

Hereford Newsletter

June 2026

From the / Van die PRESIDENT

It is an enormous honour and a privilege to find myself at the helm of the South African Hereford Society. It is certainly not a position I ever dreamt of or actively sought to fill. However, I look forward to the challenge that lies ahead and will give of my best for our wonderful breed. My passion for the Hereford breed runs deep; Herefords have been a part of our farming enterprise for four generations.



There has been a changing of the guard on our council.

This past AGM we said farewell to three experienced councillors who have given an immense amount of time to our breed. We are incredibly grateful to Russel Clark, Carl Scholtz and Hinner Koster for their contributions over a combined total of 90 years on council. They certainly will leave a lacuna of experience with their departure. With these three councillors vacating their positions and only Willem Scholtz coming in as a new councillor, it has provided the perfect opportunity to make our council smaller, by two members. This has been a recurring request from our members at numerous prior AGMs, as a measure to cut costs.

The new council is fully aware of the challenges facing our breed and I have no doubt that we will embrace this challenge to keep our breed relevant on the South African cattle landscape. I would like to appeal to our members to get involved at any level possible. Breeders seem to be standing back and waiting for something to happen or be done for them. There is a reluctance to stand for council or even attend an AGM.

We, as breeders, need to understand that this is OUR breed, We need to get involved and promote our breed at ground level, in our local districts and surrounding districts. There is no one else to do this for us, it is OUR collective responsibility. We have a wonderful product, a breed that has stood the test of time for over a century in South Africa. This breed has carried families for multiple generations. Let us be proud of our breed and show commercial cattleman around us what value it can add, to making their farming operations profitable.

Carl Miles

President: South African Hereford Breeders' Society



Nagenoeg

**POENSKOP
HEREFORDS**

& Gasverkoper

DRIE-D-DRAKENSBERGERS



11 SEPTEMBER 2026

12H00 | PLAAS MOORCOURT, BARKLY-OOS

NAVRAE:

VERNA BOTHA
SKILLIE DU RANDT
PD ROETS (BKB)

JOVAAN CLOETE (BKB AFSLAER)

082 874 3305

082 771 0716

082 645 9373

079 575 0795

AANBOD:

● 12 POENSKOP
HEREFORD BULLE

● 40 HEREFORD
VROULIKE DIERE (DRAGTIG GESERTIFSEER)

● 3 DRAKENSBERGER
BULLE



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2026



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JAAPROGRAM 2026

2: PP Mong Trust Produksie veiling
25: Swartland Veeboere bul veiling

JUNIE

JULIE

7: Griffin Production Sale
16: Southern Berg Pure Breed Sale

7: Kuruman veiling
26: KRM & HBH

AUGUSTUS

SEPTEMBER

3: Syferpan
9: Colesberg Bulveiling
11: Nagenoeg Poenskop Hereford veiling
15: Kevlynn and Dunedin Sale
17: Bonhaven Sale
24: Puttergill Farming Production Sale

16: Outeniqua Interras veiling

OKTOBER

WE ARE BACK!

