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Your Bull Sale!

201 BULLS

**Friday 13th August 2010
12noon**

*"Improve Your Productivity
and Profitability"*

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It's your pick at Keera, Bingara NSW

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History and Breeding Principles

The Booroomooka Angus Stud was founded in 1926 by Mr H Gordon Munro. The stud is now run by Gordon's son Hugh and grandson Sinclair. In 1926 five stud heifers were purchased from Mr NL Forster, Abington, Armidale. In 1928 further heifers were introduced from Glenelg, Waiterenui and Mataphi Studs in New Zealand.

Over the years many bulls have been imported from Scotland, USA and New Zealand. More recently semen and embryos are sourced globally to take advantage of progeny test data. Booroomooka Angus Stud was very successful in the show ring for over sixty years.

The Booroomooka Angus Cow herd functions in a tough environment. An efficient, hardy, fertile herd has been developed since 1926.

Nowadays more emphasis is placed on selection using Group Breedplan, visual assessment and testing on property. Cattle are run in larger contemporary groups so that genetic differences can be assessed.

Structurally sound, fertile, quiet bulls with the genetic potential to increase long term profitability.

Booroomooka Angus Stud Celebrating 85 years of Breeding.

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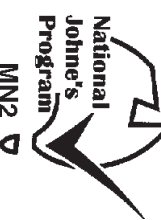
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Booroomooka Sale Details

SALE LOCATION

The Booroomooka Sale is to be held on the Property Keera, Located 28kms on the Copeton Dam Road from Bingara. Nearest airports are Armidale, Inverell, Moree or Tamworth. Small planes can land at Bingara. Please ring us or the selling agents if you require help with travel or accommodation. Bulls may be inspected from 9am on the morning of the sale, or at any other time by arrangement with the agents or vendors.

Local accommodation is available at

Bingara Fostickers Way Motel Phone 02 6724 1373
Bingara Imperial Hotel Motel Phone 02 6724 1629
Top of the Town, Inverell Phone 02 6722 4044
Twin Swans Motel Inverell Phone 02 6722 2622
The Playhouse Hotel, Barraba Phone 02 6782 1109

WHERE IS THE BOOROOMOOKA ANNUAL BULL SALE?

The Annual Booroomooka Bull Sale is held on property at Keera, 5796 Copeton Dam Rd, Bingara, NSW, 2404. GPS: Longitude 29°59'45.3", Latitude 150°46'43.7"

Sale Day Phone is (02) 6723 6622.
Keera is 28km east/south east from Bingara on the Bundarra Rd (or Copeton Dam Rd)

From Armidale: Approx 11/2 hours north west, travel to Bundarra and then Bingara

From Goonhwindi: Approx 2 hours south, travel to North Star, Warialda, Bingara

From Tamworth: Approx 2 hours north, travel to Manilla, Barraba, then Bingara.

From Inverell: Approx 50 minutes, travel on Copeton Dam Rd, from Copeton Dam travel towards Bingara.

MORNING TEA AND LUNCH

Westpac Helicopter Support Group from Bingara will have available Morning Tea and a BBQ Lunch. The Munro family have again donated the meat. Bathroom facilities are available near the homestead.

REBATE

A 3% rebate is offered to agents introducing buyers in writing prior to the sale and settling within 7 days.

BUYER REGISTRATION

A Buyer Registration system will apply. To save time on sale day the buyer or buyer's agent can pre-register. On sale day collect your Buyers Instruction Slip, Souvenir Bid ID and two luncheon vouchers. Alternatively buyers can register on sale day.

SALE CONDITIONS

All lots will be sold subject to the usual conditions governing auction sales, these will be displayed on sale day. The auction price will be exclusive of GST.

DISCLAIMER

All reasonable care has been taken to ensure that the information provided in this catalogue is correct. However the vendor or the selling agent do not assume any responsibility for the correctness, use or interpretation of the information included in this catalogue.

GUARANTEE

Booroomooka guarantees the structural soundness and fertility of the bulls. The entry of every bull constitutes a guarantee by the vendor that if a bull should prove infertile or breaks down to reasons other

than injury, misadventure, disease, mismanagement or negligence. The vendor will provide you with a satisfactory replacement if available, or issue you with a credit equal to the purchase price minus salvage value. This credit may be used to purchase an animal at a future Booroomooka sale. Any request for replacement/credit must be lodged with the vendor within 12 months of purchase.

INSURANCE

Facilities for insurance will be available at the sale.

HEALTH

All sale lots are accredited Monitored Negative 2 (MN2) status under the National Johnes Disease Market Assurance Programme. The herd is monitored negative TB and is confirmed free of brucellosis. In May all lots were drenched and treated for lice. They had their second vaccination for vibriosis and 5 in 1. All bulls have been tested PI-free for pestivirus.

FEET

None of the cattle offered for sale have received treatment for their feet.

VET INSPECTED

All bulls offered for sale have undertaken a Bull Breeding Soundness Examination by Veterinarian Dr Ben Gardiner. All bulls were subjected to a physical examination of structural soundness, examination of the reproductive tract, including an internal examination and visualization of the penis. Each bull was also subjected to a semen collection and evaluation.

GENETIC TESTING

All sale bulls are tested Arthrogyposis Multiplex Free (AMF) or expected to be free of Arthrogyposis Multiplex based on pedigree analysis (AMFU). All bulls are herd book registered with Angus Australia and are free of Mammidiosis. The vast majority of sale bulls are tested Neutropathic Hydrocephalus Free (NHF) or expected to be free of Neutropathic Hydrocephalus based on pedigree analysis (NHFU), except for a small number of Lots displaying NHC (NH Carrier). If you purchase a bull tested as NHC we suggest you only use that bull over females that have a very low probability of being a carrier (non-Precision descendants).

LOOKING AFTER YOUR NEW BULL

After purchasing your bull, please ensure you fill out the buyers instruction sheet which includes delivery instructions. The sale bulls have been prepared so that they are ready to go to work with your cows. For the past three weeks they have been fed hay. Previous to that they have been fed a nutritionally balanced high fibre silage based mix.

When you get your new bull home do not put him with older bulls. Booroomooka bulls are used to being handled with horse, vehicles and respond to quiet working dogs. When your new bull is joined to your cows, inspect him at least weekly to ensure he is walking freely and his penis appears to be normal. If there is a problem take him out of the cows and report to a vet. Early treatment is vital. It is a good idea to have spare bulls ready to work if a problem/s occur.

When joining is finished, the bull would appreciate a drench and lice treatment. The minimum vaccinations required are an annual booster dose of vibriosis and 5 in 1 vaccine, commencing no later than May next year. If you have any questions regarding the bulls, the progeny etc please let us know. Thank you for having faith in the Booroomooka Breeding Programme.