

SIRE DIRECTORY

Cows like ours come from bulls like these!







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ADVANTAGES TO DDA SIRES:

Daughters with great mothering ability
Daughters with fantastic udder quality
Daughters are more fertile
Daughters will stay in production longer
Daughters that will calve unassisted
Sound structurally, including feet & legs
Forage efficient, moderate size
Soft temperament

The emphasis here on the ranch has been placed on efficiency, moderate frame and high maternal mothers. We like a 4-frame cow that will weigh 1200 to 1300 pounds in good flesh. We feel these are the cows that will last in the herd. This is not a new direction or philosophy for Diamond D Angus; we have been consistent, with very little variation for over forty-eight years.



It has been such an honor to have Jim and his family (Jess, Sage, Brooke and Brynn) join us at Diamond D Angus. Jim and Jess have considerable experience in high density grazing and grass management. Jim has been moving fence and cows every day and I absolutely love what I see going on with our land and grass. All of the Spinner family helps when we need them.



HAR PINEBANK 443 202

SEMEN: \$30 CERTIFICATE: \$35

♦ 202 was lost summer of 2018 due to injury at 6 years old. He was an amazing athlete and a very aggressive breeder. The 202 bull passed on to his offspring eye appeal, depth of body, very easy fleshing on forage only, calving ease, masculinity in his sons, and femininity in his daughters. His offspring have topped our sale every year that we have offered them. The feet on the 202 bull were as good as we have ever seen. To say he was a breeding machine would be an understatement. As a two-year-old he bred 75 out of 77 three-year-olds. At the age of 3 he bred 77 out of 80 three year-olds. On the first jump at the semen collection center, he produced just under 500 straws of very concentrated semen. If you want fertile replacement females, you need to use very fertile bulls. Diamond D Angus has always bred cattle with longevity and fertility. His pedigree is steeped in longevity and function. 202 is also seeing use in Canada and South America. Average birth weight on 137 bull calves is 77 lbs and on 135 heifer calves is 72 lbs.

losh Freiberger, owner of Hague Angus Ranch, bought our DDA Stella 443 cow for a foundation for his ♦ registered herd. She is the mother of the 202 bull. She is a beautiful cow at the age of 16.



DDA STELLA 443, MOTHER TO 202

PINEBANK WAIG 5/93 PINEBANK WAIG 31/95 PINFRANK WAIG 58/93

Calved 3/27/12

Tattoo 202

-.2

+30

+13

+45

+21

+.51

вw

ww

Milk

YW

\$EN

 \mathbf{sc}

PINEBANK WAIGROUP 41/97 #

Reg 14959541 TUPURUPURU 838/86

PINEBANK 639/88

PINEBANK 663/85

D D A AMBUSH 20Y

DDA ALLY 69C

GALATEA DIAMOND 006

DDA STELLA 443

Reg 14663400 17 yrs Old

OCC EMBLAZON 854E #+ DDA STELLA 216

DDA STELLA 057



SEMEN: \$35

CERTIFICATE: \$35

- ♦ We are happy to announce DDA Emblazon 27C has been put to the test all across the U.S., Canada, Australia and South America. He may be the thickest, easiest fleshing bull we have ever seen and he does it on 100% forage. A large part of our market is semen sold to cow/calf operations. The registered breeders that have chosen to use this great sire have offspring that top their sales. Both 27C and his dam, 824, landed spots in the Angus Legends books.
- ♦ This great sire should be in every registered herd in the country. I know he will +.20 SC not be, because he was not bred for the EPD numbers. DDA Emblazon 27C is a five frame bull, weighing 2300 lbs. after the breeding season. He is an udderfixer due to Shoshone 130, Bear and Fahren of Wye on the dam side and OCC Emblazon on the sire side. He traces to the same cow family as DDA Fahren 21X. A regular buyer of 27C semen and sons is one of the largest seedstock producers in Canada. Numerous customers have teenage 27C daughters they really like. Average birth weight on 148 bull calves is 79 lbs and on 124 heifer calves is 75 lbs. Phenotypically, this bull is very correct with great feet and legs.