BRETT PUTTERGILL 083 320 6153
GRANT PUTTERGILL 083 651 8775
PAUL HOBSON 082 652 4724



24 SEPTEMBER 2026 PRODUCTION SALE

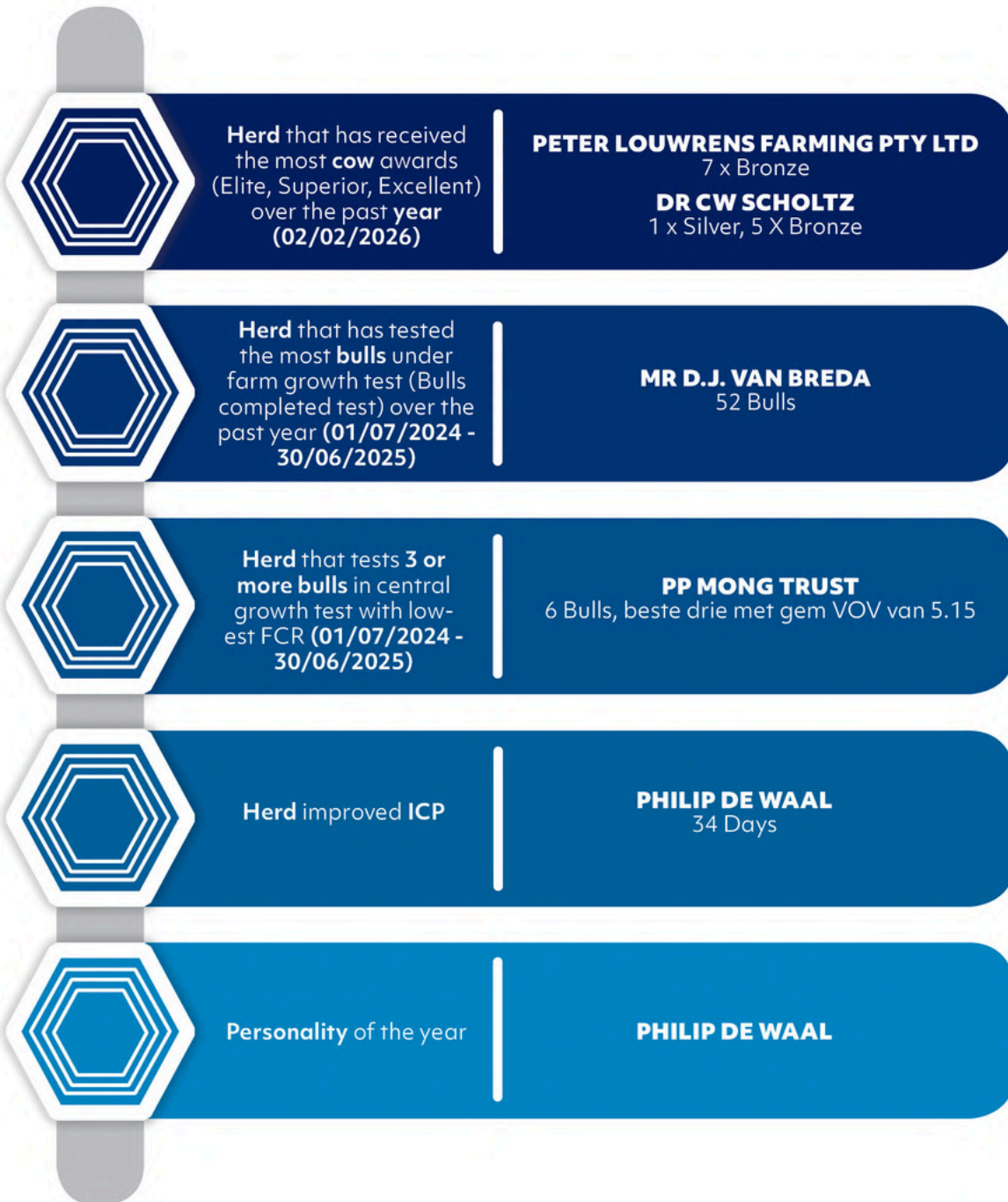
15 x 2/3/4 YEAR OLD HEREFORD BULLS
7 x BLACK ANGUS BULLS
40 x HOLSTEIN FEMALES
45 x HEREORD & ANGUS FEMALES



ON SALE
DUSTIN 23030

SA Hereford Awards

2026



Personality of the year:

PHILIP DE WAAL



We hereby nominate Philip de Waal as Hereford personality of the year.

Philip is a highly regarded farmer running a mixed farming operation in Moorreesburg, Western Cape. He runs three cattle studs under the Locheim brand and a SA Mutton Merino enterprise in his livestock component.

Philip is an incredibly loyal ambassador of the South African Hereford society. He has served on council, served as a senior judge in our society and been a member of the Western Cape Hereford club for many years, making him an integral member of our Association.

He has willingly given of his time and resources over many years in ensuring the Hereford breed remains seen and relevant in the South African beef industry. He is actively involved in organising the Swartland show and has ensured the Hereford breed is well represented on livestock shows, with great success, throughout South Africa. More recently he has represented our breed on the global stage through the Champion of the world competition.

