

HANCOCK AGRICULTURE

STATION MANAGER | GLENGYLE STATION, SW QLD

About Hancock Agriculture

A world-class agribusiness, Hancock Agriculture, incorporating S. Kidman & Co Pty Ltd and Hancock Prospecting Pty Ltd Services, has an exceptional opportunity for an experienced and highly motivated cattle Station Manager to join our operations at Glengyle Station, situated in the heart of the Georgina River Channel Country of South West Queensland.

Hancock Agriculture has a long history in Agriculture. With over 30 properties across Australia, spanning 10 million hectares, we are one of the country's largest producers of beef with a herd of over 320,000.

Hancock Agriculture provides you a career in an exceptional organisation you can be proud of, whose culture includes, "happy healthy cattle are the best cattle". Using practical technology, we are leaders in responsible safety.

About the Property

Glengyle is a breeding, fattening and backgrounding property which spans 5,500 km2 and runs approximately 10,000 head of predominantly Santa Gertrudis cattle. Flooding channel country waterways flow through the majority of the property thanks to the Eyre Creek on the lower Georgina River as it flows south towards Lake Eyre.

The property has a comfortable homestead environment set in established gardens. The station infrastructure comprises 17 main paddocks and 8 sets of steel cattle yards. The Georgina River/Eyre Creek floodplain country provides permanent and semi-permanent water holes. Man-made infrastructure includes 11 dams, 3 sub-artesian and 4 artesian bores, with 30 tanks on pipelines.

About the Role

In this on-site key leadership and operational role, the Station Manager's primary focus is to achieve production and profitability through the management of the day-to-day activities of the Station, whilst working closely with the external corporate leadership team.

The successful applicant will have:

- Extensive knowledge and experience in the management of large cattle herds (including livestock recording systems), landcare, people and safety management, property maintenance and financial management.
- A good understanding of segregated calving herds with a strong emphasis on fertility
- At least 3 years' experience in a station leadership role
- Proven experience leading, attracting and retaining, motivating and mentoring a team
- Ability to build high levels of rapport and business relationships with a remotely based head office
- Intermediate to advanced computer literacy
- Well-developed verbal and written communication skills
- A genuine commitment to continual improvement, operational best practice, industry leading animal welfare and the health and safety of Team Members.
- A Heavy Combination (HC) truck licence & Motorcycle licence
- A Firearms licence (Class A and Class B)
- A current National Police Clearance Certificate (or be willing to obtain).

An attractive remuneration package will be negotiated with the successful applicant for this important position within Hancock Agriculture. There is potential employment for a partner in an administrative capacity.

To apply, please email your cover letter and resume to <u>careers@hancockagriculture.com.au</u> quoting reference number BC-GLG-SM-2020. Applications close Monday 4 January 2021.

Please note: You must have the right to live and work in Australia to apply for positons with Hancock Agriculture or S. Kidman & Co.









