

ENGLISH LEICESTER BREED SOCIETY

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BREED DESCRIPTION

The head should carry a reasonable forelock of similar texture to the body wool. The lips and nostrils should be dark with a well defined nose and the face generally wedge shaped and covered with short white hair. The eyes should be clear and bright with plenty of width between them. The ears should be thin and fairly large in proportion to the breadth of the forehead, coloured a good deep blue. The neck should be of medium length, strong and level with the back with the shoulders upright. The chest should be deep, wide and prominent. The back, wide and level giving a good girth with extensive width through the heart and well sprung ribs. The hindquarters should be well developed from the hocks giving good legs of mutton with the whole carcase being deep and of considerable length. The legs should be straight and squarely set with good flexible pasterns. The hoofs should be black and the sheep's carriage should be free and active. The fleece should be bulky, free and even and present a fine lustre with locks of medium width showing a well defined crimp over the locks full length with a count of 39 to 40 microns.

English Leicester

CULLEN-REID, BELINDA
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Flock No. 7

(Registered 1895)

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This flock was founded in 1893 by R. and J. Reid with the purchase of 5 ewes known as the 'Corlett Family', from P. C. Threlkeld (F.1). In 1894, 26 ewes were purchased from P. C. Threlkeld (F.1). In 1900, 5 ewes bred by C. Rudd (F.50) were added to the flock and in 1906, 61 ewes were purchased from T. N. Digby (F.12). In 1918, 40 ewes were purchased from W. H. P. Sowden (F.39). In 1920, 41 ewes were purchased from H. E. Peryman (F.31). In 1981, 2 bred by L. F. Leighton (F.592); 1983, 11 bred by R. W. P. Cameron (F.257); 1984, 50 bred by L. F. Leighton (F.592).

This flock was transferred in 1928 to Jas. Reid, in 1948 to the Estate of Jas. Reid, in 1955 to Est. Jas. Reid Ltd., in 1967 to Robert Reid & Sons and in 1980 to J.D.B.Reid, and in 2016 to the present Owner.

Sires used have been bred by P. C. Threlkeld (F.1); Trustees of late E. Chapman (F.9); Rudd (F.50); G. Jameson (F.45); F. C. Murray (F.26); T. S. Little (F.95); W. Nixon (F.37); H. E. Peryman (F.31); W. Cunningham (F.89); J. Little (F.46); W. B. Andrew (F.4); Est. of the late W. B. Cunningham (F.35); A. Drummond (F.211); Isaac Andrew (F.157); E. Kelland (F.20); W. H. P. Sowden (F.39); E. Ridgen (F.87); Sir R. Heaton Rhodes (F.104); H. D. Butterick (F.310); R. and J. Reid (F.7); Canterbury Agricultural College (F.8); W. J. Kelland (F.20); A. S. Elworthy (F.178); W. Letham (F.311); H. J. Andrew (F.425); Est. of the late F. M. Young (F.66); R. J. Low (F.422); late Jas. Reid (F.7); C. H. Adams (F.354); D. H. Chapman (F.66 E.L.F.B.); A. K. McLaughlin (F.530); Robt Reid & Sons (F.7); R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557); L. F. Leighton (F.592); McKerchar Bros. (F.601); K. J. & D. E. Earl (F.620); P. N. Brown & Son (F.616); B. L. & D. J. McCloy (F. 628); and J.D.B.Reid (F.7). Ewes kept in flock not put to ram 2017, 2.

A.B.F.

RAVENSWOOD STUD

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Flock No. 406

(Registered 1922)

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This flock was founded by E. S. Taylor in 1921 by the taking over of part of the flock of the late Joseph Taylor (F.11). The following ewes have been added to the flock: - In 1923, 39 bred by C. O. T. Rutherford (F.345); in 1930, 26 bred by A. S. Elworthy (F.178); in 1931, 15, and in 1933, 15, bred by Canterbury Agricultural College (F.8); in 1936, 22 from Est. of late W. Letham (F.311); in 1938, 16 from H. J. Andrew (F.425); and in 1946, 4 ewes purchased from A. S. Elworthy (F.178); 1958, 4 bred by C. A. Champion (F.480); 1967, 12 bred by R. J. Low & Son (F.422).

In 1951 the flock became the property of the Estate. In 1974 the flock name was changed to Ravenswood Stud.

