



Role: Operations Manager

Location: Aronui Feedlot

of openings: 1

Operations Manager

At AACo our business spans all aspects of the value chain, from our cattle stations and feedlots to farming and processing, as well as sales and marketing. Our commitment is to produce beef that is premium in terms of consistency and quality by respecting the animal and their environment.

Role Purpose

The purpose of this role is to lead the routine care and feeding of cattle kept in a feedlot environment and oversee the operational process of the entire yard.

The primary concern is ensuring that proper husbandry techniques and feeding programs are in place to promote optimal growth.

Ensure that Aronui Feedlot is running at full optimal business performance and supports the long-term interests of the company.

We offer

- Competitive Remuneration
- Development and Training

Who

- We are looking to share the Australian experience and require employees from a diverse range of backgrounds with a variety of skills, talents and aspirations, and a strong work ethic to join us
- Canobie Station is an extensive cattle station in Queensland and we would encourage those with trade skills to apply as on the job training will be provided for this role.
- Throughout our AACo operations, safety is a top priority and, as such, all employees must be absolutely committed to following our disciplined safety policies and procedures.

Key Responsibilities

General

- Coordinate the daily activities and resources required across various departments at the feedlot
- Monitor and report to the Relevant Senior Manager



- Assist the Feedlot Manager in the facilitation and coordination of management meetings that are conducted weekly and any other operational meetings required across the feedlot
- Ensure that all Quality Assurance, OH&S and Environmental policies and procedures are being implemented throughout the feedlot
- Take a leadership role in the implementation of the training systems across the feedlot to ensure that adequate training and the development of staff skills meets the business requirements
- Manage cost responsibilities within budgetary limitations of the business in consultation with the Feedlot Manager
- Provide positive input into the planning and structuring of the business operational requirements in conjunction with executive management and feedlot management where required.

Livestock

- Ensure the coordination of arrivals, induction, dispatch and other daily livestock activities are organised daily in conjunction with the Livestock Manager
- Assist in cattle health management processes and monitor and report as required
- Responsible for ensuring that adequate supplies of animal husbandry products are on site at all times
- Assist with all relevant recording and reports that are required and monitor the information in them when required
- Engage with feedlot animal health consultants when required

Mill

- Ensure that all milling and feeding activities are being conducted in conjunction with mill management
- Ensure that feed commodities are processed and delivered within the business specifications
- Monitor the daily feed allocation for the purpose of general animal consumption and health across the feedlot
- Assist the mill manager and maintenance department with coordination of priorities when a breakdown occurs, or preventative maintenance is required that interrupts the daily feeding or milling operations
- Engage with feedlot animal nutritional consultants when required

Maintenance

- Oversee the day to day operations of the maintenance crew including managing costs and time frames of completion of tasks.
- Help prioritise and facilitate maintenance tasks across the feedlot.

The Best Combination of Experiences, Skills and Background Is

ESSENTIAL

- Experience in the operation and management of a livestock enterprise
- Knowledge of contemporary animal husbandry techniques
- Current drivers licence
- High computer literacy
- Personal qualities of leadership, commitment and enthusiasm

PREFERRED

- Possession of a satisfactory progress towards attainment of tertiary qualifications in a relevant agricultural science
- Experience in management of a beef feedlot
- Knowledge of and experience in grain feeding production

Start Date

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Additional Notes

- This job can be physically strenuous (demanding) from time to time. You will be expected to be able to walk, climb, bend, kneel, lift, grip, grasp, push and pull various tools and equipment. You will need the ability to frequently lift, push and pull from 10–20 kilo's and occasionally more.
- This job will require the ability to ascend/descend ladders.
- You will be required to wear personal protective equipment, including hats, gloves, safety glasses, covered shoes, and respiratory protection and ear protection as appropriate.
- This job requires the ability to comprehend written and oral operational and safety instructions and related rules, policies and memos, and to communicate clearly with your co-workers and supervisors.

Applications

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