

RCC NOMINEE PROFILE

RCC Region 12

Sam Hughes



Grew up in Central Queensland on Tierawoomba a wagyu breeding property. Worked in most aspects of the family business. Managed Keeroongooloo, a backgrounding property on the Cooper Ck for six years. Currently Manager at Millungera station, breeding property near Julia Ck. Married Amanda in 2019 and have three children Peter 6, Brian 5 and Sybil 3. Really fortunate to have been involved in a growing and productive family business.

Why are you interested in a role on the RCC?

Well as the position was vacant at Region 12, felt it was a duty that someone stand!

How will you represent the interests of producers of grassfed cattle in your region?

Will work towards alleviating regulatory impediments to cattle grazing enterprises.

The grazing industry provides a time tested nutritional value to the community.

It also allows for a natural and healthy physically active career for working in and with nature.

Also having the ability to improve ecosystems by fertilizing and putting carbon into the soil.

Very few industries can lay facts to these claims and must be preserved for future generations.



Grassfed cattle sector experience (production, supply chain)

Have been involved in breeding and backgrounding cattle properties.

Do you play an active role in your community, and how?

My wife, Amanda and I are supporters of the sport of campdrafting, on the committee and Treasurer for the Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame Campdraft at Longreach and also President and Treasurer of the Keeroongooloo Cup campdraft. Georgina donate many thousands of cattle to various campdrafts in multiple locations.