

The breed took out the top two places and registered in the breeding of two other places in the top five entrants for the trade section and in the consignment of 300 lambs category, Prime SAMMs featured in the top five rankings and top seven places in the top 10.

Among the Prime SAMP accolades and a narrow 14 points behind the overall winners in second place was the Cronin family, Bunkin Farming Enterprises, Dumbleyung.

Their line of 105 Prime SAMP lambs recorded 26.86kg carcass weight, 3.09 fat score, 31.7pc lean meat yield with 82.9pc of the carcasses receiving bonus points to finish with 2688.02 points.

In overall third place was the Cullam family, Cullam Prime SAMP stud, Jerramungup, with a draft of 179 Prime SAMP lambs that averaged 24.71kg carcass weight, 2.53 fat score, 32.6pc lean meat yield and 87.2pc of the carcasses attracting bonus points for a total score of 2666.71 points.

The Cullam family had even more reasons to smile when their clients Graham, Chris, Wayne and Marie-Claire Barrett, Jerramungup, took out first place in the consignment of more than 300 lambs section.

The Barrett family's 301 Prime SAMP lambs achieved an average carcass weight of 25.47kg, 2.98 fat score, 32.2pc lean meat yield, 86.4pc carcass bonus to record 2601.03 points which also earned them a fifth place finish in the overall tally.

Todd and Jody Quinlivan, Quintarra Farms, Esperance, were awarded second place in this category with 331 Prime SAMP lambs averaging 23.58kg carcass weight, 2.50 fat score, 32.8pc lean meat yield, 89.1pc carcass bonus points and 2450.49 points and 10th place overall.

Ross and Pauline Taylor, Tiarri Prime SAMP stud, Lake Grace, collected third

place in the above 300 lamb section with a line of 340 F2 Prime SAMP lambs that recorded 24.68kg carcass weight, 2.83 fat score, 31.8pc lean meat yield, 71.8pc carcass bonus and 2369.56 points.

The honour roll for the Cronin family continued into the trade section of the competition where they were awarded first and second

place for two lines of Prime SAMP lambs.

The winning line consisted of 105 lambs averaging 20.49kg carcass weight, 2.07 fat score, 33.9pc lean meat yield, 93.3pc carcass bonus points to tally 1873.97 points while the runner-up line weighed an average 20.68kg carcass weight, 2.51 fat score, 33.6pc lean meat yield, 94.1pc carcass bonus

points and 1816.87 points.

Last year's overall runner-up TJ & K Ward, Dumbleyung, collected third place in the tradeweight section with a line of 389 Poll Dorset-Prime SAMP and Merino lambs that achieved 20.79kg carcass weight, 2.24 fat score, 33.1pc lean meat yield, 85.1pc carcass bonus to equal 1758.08 points.



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Congratulations to the top 5 placegetters in each category

OVERALL

- 1st Barry & Sheldon Kowald, Capemont Farms, Katanning
- 2nd Terry & Dale Cronin, Bunkin Farming Enterprises, Dumbleyung
- 3rd Rod & Simon Cullam, Cullam SAMP, Jerramungup
- 4th Peter Bessell-Browne, Naballing Estate, Woodanilling
- 5th Graham, Chris & Wayne Barrett, GH & CA Barrett, Jerramungup

TRADE WEIGHT

- 1st Terry & Dale Cronin, Bunkin Farming Enterprises, Dumbleyung
- 2nd Terry & Dale Cronin, Bunkin Farming Enterprises, Dumbleyung
- 3rd Jon Ward, TJ & K Ward, Dumbleyung
- 4th Ian MacDonald, JV & CE MacDonald, Gnowangerup
- 5th Meighan Stewart, DM, MCL & JA Stewart, Lake Grace

CONSIGNMENTS LARGER THAN 300 LAMBS

- 1st Graham, Chris & Wayne Barrett, GH & CA Barrett, Jerramungup
- 2nd Todd & Jody Quinlivan, Quintarra Farms, Esperance
- 3rd Ross & Pauline Taylor, RW & PM Taylor, Lake Grace
- 4th Todd & Jody Quinlivan, Quintarra Farms, Esperance
- 5th Joe Felber, AJ Felber, Badgingarra

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