



SHOWCASING
AUSTRALIA'S BEST

BRANDED BEEF & LAMB
AWARDS COMPETITION
2023 RESULTS CATALOGUE

2023 RQA BRANDED BEEF & LAMB COMPETITION

The Royal Queensland Awards (RQA) Branded Beef and Lamb competition unearth the nation's finest beef and lamb in the retail market. For a country that adores its red meat and produces some of the finest beef and lamb in the world, this competition is a true showcase of the best of the best.

Chief Judge Elaine Millar lead a team of expert judges, including top chefs from award-winning restaurants, butchers, food consultants and food journalists through the two days of judging.

Medals are determined by a panel of expert judges based on the following point scale:
To qualify for the bronze medal, the exhibit in third place must achieve a minimum score of 72 points.
To qualify for the silver medal, the exhibit in second place must achieve a minimum of 74 points.
To qualify for the gold medal, the exhibit in first place must achieve a minimum of 76 points.

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2023 RQA BRANDED BEEF

Award	Cat. No.	Exhibitor	Commercial Name	State	Score	
CLASS 1 Grain Fed Class						
Gold	6	Thomas Foods International	Angus Pure	QLD	79.0	
Silver	2	JBS Australia	JBS Australia Riverina Angus MB2+ MSA	QLD	75.3	
Bronze	4	Kilcoy Global Foods	Black Diamond	QLD	73.7	
	1	Hancock Agriculture	S.Kidman & Co	QLD	64.7	
	3	JBS Australia	Portoro	VIC	72.3	
	5	Paradigm Foods	Scot of the South - Australian Black Angus	QLD	72.7	
	CLASS 2 Grass Fed Class					
Gold	8	JBS Australia	Little Joe	VIC	80.0	
	7	JBS Australia	JBS Australia Right to Roam EQG	QLD	57.7	
CLASS 3 Wagyu Class AUS-MEAT Marble Score 6 or less						
Gold	10	Kilcoy Global Foods	Carrara 640 Wagyu	QLD	80.7	
Silver	14	Paradigm Foods	ICON Xb Wagyu	QLD	78.0	
Bronze	15	Paradigm Foods	YUGO XB Wagyu	QLD	77.3	
	9	Hancock Agriculture	2GR WAGYU	QLD	63.3	
	11	King River	KING RIVER	QLD	66.7	
	12	Mort & Co	The Phoenix	QLD	73.3	
	13	Paradigm Foods	Roam Australian Wagyu	QLD	66.7	
	16	Stanbroke Beef Pty Ltd	Diamantina Wagyu	QLD	70.0	
	17	Stockyard Beef Pty Ltd	Stockyard Silver	QLD	71.0	
	CLASS 4 Wagyu Class AUS-MEAT Marble Score 7+					
Gold	25	Paradigm Foods	ICON Xb Wagyu	QLD	91.7	
Silver	20	Kilcoy Global Foods	Jade Pure Wagyu	QLD	91.3	
Bronze	26	Paradigm Foods	YUGO XB Wagyu	QLD	90.0	
	18	Hancock Agriculture	2GR WAGYU	QLD	87.7	
	19	Jac Wagyu	Jac Wagyu	NSW	84.7	
	21	King River	KING RIVER	QLD	88.0	
	22	Mort & Co	Master Selection	QLD	81.0	
	23	Mort & Co	T.S Mort	QLD	82.7	
	24	Paradigm Foods	MUSE Wagyu	QLD	85.3	
	27	Paradigm Foods	Roam Australian Wagyu	QLD	74.0	
	28	Stanbroke Beef Pty Ltd	Sanchoku Pure Wagyu	QLD	86.7	
	29	Stockyard Beef Pty Ltd	Stockyard Black	QLD	80.7	
	30	Stockyard Beef Pty Ltd	kiwami by Stockyard	QLD	89.0	
	CLASS 5 Open Class					
	Gold	38	Stockyard Beef Pty Ltd	Stockyard Gold	QLD	85.7
Silver	33	JBS Australia	JBS Australia Bachelor Angus MB2+	QLD	80.7	
Bronze	34	Kilcoy Global Foods	Ebony Black Angus	QLD	77.3	
	31	Coles	Coles Beef	QLD	70.3	
	32	JBS Australia	JBS Australia Pure Prime MB3+	QLD	71.7	
	35	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	Union Station	VIC	76.7	
	36	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	'246'	VIC	60.0	
	37	Stanbroke Beef Pty Ltd	Diamantina Angus	QLD	72.0	

