SECTION B – 2019 WOOLWORTHS FEEDLOT COMPETITION

MAJOR SPONSORS: Woolworths, Alexander Downs, The Land, Buffier Livestock and Zoetis.

SUPPORTING SPONSORS: Coolie Angus, Meriden Limousins, Tivoli Angus, Gilder Group, Tullatula Partnership, Rockwell Livestock, Buffier Livestock, Wallings Pastoral & Goodear Family.

SUB-COMMITTEE: P Ryan (Captain), R Gill, S Gill, I Medd, J Maben, D Goodear, H Munro, D Munro, A Wallings, T Inder.

DATA SUPERVISOR: Tony Inder FEEDLOT SUPERVISOR: Steven Gill

INDUCTION CRITERIA

Pen of 3 Woolworths Trade Steers, milk teeth, dehorned, 2 score+, recognised beef breed. **Class 1.** 230 – 275 kg **Class 2.** 276 – 320 kg

HOOK COMPETITION

The hook competition will be judged on three main areas;

- 1. Market Specifications will be judged on weight, sex, dentition, P8 fat, fat colour & texture.
- 2. Saleable Meat Yield will be determined by the muscle score, rib eye area & rib fat depth.
- 3. Eating Quality will be determined by the pH, meat colour, weight for maturity, Bos Indicus %, marbling & fat distribution.

FEEDLOT COMPETITION

The feedlot competition is based on induction criteria, daily liveweight gain, dressing percentage, profitability and carcase specifications.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- A non refundable entry fee of \$10/hd to be paid to Rockwell Livestock (See Entry Form for details), along with an entry form emailed to tony@rockwell.net.au is required to confirm your entry. Once the allocated number of cattle have been sourced no further entries will be accepted.
- 2. All cattle to be vendor bred. Maximum 2 pens of 3 per vendor over both classes.
- 3. All entries must be recognised beef breeds or their crosses, de-horned effectively.
- 4. There is a 5kg tolerance on each individual weight as long as the average weight of each pen is within the weight spec. Thus 225kg min, 325kg max weight. Cattle outside these weights will be rejected.
- Hormonal Growth Promotants No cattle entered are permitted to be treated with any HGPs.
- 6. All cattle need an ear tag with the property of origin on tag.



- 7. Cattle to be delivered on Wednesday 19 June 2019 by 4pm or up to one week prior by arrangement.
- 8. A national vendor declaration must accompany the cattle to Alexander Downs. Consign to Alexander Downs, MERRIWA, NSW, 2329.
- 9. Cattle will be purchased on a c/kg liveweight basis upon delivery to Alexander Downs, weighed on 20 June, 2019. Cattle to be on a wet curfew overnight prior to being weighed.
- 10. Prices to be determined and publicized the week prior to entry.
- 11. Settlement 10 days from entry by Alexander Downs.
- 12. The committee reserves the right to ballot entries in any class and alter class entries where necessary.
- 13. The Committee reserves the right to reject any beast, if that beast is deemed to be below fair average quality.
- 14. Any deaths that occur during the feeding trial will result in that pen being ineligible.
- 15. The Judge's decision shall be final.
- 16. Champion and Reserve Champion beasts will be drawn from single or multiple pens.
- 17. Presentation of Live cattle will be held on Saturday of the show at 12 noon.
- 18. Subject to the number of entries, the committee reserves the right to restrict the number of entries from one PIC.

PRIZES: (Donated by Woolworths)

1a On The Hoof: First \$65, Second \$40, Third \$20, plus Association Award Cards, Champion & Reserve Champion Pen, Champion Beast, Highest Point Score. Class 1 & 2. (Buffier Livestock)

1b Special Prizes On The Hoof

Champion Beast, A.G. Gill Pastoral Co. Perpetual Trophy & Wendouree Challenge Cup, \$250 (Alexander Downs)

Reserve Champion Beast, \$100 (Goodear Family)

Champion Pen of Three, G.G. Hordern Perpetual Trophy, \$250 Prize money (Coolie Angus) Reserve Champion Pen of Three, \$150 (Goodear Family)

Highest Point Score on the Hoof, \$250 Voucher (Woolworths)

2a On The Hook: First \$65, Second \$40, Third \$20, plus Association Award Cards, Champion & Reserve Champion Pen, Champion Carcase, Highest Point Score. Class 1 & 2. (Buffier Livestock)

2b Special Prizes On The Hook

Champion Carcase, \$250 prize money (Alexander Downs) Reserve Champion Carcase, \$100 prize money (Wallings Pastoral) Champion Pen of Three on Hook, \$250 Prize money (Gilder Transport) Reserve Champion Pen of Three on Hook, \$150 Prize money (Wallings Pastoral) Highest Point Score on the Hook, \$500 Voucher (Woolworths)

- Most Successful Exhibitor in Hoof and Hook combined classes, D.G. Munro Perpetual Trophy, \$500 prize money/voucher (Tullatula & Woolworths).
 POINT SCORE SYSTEM: 1st 3 pts, 2nd 2 pts, 3rd 1 pt, Champion Beast 2 pts, Champion Pen 6 pts, Reserve Champion Pen 4 pts
- 4a Feedlot Competition, 1st \$1000, 2nd \$500, 3rd \$250, 4th, \$150, 5th \$100 Vouchers (Woolworths).

4b Special Prizes Overall

Highest Weight Gain (Pen of Three), \$250 Prize money (Tivoli Angus) Highest Dressing % (Pen of Three), \$250 Prize money (Meriden Limousins). Highest Profitability (Pen of Three), \$250 Prize money (Rockwell Livestock).