

DSK

Angus and Charolais

Young Keeper Female & Embryo Sale (AuctionsPlus only)

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Inspections welcome.

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The DSK Angus and Charolais Keeper Female and Embryo AuctionsPlus online only sale will be held at 12noon on the 6th April 2018.

All lots will sell in a simultaneous format. You must be a current registered AuctionsPlus user or register with AuctionsPlus 24 hours prior to the sale.

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This sale represents a selection of our Autumn calving 2 ½ year olds, our early spring calvers and our unjoined heifers. The seasons here at Borah Station have been exceedingly hard on young females and we have made the decision a few years ago to calve our heifers out at 2 ½ years to help them grow enough to maintain themselves and a first calf. This has been successful for us with our heifers maturing into well grown females and returning to production well after calving.

Our herds both Angus and Charolais have become so strong over the last couple of years that we look at our young heifers and wish that we could keep them all. Unfortunately, we can't. The dams of these females have proven themselves to be great breeders and most are still in the prime of their breeding lives. We have had one Angus female sale almost 6 years ago and offered a few heifers at select sales including the Charolais National showcase sale. Our numbers have risen above what our drought tolerance can take and we need to reduce. We have selected from each group of young females what we consider to be strong breeders with a few potential donors and show females amongst them from top cow families. Our thoughts for this online sale was that we wanted to have a selection that would appeal to all cattle breeders not just stud breeders. These heifers have been selected as future breeders for our studs but far exceed our carrying capacity. They represent a cross section of our keeper heifers from top to bottom with some absolute standouts from excellent female lines in both drafts and only included due to siblings already retained.

Included are some exciting prospects from our Canadian Angus sire Excaliber who sired our 2 Angus bulls shown at Sydney show this year where each won their strong classes and 1 was Reserve Senior Champion Angus bull.

Our home based prepotent Charolais sire Gold Logie had 4 progeny at this year's Sydney show with DSK showing 2 bulls that were Junior and Senior Champions and Grand and Supreme Champion Charolais and Moongool Charolais exhibited the Reserve Junior bull and the calf at foot on their Grand Champion Cow were also Gold Logie progeny.

These 2 sires represent the ultimate in outcross genetics for their breed and their capability of producing high performance, excellent structured progeny with high muscle content.