

Mt Pleasant Extension Modification 3 submission

Wills Hill Black Simmental

We are a family business that run Wills Hill Black Simmental stud. We sell Pure Bred Black Simmental Bulls to local Hunter valley beef producers, and get to meet many locals who have purchased our heifers and Bulls over the years. We have only seen solid support for what mining brings to the whole district. Our clients have seen the rejuvenation of grazing land after mining rehabilitation to high live stock carrying capacity and weight gains. This has followed years of pre- mining over grazing and land degradation that all but left the hunter unsuitable for grazing, and overcome with weeds infestation such as fire weed.

We meet young families who have been able to set them selves up financially and to provide security, education and confidence to their children. Mining has provided the base for their children to remain in the area to fulfill their own family growth in the same security environment. Only the long term presence of mining can provide this confidence and security.

We support local schools to help a long term confidence in the area by donating steers to agricultural students to handle and develop for showing. The enclosed photo is a steer the Aberdeen St Josephs High School students prepared and were accepted to show at the Royal Easter show.

To provide assurance that the local area remains confident and prosperous the presence of mining is critical and we fully support the extension to the MT Pleasant extension by Modification 3

Yours Faithfully

Bob, Rose, Lucy and Jo Butcher

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WILLS HILL BLACK SIMMENTAL STUD

Bob and Rose Butcher



2015 SYDNEY ROYAL EASTER SHOW - PUREBRED STEER AND CARCASS COMPETITION FINAL RESULTS

CLASS 11 - HEAVYWEIGHT OPEN STEER 501 Kg - 528 Kg Live Weight

MARKET SPECIFICATIONS: Export trade carcass - Optimum weight 281-400 kg, Fat depth 9-15 mm at the P8 (rump) site and 6-10 mm at the 12/13th rib.

TAG NO.	EXHIBITOR / BREEDER / PURCHASER	BREED / SIRE	LIVE		CARCASS		MARKET SPECIFICATIONS				SALABLE MEAT YIELD				SAYING QUALITY						TOTAL POINTS	LIVE PLACES	CARCASS AWARDS													
			Live Score	Live Weight	Carcass Weight	Dressing %	Market Category	P8 Fat	12 Fat	13 Fat	Defect	Hide Score	B8 Eye	B8 Fat	SH	Heat Colour	Weight for Carcass	Hot Endure	Marking	Fat Distribution																
			(max 10)	(kg)	(kg)	(%)	0-4	0-6	0-8	0-10	max 18	max 12	max 12	max 10	max 5	max 5	max 5	max 5	max 5	max 5	max 5	max 5	max 100	Place	Award	Points										
1117	ST JOSEPH'S HIGH SCHOOL BOB BUTCHER WINDHAM BEEF EXPORTS	SIMMENTAL WILLS HILL F14	10	12	318	305.5	59.0%	D	16	8	1	8	0	B	8	100	18	13	9	5.58	10	2	4	140	8.5	0	5	1	2	3.5	2	80.0		BRONZE		
			VIRTUAL TASTE TEST SCORE (max 100): 36.0																																	
1118	THE SCOTTS SCHOOL BATHURST JAYWOOD LIMOUSINS WINDHAM BEEF EXPORTS	LIMOUSIN LAVENDER FARM CLASS ACT	6	12	318	315.5	60.0%	D	14	10	1	8	0	A	10	119	18	7	18	5.48	10	1C	8	120	9	0	5	1	2	3	3	92.0	6		GOLD	
			VIRTUAL TASTE TEST SCORE (max 100): 36.0																																	
1119	WALLAWONG MURRAY GREYS WALLAWONG MURRAY GREYS WOOLWORTH'S LTD	MURRAY GREY WALLAWONG ULTAWOODEN	8	10	320	293.5	56.4%	D	10	10	1	8	0	B	8	87	15.8	8	18	5.43	10	1C	5	110	9	0	5	1	2	3	3	86.3			SILVER	
			VIRTUAL TASTE TEST SCORE (max 100): 36.8																																	