



Information Booklet

NGUNI AUSTRALIA

Conservation Regeneration Promotion Community

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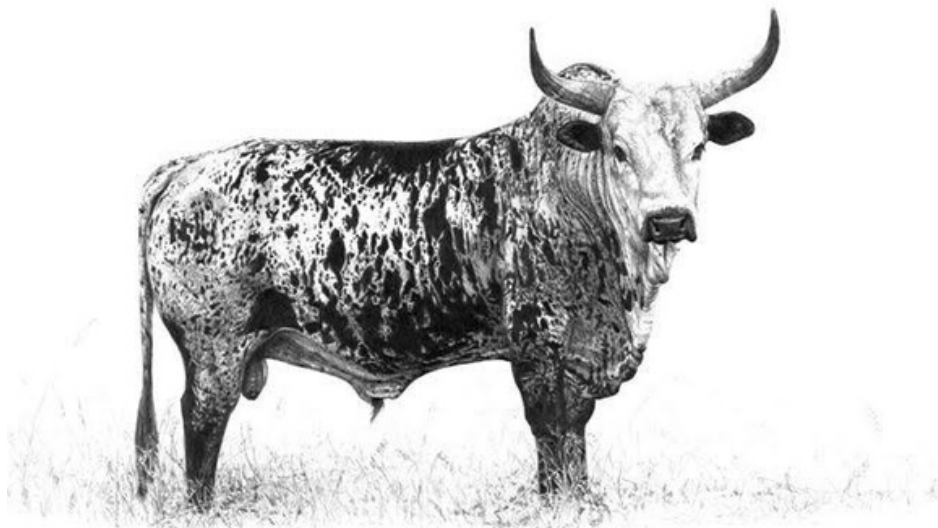
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Conservation: Of primary importance to Nguni Australia is the conservation of both the genetic and genomic figure print of the Nguni. The Nguni is, without a doubt, the hardest and most parasite and disease resistant of cattle breeds. Along with this, they have excellent hormonal balance and the highest practical fertility of African breeds. Their biology was shaped by nature, as only the most resilient survived. They are the perfect example of unimproved (no interference by man) cattle and are one of the last unimproved cattle breeds in the world. Due to this, conservation of the Nguni that is true to type is critical.





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Regeneration: For Nguni Australia, regeneration means putting life at the centre of every action and decision we make. From understanding the Nguni's part in regenerative farming and grazing; to uncovering and researching the Nguni's role in regenerating human health through its nutrient dense meat. We believe that the Nguni breed is the key to creating a symbiotic relationship between humans, land, and cattle. A relationship which restores and rehabilitates all on multiple levels.

Sustainability: To ensure that we are able to fulfil the needs of current generations without compromising the needs of future generations, we need to focus our efforts on creating a food system which connects people and communities directly with their farmer. The Nguni provides the opportunity for ancestral agricultural practices, grass grazed, and no chemical input farming, whilst still providing maximum profit per hectare.



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Fellowship: In order to reach our vision for the Nguni in Australia and internationally, collaboration between like minded people is key. Collaboration is a key part of the success of any organisation. Executed through a clearly defined vision and mission and based on transparent and constant communication.

Promotion: We aim to support the promotion of the Nguni breed through education, support, and encouragement. By enlightening others to the benefits of the Nguni and by helping them to understand it's history, we know that we will attract other farmers who hold similar values in respect to Nguni conservation, regenerative farming, sustainable food systems, and comradeship.





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Nguni Australia strives to conserve the unique characteristics of the Nguni Breed to promote the growth and proliferation of Nguni cattle in Australia. Additionally, we seek to uphold the following objectives:

To encourage and promote the breeding and the improvement of the genetic production potential of the Nguni breed;

To encourage the preservation and development of herds by sound selection and in the case of full blood registered animals, to eliminate contamination by foreign breeds;

To compile and maintain a "Minimum Breed Standard" which does not alter the inherent traits of the breed;

To compile, keep and maintain accurate records of the pedigrees and particulars of all animals duly registered or recorded in the Studbook;

To promote the use of Nguni cattle in the sustainable production of beef;

To educate and support breeders of Nguni cattle and create fellowship and community between all friends of the Nguni.