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Sires used have been bred by R. and J. Reid (F.7); Joseph Taylor (F.11); Isaac Andrew (F.157); F.M. Young (F.66); Exors. of late Jos. Taylor (F.11); W. Letham (F.311); A. S. Elworthy (F.178); W. and A. Campion (F.419); Scott Bros. (F.413); Sir R. Heaton Rhodes (F.104); Rudd's Estate (F.50); W. J. Kelland (F.20); Canterbury Agricultural College (F.8); H. J. Andrew (F.425); J. B. Laidlaw (F.402); Misses M. and K. Todhunter (F.517); Jas. Reid (F.7); J. E. Thacker (F.477); C. H. Adams (F.354); Est. Jas. Reid Ltd. (F.7); Bennett Bros. (F.409); R. J. Low & Sons (F.422); Beechwood Trust (F.557); J. R. Todhunter & Sons Ltd. (F.581); R. Reid & Sons (F.7); R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557); Estate E. S. Taylor (F.406); McKerchar Bros (F.601); H. Bennett (F.409); D.R. Bennett (F.646); A. & W. Eckhoff (F.636); R.W. & M.A.Manson (F.637); B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628); and Owners.

Ewes retained from previous year	4
Maiden ewes from own flock.....	3
Total.....	7

Lambs bred in 2017 - Rams, 24 ; ewes 27.

Ewes sold - To-shear & over, 13 ; one-shear, 2.

Sires used in 2017 -

'Ravenswood 17/14' (7000), bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406)

'Te Pamuiti 352/15' (7005), bred by Gavin Henrickson & Co. (F.647).

A.B.F.

NORTHCOTE FARMING LTD

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(Registered 1961)

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This flock was founded by T. F. Northcote in 1960 on 19 mixed aged ewes from Est. of late Jas. Reid (F.7). In 1970 the flock was transferred to P. S. Northcote, in 1988 to P.S.Northcote & Sons, and in 2014 to the present Owners.

At the time of registration the flock consisted of 19 mixed aged ewes, 11 ram lambs, and 15 ewe lambs.

Sires used have been bred by R. J. Low & Sons (F.422); Est. Jas Reid Ltd (F.7); Beechwood Trust (F.557); Bennett Bros. (F.409); R. P. Steele (F.569); Est. of late E. S. Taylor (F.406); R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557); R. N. Clucas (F.572); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); Robt. Reid & Sons (F.7); J. D. B. Reid (F.7); P. S. Northcote (F.575); J. R. Todhunter & Sons Ltd. (F.581); B. L. & D. J. McCloy (F.628); A. & W. Eckhoff (F.636); R.W. & M.A.Manson (F.637); Mrs P.J.Tait (F.607); A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607); P.S.Northcote & Sons (F.575); and Cleardale Station Ltd (F.581).

Ewes retained from previous year	40
Total.....	40

Ewes kept in flock not put to ram 2017, 40.

Lambs bred in 2016 - Rams,58 ; ewes 63

Sire used in 2017 -

'Cleardale E57/12' (6974) (FS 1-1), bred by Cleardale Station Ltd (F.581).

A.B.F.

CLEARDALE STATION LTD

c/- B. J.Todhunter & D. M. Field, Cleardale, 29 Double Hill Run Road,
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Flock No. 581
(Registered 1966)

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Founded in 1966 by J. R. Todhunter & Sons on 9 mixed aged ewes bred by R. J. Low & Sons (F.422). Ewes added since: 1967, 10 bred by Est. E. S. Taylor (F.406); 1971, 7 bred by Est. E. S. Taylor (F.406); 1972, 12 bred by Est. E. S. Taylor (F.406); 1973, 12 bred by Est. E. S. Taylor (F.406); 1974, 11 bred by Est. E. S. Taylor (F.406); 1975, 12 bred by H. Bennett (F.409).

In 1995 the flock transferred to Cleardale Holdings and in 2007 the flock transferred to the present Owners.

Sires used have been bred by Est. E. S. Taylor (F.406); R. J. Low & Sons Ltd (F.422); W. J. & M. D. Symes (F.537); R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557); H. Bennett (F.409); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); D. R. Bennett (F.581); H. Bennett & Sons (F.409); J. R. Todhunter & Sons Ltd (F.581); Mrs P.J. Tait (F.607); B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628); Cleardale Holdings (F.581); A.G.& P.J.Tait (F.607); R.W. & M.A.Manson (F.637); and Owners.

Ewes retained from previous year	104
Maiden ewes from own flock.....	<u>38</u>
Total.....	142

Rams sold - One-shear, 17.

Sires used in 2017 -

'Ellesmere 19/14' (6987) (tw), bred by R.W. & M.A.Manson (F.63)

'Cleardale E91/15' (7008), 'Cleardale S177/12' (7009) (FS 1-1), bred by Owners.

A.B.F.

MURVALE FARM LTD

C/- C. R. Trousdale, 644 Matahuru Valley Road, R.D.4, Ohinewai 3784

Flock No. 619
(Registered 1984)

Prefix, Murvale
Telephone (07) 828 5715

Fax (07) 828 5716

Mobile (027) 274-2158

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Founded in 1984 by Murvale Farm Ltd on 12 ewes bred by H. Bennett (F.409).

Sires used have been bred by H. Bennett (F.409); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); R.W. & A.H. Freemantle (F. 629); B. S. Whitehead (F.604); H. Bennett & Sons (F. 409); Gavin Henricksen & Co. (F.647); and Owner.

Ewes retained from previous year	4
Ewes added, bred by -	
Ravenswood Stud (F.406).....	<u>6</u>
Total.....	10

Lambs bred in 2016 - Ewes, 4.

Sire used in 2017 -

'Karendale 51/15' (7006), bred by B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628).

A.B.F.

McCLOY, B. L. & D. J.
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Founded in 1986 by B. L. & D. J. McCloy on 14 ewes bred by H. Bennett (F.409), 1 ewe bred by E. V. Murray (F.468), 1 ewe bred by L. F. Leighton (F.592), 3 ewes bred by McKerchar Bros (F.601). Ewes added: 1987, 6 bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406), 10 bred by H. Bennett (F.409), 5 bred by R.J. & M.A. Burrows (F.557); 1989, 3 bred by McKerchar Bros. (F.601); 2000, 8 bred by R.J. & M.A. Burrows (F.557).

Sires used have been bred by H. Bennett (F.409); R.J. & M.A. Burrows (F.557); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); H. Bennett & Sons (F.409); A. & W. Eckhoff (F. 636); Cleardale Holdings (F.581); R.W. & M.A. Manson (F.637); Mrs P.J. Tait (F.607); H.C. Vanstone (F.611); and Owners.

Ewes retained from previous year	18
Maiden ewes from own flock	2
Total.....	20

Lambs bred in 2017 - Rams, 14 ; ewes, 11.

Rams sold - One-shear, 2.

Sires used in 2017 -

'Ravensdown 8/13' (6982) (tw), bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406)

'Karendale 16/11' (6969) (tw), bred by Owners.

A.B.F.

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Founded in 1987 by A. & W. Eckhoff on 2 ewes bred by J.D.B. Reid (F.7), 6 ewes bred by H. Bennett (F.409), 2 ewes bred by R.J. & M.A. Burrows (F.557), 1 ewe bred by McKerchar Bros (F.601), 2 ewes bred by Mrs P.J. Tait (F.607), 5 ewes bred by W.M. MacMillan (F.597). Ewes added: 1988, 5 bred by J.D.B. Reid (F.7); 1989, 5 bred by W.M. MacMillan (F.597); 2015, 10 bred by A.G. & P.J. Tait (F.607).

Sires used have been bred by McKerchar Bros (F.601); H. Bennett (F.409); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); R.J. & M.A. Burrows (F.557); H.C. Vanstone (F.611); D.R. Bennett (F.646); R.W. & M.A. Manson (F.637); and Owners.

Ewes retained from previous year	25
Maiden ewes from own flock.....	5
Total.....	30

Lambs bred in 2016 - Rams, 20 ; ewes, 25.

Rams sold - One-shear, 3.

Sire used in 2017 -

'Karendale 37/14' (6997) (tw), bred by B.L. & D.L. McCloy (F.628).

A.B.F.

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Founded in 1987 by R. W. & M. A. Manson on 5 ewes bred by J. D. B. Reid (F.7), 4 ewes bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406), 26 ewes bred by H. Bennett (F.409), 5 ewes bred by P. S. Northcote (F.575), 4 ewes bred by R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557), 5 ewes bred by McKerchar Bros (F.601). Ewes added: 1988, 5 bred by J. D. B. Reid (F.7), 4 bred by Mrs P. J. Tait (F.607); 1989, 7 bred by H. Bennett (F.409); 18 bred by McKerchar Bros. (F.601); 2012, 3 bred by H.C.Vanstone (F.611); 2013, 6 bred by A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607).

Sires used have been bred by McKerchar Bros (F.601); H. Bennett (F.409); R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557); H. Bennett & Sons (F.409); Mrs G. L. Lindsay (F.658); Ravenswood Stud (F.406), P.S. Northcote & Sons (F.575); B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628); Mrs P.J.Tait (F.607); A. & W.Eckhoff (F.636); A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607); Cleardale Station Ltd (F.581); and Owners.

Ewes retained from previous year	71
Maiden ewes from own flock.....	<u>20</u>
Total.....	91

Lambs bred in 2016 - Rams, 90 ; ewes, 59.

Rams sold - One-shear, 10.

Sires used in 2017 -

'Cleardale S139/12' (6975) (FS 1-1), bred by Cleardale Station Ltd (F.581)

'Karendale 50/15' (7007), bred by B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628)

'Ellesmere 70/14' (6988) (tw), bred by Owners.

A.B.F.

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Founded in 1987 by D. R. Bennett on 18 ewes bred by H. Bennett (F.409). Ewes added : 2015, 15 bred by A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607); 2016, 8 bred by A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607).

Sires used have been bred by H. Bennett (F.409); J. D. B. Reid (F.7); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); H. Bennett & Sons (F.409); B.L. & D.J. McCloy (F.628); A. & W.Eckhoff (F.636); A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607); and Owner.

Ewes retained from previous year	36
Maiden ewes from own flock.....	20
Ewes added, bred by -	
Ravenswood Stud (F.406).....	<u>9</u>
Total.....	65

Lambs bred in 2016 - Rams, 32 ; ewes, 33.

Sires used in 2017 -

'Karendale 14/10' (6954) (tw), bred by B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628)

'Seaview 42/11' (6967) (tw) (FS 1-3) (CdT A,A), bred by A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607)

'Glenmoira 33/15' (7001), 'Glenmoira 76/15' (7002), bred by Owners.

A.B.F.

HENRICKSEN, GAVIN & CO.

63 Tataramoa Road, R.D. 7, Dannevirke 4977

Flock No. 647
(Registered 1988)

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Founded in 1987 on 8 ewes bred by R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557). Ewes added : 1988, 27 bred by J. D. B. Reid (F.7), 1 bred by R. W. P. Cameron (F.257), 11 bred by L. F. Leighton (F.592), 54 bred by Waitapu Partnership (F.615), 1994, 32 bred by R. W. & A. H. Freemantle (F.629).

Sires used have been bred by R. J. & M. A. Burrows (F.557); Mrs J. M. Anderson (F650); Mrs F. E. Russell (F. 654); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); Mrs N. M. Jefferd (F.639); H. Bennett (F.409); R. W. & A. H. Freemantle (F.629); B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628); A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607); B.L. & D.J.McCloy (F.628); and Owners.

Ewes retained from previous year	54
Maiden ewes from own flock.....	<u>15</u>
Total.....	69

Lambs bred in 2016 - Rams, 41 ; ewes, 47.

Sires used in 2017 -

'Ravenswood 38/14' (6986) (tw), bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406)

'Te Pamuiti 111/14' (6989) (tw), 'Te Pamuiti 327/15' (7003) (tr), 'Te Pamuiti 29/15' (7004) (tw), 'Te Pamuiti 352/15' (7005), bred by Owners.

A.B.F.

COSTELLO, M.R.T.

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Founded in 2000 by M.R.T.Costello on 72 ewes bred by R.J. & M.A.Burrows (F.557).

Sires used have been bred by R.J. & M.A.Burrows (F.557); Ravenswood Stud (F.406); A.G. & P.J.Tait (F.607); and R.W. & M.A.Manson (F.637).

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Founded in 2017 by Sydney J.Shep on 10 ewes, bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406), mated with the ram 'Te Pamuiti 352/15' (7005) bred by Gavin Henricksen & Co. (F.647).

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A.B.F.

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Founded in 2017 by C. J.Struthers on 9 ewes, bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406), mated with the ram 'Ravenswood 14/12' (6977), bred by Ravenswood Stud (F.406).