



HANCOCK AGRICULTURE

STATION MANAGER | MORNEY PLAINS 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 exciting opportunity for an experienced cattle Station Manager to join our operations at Morney Plains Station in 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

Morney Plains Station is located in the Channel Country of south west Queensland. Spanning an area of 6,230km², the property features the intersection of two of the Channel Country river systems (Diamantina River and Farrars Creek). The station has an average carrying capacity of 11,500 head of cattle. Not only does Morney Plains receive steers from Kidman's northern properties, it also produces its own high-quality Santa Gertrudis calves each year.

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.

To be successful in this role, you will be able to demonstrate the following:

- Extensive knowledge and experience in the management of large cattle herds (including electronic livestock recording systems), landcare, people and safety management, property asset maintenance and financial management.
- A good understanding of segregated calving herds with a strong emphasis on fertility
- At least 3 years' experience in station leadership roles
- Proven experience leading, attracting and retaining, training, 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.

To apply for this special job experience, please email your cover letter and current resume with referees to careers@hancockagriculture.com.au quoting **BC-MPL-SM-2021**

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

