Bauhinia Carcass Classic Presentation Dinner.

The inaugural Bauhinia Carcass Classic held its Presentation Dinner on Saturday, 22nd October 2022. This completed the competition, which commenced at the Springsure Show in May. The competition was a credit to its committee, with amazing participation of over 260 head of cattle.

The dinner was no exception to this and was enjoyed by all who attended. The meal was a spectacular 'Beef Extravaganza' prepared by Chaseamoocow Catering using many methods of preparation to showcase a variety of cuts from Signature Beef. Our very own Mayor, Mr Kerry Hayes, was the MC for the night and did a wonderful job keeping everyone entertained and on track. Entertainment after the dinner was provided by TEAK to end the night with a bang.

The objectives of this competition were to boost cattle numbers at the local Show and to give local producers an avenue to showcase their products, and they did not disappoint. Rutland Grazing Company Pty Ltd took out a swag of prizes with their Angus Cross cattle, including Champion Pen of Steers, Weight Gain Classes in both Heifers and Steers, Reserve Champion Beast and Most Successful Exhibitor. Hillside Grazing Company took home the Overall Champion Beast trophy and Reserve Champion Pen of Steers. SJ & AG Kajewski took out the Champion Pen of Heifers and Congratulations also go to Callistemon Cattle Company, Kotri Pastoral Company and the Payne Family at Myola, who also took home prizes.

As always, a big thank you needs to go out to the Sponsors of the event. Without their support, this competition would not have been possible. Major Sponsors for the event included Springsure Rural, Country Co Blackwater, Zoetis and Queensland Country Life. Other Sponsors include Stockco Agrifinance, Elanco, FMC Graslan and many others. Their generosity does not go unnoticed.

After a well earned break, the committee is now hard at work beginning preparations for next year's competition, with some new ideas. If anyone would like more information or to get in touch to discuss sponsorship opportunities, please do not hesitate to contact the committee through their website, Facebook Page or email naomi@bauhiniacarcassclassic.com

The Bauhinia Carcass Classic Competition raised an amazing \$15920 for the Springsure Show Society and a further \$7960 for the RACQ Capricorn Helicopter Rescue Service due to the dedicated committee which brought the concept to fruition.

