

9th September 2020

Dear Valued Vendors & Buyers,

We thank you for supporting the Ray White Rural Team and the Darling Downs Branch of the Australian Stock Horse Society in nominating your horse/s for our 2020 Dalby Australian Stock Horse Sale. As stated on the nomination form we aim to keep you updated on the progress of the sale and the ongoing COVID-19 situation.

The planning of the sale this year has been challenging with the restrictions and border closures changing daily. We remain confident and are planning to run the 2020 sale however, in order for this to happen we may need to make changes to our usual format. As the agent appointed for the Dalby Stock Horse Sale, we along with the DDASHS plan to hold the event based on advice and adhere to COVID-19 protocols that are in place at that time. Our highest priority is the safety of our vendors, buyers, staff and communities while still aiming to conduct a successful sale for our vendors.

Our current plan with DDASHS is as follows

- Vendors, buyers and attendees pre register their intention to attend.
- All attendees to Dalby Showgrounds registered and monitored to adhere to regulations.
- Should borders remain closed interstate vendors will need to arrange QLD riders/handlers.
- Physical onsite auction with online bidding and live streaming.
- Live Streaming of Pre works and onsite ASHS horse inspection as usual
- The Incentive Draft program to run as normal but some additional events may be excluded in 2020 such as the Feedlot Challenge.
- Catalogues will be available online.
- Hard copy catalogues will be available at the Dalby Showgrounds (not before).
- Full COVID-19 management plan will be enforced and compliance is expected by all inattendance.

Should you have any concerns please contact the Ray White Dalby office before Monday 5th October 2020 to discuss. We respect the physical and financial commitment in preparing a horse for sale and we aim to do all we can to safeguard your investment. Should there need to be changes and restrictions made leading into the event we will endeavour to keep you updated accordingly.

Although there is some uncertainty at present we along with the DDASHS remain positive that we can host a successful sale weekend in 2020 and we look forward to seeing you all at Dalby in December.

Kind Regards

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