DDA EMBLAZON 27C DAUGHTER AND MATERNAL SISTER TO 18K

Q A S TRAVELER 23-4 # DHD TRAVELER 6807 # BEMINDFUL MAID DHD 0807 #

2/1/02

Tattoo 27C

+2.0

+38

+19

+61

+13

вw

ww

Milk

YW

SEN

OCC EMBLAZON 854E #+

PBC 707 1M F0203 # Reg 12514348 DIXIE ERICA OF C H 1019 DIXIE ERICA OF C H 615

> SHOSHONE ERIC 1714 **SHOSHONE 130-6357** SHOSHONE FRANCES 6357 #

DDA MELISA 824

Reg 13054587 21 yrs Old DDA MELISA 545

BEAR OF WYE UMF 6591 DDA MELISA 115

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SEMEN: \$20

CERTIFICATE: \$35

- ♦ Sufficient time has now passed to prove E5H as an outstanding sire. He was very deep, long and thick with great temperament, feet and legs. E5H daughters are consistently some of our favorite mature cows. They are very feminine and fertile cows with near perfect udders that stay in production for a long time. His full sisters in production are phenotypically very correct. We are currently using two E5H sons and another bull out of a full sister. E5H progeny sell very well at our sale. Several of the top selling bulls in 2019 were raised by E5H daughters.

Calved 2/14/07 Tattoo E5H +2.3 вw ww +8 Milk +10 +9 YW \$EN +28 -.27 \mathbf{sc}



DDA MELISA E706 FULL SISTER TO E5H

FABRON OF WYE
CAREER OF WYE

CLARICE OF WYE +

LODGE OF WYE

Reg 4020202 PRINCE OF MALPAS +

LORENA OF WYE

DEVOTION OF WYE

SHOSHONE FRIC 1714

SHOSHONE 130-6357

SHOSHONE FRANCES 6357 #

DDA MELISA 824#

Reg 13054587 BEAR OF WYE UMF 6591

DDA MELISA 545

DDA MELISA 115

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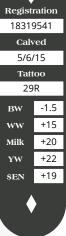


DDA BLUE PRINT 29R

SEMEN: \$25

CERTIFICATE: \$35

♦ We have great expectations for the first 29R progeny coming into production. He is extremely attractive and maintains great body condition as a dominant bull in our highly competitive multi sire breeding group. We anticipate he will transmit great feet, disposition, fleshing ability and volume. His sire, Resurgam Blueprint T368, represents functional, forage based outcross genetics developed in New Zealand's mountainous terrain. Average birthweight for bull calves is 78lbs and heifers is 71lbs. We have two maternal sisters in production that are great cows.





RESURGAM BLU-PRINT T368. SIRE TO DDA BLUE PRINT 29R

WAIMATA BLU-PRINT G436 RESURGAM BLU-PRINTP215 E1420 OF KENHARDT

RESURGAM BLU-PRINT T368

WAIMATA ROB 18 Reg 17790787 WAIMATA K1147

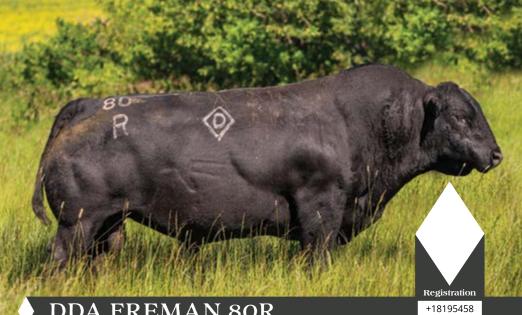
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O C C EMBLAZON 854E #+ DDA EMBLAZON 27C# D D A MELISA 824 #

