



□ This Willemenup stud reserve sold privately for \$10,000 to the Mianelup stud, Gnowangerup, last week at the Rabobank WA Sheep Expo & Sale at Katanning. With the ram were Willemenup stud principal Collyn Garnett (left), Gnowangerup and buyer Elliot Richardson, Mianelup stud.

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The syndicate mated ram, tag 2045, carried a pedigree that goes back to Majestic 492 and displayed tests of 18.0 micron, 2.9 SD, 16.1 CV, 80.2pc yield and 99.9pc comfort factor.

Mr Richardson said he first saw the ram at the Narrogin Long Wool Day and decided to make an offer.

“There isn’t a lot wrong with him,” Mr Richardson said.

“He is a well-balanced ram with good feet and legs, beautiful wool, soft muzzle and pure poll and I think he will go well over a group of Mianelup ewes.”

Rounding out the studs to sell a ram privately at the event was the Mullan family’s Eastville Park stud, Wickepin, which sold a two-tooth, March shorn Poll Merino ram to Fred Leo, Leovale stud, Lake Grace, for \$7000.

The ram is sired by East



□ The Mullan family, Eastville Park stud, Wickepin, privately sold a stud reserve to the Leovale stud, Lake Grace, for \$7000 at the Rabobank WA Sheep Expo & Sale at Katanning last week. With the ram were Eastville Park stud co-principal Grantly Mullan (left), buyer Fred Leo, Leovale stud and Mitchell Crosby, Landmark Breeding.

Mundalla 81, which was the \$23,000 top-priced ram at the 2016 Rabobank WA Sheep Expo & Sale when it was purchased by the Eastville Park stud, in-conjunction with the Wiringa Park stud, Nyabing, Anglesey stud, Gnowangerup and the Hickey family, Narembeen, which purchased semen shares.

It has current wool figures of 20.1 micron, 3.2 SD and 99.5pc CF and was initially in line to be a stud reserve at Eastville Park.

Mr Leo said he purchased the ram on the advice of stud classer Mitchell Crosby, Landmark Breeding.

“Mitch singled him out because of his nice, bright, stylish and crimped wool,” Mr Leo said.

“He also has a good frame and still has his lambs teeth.”

Mr Leo said he had used Eastville Park genetics in the past with good results, having last bought a ram from the Mullan family about four years ago.

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Thursday, August 30, 2018 – 10.30am-5pm

**On-property
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Warralea Poll Merino Stud
Canowie Fields Merino Stud
Kintail Park Dohne Stud
Coromandel Poll Merino Stud

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Poll Merino Stud
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