

WAIMARA ANGUS

BRED TO PERFORM



WAIMARA ANGUS was founded in 1988 in Te Anau - Southland, before moving to Waikouaiti – East Otago in 2006. We are family owned and operated and are extremely passionate about breeding Angus Cattle. As an Angus Stud, whilst we are mindful of growth and carcass requirements for fattening beef cattle our main priority of our breeding program is maternal function.

Our breed values are first and foremost fertility and dam performance, structural soundness, confirmation and most importantly – balance.

Our cow herd spreads across two properties one in Waikouaiti, a 560ha leased property. The second property in Middlemarch is a 600ha hill country property. Both usually experience a dry summer. Bulls are weaned and sent to Tom's at Palmerston where they are grown out on grass, baleage and kale. We have just under 200 registered stud cows.

We pride ourselves on breeding fertile, structurally sound, moderate framed, balanced cattle with longevity. Our cows have to be able to compete with sheep. They have to get in calf as a rising 2-year-old and back in calf every year. They are structurally assessed by Tom and Chris annually, their udders and temperament are recorded at calving and any time they are being yarded.

At this year's sale on 24th May, you can expect to see bulls sired by our own Waimara bred sires as well as Te Mania, Rangatira, Turiroa and Turihaua. Last year we purchased a bull from Stern that we are very excited about, he will have sons for sale in 2020.

When purchasing Waimara bulls you can be sure that all bulls are DNA verified to their sire. They are BVD tested negative as calves and vaccinated twice – they are C10 TB status. They are fully recorded on Breedplan which includes birth weight, 200, 400 and 600 day weights, they have been muscle scanned by Bill Austin and we are happy to provide this raw data to anyone who asks. We also provide a 3 year structure and fertility guarantee. If a vet has found them to have a structure or fertility issue we will give either money back or a credit at our sale. But most importantly if our bulls aren't stacking up to your expectations we want to hear about it!

One of the most important things you can do as a breeder is know your herds strengths and weaknesses. It is very hard to find the perfect bull for the right price so by knowing where you are doing well and where you can improve can help you pick a bull that is right for you. We really enjoy helping clients pick the bulls best suited to their herd so please get in touch to view our bulls and talk with us about how our breeding program will suit yours.

BULL SALE

24th May 2019 - 2.00pm

In conjunction with
Stoneburn Herefords, Andy Denham

REFERENCE SIRE: Waimara Tieke 943



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TESTIMONIALS

“We started buying Waimara Bulls six years ago and haven’t looked back.

The change from Simmental to Angus was beneficial for the Angus premiums.

Waimara bulls have an excellent growth rate in steers to meet 5 Star weight gain contracts.

Usually with an easy calving, these bulls have produced high percentages at calf marking.

The Law family have been very helpful in selecting the bulls that suit us.”

MARK PREBBLE & SARA LEE

Dunback, East Otago



“We run 300 cows on hill country in East Otago and finish all our steers to an average of 310kg. 80% of these getting into the SFF EQ Grade over the last couple of years.

We like Waimara bulls for their good phenotype and ability to do well on our country.

Our bull paddock is always full as over the past 7 years of buying Waimara Bulls I have had next to no breakdowns.”

WILL & LAURA HECKLER

Stoneburn, East Otago



“We have been buying Waimara bulls for 7 years to use over our 300+ cow herd

All our Angus steers go to 5 star feedlot at 520kg's within 15-18 months.

11 bulls purchased over the past 7 years are all still being used.

Last year we structurally assessed 70 R3 heifers over concrete and couldn't fault any for structural soundness.”

ANDREW & JAYNE LAW

Manager of North Range

Lumsden, Northern Southland



“Switching to Waimara Angus has given us a beef herd that ticks all of boxes.

Fertility, Temperament and great growth rates.

We now have the option of fattening our cattle or if the season dictates, sending them to 5 Star in January in forward condition.

The structure of the bulls is 1st class and I have been able to sell aged bulls to prevent in-breeding.”

CHRIS & SUZY HURST

Clinton, South Otago



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