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Third in the overall judging were Dowerin farmers and first time entrants Darrel and Diane Hudson, Yleena Farm, with a line of 201 lambs by Prime SAMM sires out of F1 Prime SAMM ewes.

Their entry weighed in at 27.79kg with a 3.15FS and 96.5pc achieved 2812.25BP.

The top five placegetters in all five categories were rewarded with all taking home coveted WAMMCO eskies full of lamb as part of a \$165,000 prize pool handed out since the first carcass presentation in 2002.

The winner of the tradeweight category was another producer with a successful competition record.

Graham, Chris, Wayne and Marie-Claire Barrett, Jerramungup, won with a straight line of 108 Prime SAMMs that averaged 20.99kg with a 2.58FS and 2294.46BP achieved by 97.2pc.

The family turns off about 5000 lambs a year to WAMMCO and works on an April drop so they can start sending them off in August.



The 12th WAMMCO State Prime Lamb Carcass Competition winner Dale Cronin (centre), Dumbleyung, is flanked by other category winners Pauline (left) and Ross Taylor, Lake Grace, Isla and Peter Jensen, Pingaring and Graham and Chris Barrett, Jerramungup. They are with placegetters Diane Hudson (rear left), Dowerin, and Warren Garlick, Kondinin, WAMMCO chairman Dawson Bradford and chief executive officer Coll MacRury.

They buy rams from nearby Cullam stud and Graham attributed their success not only to the

Prime SAMM breed but also said son Wayne had become astute in knowing what lambs best hit the abattoir's

specifications.

As much as he approved of the Prime SAMM's performance he was looking

### TOP 10 OVERALL

PLACE	TRADING NAME	LOCATION	BREEDING	POINTS
1	Bunkin Farming Ent.	Dumbleyung	Prime SAMM x Prime SAMM	3156.68
2	RW & PM Taylor	Lake Grace	Prime SAMM x Prime SAMM	2956.15
3	Yleena Farms	Dowerin	Prime SAMM x F1 Prime SAMM	2812.25
4	RW & PM Taylor	Lake Grace	Prime SAMM x Prime SAMM	2791.53
5	Bunkin Farming Ent.	Dumbleyung	Prime SAMM x Prime SAMM	2780.67
6	GH & CA Barreff	Jerramungup	Prime SAMM x Prime SAMM	2703.98
7	Ikewa Grazing	Mingenew	Prime SAMM x F1 Prime SAMM	2632.71
8	PT & IM Jensen & Son	Pingaring	Prime SAMM x Merino	2585.33
9	Quintarra Farm	Esperance	Prime SAMM x Prime SAMM	2584.33
10	RW & PM Taylor	Lake Grace	Prime SAMM x Prime SAMM	2556.30



WAMMCO chairman Dawson Bradford (left), congratulates Craig Heggaton, Evergreen Grazing, Kojonup, who had three lines of lambs finish in the top 10 of the trade weight category.