We are incredibly fortunate, and proud, to have Philip as a member of this Association.

COW OF THE YEAR

BMH15-110



BULL OF THE YEAR

BMH240030



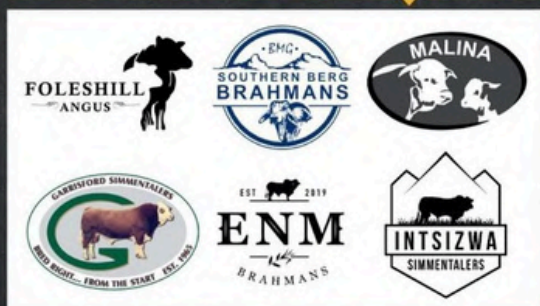
COW FERTILITY AWARDS

CATEGORY	BREEDER	ICP
10-30 COWS	PENHOEK FARMING	361 days
	ESKDALE FARMING PTY LTD	367 days
31 – 60 COWS	GANZEKRAAL HEREFORDS	363 days
	EDE FARMING	373 days
61 – 100 COWS	J.F OTTO	365 days
	GRAVIC FARMS PTY LTD	369 days
100+ COWS	MR D.J. VAN BRED A	373 days
	DR C.W. SCHOLTZ	375 days
	H.W DE WAAL	378 days

6TH PRODUCTION SALE SOUTHERN BERG — EST. 2021 —



PURE BREED SALE



11 AM

**16
JULY
2026**

UFA SALE YARDS
UNDERBERG

Meerkat
is proud
to be the
online
platform
for this
auction!



RAISED ON REDWATER
& GALLSICKNESS VELD



ALL BULLS
FMD VACCINATED



SUBSIDISED TRANSPORT
TO CENTRAL POINTS

BRANDON LEER
Auctioneers
EST. 1988
082 570 5863

FLA FARMERS
LIVESTOCK
AGENTS
Joffs Coni
082 889 5858

PROUDLY
BROADCASTED
ONLINE BY

MEERKAT
ONLINE AUCTIONS

Tim Hempson
082 095 2963

Brett Newborn
083 412 1937

Bruce Taylor
084 585 0508

Tracey Forsyth
076 790 3891

Pete Louwrens
082 852 3926

Dave Louwrens
083 277 7933

NAMPO 2026



NAMPO 2026 het van 12 tot 15 Mei plaasgevind. Weens bek-en-klousee kon geen gespletehoefdier vanjaar by NAMPO uitgestal word nie. Die beeskompleks was gevolglik heelwat stiller as gewoonlik, iets wat te wagte was onder die omstandighede.

Die Hereford Genootskap het vanjaar die inisiatief geneem om 'n prettige dartkompetisie aan te bied. Deelnemers wat 'n "bul" gegooi het, is beloon met 'n Hereford-pet. Die kompetisie het vir groot vermaak gesorg en uitstekende ondersteuning geniet.

Ons vertrou dat NAMPO 2027 weer 'n normale uitstalling met diere sal wees, aangesien die diere steeds die groot trekpleister by die stalletjies bly.

'n Opregte woord van dank aan al die telers wat hul tyd afgestaan het om met diensbeurte te help en by te dra tot die sukses van ons teenwoordigheid by NAMPO.

Ons sien daarna uit om almal weer tydens **NAMPO 2027** te sien!





SWARTLAND VEEBOERE

MOORREESBURG VEILING

Die Swartland Veeboere-veiling, wat op 25 Junie 2026 by Drieheuwels, Moorreesburg aangebied is, het uitstekende resultate opgelewer. Altesaam 14 bulle is aangebied, met 'n 100% verkoopsyfer, wat die sterk vraag na gehalte-teelmateriaal in die beesbedryf beklemtoon.

Locheim Herefords behaal die hoogste prys met twee bulle van R100 000 elk en 'n gemiddelde prys van R69 285,71.

Ja-Niel-Herefords se hoogste prys bul word verkoop vir R60 000 met 'n gemiddelde prys van R55 883.

Die uitslae weerspieël die volgehoue vertroue in topgehalte genetika en die belangrike rol wat Hereford bulle speel om prestasie, vrugbaarheid en winsgewendheid in beide stoet- en kommersiële beesproduksiestelsels te verbeter.

