## Almondvale Sheep Studs 2025 NEWSLETTER



Lot 3 - Pol Boundke 23018b x PB160612 FD 18.6 SD 2.8 CV 15.2 CF 99.8 EMD 43.5 Fat 7.5 PP Sold for S5,000 to Almondvale Stud. Urana, NSW Protegraphed with Tom Chardian, Tom Liborne (AFA) & Paul, Grace & Lachian Houtley (Almondvale Principals)



Top photos: Ewes & lambs grazing

Poll Boonooke Ram Purchased 2024

2025 Poll Ram Classing



## Please find your invitation to our 2025 Ram Sale

Both drafts of rams are are again displaying their true genetic potential, following a long, dry period. A clear testament to the strength and resilience of the Almondvale breeding program.

We are pleased to welcome Angus Munro as our new Stud Classer & Consultant. Angus brings extensive experience and knowledge, and we are delighted to have him on board. We thank Stephen Chalmers for his many years of valued involvement and wish him all the best.

Our May shearing wool tests returned very pleasing results, with the rams averaging 19.1 micron. In addition Stockscan testing in July were extremely encouraging across both breeds, highlighting the depth and balance of our current genetics and quality within our breeding. In the last 12 months we have continued to strengthen both our breeding programs through strategic ram

In the last 12 months we have continued to strengthen both our breeding programs through strategic ram purchases. These include a very meaty Baringa sire and two very well balanced Anden rams to our White Suffolk stud. Most recently, we were thrilled to secure 240141, the top priced ram at this years Glenlea Park ram sale.



This purchase will compliment our Poll Boonoke ram we purchased last year 230185 (son of PB 612) who has constantly bred top stud rams. We are confident the rams will strengthen the depth and consistency to our stud.

This year's lamb drop is already showing impressive progress, a clear reflection of the direction and focus of our breeding across both studs. The results we are seeing are very encouraging and affirm our long-term goals.

The confidence of the White Suffolk Ram quality has lead us to continue our offering in the sale of 120 rams. This will again give our clients greater selection and availability to our proven genetics of White Suffolk Rams.

We are also very pleased with the outstanding lamb and mutton prices people are receiving at the minute. With strong global demand, we believe this trend will continue.

Looking forward to welcoming you all to Almondvale as we celebrate our special celebration of 38 years of Polls & 22 years of White Suffolk auctions.

Kind Regards Peter, Paul and Family



Top photos: New Glenlea Park 240141

Pauls 20yr NSW AWSA service award

AV Poll keeper ram 240766

White Suffolk sale rams