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SEA LILY 14 5* | SEA LILY 23 | SEA LILY 32 | SEA LILW 29

Choice sells in the Black & White Sale 2nd December 2023

MARLEYCOTE SEA LILY 36 OR MARLEYCOTE SEA LILY 37
Sired by Changue Meikle Lad
Sired by Troutbeck Progress

Born 18/08/2022

Born 01/09/2022

Both have been TOP THREE at every show attended this season. 21 Sea Lily's since the family came to Marleycote, average 87 points.

(Left-Right)

MARLEYCOTE SEA LILY 14 EX94 2E 5*

Maternal G Grandam by Des Prairies Potter 2. 12,621 in 305 Days at 4.00%F 3.20%P (3 lactations over 12,000kgs) Dam of 2019 ABAB Champion, Sandyford Supreme Sea Lily

MARLEYCOTE SEA LILY 23 EX92 2E

Maternal Grandam of calves by De La Plaine Prime 2. 11127 in 305 Days at 5.24% F and 3.35% P (3 lactations over 10,000kgs)

MARLEYCOTE SEA LILY 32 VG86

Dam of Marleycote Sea Lily 37 and Maternal Sister to Marleycote Sea Lily 36 Maternal Sister to calves by Troutbeck Skyfall 1. 8,323 in 301 Days at 4.24% F and 3.72% P

MARLEYCOTE SEA LILY 29 VG86

Maternal Grand Dam of Calves Selling by Changue Stadium 1.7758 in 305 Days at 4.56% F and 3.24% P Honourable Mention National Calf Show 2019 Dam of Marleycote Sea Lily 36 and Maternal Grand Dam of Marleycote Sea Lily 37

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Welcome.

2023/24 President Andrew Broadley

As the nights draw in, it is time to reflect on the Spring and Summer past.

The conference in May ran as smoothly as we could hope for and Marteye certainly added to the atmosphere of the sale. A big thank you to all vendors and purchasers for making it a success. Also, many thanks to the farm hosts and volunteers from the Derbyshire club.

June started with scorching temperatures and a hot trade at the Brieryside sale, and with almost 80%

of animals sold going into commercial herds, emphasised once again why as a Society we need to be reaching out to these enterprises.

This sale was swiftly followed by John Watson (New Close) and family's Centenary celebrations, with members and friends gathering for sensational views, stockjudging classes, junior handling, and a look around the herd. From here it was on to Troutbeck and the first Society judging seminar where the Mattinson family gave all judges plenty of head and chin scratching as they were asked to place two very close, high-quality classes.

The show season saw some very well represented Ayrshire classes all over the UK with quality stock on view everywhere, helping to promote the breed to all who looked.

The second judging day was held in Kent by kind permission of the Howie family. The drizzly conditions certainly didn't dampen attendee's spirits as the two classes provoked some very interesting debate.

UKDD again had good numbers forward for our national show and the Young Breeders team lived up to previous years standards by turning out quality animals, whilst representing themselves and the Society in the professional manner to which we have become accustomed.

The ABAB calf show has just taken place and again young members were to the fore as over 50 calves were brought forward.

Claire left the Society on the 6th October after nine years of dedicated service and I would just like to thank her for her hard work and enthusiasm. Measures have been taken to cover her work and there is more on this in the office report. Whilst there is never a good time to lose a member of staff, perhaps now gives us a chance to take a look at the Society and restructure to give us the best chance going forwards.

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HO CATCH-UP

General Manager Claire Kimm updates membership on the activites at Head Quarters

With reducing the journals to two per year there has been lots of events since the last journal was published. The Derbyshire conference was enjoyed by many, Andrew and his team did a great job in securing lots of fantastic sponsors who we will hopefully continue to work with for the World Conference. The auction

raised a wonderful £800 towards World Conference funds and we are grateful to members that consigned very appealing offerings.

Presidents and council met at the AGM with the following being appointed on the 2023/2024 committees.

Council

Region 2 Vacancy
Region 4 Vacancy

Region 6 Phillip Mattinson

Region 8 Ian Hutchinson

James Waterhouse

Region 10 Peter Berresford

Jo Billings

Region 12 Vacancy
Region 14 Vacancy

Region 16 Robert Cornish

Colin Christophers

Region 18 Richard Emmerson

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Steve Bailey

Yohn Watson

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Arthur Lawrie (CSA) (in attendance)

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Young Breeders

Jake Sayer

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Willie Adamson

David Dickie

Chris Weaver

William Parker

Andrew Broadley

Alex Kirkpatrick

Breed Heritage Committee

Michael Broadley (Chairman)

Sam Wake (CSA) (in attendance)

Andrew Broadley (President) (in attendance)

Colin Christophers

John Adamson

Scott Taylor

John Suffern

World Federation Representatives:

Colin Christophers

Steve Bailey

Arthur Lawrie

Council nominations for 2024/2025 will be posted out in the new year along with annual subscription

invoices.