Baie geluk aan al die verkopers en kopers met 'n besonder suksesvolle veiling.

LOCHEIM HEREFORDS



WDW230155



WDW230090

JA-NIEL HEREFORDS



DVB24-17

The proof is in the progeny



Kevlynn
Hereford
Est. 1960

Kevin Miles: 083 995 7087

Carl Miles: 073 330 5579

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Table Hill, Dordrecht



PRODUCTION SALE
15 Sept 2026
Offering
50 Hereford &
Angus Bulls





'n Hartlike Dankie

Die PP Mong Hereford- en Dohne Merino-veiling, op 02 Junie 2026 in Villiersdorp, was 'n besondere dag waarop kwaliteit genetica, sterk vennootskappe en die ondersteuning van die landbougemeenskap saam gevier is.

Ons wil ons opregte dank uitspreek aan elke koper wat in ons genetica belê het. U vertrou in ons stoet en die waarde wat u aan ons teelprogram heg, vorm die grondslag waarop ons voortbou. Sonder u ondersteuning sou die sukses van hierdie veiling nie moontlik gewees het nie.

Aan ons gewaardeerde borge, dankie vir u betrokkenheid en ondersteuning. U bydrae speel 'n onmisbare rol in die aanbieding van 'n suksesvolle veiling en help om geleenthede soos hierdie moontlik te maak.

Ons wil ook ons dank betuig aan elke persoon wat die dag saam met ons bygewoon het, asook aan ons familie, personeel, veilingspan en alle diensverskaffers wat agter die skerms gewerk het. Julle toewyding, harde werk en ondersteuning het bygedra tot 'n dag waarop ons met trots kan terugkyk.

Dankie dat u deel was van hierdie besondere geleentheid. Ons waardeer elke bydrae, groot of klein, en sien daarna uit om die Hereford- en Dohne Merino-bedryf saam verder te versterk.

— Bertus Mong



HOOGSTE PRYS BUL
LOT 105 - BMH 220119

Vlnr: Len Bornman (Afslaer), Bertus en PJ Mong (verkopers), Valana Isted, Cedric Isted, Ivor Isted (kopers), Fachulyn Kotze (kudde bestuurder en hanterder)



HOOGSTE PRYS RAM
LOT 17 - AB240233 & LOT 40 - AB240394

Vlnr: Jan Olivier (wol agent), Jean van Niekerk - Wolfkraal Caledon (Koper), Bertus en PJ Mong (verkopers), Lourens van der Colff (Koper namens Oberkarsbach Napier), Len Bornman (Afslaer).
Voor: Fachulyn Kotze (Kudde bestuurder en Hendrik Trompie (hanteerder).

ITEM		GEMIDDELD
HEREFORD BULLE	10 VERKOOP	R 57 400
DOHNE MERINO RAMME	36 VERKOOP	R 15 458
HEREFORD KOEIE DRAGTIG (3IN1)	3 VERKOOP	R 25 000
HEREFORD DRAGTIGE VERSE	3 VERKOOP	R 25 000

BORDER ANGUS & HEREFORD

2nd Annual Auction

3 September 2026 at 12h00

At Providence Farm, Queenstown district

• 20 Black Angus • 15 Red Angus • 10 Hereford



45 Bulls



ENQUIRIES:

James Moorcroft 072 343 8747 | Scott King 078 925 8265

Bryan Muir 079 461 4121 | Tracy Frost 072 478 2363

Dirkie Erasmus 076 174 8154

Andrew Hartley 082 375 2202 | Auctioneer: Jeremy Pearson



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IDENTIFICATION AND TRACEABILITY
WITH IDTRAX UHF TECHNOLOGY.**



UHF EARTAGS AVAILABLE



HANDHELD SCANNERS AVAILABLE

WHY USE **UHF** EARTAGS?



FAST IDENTIFICATION

Scan multiple animals in seconds from a distance.



MORE ACCURATE

Eliminate human error caused by reading or recording numbers manually.



FULL TRACEABILITY

Ideal for biosecurity, foot and mouth disease control and modern herd management.