BRANDED BEEF - CHAMPIONS

CHAMPION MSA GRADED BRANDED BEEF OF SHOW

Selected from first place winning entries in classes 1 and 2.

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JBS AUSTRALIA - CLASS 2 CAT. NO. 8 - LITTLE JOE



little joe

GRAND CHAMPION BRANDED BEEF OF SHOW

Selected from first place winning entries from Classes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

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PARADIGM FOODS - CLASS 4 CAT. NO. 25 - ICON XB WAGYU

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2023 RQA BRANDED LAMB

Award	Cat. No.	Exhibitor	Commercial Name	State	Score
CLASS 6 Branded Lamb - 20kg or Less					
Gold	43	JBS Australia	Good Country	VIC	90.3
Silver	39	Australian Wholesale Meats	Sovereign	VIC	84.7
Bronze	41	Coles	Coles Graze Lamb	QLD	83.3
	40	Coles	Coles Finest Lamb	QLD	74.3
	42	Coles	Coles Lamb	QLD	53.0
	44	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	Union Station	VIC	79.0
	45	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	'246'	VIC	79.0
	46	Milly Hill Pty Ltd	Milly Hill	NSW	57.0
	47	Paradigm Foods	ALBA LAMBD	QLD	63.0
	48	Royal Wholesale Meats	Tasmanian Royal	QLD	71.7
	49	Tasmanian Lamb Company	LAMB OF TASMANIA	QLD	71.7
CLASS 7 Branded Lamb - More than 20kg					
Gold	61	Thomas Foods International	Thomas Farms Lamb	QLD	91.7
Silver	62	Thomas Foods International	Thomas Farms Classic Lamb	QLD	88.0
Bronze	52	Coles	Coles Graze Lamb	QLD	85.7
	50	Australian Wholesale Meats	Sovereign	VIC	79.3
	51	Coles	Coles Finest Lamb	QLD	68.7
	53	Coles	Coles Lamb	QLD	73.3
	54	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	Union Station	VIC	66.3
	55	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	'246'	VIC	72.7
	56	Milly Hill Pty Ltd	Milly Hill	NSW	69.3
	57	Paradigm Foods	Margra Lamb	QLD	70.3
	58	Royal Wholesale Meats	Tasmanian Royal	QLD	75.0
	59	Tasmanian Lamb Company	LAMB OF TASMANIA	QLD	62.0
	60	Thomas Foods International	Thomas Farms Signature Grain Fed Lamb	QLD	81.0
CLASS 8 Restaurant Trade Branded Lamb - More than 24kg					
Gold	64	JBS Australia	Great Southern	VIC	87.3
Silver	65	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	Union Station	VIC	85.3
Bronze	66	Midfield Meat International Pty Ltd	'246'	VIC	85.0
	63	Australian Wholesale Meats	Sovereign	VIC	78.3
	67	Royal Wholesale Meats	Tasmanian Royal	QLD	69.3
	68	Tasmanian Lamb Company	LAMB OF TASMANIA RESTAURANT QUALITY	QLD	62.0
	69	White Stripe Foods Pty Ltd	White Pyrenees	NSW	70.3

