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# GREENFIELDS

## MERINO & POLL MERINO STUD

It is that time of year again and what a year it has been!!! Who would have predicted a Global Pandemic for 2020? Thankfully with some quick action, a bit of common sense and a lot of luck we have come through relatively unscathed compared to other not so fortunate states and countries.

At Greenfields we have also been through a few significant changes this year. We have been working with a farm adviser / succession planner over the last few years and the time came this year to implement some of the planned changes.

Jim and Jeannette decided it was time to step back a bit and have retired out of the business. Jim is still considered a vital part of our stud advisory process; I think you would all agree that that amount of experience is invaluable and a crucial part of our business. Jim still enjoys helping on the farm and of course you will still see both of them at the shows and Field Days (once COVID 19 has been contained!!!!)

As for the rest of us, we have decided to take advantage of Jim and Jeannette's retirement and restructure our business for our futures, to include our ever so quickly growing children. Instead of one business we now have two. We have essentially split the business so each family has their own autonomy but as before we will still work together with all of the toe cutting, crutching, tailing, cropping, etc.

Most importantly we will still both be selling under the Greenfields banner, we will still be operating together for Field Days, sales and shows. For clients coming to pick out their rams you will still select from one mob with both of our combined rams in it. The only difference you will see is when you receive your invoice. You will receive one from Robert and Celia who now trade as Greenfields – Sullivan Willalo Pty Ltd and a separate invoice from James and Fiona who now trade as Greenfields – JFH&E Sullivan Pty Ltd. Our On Property Sale will be the same, you will see no difference on sale day and you will still receive the one invoice but it will have two vendors on there – Sullivan Willalo P/L and JFH&E Sullivan P/L.

As with most restructures there is no set rules to follow so we are still doing a bit of trial and error to see what works best for our families but so far it is all working extremely well. If you have any questions, concerns or would just like to talk about any of this please feel free to give one of us a call.

Due to COVID 19 our On Property Sale this year will look a little different. To try to accommodate all of our clients who can't make it due to distance, border closures, or simply don't feel comfortable or wish to put themselves at risk in a crowd, we will be incorporating AuctionsPlus with our sale. We are in the process of taking videos and photos of all of our rams and they will be available soon along with each ram's figures. And then those that cannot make it on the day can join in with the live auction through the live stream on AuctionsPlus. If you do not have access to the internet, please contact your local agent or let one of us know and we will help you sort something out.

Lunch will still be provided at our sale this year and as much as we would love to catch up with you all, due to the latest state restrictions we do ask that only necessary people attend the sale. Also due to these restrictions sadly we will not be able to have our traditional dinner after the sale. Hopefully, this will be a once off and we can all get back to normal next year.

We look forward to catching up with you all very soon, please stay safe and feel free to give any one of us a call to discuss any of this in more detail.

Regards,  
*Sullivan family*





2019 Top price merino \$9250 & top price poll merino \$4,200  
both to Yarrah Nominees, Ceduna.

# You're invited....

We would like to extend a special invitation for you to attend our 23rd annual On Property Production Sale to be held on the 14th September, 2020.

The Sale will again be at our "Old Bungaree" property, situated just north of the Booborowie township. 6440 Booborowie Road, Booborowie.

AuctionsPlus will be run in conjunction with our sale to help accommodate those who can't make it.

This year we will be offering 120 rams in our main auction consisting of 72 Poll Merinos and 48 Merinos, followed by a further 30 to 40 rams in our mini auction.

There will also be a selection of Merino, Poll Merino CFA Ewes and rising 2 year old Stud Ewes.

Inspections will start at 9.30am followed by a 1pm Sale. Morning tea and Lunch will be provided.

*Due to the current pandemic we will be following all COVID 19 State Government requirements, as such it will be a requirement for all people attending to sign in upon entering our sale yard.*

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