DDA SANDY 931

Reg 16552941 11 yrs Old

D D A FAHREN 21X DDA SANDY 308 SANDY 021 DDA



DDA FREMAN 80R

CERTIFICATE: \$35 SEMEN: \$25

♦ An extremely thick 27C son out of a full sister to E5H makes him double bred to our DDA Melisa 824 cow. 824 stayed in production for 21 years. If you like the 824 cow, you will like what 80R will do. 824 is the mother to both his sire and dam, so there is very little room for variation. 80R has developed into an impressive individual absolutely full of muscle. He is in nearly constant competition for the top spot in our herd bull pecking order and still maintains great body condition. Average birthweight on bull calves 85lbs and heifer calves is 79lbs.

Calved 5/13/2015 Tattoo 80R вw +2.6 ww +22 Milk +14 +34 YW \$EN +21 +.18 \mathbf{sc}



DDA MELISA E703 **MOTHER TO 80R**

D H D TRAVELER 6807 O C C EMBLAZON 854E DIXIE ERICA OF C H 1019

DDA EMBLAZON 27C

Reg 14257843 SHOSHONE 130-6357 D D A MELISA 824

D D A MELISA 545

CAREER OF WYE LODGE OF WYE

LORENA OF WYE

DDA MELISA E703

Reg 15973908 13 yrs Old

SHOSHONE 130-6357 D D A MELISA 824

D D A MELISA 545



DDA B&T 18K

SEMEN: \$20 CERTIFICATE: \$35

- ♦ Our DDA B&T 18K has proven to be a very valuable herd sire for us. His sons look like herd bulls and his daughters are very feminine mother cows with good udder structure. His offspring are very soft on temperament and phenotypically, are very correct. He is long bodied with great depth and thickness.
- ♦ The average birth weight on his 77 sons has been 78 pounds, all falling between 69 and 85 pounds. He has sired 91 heifer calves here at Diamond D Angus with an average birth weight of 75 pounds. He is double bred Banjo of Wye.
- ♦ The end of a very successful road for the great 031 came just short of her 17th birthday. She was the mother to 18K and one of our favorite cows in the herd. Take a look at her daughter, 859, in the third row of pictures on page 15.

Calved 5/1/10 Tattoo 18K вw +1.3 ww +44 Milk +20 +71 YW \$EN +11 +.40 SC



MOTHER TO 18K DDA GALATEA 031 AT 13 YEARS OLD

LONESTAR OF WYE BANIO OF WYE UMF 6413 BLACKBIRD OF WYE UMF 5362#

DDA BANJO 1101

Reg 11603400

BLACK BROWE IUMBO 37P MISS DIAMOND JUMBO 587 MISS DIAMOND CHANCE 334

PARAMONT AMBUSH 2172 # HIGH VALLEY 4C6 AMBUSH # HIGH VALLEY GLORIA 1Q2

DDA GALATEA 031

Reg 13647176 16 years in production

BANJO OF WYE UMF 6413 **DDA GALATEA 423 GALATEA DIAMOND 006**



DDA FAHREN 21X

SEMEN: \$35 CERTIFICATE: \$35

- ♦ DDA Fahren 21X is a line bred Fahren of Wye. The Fahren daughters we have are some of the best cows we have ever owned. They are deep, thick and very functional with almost perfect udder quality. We have had Fahren daughters that were very sound at 20 years of age. 21X sold at our 1998 sale to John Balkenbush and saw several years of commercial use. When drought forced dispersal of that herd, we had the opportunity to buy him back. John has been a regular customer ever since.
- ♦ The temperament of 21X offspring is second to none. If you are looking for a sire to use on your first calf heifers and would like to sleep at night, this is your bull. We have sold thousands of straws on this great bull for use on heifers. We have never had a complaint. Calving ease supreme guaranteed. You will also want to use him on your cows and save every daughter he produces. His semen is in high demand and has been used all across the U.S. and Canada with outstanding satisfaction. Average birth weight on 135 bull calves is 75 lbs and on 107 heifers is 71 lbs.