To act as a repository of information on all facets of Nguni cattle including inter alia, stud breeding, beef production and animal by-products.

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Nguni Stud Membership

Persons who own full blood Nguni's, and can prove full blood status through genetic testing are eligible to become a Nguni Stud Member. Nguni Stud Members must reside in Australia and must be 18 years or older. Stud membership supports our values of conservation and regeneration. Together, we can ensure that Nguni genetics remain pure, and as nature created them.

Friends of the Nguni

Persons that are interested in the Nguni breed and want to contribute to the conservation, promotion, and regeneration of the Nguni can become a "Friend of the Nguni" member. This is done through any donation, big or small, to Nguni Australia. Donations can come in any form, from money to time, from products to promotional material. Friends of the Nguni supports our values of community and fellowship.

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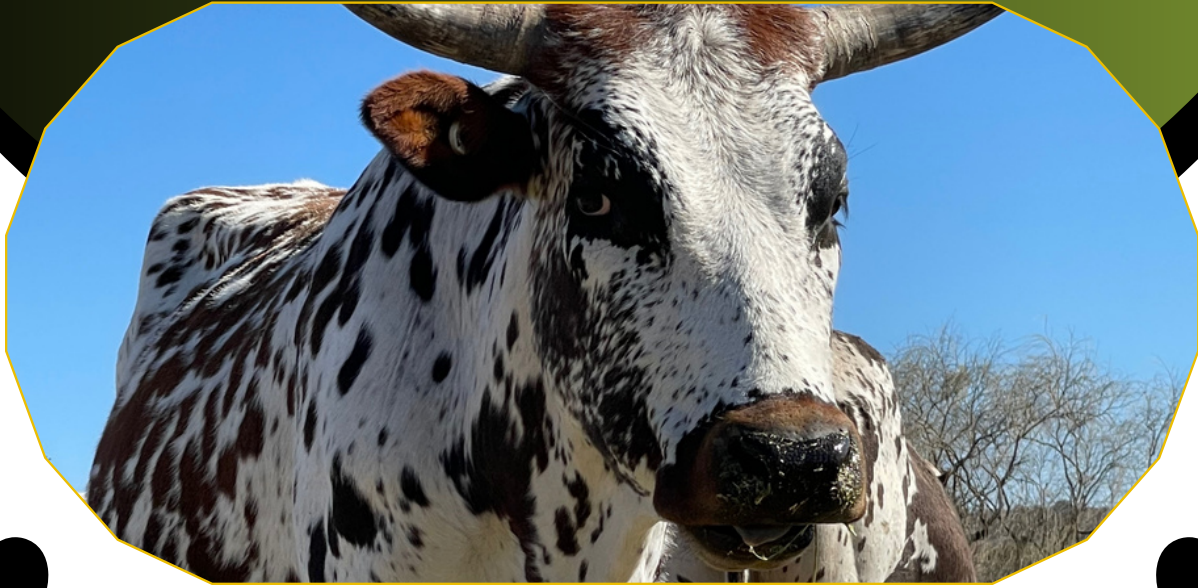
Visual Appraisal

Free Visual Appraisals for potential purchases of Nguni can be completed by, one of two, Australian Nguni Inspectors. Our Inspectors are the only inspectors in Australia trained by the South African Cattle Breeders Society.

Membership with ARCBA

Nguni Australia is the breed representative for the Nguni under The Australian Registered Cattle Breeders Association. Members will therefore have the benefit of association with ARCBA. ARCBA is the peak industry body for the Australian beef cattle seedstock industry.





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Access to Sanga International & Other African Breed Societies

Through membership with Nguni Australia, Nguni Stud Members will additionally have the privilege of having associations with the following African Breed Societies: Sanga International, Australian Drakensberger, Mashona Australia, Solera International, Australian Boran, and Tuli Australia.

Animal Registration and Certification

Members stud animals will be registered through Nguni Australia with Agpro Technology and stud certificates will be given Visit website for registration regulations.





What We Offer

Ongoing Access to Educational Lectures, Interviews with Industry Experts, and reviews of Scientific Research.

Ongoing relationship with Nguni Breeders Society of South Africa and other Breed Societies across Africa, through Nguni International Community Group.

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