

NZ MINIATURE HEREFORD BREEDERS GROUP NEWSLETTER

2021 HERE we ARE ! Lets HAVE a POSITIVE year!



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Its time to start thinking AGM. Can you help? Can you come to the meeting. Lets get together to make our future stronger. We need everyone no matter if on the council or not.



From Kim Wright our President

Dear Members,

When thinking about what next for the Miniature Hereford Breeders Group, I reflected upon the object of the group. This is to maintain the purity, improve the breed and promote Miniature Hereford Cattle.

We need to hold an AGM and the Executive are proposing a date in May (tbc) in Fielding.

While we have lost many of our foundation members, we are attracting new members and it is important to revive and keep our work on track as per the object of the group. We need to remember that a lot of hard work and determination went into forming the group, setting out the rules, partnering with the NZ Hereford Association and developing the breed.

Currently there are four members on the Executive and we need other members to get involved, so if you are willing and able please contact me.

We have a healthy bank balance and we need to think about how best to utilize these funds to promote Miniature Herefords and ensure the survival of the breed, so please give this some thought and we can discuss at the AGM.

I hear that there has been quite a bit of buying and selling going on which is a healthy sign.

On a personal front, we are expecting approximately 25 MH babies around April, so we will be very busy. Hopefully the majority will be polled.

Our breeding down programme is slow, but we hope to produce G3's in 2022, once our G2 heifers are old enough.

While we aren't as dry as we were this time last year, we are still very guarded with our water supply and hope to get more rain next week.

We will let you know when we have a date for the AGM,

Best regards to you all,

Kim



At Rocklyn I have weaned 10 calves ,6 have gone to new homes. Two more leave in two weeks and then the late calves that are still on their mums will go in May -June.

How is calving and weaning going with you all? Love to hear.











For sale

Al Semen Straws also For Sale: **Riverlets**

CSF Guage – 55 straws available \$140.00 (Plus GST) per straw SSR Cooper – 55 straws available \$140.00 (Plus GST) per straw. This include the realese fee where currently stored Please contact Gillian McKenzie Home: 099747560 Mobile: 0210479441 email thumper20@ubernet.co.nz

Sharon Obrien has these two bulls for sale Phone 07 5420061 Mobile 0272000949 for more details.





From John and Gaye Long.

We had 34mm of rain Monday and Tuesday. First rain since January 9th. These are Aug, Sept and Oct born Heifers 2019. Not registered. Sell for \$550.00 plus GST. For more details. Call John on 06 879 5942