EASY RECORD KEEPING

Link identification, treatments, weights, reproduction data and movements to every animal.



FUTURE READY

UHF technology is the global standard for animal identification and traceability.



**EACH TAG HAS A
UNIQUE ID NUMBER
AND QR CODE FOR
EASY REFERENCE.**



WHY AN **UHF** SCANNER WORKS BETTER

WITH VISUAL EARTAGS



- ✗ Numbers must be read with the eye.
- ✗ Prone to misreading numbers.
- ✗ Manual recording causes errors.
- ✗ Time-consuming and inefficient.

VS

WITH AN UHF SCANNER



- ✓ Reads the electronic tag instantly.
- ✓ No misreading or handwriting errors.
- ✓ Large groups of animals processed quickly.
- ✓ Data can be transferred directly to your management software or database.



IDENTIFY

Every animal uniquely and accurately.



RECORD

Capture and store important data with ease.



TRACE

Track animal movements and health history.



PROTECT

Strengthen biosecurity and protect your herd and business.

IDENTIFY. RECORD. TRACE. PROTECT.

**LET'S KEEP OUR HERD HEALTHY
AND OUR FUTURE SECURE.**



UNDERSTANDING THE IDTRAX & RMIS PROCESS

A simple guide from registration to vaccine delivery

As livestock traceability and biosecurity become increasingly important, systems such as IDTrax and RMIS (Red Meat Industry Services) are helping producers manage animal identification, movement records, and product traceability more efficiently.

STEP 1: REGISTER ON RMIS

The first step is to register your farming operation on the RMIS platform. During registration, your farm and business details are captured to create a verified profile within the national traceability system.

STEP 2: OBTAIN A GLN (GLOBAL LOCATION NUMBER)

Once registered, you will receive or apply for a GLN (Global Location Number). A GLN acts as the unique digital address of your farm or livestock operation. It allows animals, products, medicines, and movements to be linked accurately to a specific location.

STEP 3: REGISTER ON IDTRAX

Using your farm information and GLN, you can create an IDTrax profile. IDTrax integrates identification, traceability, and record-keeping into one platform, allowing producers to manage animals electronically.

STEP 4: ORDER UHF EAR TAGS

IDTrax UHF ear tags can be ordered through approved suppliers. Each tag contains:

- A unique identification number.
- A QR code for visual reference.
- A UHF chip that can be read electronically from a distance.

The tags are linked to your operation and can be associated with individual animals within the IDTrax system.

STEP 5: ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION

Once the ear tags arrive on the farm, they are applied to the animals. The tag information is then recorded in IDTrax, creating a permanent digital record for each animal.

STEP 6: ORDERING VACCINES OR ANIMAL HEALTH PRODUCTS

When vaccines or animal health products are ordered through participating suppliers, the transaction can be linked to your registered operation and GLN. This creates a traceable record of what was purchased, when it was delivered, and where it was used.

STEP 7: RECEIVING PRODUCTS ON THE FARM

Upon delivery, vaccines can be recorded against your farm profile. Treatments administered to animals can then be linked directly to the animal's IDTrax record, creating a complete health history.

STEP 8: ONGOING TRACEABILITY

Using a handheld UHF scanner, producers can:

- Identify animals instantly.
- Record treatments and vaccinations.
- Capture weights and production data.
- Record animal movements.
- Maintain accurate herd records.
- Support biosecurity and disease management requirements.

WHY IT MATTERS

The combination of RMIS, GLNs, and IDTrax provides:

- Improved traceability throughout the livestock value chain.
- Better disease management and biosecurity.
- Reduced human error.
- Faster record keeping.
- Compliance with industry requirements.
- Greater confidence for buyers, processors, and consumers.

In short: Register on RMIS → Obtain your GLN → Create your IDTrax profile → Order and apply UHF tags → Record treatments and movements → Build a complete digital history for every animal on your farm.

"Identify. Record. Trace. Protect." is more than a slogan—it is the foundation of modern livestock management.

