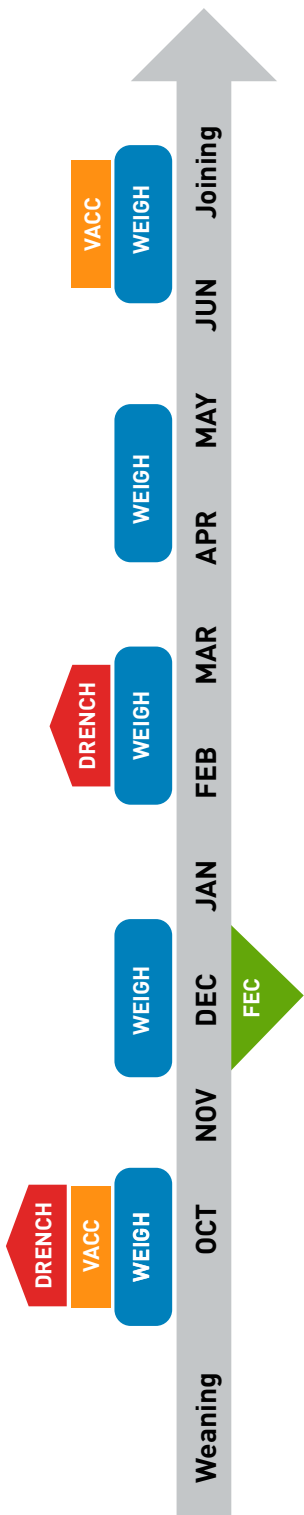
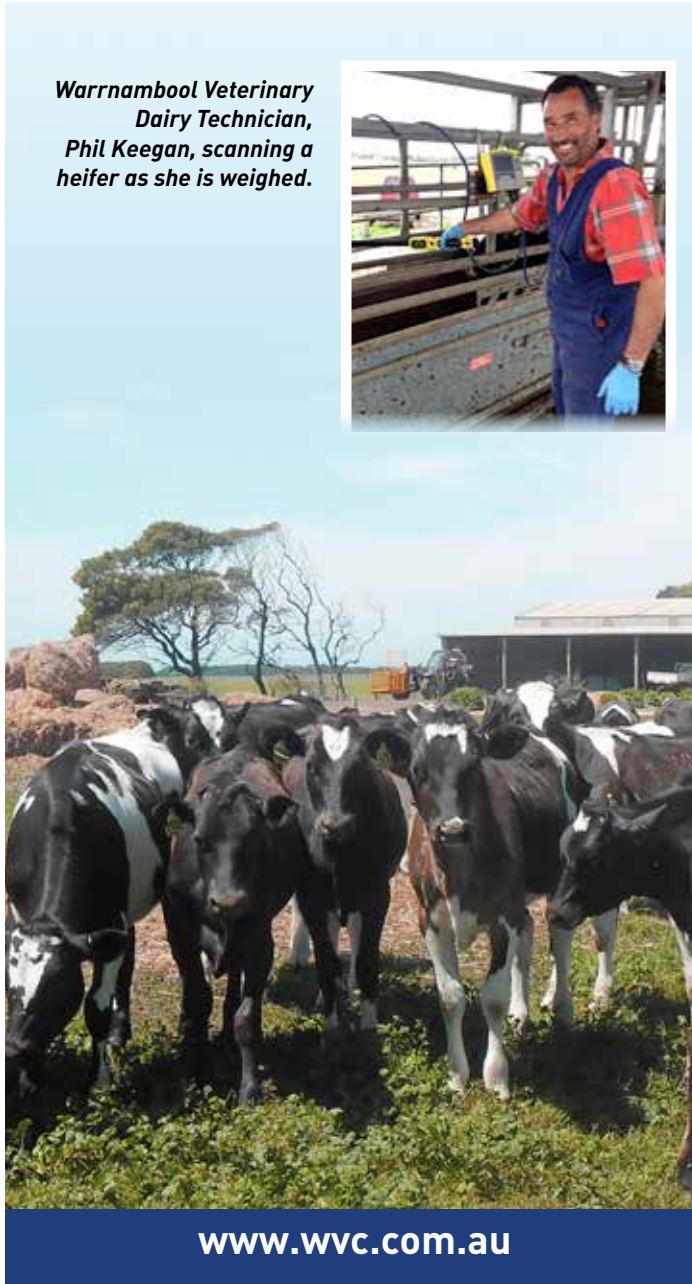
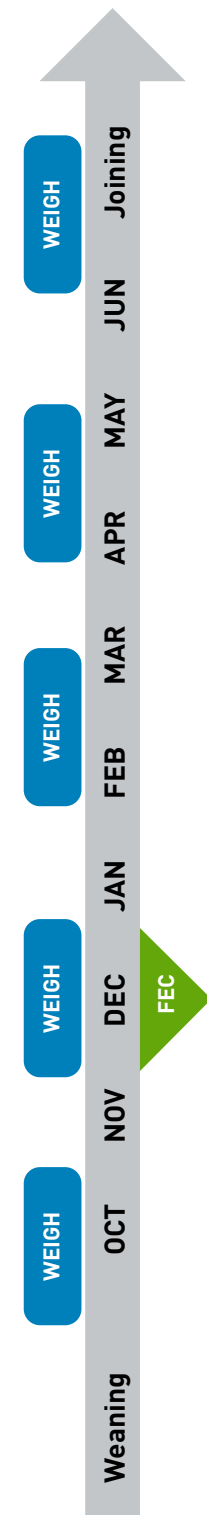


