


<u>SUMMARY</u>	
Rams Shorn :	27th April 2011
ASBV Scanning Date :	30th May 2011
Side Sample :	25th July 2011
Average Micron :	Karbullah 19.9 Boyanga 19.7
Faecal Egg Counts :	22nd July 2011
Brucellosis :	Accredited Free
Vet Checked :	23rd August 2011
Rams Weighed :	29th August 2011
<u>CATALOGUE KEY:</u>	
	ASBV Australian Sheep Breeding Values prepared from information supplied to Sheep Genetics Australia (MLA/AWI Innovation) ASBV's are express as either positive or negative deviations from an average.
	* Weight Rams with more positive weight ASBV produce progeny that grow quicker and are heavier at a certain age.
* Fat Fat Depth measured in millimetres at scanning at "C" site - We have found that a higher fat ASBV assists in the health of the animal and his ability to deal with worm infestation. This is also linked to body score and performance of female progeny.	
* EMD Eye Muscle Depth measured in mm. Rams with a more positive ASBV will produce progeny that have more muscle, independent of weight, and a higher lean meat yield.	
* 7% D P (Dual Purpose) This Index is a guide to the value of a ram for a market. Higher index will produce sheep that are more suited to that breeding objective. This index uses wool information together with live weight and reproduction emphasis. It is important to always consider individual trait ASBV's to ensure you are selecting genetics that will have the desired effect on your flock. The value is given in real \$ figures and expressed as \$/ewe joined/year. Eg: index of 105 indicates that a ram will produce \$5 extra value for every ewe joined compared to a ram with an \$ index of 100.	
*WEC Worm Egg Count - Rams with more negative number is optimum to produce progeny who have a higher genetic potential to resist worm burdens.	
*Scrotal Rams with more positive SCROTAL ASBV will produce daughters with wick are more fertile.	
* CFW Clean Fleece Weight % - calculated using Greasy Fleece Weight (kg), rams with higher CFW produce progeny to cut more wool.	
TW Twin lamb raised as a twin	
TW1 Twin lamb raised as a single	
Dam Year of Birth of the Dam ie 2009 Maid is a 2009 drop Maiden ewe	
Sire Sire of the Ram - details provided in folder	

"HELMSMAN" SALE METHOD

This method of buying rams combines the good features of both the auction system and sale by private treaty. You get the opportunity to bid on any single ram or multiples of rams simultaneously thereby ensuring you go home with the rams you want at the market price of the day.

How it Works

1. On arrival, the intending purchasers register at the bid table and receive a buyer number.
2. All rams are displayed for inspection with relevant information provided in the catalogue.
3. When the sale commences, all rams are on the market simultaneously. You can bid on any ram, regardless of lot number, by filling in a card and handing it to a 'runner'.
4. You may open the bidding at its nominated starting price and further bids in multiples of **\$100** will be accepted. There is no limit on the size of bid.
5. Bids are recorded with the buyer's number on a large board adjacent to the ram display area. You can bid on any number of rams at once and can see at a glance whether your bid still stands or has been overbid.
6. There is no pressure to commit to another bid. If your first choice ram/s go over the limit you can still bid on any other ram/s.
7. A bid once submitted and recorded cannot be retracted, and the person responsible for submitting such a bid will be responsible for it until it is overbid.
8. The sale will remain open for a minimum of time nominated on the day. A bid registered in the last one minutes will result in a one minute time extension.
9. Further bids would trigger the same process until no further bids are received which signifies the end of the sale. (Note that the bidding interval may remain at one minutes throughout or may be shortened progressively to as little as 15 seconds to speed up the sale.)

Special Ram Sale Conditions.

1. The purchaser must be nominated at the sale.
2. The purchaser can use the semen from rams for their own requirements.
3. Under selling agreement with Karbullah Poll Merinos & Boyanga Meateor Merinos, Karbullah Poll Merinos & Boyanga Meateor Merinos retain all marketing rights of any semen sold from purchased rams.
4. If a ram is resold, the new owner must be made aware that Karbullah Poll Merinos & Boyanga Meateor Merinos retain all marketing rights of any semen sold.