

# MEET DAISY & DOLLY

## RARE WHITE & BLONDE EMUS

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### FUN FACTS

- Modern birds are the only surviving lineage of dinosaurs — and in emus, you can still see that ancient design in their tall stance and powerful, ground-running frame.
- Emus can solve simple problems — if there's a routine involved, they'll figure it out fast.
- They learn patterns quickly.
- Emus recognize individual humans and respond differently to people they trust.
- They communicate intentionally via posture, eye focus, feather position, and drumming sounds
- Emus remember negative experiences, which is why calm, positive handling is so important. They don't forget.
- Despite their small brain size, their survival intelligence is extremely high — awareness, speed, and social reading skills are strong.

### DIET

Emus are omnivores. Their diet includes grasses, seeds, fruits, insects, and formulated livestock feed.

### GETTING AROUND

- Emus are large, flightless birds native to Australia.
  - They belong to a group called ratites — birds that evolved for powerful ground movement rather than flight.
  - Adult emus can reach nearly 6 feet tall and run up to 35 mph.