Example Correct Weight Premium Package for winter calving herd.



Example Correct Weight Standard Package for winter calving herd.



Warrnambool Veterinary Dairy Technician, Phil Keegan, scanning a heifer as she is weighed.



CORRECT WEIGHT

Back a Winner with your Heifer Management

At Warrnambool Veterinary we pride ourselves on helping dairy farmers achieve better outcomes. One of the challenges herd managers face is growing our heifers to reach their full potential.

The first 12 months of a heifer's life are the most critical for skeletal and muscular development, Heifers that fall behind will have delayed puberty, reduced fertility and decreased lifetime production. Getting heifers in calf on time and at the **correct weight** takes planning from weaning to joining. **Warrnambool Veterinary can help make this happen.**

Correct Weight is a package that will guide you in the **profitable** management of heifers from weaning to joining by providing:

- ✓ regular weighing
- ✓ worm monitoring
- ✓ nutritional and animal health advice.

Take the stress out of your heifer management



Correct Weight – Standard \$25 per head

The **Correct Weight – Standard** package is designed for best practice monitoring of your heifers from weaning to joining and includes:

- ✓ Weighing 5 times between weaning and joining
- ✓ 5 advisory reports including nutritional advice
- ✓ 1 Worm Egg Count
- ✓ Vaccination assessment and advice
- ✓ Travel within 40 km of the Warrnambool clinic
- ✓ Electronic data will be uploaded to your herd management software if compatible.

Correct Weight – Premium \$35 per head 100 + head \$40 per head less than 100 head

The **Correct Weight – Premium** package is designed to provide both monitoring and preventative herd health treatments for your heifers. For extra peace of mind, let us organise the drenching and vaccinations!

The package includes all the features of the Standard package plus:

- ✓ 2 drenches of Dectomax injectable at strategic times.
- ✓ 2 vaccinations of Ultravac 7i 1
- ✓ Pink eye vaccination
- ✓ Pestivirus (BVDV) surveillance and advice.

**Take control of the future of your herd.
Call the Farm Desk on 5561 7666**

The benefits of a fixed cost per head

A fixed price per head includes travel, lab fees and work time for both weigh and egg count events. For the premium package it also includes programmed drenches and vaccines.



Correct Weight The benefits

- ✓ Improved fertility – bigger heifers get in calf earlier
- ✓ Increased longevity (they live longer!)
- ✓ Reduced calving problems
- ✓ Higher production - 50kg heavier at calving results in 1041 litres extra milk over 3 lactations
- ✓ Smarter drenching using FEC results - saves money on drench and reduces worm resistance
- ✓ Confidence that heifers are protected from disease by up-to-date vaccination
- ✓ **Expert joining advice available on request**

Spot weigh events and additional animal health monitoring and treatment beyond the package are available on request.

CORRECT WEIGHT – Proactive management and early intervention improves the chance of having healthy and productive animals enter the herd.