

Assistant Manager

Background

Kerwee Feedlot is a 20,200 head modern beef feedlot located at Jondaryan on the Darling Downs in south-east Queensland. Kerwee is one of the Australia's leading feedlots which is constantly embracing new technology to provide a first class feeding facility. The feedlot is a part of The Kerwee Group of businesses, which together with Stockyard Beef, controls a vertically integrated family owned and operated branded beef supply chain provide high quality beef on a global level.

Due to recent growth an exciting opportunity exists for an enthusiastic and highly motivated person to join our progressive team as Assistant Manager of the feedlot.

The Role

The role will primarily oversee the livestock, feeding & milling, and maintenance operations, in collaboration with the General Manager, to ensure the company meets our targeted growth strategy. The company is currently undergoing significant expansion and looking for an assistant manager to maintain daily operations according to approved internal standards. Coordinating contractors when necessary and managing budgeted capital expenditure will also be a part of the role. The position would be ideal for an individual who enjoys taking ownership and accountability in decision making and leading an established team of 25 staff.

The successful candidate for this role should show the following attributes:

- Proven experience working as part of a team, as well as managing projects for continuous improvement and meeting KPIs.
- Ability to communicate well with all levels of personnel and management in a high paced environment.
- Ability to maintains and work within a Quality Assurance focused workplace.
- Strong focus on following and enforcing WH&S and environmental requirements.
- Knowledge of steam flaking mill and heavy machinery maintenance would be an advantage.
- Ability to demonstrate contemporary animal husbandry techniques
- Have advanced computer skills and tertiary agricultural qualifications.

The successful applicant would ideally have prior experience in feedlot industry. A salary package will be offered based on the skill and qualification level of the successful applicant.

Applications (including cover letter and resume) should be emailed to the Kerwee Lot Feeders General Manager by 20/12/16

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