

# July 2022 Newsletter

Welcome to the July 2022 edition of the Callowie Poll Merinos newsletter. Thank you to everyone that supported us in 2021.

## Ram Sale & Inspection Day

Our 2022 On Property Ram Sale will be held on Monday 22nd August. Inspection from 11am with the sale starting at 1pm (SA time). This year we will be offering 60 rams. A light luncheon will be available on the day.

This year we have extended the invitation to Elders to join the sale. It will be a joint offering between Elders and Nutrien and again be interfaced with Auctions Plus. Details will be added to our Facebook page and website, or you can contact us directly for more information.

We will also be holding an **On Property Inspection Day on Thursday 11th August** from 1pm - 4pm where all sale rams will be on display.

Private inspection is welcome by appointment.

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### Sale Rams 2022

Preparation for Sale is in full swing. Tops were shorn 24th February and regulation tagged. The remainder were shorn 3 weeks later and have spent more time out in the paddock.

This years rams are growing out very well. Data collection has been taken to prepare as much information for clients to make informed purchases.

# **Website Updated**

We have recently revamped our website. Make sure to check it out - www.callowie.com.au

Stay tuned for sale updates and our catalogue will be available in late July/early August for download.

Physical copies will be available at our Inspection Day and Ram Sale, or contact us to have a copy posted out directly to you.

# Lambing

After pleasing pregnancy scanning results, then lambing, our ewes have been able to achieve 115% lambing for 2022. We are very happy with how the ewes and lambs have performed this season.

We have worked with Jess Revell from Ruminate Livestock Services to ensure management of our ewes from pre-joining right through to weaning was optimal.

Our stud lambs were looking great at lamb marking.



ANNUAL RAM SALE MON 22ND AUGUST 2022 - 1PM

**INSPECTION DAY** THURS 11TH AUGUST - 1PM - 4PM

### On the Farm

There has been a bit happening around the farm lately. We have almost completed our yard upgrades.

Major fencing has been undertaken, including subdividing paddocks, boundary fencing with neighbours, and creation of confinement pens for commercial flock.

We have also undertaken a tree planting program in 2022 - Paddock Tree Project.

Follow us on Facebook for more updates.

### **Showing & Display**

We are very excited to be out showing and displaying at multiple sites again.

We had successful showings at Mundulla Show and the UTF Wimmera Autumn Merino Show at Horsham in March.

#### **MUNDULLA SHOW**

- Supreme Exhibit: Callowie 20-0100
- Grand Champion Ram: Callowie 20-0100
- Grand Champion Ewe: Callowie 20-0131
- Pair of Merinos
- Breeders Group

#### UTF WIMMERA AUTUMN MERINO SHOW

- Supreme Exhibit: Callowie 02-0100
- Reserve Grand Champion Ram: Callowie 20-0011
- Koole Vale Group of 3
- The Glendonald Trophy Ram & Ewe Pair



We also had a display of sale rams at Broken Hill Ag fair in May – great to see such a green country side in that part of the country, and to catch up face to face with lots of people.

#### **UPCOMING SHOWS & DISPLAYS**

Australian Sheep & Wool Show, Bendigo 15th - 17th July - Display of Selected Sale Rams & Showing

**South East Merino Field Day,** *Keith* 20th July - Display of Selected Sale Rams

Hamilton Sheepvention, Hamilton 31st July - 2nd August - Display of Selected Sale Rams

On Property Inspection Day

11th August - 1-4pm - All Sale Rams on Display

**Royal Adelaide Show,** *Adelaide* 7th - 9th September - Showing

# **Sponsorship Opportunities**

We are proud to be involved with the following sporting events and clubs:

- Serviceton Golf Club Nearest the Pin Hole 4
- Bordertown Golf Club Farmers Day event
- Mundulla Football & Netball Club





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