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Claredale Poll Hereford Bull Sale

Friday, 2nd September 2016

Sale Bulls

This year's sale bulls represents a line of consistent, well valued, sound bulls that have been tested for serving ability and veterinary inspected for structural and breeding soundness. This inspection includes passing the bulls for:

- Scrotal palpation, examination and measurement
- Physique and structure
- Semen motility and morphology
- Eye pigment
- Gait
- Serving ability

Bulls are also scanned for P8 & Rib fat, EMA & IMF.

Serving ability is independently tested and determines if a bull is capable of serving a cow normally and if there is adequate libido or willingness to serve. During this test any deviations or abnormalities will also be detected.

Our yearling bulls are sexually mature and presented ready for work. Bulls are well grown with current weights available on the supplementary sheet. Bulls have been vaccinated for Vibrio, Leptospirosis and 5in1 and treated for internal and external parasites.

The following youtube link is a video clip on one of our 2014 yearling bulls – Claredale Jagger. Jagger now a three year old, was joined as a 14 month old resulting in an estimated 40 calves. Even with early use he has grown out to be 800kg.

<https://youtu.be/fzQ8p9xfBQk>

2016 Claredale Sires

Wirruna Eldad – a low birth weight sire with growth, muscle and fat. Eldad is now a 6yr old bull in good working order with great temperament and correct feet structure. His breeding is true and we have retained a large number of his calves in the herd. He also bred the dam of Wirruna Justin J13 who is currently in quarantine for semen export.

Wirruna Fletcher: Currently in the Hereford Sire evaluation program. All indexes in the top 5% of the breed. Great Carcase with carcase wgt, EMA & IMF in top 5% breed.

Wirruna Echuca: Low birth wgt. Top 5% for birth. EMA, IMF, Scrotal size and top 5% for all indexes. For calving ease this sire is well proven in our herd.

Wirruna Daffy: Previously in the sire evaluation program and shown to be one of the top bulls for carcass and growth. Top 5% for birth, scrotal and EMA and IMF. Sired Claredale Gotye

Claredale Gotye: Dam sire high milk EBV. Four year old bull still currently in use at Claredale. Commenced work as a yearling. Two of his serving years have been successfully spent west of Nyngan joining main cow herd in large management groups over large areas. He remains sound in structure and semen morphology

Wirruna Hartwig: A dark-coated, deep bodied Wirruna sire used in an AI program over first calvers. In top 5% of breed for grain fed index. Moderate birth weight but high growth. Currently in Sire evaluation program

Wirruna Hotstuff: Soft coated Wirruna sire for calving ease and carcass used in an AI program over 100 heifers. Eye muscle area and marbling in top 1% of the breed. Top 1% for grain fed index

The 2016 Sires will be available for inspection at Claredale from Monday 29th Aug and for sale on Friday 2th September. Sale day Inspection is from 1100 on Friday with the auction commencing at 1400. Currently in Sire evaluation program.

Ways to Bid

On Sept 4th you may purchase sires by any of the following three ways:

1. In person at the Claredale yards
 - Registering in person and delivering your bids to the desk to be logged with AuctionsPlus
 - Buyers may bring their own mobile device and place their own bids from the shed.
2. By registering with AuctionsPlus and bidding remotely on-line
 - Bidding on AuctionsPlus requires you to be registered prior to the sale commencing. Registration application approval takes 2-3 days. Register online at www.auctionsplus.com.au
 - Ensure your software is up-to-date to run A+
3. By agent of your choice
 - Phone your offers through to your agent to do the bidding for you. Agent rebate applies

Free delivery can be arranged within a 200km radius

We welcome your enquiry and inspection. Please phone for details or refer to AuctionsPlus for catalogue, supplementary sheet and individual bull videos.

We welcome your visit – Damien and Kerrie O’Leary