21X DAUGHTER

FAVOUR OF WYE FENLAND OF WYE FINE OF WYF # **FAHREN OF WYE UMF 5830**

Reg 10762574 **BUTLER OF WYE** FLORELLE OF WYE UMF 5229 # FRANNIE OF WYE #

> **REAR OF WYF LIME 6591** CARTY OF WYE UMF 6952 CLOVA OF WYE UMF 6686

Calved 2/1/97

Tattoo 21X

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+20

+17

+39

+22 +.39

вw

ww

Milk

YW

\$EN

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DDA MELISA 549

MC GILL CREEK BLAZE 0241 Reg 12320123

DDA MELISA 381 # DDA MELISA 115



SEMEN: \$25 CERTIFICATE: \$35

♦ Bill Hodge is a man that I have the highest regards for. He has been around and knows good Angus cattle as well as anyone I know. In a recent email, he was talking about two embryo sons out of the same cow from the Pinebank herd in New Zealand. I was not really in the market for two new bulls and I told Bill that I did not feel comfortable without seeing & knowing who their mother was. This then led to a phone call. He said, "Mark you know the mother, I have a photo of her that you took when you were in New Zealand." I take a lot of photos of cows so I still couldn't picture the cow he was talking about. Bill emailed the photo I took when she was 17 years old and a photo that he took when she was 5 years old. I knew right away the mother of the two bulls that Bill had for sale. She was my favorite cow in the entire Pinebank herd. I purchased both of these bulls, the 9D and the 10D. Both are being used at Diamond D Angus. The Pinebank

genetics that we have used do very well on forage alone. I have no doubt that they will also do well in the feed lot. I only know of one bull that has feet as good as the 9D Bull and that would also be a Pinebank influence bull, HAR Pinebank 443/202. Average birth weight for bull calves is 75lbs and for heifers is 73lbs



MOTHER TO PINEBANK SE 9D

WAITARA VALLEY TEX HINGAIA 469 HINGAIA 910

Calved 2/13/16

Tattoo 9D

-.5

+21

+19

+35

+16

вw

ww

Milk

ΥW

SEN

PINEBANK 1/06

PINEBANK WAIGROUP 41/97 Reg 18433367 PINEBANK WAIGROUP 62/99 PINEBANK WAIGROUP 64/97

> PINEBANK WAIG 31/95 PINEBANK WAIGROUP 41/97 PINEBANK 639/88

PINEBANK WAIGROUP 92/99

Reg 19151448 20 vrs Old

PINEBANK WAIG 30/93 PINEBANK WAIG 84/95 PINEBANK WAIG 65/93



CERTIFICATE: \$35 SEMEN: \$20

♦ Recently, I was visiting with one of our customers, Linda Lawrence. She was telling me about the 91N Bull that she purchased from us in 2015. She said he had earned his worth while breeding in the mountains of Wyoming. He spent summers breeding cows at 8,000 feet and always came home in good condition. His feet were in almost perfect condition. After our phone conversation I decided to look at his pedigree. The 91N bull's sire is 50H. His dam is a 21X. I thought to myself, "I need this bull back at Diamond D Angus".



♦ If you would like to produce trouble free, low maintenance mother cows the 91N Bull might be the perfect choice.