UHF EARTAGS & SCANNING SOLUTIONS

*From Entry-Level to Expert -
There's a Solution for Every Producer*

Whether you're just starting your traceability journey or managing a large-scale livestock operation, the Logix Shop offers a range of UHF scanning solutions to suit your needs.

ENTRY LEVEL



**CHAINWAY
SR160- BT
UHF READER/
SCANNER**

R5 518.85

- ✓ Affordable
- ✓ Compact and portable
- ✓ Ideal for smaller herds and basic UHF scanning

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**ANDROID TABLET
WITH SHORT RANGE
2D IMAGER KIT
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MOBILE COMPUTER
SCANNER WITH
UHF RFID PISTOL GRIP**

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- ✓ Rugged handheld device
- ✓ Fast UHF tag reading
- ✓ Perfect for larger operations and intensive data collection

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ITAB3/ TABLET
SCANNER**

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- ✓ Professional-grade performance
- ✓ Advanced data management
- ✓ Built for demanding livestock environments

UHF EARTAGS FOR FASTER, SMARTER TRACEABILITY



Faster animal identification



Improved traceability



Accurate record keeping



Better biosecurity management



Future-ready livestock management



Contact SA Stud Book or your nearest technical advisor for more information on UHF eartags and scanning solutions.

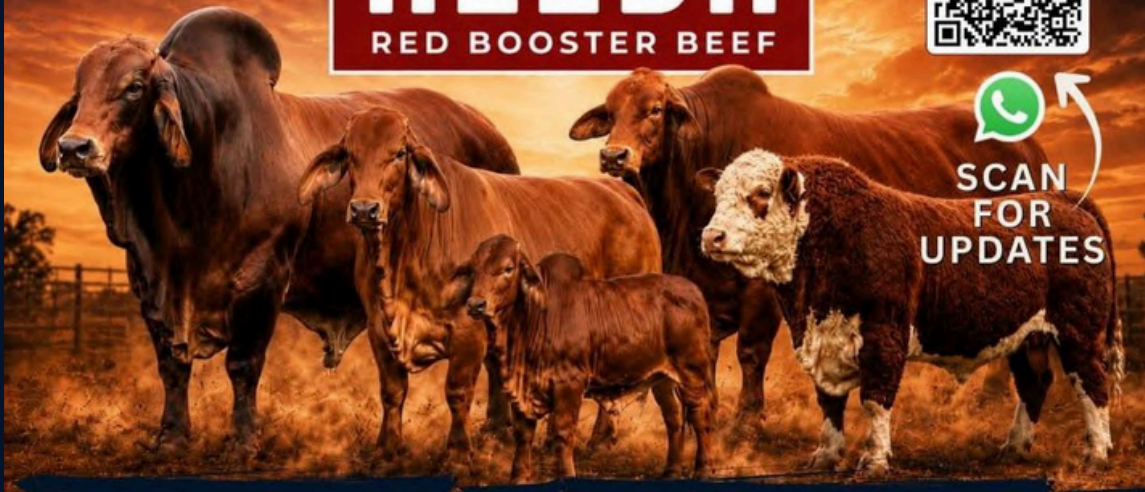


IDENTIFY | RECORD | TRACE | PROTECT

CHOOSE THE SCANNING SOLUTION THAT BEST FITS YOUR OPERATION.



SCAN
FOR
UPDATES



RED GENETICS SALE

PRACTICAL. | FERTILE. | ADAPTABLE. | PROFITABLE.

7 JULY 2026

11.00AM

THE BULL RING AT NETHERWOOD
NOTTINGHAM ROAD, KZN

REEBA RED BRAHMAN & DROUGHTMASTER — DON MCHARDY — 082 338 5800
SUMMERHILL DROUGHTMASTER — HENNING PRETORIUS — 083 310 6327
GRIFFIN HEREFORDS — GRAHAM GRIFFIN — 082 606 1085



Don McHardy — 082 338 5800
Simon Hughes — 082 491 8286
Johan van der Nest — 082 574 4220



FARMERS
LIVESTOCK
AGENTS



LOT - GG 23 062

Locheim Bull Power 18 45 (Locheim 14 81) x
Griffin GG 19 55 (Bonhaven Benchmark 1032).
Potential Herd Sire.

