

Welcome to your weekly overview of key QSL news and information.

Mackay Growers: Payment Statements

QSL is continuing to work with Mackay Sugar to address a number of issues affecting payments and associated paperwork for our Mackay growers. For full details, please click here or call your local Mackay team on 4967 4618. To view a sample of payment statement, please click here.

Proserpine: New Grower Relationship Manager Karen Vloedmans



QSL this week welcomed our new Proserpine Grower Relationship Officer **Karen Vloedmans**. Karen has been a resident in the area for 17 years and will be a familiar face to many through her involvement on various local boards, including the Proserpine Chamber of Commerce, Tourism Whitsunday and the Community Bank. In her new role with QSL, she'll be focused on providing support to local growers and manning the Proserpine office five days a week from 9am to 3.30pm Monday to Friday. To speak with Karen, drop by our Proserpine office or give her a call on **0429 804 876**.

2019 Deferred Advances paid

Growers who elected to receive Deferred Advances for the 2019 Season had these paid this week. Please note:

• Participating growers who **delivered cane last week** were paid one amount reflecting both the sum total of their deferred June payment/s and the sugar

- payment due for last week's deliveries. Their latest QSL statement details last week's delivery. If the farm/s which delivered last week also had deferred Advances because they had previously delivered, the amount of those deferred Advances will be represented as an opening balance.
- Participating growers who didn't deliver cane last week for the farm/s
 which had deferred payments pending have also received their deferred
 payment, but won't receive a statement capturing this payment until they
 next deliver cane for those farms. Regardless of when that is, their next
 QSL statement for that farm will represent the deferred payment as the
 'Opening balance'.

For further information about deferred payments, please contact your local Grower Services Team representative or the QSL Direct helpline on **1800 870 756**.

Cairns hosts International Sugar Organisation (ISO) Conference

The International Sugar Organisation (ISO) conference will be held in Cairns from 16-19 July, 2019. ISO is a unique intergovernmental body devoted to improving conditions on the world's sugar market through debate, analysis, special studies, transparent statistics, seminars, conferences and workshops. Learn more about the program by clicking here.

Changes ahead? Let us know

Growers with a QSL Grower Pricing Agreement (GPA) who are planning changes to their farm's operating structure, such as a farm sale, new lease or subdivision, are asked to complete a QSL Farm Sale/Lease Information Form. This form initiates the documentation process by gathering basic information about the transaction to enable QSL to prepare the Deed of Acknowledgement and/or Deed of Novation needed to implement associated pricing transfers. While this can be done during or after the transaction, it's ideally done before the change to your farm arrangements occurs. To obtain a form, please contact your local QSL Rep or download it by clicking here. Completed forms should be returned to your local QSL office or emailed to gsldirect@gsl.com.au. For further information, please contact

your local QSL rep or the QSL Direct team on 1800 870 756.

Herbert River: New location for QSL office

Our Herbert River team has relocated to new premises on Level 2 of the Canegrowers Building in Lannercost Street, Ingham. Opening hours remain the same at 8.30am to 5pm, Monday to Friday. For all your QSL queries, please drop into the new office or call the local team:

- Greg Watson 0411 230 800
- James Formosa 0447 062 213
- Jonathan Pavetto 0428 664 057

Sarina Rural Dinner - Saturday 13 July

Don't miss your chance to attend the inaugural Sarina Rural Dinner at the Sarina Showgrounds arts pavilion on Saturday 13 July. Tickets to the event, hosted by ABC presenter Pip Courtney, include a two-course dinner, complimentary arrival drink and entertainment. <u>Click here</u> for details.

Current indicative pool prices

To access our latest indicative 2018-Season and 2019-Season pool prices and the Shared Pool applicable to your milling district, please click on the relevant link below:

Bundaberg Sugar milling districts

Isis Central Sugar Mill milling districts

Mackay Sugar milling districts

MSF Sugar milling districts

Tully Sugar milling districts

Wilmar milling districts

Market Snapshot

We can officially say goodbye to July19 and welcome October19 as the new prompt contract. Expiry week was busy and volatile, with prices swinging wildly

and deliveries reported at a near record 2 million tonnes of sugar. The biggest surprise was finding 1.1 million tonnes of Brazilian sugar delivered to the tape, when Brazil has been running the highest mix of ethanol for the past 18 months.

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Today's sugar prices

Click here to read our latest Daily Market Snapshot



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