

## Why become a member?

As a member of the AAA you'll have access to:

- specific member-only resources
- a broad support network of more than 1,200 members, who share your passion for alpacas
- experts who understand the industry and are dedicated to exploring opportunities and helping you succeed
- the tools and resources you need to develop your herd to its greatest potential and enjoy the many benefits of these unique animals.

With a range of membership categories to suit your interests and stage in the industry, join today and enjoy all that membership of the AAA has to offer. Visit [www.ealpaca.com.au/join](http://www.ealpaca.com.au/join).

**"We joined the AAA over a decade ago and over that time as members, it has enabled us to grow our knowledge of the industry extensively. We are looking forward to a bright future."**

– Rebecca & Darren, *Ashbourne Alpacas*



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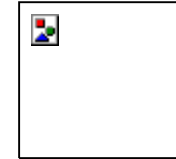
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**successful** and  
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## Who are we?

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The Australian Alpaca Association (AAA) is a not-for-profit association established in 1990 and governed by an elected committee of Directors.

Recognised as the national peak body for the Australian alpaca industry, the AAA has grown to represent and provide a voice to over 1,200 alpaca owners nationally.

The association is supported by eight regional committees who support the needs of local members through education, training, industry liaison, marketing and shows to promote the industry.

## Our mission

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To grow the Australian alpaca industry into one that is recognised as a sustainable and profitable agricultural enterprise for current and future farmers, through building domestic and international customer-driven markets and supply chains for Australian alpaca livestock, fibre and meat.

## What we do?

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The AAA works to promote and grow the concept of alpacas as a viable and sustainable agricultural industry by providing information, tools and invaluable support to

alpaca owners across all aspects of the industry to bring people together for the future of alpaca farming as a fully commercial industry.

We aim to be the voice for the alpaca community as an organisation devoted to Australian alpaca farming and to provide developmental opportunities for alpaca farmers across the nation to grow and develop the national herd.

We invest in important research and development, herd health and genetic advancement programs, as well as supply chain and marketing initiatives and provide current and reliable animal health, welfare and biosecurity information and resources relating to the alpaca industry.

### Did you know?

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350,000

**Australia's national alpaca herd is close to 500,000 animals.**



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