

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Breeders who have females accepted into the 2019 Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Superior Female team are required to contract mate the female with CRV Ambreed and Holstein Friesian New Zealand, on a standard contract mating agreement terms and conditions (available from Holstein Friesian New Zealand on request).

All calves born under the Contract Mating Agreement shall be automatically nominated into the next Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Male or Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Superior Female Programme as applicable, with such nomination being subject to the then-current Programme terms and conditions (available from Holstein Friesian New Zealand on request), which include:

- a) If a bull calf is selected as part of the Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders team, the Breeder is required to sell the bull calf to CRV Ambreed at the then-current Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Male Programme pricing, and otherwise on CRV Ambreed's standard terms and conditions (available from CRV Ambreed on request); and
- (b) If a female calf is selected as part of the Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Superior Female team, the Breeder is required to contract mate the female in accordance with the terms and conditions of the then-current CRV Ambreed/Holstein Friesian New Zealand Contract Mating Agreement (available from Holstein Friesian New Zealand on request).

All animals nominated are considered to be under contract for the Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Superior Female Programme unless otherwise notified in writing by Holstein Friesian New Zealand.

Post nominations to:

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Holstein Friesian GENETIC LEADERS Superior Females

HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN NEW ZEALAND – CRV AMBREED NZ JOINT VENTURE

2019 TEAM NOMINATION & SELECTION PROCESS

The purpose of this Programme is to identify superior registered Holstein Friesian females throughout the country and contract mate them to produce progeny that will be offered to the Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Male or Female Programme.

The Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Superior Female Programme will offer freedom of choice to the HFNZ membership, along with the ability to look at genomic information for high merit females in their herd. CRV Ambreed will genotype around 150 heifers annually for the Programme.

All resulting progeny will be considered by the HFNZ CRV Ambreed Sire Proving Committee.

The timeline for the Programme is as follows:

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| 1. Nominations close | 3 December 2018 |
| 2. Pre-genomic test selection | 11 December 2018 |
| 3. Samples collected for genomic testing | December 2018/January 2019 |
| 4. Genomic run | January 2019 |
| 5. Final team named | Early March 2019 |
| 6. Mating agreement sent/signed | March/April 2019 |
| 7. Mating sire assigned | May 2019 |
| 8. Semen distributed | August/September 2019 |



**NOMINATIONS CLOSE
3 DECEMBER 2018**



NOMINATION CRITERIA

The entry criteria for the Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Superior Female Programme is as follows:

- Three generations of registered pedigree animals
- PF16 or SF16
- Min dam/granddam classification GP83
- Aiming for females with around BW125, with the exception of females from a genuine outcross or overseas sires

BENEFITS TO MEMBERS

- Complimentary genomic testing, parent verification and defect test
- Complimentary semen supplied
- Discounted TVR/MOET programme for all females 22 months of age or over that enter the Programme
 - o Resulting male progeny automatically offered to the Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders male programme
 - o No breeding restrictions on resulting female progeny
 - o Mating sires assigned in consultation with breeder
- TVR/MOET collection will occur at ABS in Hamilton, and collection centres used in CRV ET programme throughout the country, after the heifers first calving
- Access to CRV genomic sires
- Discounted classification of all two-year-olds within the breeder's home herd for females in the Programme. First female will be discounted by 10%, with a further 5% for any subsequent female in the Programme, up to a maximum discount of 30%. The classification must be completed under the standard terms and conditions of classification and as part of a classification tour.
- All females will be followed through first lactation, with highlights being recognised in the *nzholstein* magazine
- Candidates that are genotyped but do not enter the Programme will receive genomic results, and parent verification
- The opportunity to have male progeny proven through the very successful Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Male Programme
- CRV will offer a bonus for male progeny resulting from ET work entering the Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Male team. The ET bonus will be \$500.00 per ET bull that enters the team.

NOMINATION FORM

Owner: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

PTPT Code: _____ Herd Code: _____

LIC Pin No.: _____

Birth ID	Name	DOB

I agree to the terms and conditions as set out in this nomination form for the 2019 Holstein Friesian Genetic Leaders Superior Female programme, when nominating my female animal.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Please note: All animals nominated must be recorded on the National Database and requested for registration prior to nomination. Please do not send Three Generation Pedigrees, these will be run at the selection time and charged to your account.

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