BRANDED LAMB - CHAMPION

CHAMPION BRANDED LAMB OF SHOW

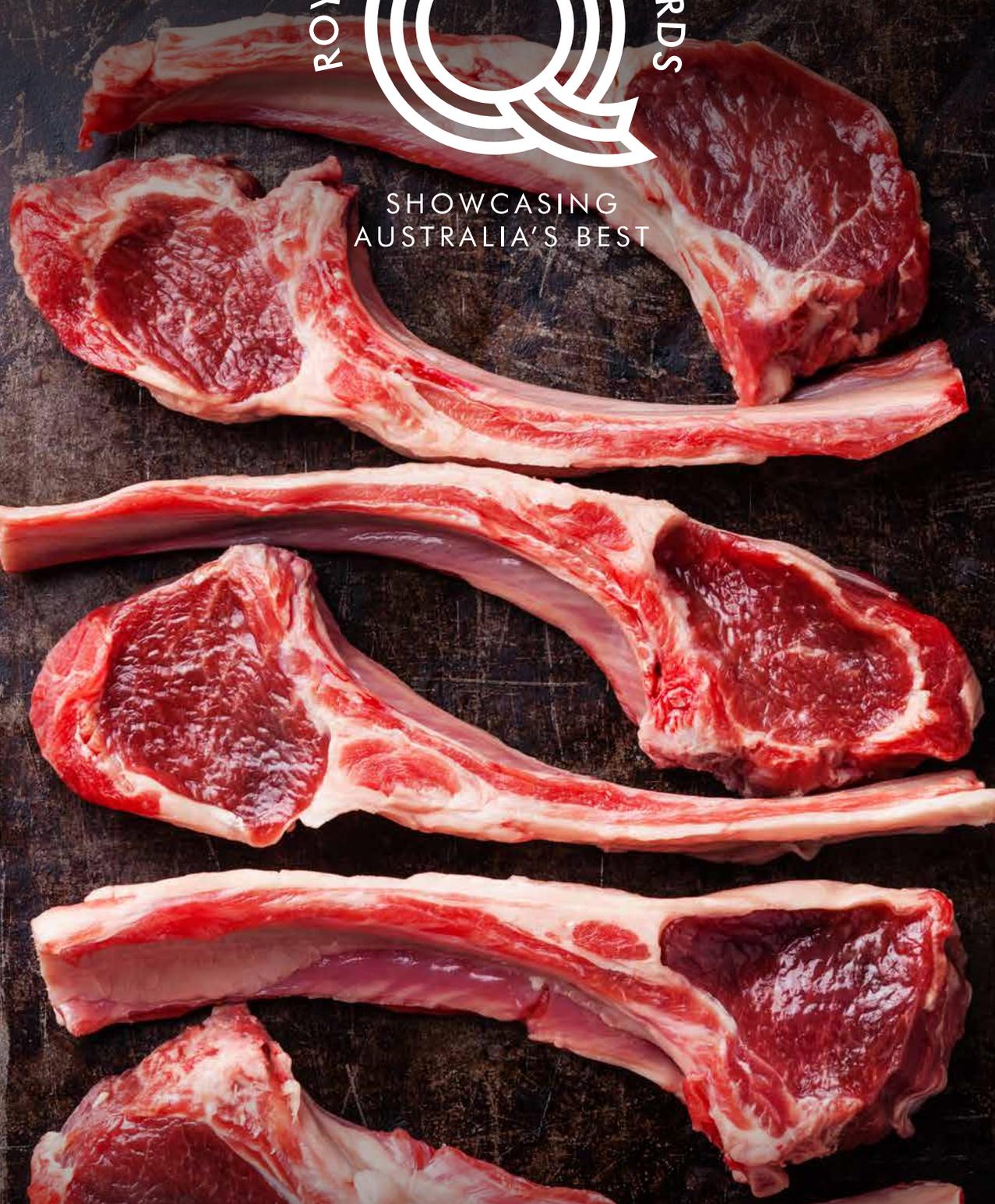
Selected from first place winning exhibits from Classes 6, 7 and 8.
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THOMAS FOODS INTERNATIONAL - CLASS 7 CAT. NO. 61 - THOMAS FARMS LAMB

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Four pieces of raw meat, likely beef and lamb, are arranged vertically on a dark, textured surface. Each piece is cut to show the internal muscle and bone structure. The meat is a deep red color with some white fat marbling. The background is a dark, almost black, surface with some subtle texture and lighting variations.

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