

<b>Position Title:</b>	Feedlot Manager
<b>Location:</b>	North-Central Victoria
<b>Start Date:</b>	Negotiable to Suit the Successful Applicant
<b>Pay Rate:</b>	Generous Salary – Tailored to Experience
<b>Benefits:</b>	Accommodation Included Plus Salary Package

We are seeking a Feedlot Manager for our rapidly expanding feedlot enterprise. We are a family-owned, Australian livestock business which has roots going back over 175 years and six generations. Operating a feedlot in North-Central Victoria, we specialise in the production and finishing of high-quality beef. Our focus is to consistently provide the finest beef to our valued customers.

### **Position Summary**

Due to current expansion initiatives, a leadership position has become available in our growing feedlot business. Reporting directly to the owners, we are looking for a skilled feedlot manager to join our team.

The successful candidate should embody a hands-on, proactive approach and seamlessly integrate into all facets of feedlot operations and staff management. As a pivotal member of our organisation, the selected candidate will oversee the daily operations of our feedlot.

Responsibilities are broad and the purpose of the position is to be accountable for ensuring all livestock operations and relevant reporting requirements meet a high standard, while leading a team to ensure best practice procedures are always maintained across all aspects of the business.

### **Key Responsibilities**

With a passion for cattle well-being and a drive for business growth, the Feedlot Manager will be responsible for overseeing and managing:

#### *Livestock Management*

- Monitor and evaluate the health and well-being of cattle on a daily basis, including riding pens;
- Identify and respond promptly to signs of illness, injury, or distress in cattle;
- Supervise intake schedule of animals into the feedlot;
- Ensure cattle are kept at the correct pen density and receive feed and water;
- Assess the cattle prior to induction to ensure they meet intake specifications (weight, type, condition, ailments);
- Oversee all induction processes and procedures;
- Manage the inventory of induction supplies and order as required;
- Report any non-conforming cattle to owners;
- Coordinate cattle movements within feedlot;
- Ensure all pens are ridden daily in accordance with Livestock Procedures;

- Ensure all Veterinarian's hospital procedures are followed, and hospital records are maintained;
- Authorise the culling of animals that don't respond to treatment;
- Manage the inventory of hospital drugs and order as required;
- Supervise the selection and drafting of cattle for dispatch; and,
- Coordination of cattle transport in and out of the farm with the transporter, suppliers and receivers.

### *Feedlot Operations*

- Supervise and lead a small team in the day-to-day feedlot activities;
- Ensure proper feeding protocols are followed, and monitor feed quality, availability and order ration ingredients as required;
- Drive and operate vehicles and machinery, including milling feed and feeding cattle;
- Oversee and complete maintenance and repairs of equipment and infrastructure, as required;
- Authorise appropriately trained staff to carry out chemical treatments; and,
- Oversee staff recruitment, training and management with regard to designated roles and responsibilities approved by owners.

### **Competencies & Experience**

- Proven experience and knowledge of livestock management practices and feedlot operations;
- Strong understanding of cattle and animal welfare;
- Knowledge of NFAS Quality Assurance Program;
- Excellent organisational skills overseeing day to day planning, within a logistically busy and diverse environment;
- An understanding and appreciation of requirements to run a feedlot, and ability to problem solve;
- Confidence with technology ensuring it drives innovation and efficiency throughout the business;
- Excellent leadership and communication skills;
- Ability to work effectively in a team and independently; and,
- Flexibility to work weekends on a rotational basis.

### **Employee Benefits**

- Competitive remuneration and allowances, based on experience;
- A four bedroom homestead; and
- Work vehicle.

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