DDA PINEBANK 50H DDA FAHREN 57 Reg 15980176 MELISA 206 DDA

DDA MELISA 003

FAHREN OF WYF LIME 5830 D D A FAHREN 21X D D A MELISA 549

PINEBANK WAIG 31/95 PINEBANK WAIGROUP 41/97 # + PINFRANK 639/88

5/20/13

Tattoo 91N

-2.2

+15

+15

+22

+21

вw

ww

Milk

YW

\$EN

DDA HOLLY 664

O C C EMBLAZON 854E + Reg 15526739 DDA HOLLY 239

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DDA HOLLY 084

THE DIAMOND D ANGUS STORY

I am the third generation DeBoo raising functional Angus cows. It all started with my grandparents, Charlie and Mary in the 1950s. At that time, Charles was the only registered Angus breeder in the Golden Triangle area of Montana. In the early days, he owned a bull called Pattern of Wye who became instrumental in shaping the future for Diamond D Angus. In 1972, my grandfather's life was cut short 24 hours after hip replacement surgery. My dad and mom (Don and Janet) were married in 1957 and started raising cows on shares with my grandparents, on a small ranch 10 miles southwest of Valier. They raised 7 kids on this small operation. Needless to say, everyone learned how to work and be very thrifty and efficient. That also included the cows.

In 1962, Mom and Dad bought their first registered Angus heifers and continued raising commercial cattle. Due to the influence from Pattern of Wye, Dad learned that all cows were not created equal. In the 1960s, most cattle were very short and blocky; they would have been a frame score of 1 or maybe in the negative. The Wye cattle were the larger framed at that time. The industry trends changed in the late 60s and early 70s to larger cattle and the Wye cattle became very popular. The trend continued to go larger and larger framed in the late 70s and 80s. It did not take Mom and Dad long to see that the direction the industry was headed, was not the path they wanted to be on. They decided with the influence of the old Pattern Bull, they would once again go to the Wye herd for their genetics and spent many years selling bulls private treaty to repeat commercial buyers.

After working 6 years as a mechanic for John Deere, I moved back to the ranch in 1988. We had our 1st production sale in the spring of 1989 in an old barn. Looking at it today, I still wonder how we did it. At that time, we were selling about 50 bulls at the sale. We continued to line breed for functional, maternal and efficient traits. This was not a popular or easy path to be on at the time, but I am 100% convinced it was the proper path to take. In 2006, we had our first fall production sale where we sold long yearling forage developed bulls.

Now, we sell our genetics all over the US, Canada and Argentina. We sell about 100 forage developed bulls and 100 bred females at our November sale. This is our 17th annual Sire Directory offering our time-tested line bred genetics.



Cows like this come from bulls like these.



Daughters of 27C



Mother to 27C and E5H



WHAT WILL DIAMOND D ANGUS GENETICS DO FOR YOU?

Diamond D Angus would like to thank all of our past and future customers for supporting and believing in our program. We have chosen to put a lot more emphasis on functional and economic traits rather than EPDs. During the 1980s, cattle were being bred to look like race horses—all legs and no guts. Many of the functional traits were left behind in the race for big numbers. We did not follow this trend; breeding instead for classic Angus traits. While we have not bred cattle for carcass numbers, our ultrasound numbers are very good. This is an indication that good, basic Angus have always had good quality meat.

CONSISTENCY Diamond D Angus genetics will breed more true due to many years of breeding like cattle on like cattle. We do not subscribe to the bull of the month club.

CALVING EASE We have always put emphasis on good calving ease. We typically will not use a bull on cows that we would not also use on heifers.

CARCASS Ultrasound has proven that DDA cattle excel in the grass-fed beef industry, and as always, are still suitable for the feed lot. Diamond D Angus cattle have proven to be consistently superior in tenderness.

EFFICIENCY For many years, the cows and calves have been weighed at weaning and conditions scores are given. Typically our cows are weaning calves weighing 50% of their own weight or greater. We prefer a 4-frame cow weighing 1200 to 1300 pounds in good flesh.

LONGEVITY Most traits can be compared to a chapter in a book, but longevity is the entire book. In 2019, the average age of our 15 herd bulls' dams was 13 years old. We select bulls from proven, aged cows to spread their influence across the herd.

Our commercial industry needs great cattle, not cattle with great numbers. Breeding cattle with great numbers is easy.

Breeding great cattle is challenging.



