

HANCOCK AGRICULTURE

STATION HAND | ROCKYBANK/HOLYROOD

Hancock Agriculture, incorporating S. Kidman & Co Pty Ltd and Hancock Prospecting Pty Ltd Services, is a world-class agribusiness with 30 properties across Australia spanning 10 million hectares. We are one of the country's largest beef producers with a herd of over 320,000.

An exciting opportunity is available for an experienced and highly motivated **Station Hand** to join our operations at Rockybank/Holyrood Stations located in South Central Queensland.

Rockybank Station is home of the Kidman Santa Gertrudis and Composite bull-breeding herd, supplying bulls to the company's large-scale breeder herds spread across QLD, NT, SA and the NT. Holyrood is part of the QLD purebred Wagyu herd aggregation of properties, breeding bulls for northern breeder herds, as well as steers and heifers destined for the company's southern cattle operations. Holyrood is run in conjunction with Rockybank as part of day-to-day herd and property management.

Working at Rockybank/Holyrood is very diverse, attention to detail is paramount, working with stud cattle, feeding and preparing bulls to go out to the other stations. Duties include mustering cattle using horses and bikes, stud record keeping, fencing, water maintenance, stud bull feeding, Al programs, summer and winter crop rotations and pasture management. Implementing new management and safety initiatives such as water infrastructure, cattle yards, fencing and machinery operations are all part of the experience. All team members must be able to demonstrate and/or learn good stockmanship and stock handling techniques.

The ideal candidate for this position will have the following:

- Demonstrated experience in the movement, handling and processing of cattle using calm & controlled methods
- Sound horsemanship and motorbike skills
- Ability to undertake general station maintenance and repairs including fencing & welding
- · Able to competently operate various farm machinery/equipment and carry out general servicing & maintenance
- Experience with stud record keeping for livestock information systems is desirable
- A current Drivers Licence (Heavy Vehicle licence desirable)
- A current Motorbike Licence
- A strong work ethic and commitment to workplace health and safety and the highest animal welfare standards.

We offer competitive remuneration, training & development, onsite accommodation suitable for a family, and all the benefits of a great Outback lifestyle.

To apply, please email your current resume with references to <u>careers@hancockagriculture.com.au</u> quoting reference **BC-RBA-SH-2019**. Please note: You must have the right to live and work in Australia to apply for this position.









