



Kalahari Red Goat Society of Australia

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Registration Rules/Fees

We welcome membership to all who love the Kalahari Red goat and want to be part of our team here at KRGSA. Membership is available in several categories whether you're a commercial farmer, fullblood stud breeder or international breeder. We have 2 registers that are available to all members, Kalahari Red fullblood goats and Kalahari Red upgraded/commercial goats.

No fullblood Kalahari Red goat will be registered as a fullblood without their accompanying paperwork with proof of bloodlines of their ancestry.

Any DNA Parental Certified Kalahari Red fullblood goat will be recognised with a DNA certified seal on their membership papers.

Members must have the accompanying certificates for transfer from either BGA, BGBAA and we will also accept SABGBA registration certificates showing their fullblood ancestry. KRGSA registered fullblood goats for sale must complete their transfer of ownership transaction within 30 days of sale, should the selling member not complete this duty, ramifications will be issued by the board.

A small fee is charged for all new registrations of goats to be uploaded on the Livestock and Business Centre herd book as well as their certificates and the costs are outlined below. This fee covers administration costs associated with registration and allocated certificates and we endeavor to try to keep costs as minimal as possible for all members. Information on certificates is provided by the breeder and KRGSA has taken all steps possible to ensure the information is correct and transparent but cannot be held responsible for any errors or mis descriptions that may occur.

Members can apply for membership via several methods;

Downloading the membership form from the Kalahari Red Goat Society of Australia website and emailing or posting the completed form to KRGSA. Once membership has been approved by the board a tax invoice will be issued to all new KRGSA members for payment of membership fees.

FULL MEMBERSHIP ~ ANNUAL FEES \$300.00

This category of membership allows for a stud name, prefix code, access to the registry and membership newsletters. There is no joining fee on any Kalahari Red Goat Society of Australia memberships.

Costs for registration of animals to KRGSA are as follows:

- REGISTRATION OF BUCKS/DOES \$17.00
- TRANSFERS \$12.00
- DUPLICATE KRGSA CERTIFICATES: \$10.00

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP ~ ANNUAL FEES \$100.00

This category of membership is open to all who share KRGSA objectives and wish to help them advance in their goals and visions but cannot become full members (restricted from voting or manning any positions on the board of KRGSA). Associate membership does not allow for the registration or transfers of any Kalahari Red goats or access to the Registry. Associate members will have access to all KRGSA social events and will receive the KRGSA newsletter.

INTERNATIONAL MEMBERSHIP ~ ANNUAL FEES \$350.00AUD

This category is open to all overseas breeders who want to register Kalahari Red fullblood goats. All goats will require certificates showing Kalahari Red fullblood bloodlines from their respective registered breeders, association, society or club. Any Kalahari Red goats bred via artificial means(semen/embryos) must be verified by documented veterinary paperwork within your country.

COMMERCIAL UPGRADE REGISTRATION PROCESS:

The upgrade commercial registry will comprise of 5 Grades. All commercial upgraded goats must be over a registered KRGSA, Kalahari Red fullblood buck or semen, to be registered under the commercial registry.

(F1= First Cross	50.00 %	Kalahari Red fullblood genetics X another breed of goat.	
(F2= Second Cross	75.00 %	Kalahari Red fullblood genetics	“
(F3= Third Cross	87.50 %	Kalahari Red fullblood genetics	“
(F4) =Fourth Cross	93.75%	Kalahari Red fullblood genetics	“
(F5) =Fifth Cross	96.88%	Kalahari Red fullblood genetics	“

No Commercial upgraded goat can ever get to fullblood status. Only goats with fullblood genetics from South African bloodlines can be registrable as fullblood goats with KRGSA.

STUD REPRESENTATIVE

As per clause 14 in the KRGSA constitution (general rights of members) you will be need to advise us of your nominated representative. Only one representative per stud will have authority to vote. Stud representatives may authorise additional stud nominees to alter the details of the applicant's membership and to submit and access registrations of the applicant's goats.

STUD PREFIX/STUDNAMES/GOAT NAMES

A member of KRGSA can allocate 2 choices for their stud name and containing 20 digits in total. Your first choice should be notified to the secretary and it will be given preference over 2nd choice if not allocated to another member. Stud Prefix codes also may have 2 choices with up to 4 digits in total for your chosen stud name. Members may choose up to 20 letters for their goat names and are allocated with their accompanying identification number by KRGSA for registration purposes.

ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION/EMBRYO TRANSFERS:

All Artificial Insemination and Embryo Transfers of goats must have the accompanying paperwork from the veterinary/technician stating date, dam and sire being used for procedures.

DNA CERTIFICATION

KRGSA highly encourages all members to DNA parental certify their animals. All fullblood registration papers received, that have accompanying DNA parental certification, will be provided with a KRGSA registration certificate with a DNA Certified common seal stamp applied.