

**Schute Bell
Livestock**



Reg Flock No: P.F. 975
Average Micron 18.5
45+ years of pure poll

KDP ***MERINOS***

2020

**ON PROPERTY
INSPECTION
FRIDAY 11th SEPTEMBER
FROM 11am**

**ON PROPERTY
HELMSMAN SALE
THURSDAY 17th SEPTEMBER
INSPECT FROM 11am
SALE 12:30pm**



**KARoola DOWNS
POLL MERINOS
JR DERRICK & SON**

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Merinos

Karoola Downs Poll Merinos have not changed our focus or commitment to breed sires that will produce a “good doing”, fertile, wool cutter with a meat value when slaughtered. Since the establishment of the stud in 1987 this has always been our objective.

The average micron of the stud has dropped from 20.5 to 18.5 but the wool cut has remained constant on a good carcass. Karoola Downs Poll Merino sheep are classed for structural soundness and their ability to produce a free growing, bold, white fleece on a supple skin that will stand up to a wide climatic range.

The purchase of a Poll Boonoke ram in 2015 has benefited the stud greatly. His influence can be seen in the young sires coming through today, with them growing out well even in the adverse weather conditions of the last couple of years.

As a breeder it is very satisfying to share the success of one of our longest standing clients, Allan and Trevor Willis of Willis Bros Farming at Yerong Creek. The Willis' produce on average a 75 bale / year wool clip of 18.5 micron fleece. They are achieving an average wool cut of 8.43kg across their breeding ewes, with ewes in their prime cutting 9.9kg and hogget ewes 7.8kg. On top of a very adequate wool cut the Willis' have also managed good success in the carcass area. They are selling merino wether lambs over the hooks at 10 months of age with an average dressed weight of 21.01kg.

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