

Etiwanda Rangeland Ready Ram Sale.

February 22nd, 10am at Etiwanda.



110 White Dorper rams.

& 40 ewes (on behalf of Red Earth Enterprises.)

***Never shorn or hoof trimmed. 20 years of
Rangeland Ready breeding, and
performance recorded on LAMBPLAN.***

All sale ram photos are on www.auctionsplus.com.au

**The Mosely Family, Etiwanda Station, Cobar, NSW 2835,
Ph.0268373797**

Dear Fellow Producers,

We warmly welcome you to the 2019 Rangeland Ready Ram Sale, interfaced with AuctionsPlus, and scheduled to start at 10am, February 22nd.

Andrew and I really enjoy breeding quality, functional livestock. 20 years ago, we took on the challenge of creating our own line of Rangeland Ready White Dorpers. Sheep that work in our environment. Sheep that are functional, productive, and profitable. Ewes that are strong and bring lambs in every year, and quality rams that continually improve the next generation.

For the past 2 decades we have been selecting towards the style of animal we see that works in our environment, by watching and observing what physical attributes do and don't work, and by using ASBV's to understand and select the style of sheep that not only looks the part, but also have the performance data to take us ahead.

We will have 106 rams penned for your inspection. Due to the dry season we have fed all the rams this year on pellets and hay. The rams are in great condition, are well grown, and they are displaying plenty of capacity, muscle and development. We are also offering on behalf of a client 40 flock white dorper ewes. These ewes are 100% Etiwanda genetics and have been reared on the Cobar rangelands.

Every ram in our sale is born unassisted, from highly adapted Rangeland Ready ewes. The rams in this year's sale are the result of our 2017 AI program, where we used 7 different sires.

We have used The Maternal Carcase Production (MCP) index to rank our rams. The MCP index ranks animals on their suitability for a self-replacing system with a carcase production focus. This index balances the main economic traits relevant to maternal breeders. This allows higher gains to be made for growth, carcase & reproductive traits. The index also assumes no mating to terminal sires. The index aims to maintain adult weight at current levels. A lot of the rams with higher MCP index figures have excellent reproductive figures & aren't as extreme for muscle. Remember if you push muscle to the extreme reproductive fitness is the first trait to be negatively impacted.

Our sale catalogue and all ram photos are online at AuctionsPlus at www.auctionsplus.com.au

Our flock is a tested Brucellosis free flock – certificate number CW-01/17 – current until October 2019.

Inspections are welcome prior to the sale by appointment, or on sale day from 8am. Come and enjoy a coffee and morning tea and then take a wander through the sale pens. Lunch will be available, catered by the Burthong CWA.

Safe travels to Etiwanda, we look forward to seeing you on the 22nd.

Yours faithfully,

The Mosely Family.

www.etiwanda.com.au





