

Subject: FW: Registering with MM Society
From: "Jannie de Villiers" <jandev@iway.na>
Date: 2020/10/27, 08:48 AM
To: "Wendy Wasserman" <wendyw@studbook.co.za>

Hi Wendy

Len Setshegetso het In September verlede jaar die ram DVB 180179 by my gekoop. Hy het die program Bengu Farm aangekoop. Kan jy asseblief die ram weer herinstel en vir hom aanstuur sodat hy dit op sy stelsel kan opsit. Hy is van Botswana en het vir my gesê dat hy by SA Stamboek gaan aansluit.

Vriendelike groete

Jannie de Villiers



From: Leonard Setshegetso <leonsets@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, October 22, 2020 9:59 AM
To: Jannie de Villiers <jandev@iway.na>
Subject: Re: Registering with MM Society

Good morning uncle Jannie,

I trust you are safe and well.

I acquired the BenguFarm system and it is amazing. I realise stud breeding is primarily record keeping. As such, I decided to perfect my records to aid selection as well as my breeding objectives and the rest will follow. I will be very happy if you can create a BenguFarm Animal Transfer File for DVB180179 that i can directly import into the system. I hope you have a good day, the sun this side decided to come a little closer and moisture is escaping at a very high pace (we can only pray for rain in the next month).

Regards,

Len

On Wed, Sep 30, 2020 at 8:27 PM Jannie de Villiers <jandev@iway.na> wrote:

Hi Len

Very nice to hear from you.

1. Bengu Farm is a very good programme. You can contact Leslie Bergh. He gives very good service.

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Cellphone: +27828012026. You can whatsapp call.

2. Register as a studbreeder and do recording through Bengu Farm which is connected to SA Studbook. It does not make sense to do only Production recording. Affiliate with the Meatmasters Sheep Breeders Society of South Africa. Lizanne Vermeulen(secretary). Cellphone: +27723846251

Email: info@meatmastersa.co.za. She can also help you to be a member of SA Studbook.

3. When you affiliate with the Meatmasters Sheep breeders and SA Studbook you will receive a book from SA Studbook and you can ask for the Constitution of the Meatmasters Sheepbreeders Society.
4. You can register all your Meatmaster sheep which you bought from auctions in Namibia. They were approved by inspectors. The other sheep which you want to register must be inspect by an inspector and be approved. If they were once approved all their offspring will be stud and you can register them without being inspected. But when you put them on an auction they will be inspected. So although they are stud the best is to inspect your offspring when you put them into your breeding st0ck.

You are very welcome to ask more questions or whatsapp call.

Best regards

Oom Jannie

Oom Jannie,

I hope this mail finds you well. I have lately reflected on my breeding trajectory and realised i will not achieve anything if i dont do 2 things: 1) register as a meatmaster breeder and 2) register my sheep with the society. Given the infancy stage of sheep societies in Botswana i have thought of affiliating with South African society. I could start as a Production Recording participant and are seeking recommendations on a farm software that can effectively manage my breeding records. I currently use excel spreadsheet and it is becoming tedious with the growing numbers. A couple of issues:

1) Which software has worked well for you - in terms of simplicity, effectiveness and user-friendliness?

2) What benefits come with registering as a stud breeder over registering for Production Recording and what are the requirements for registering as a stud breeder?

Regards,

Len