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Preparation is under way for the Young Breeders weekend which will be held in the Isle of Man from 14th – 17th August 2024 and we are working closely with our contacts there to secure a travel and hotel package. Please keep in touch with the website and social media for the further details when they are confirmed.

Council met for an extraordinary meeting in October to discuss the future direction of the Society and agreed Pedigree Livestock Services were to cover the accounts and Duncan Hunter was to be asked to help Amy cover the general running of the society. These are both temporary until the turn of the year when it will be reviewed again. For any account or invoice queries, please Julie or Deborah on 01768 870522. Please still direct all general enquiries to Amy using the normal office number.

The Council also realised the need to raise the price to • members for both membership and registration fees. As from 1st January 2024, the new agreed prices will be as follows:

Membership £70.00 + VAT per annum

Registrations for females: 0 - 3 months of age = £12.00 + VAT. Over 3 months of age = £25.00 + VAT.

In July staff member Amy and young breeder representative Jake tied the knot with celebrations • taking place at Amy's family farm Plaskettlands.

Finally, as this will be my last journal report I would • like to thank the Society for all the opportunities my role has given me over the last nine years. I have met lots of brilliant people, have great memories and . would like to wish the Society and members the very • best of luck for the future.



2024 Diary Dates

15th-16th March

UK Dairy Expo

29th June -17th July World Ayrshire Conference

CHRISTMAS OPENING HOURS and a reminder that usual office hours are 9am-5pm.

Friday 22nd December 9am - 5pm Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th closed **Wednesday 27th** 9am - 5pm **Thursday 28th** 9am - 5pm Friday 29th 9am - 5pm Wednesday 3rd Jan 2023 9am - 5pm

> Wishing you all a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!



MEMBERSHIP

Adult Members Junior 238 **Total** 815

Welcome New Members

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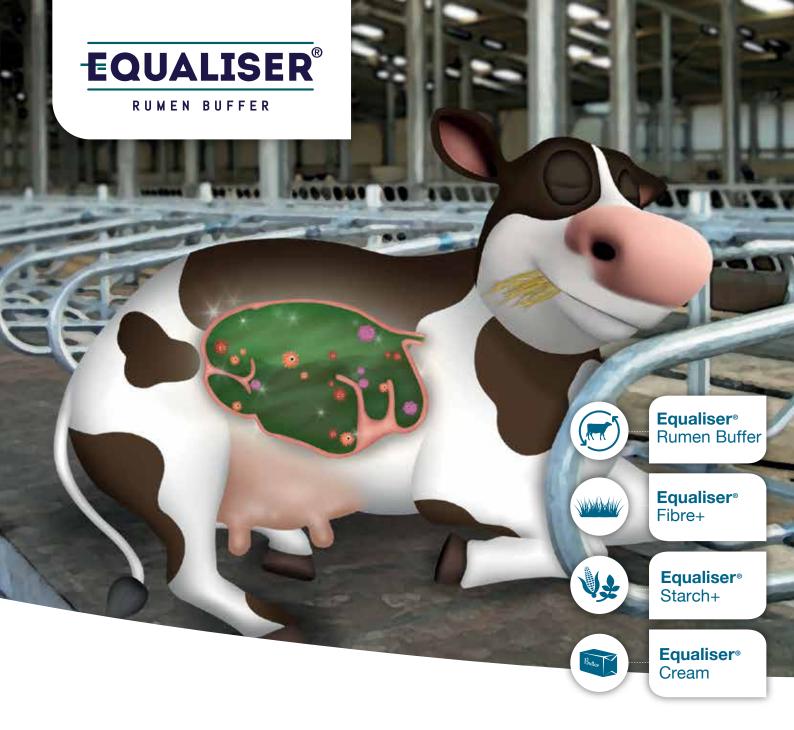
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Breed Heritage Report

Duncan Hunter, Breed Heritage Programme Manager.

Some of the recent auestions directed to the Breed Heritage committee have made us aware that some members are still unsure of the programme and how it operates. So, we have listed those questions and a response to breeders enthusiasts of the Avrshire breed.

What is the aim of the Breed Heritage programme?

To help to protect and enhance the Ayrshire breed in Great Britain and Ireland and work with Ayrshire breeders to make informed breeding decisions.

What does the Breed Heritage Committee do?

- 1. Assist breeders to help make informed decisions on the breeding of their best families.
- 2. Record sire suggestions and pregnancies once confirmed.
- 3. Add female progeny to the programme and encourage their breeders to work with the committee.
- 4. Encourage male progeny to be registered early for Cattle Services Ayr to assess their possible potential at the earliest opportunity.
- 5. