

Harold Park North Dohne tops at \$1600

THE Harold Park North Dohne stud held its annual ram sale last week at Carnamah and it recorded a solid result with prices hitting a high of \$1600.

In the sale the Wass family offered 36 rams and sold 26 in the Helmsman auction for an average of \$1021, which was up \$142 on last year's sale.

In comparison in last year's sale, the stud sold 28 from 50 rams offered to a top of \$1100 and an average of \$879.

The top price ram of the sale at \$1600 was HP180015 when it was purchased by John and Lindy Grant, Annamullah Farm, Dandaragan.

HP180015 has ASBVs of 5.7 WWT, 7.7 PWWT, 10.3 YWT, 0.6 PEMD, -0.2 PFAT, 19.3 YCFW, -1.0 YFD and 0.3 YCV to go with an overall Dohne Plus index of 179.6.

SALE SUMMARY

(under the hammer results)

Offered: 36
Sold: 26
Top: \$1600
Gross: \$26,550
Average: \$1021

Harold Park North stud principal Charles Wass said HP180015 was in the top five per cent of the national Dohne flock for WWT, PWT, YWT, YCFW, YFD and Dohne Plus Index and there were a number of bidders chasing him.

HP180015 was closely followed in the price stakes by HP180039 when it sold at \$1500 to return buyers LR & MJ Smith, Carnamah.

Its ASBVs are 4.5 WWT, 5.9 PWT, 7.1 YWT, 1.6 PEMD, 0.3 PFAT, 11.7 YCFW, -0.3 YFD and 0.0



A good crowd of buyers turned out to last week's Harold Park North Dohne Helmsman auction at the Carnamah saleyards.

YCV to go with an overall Dohne Plus Index of 175.1.

These figures rank HP180039 in the top 5pc of the national Dohne flock for YWT, PEMD and Dohne Plus Index.

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Mr Wass said the sale was very well supported by sheep farmers both local and from as far away as Merredin.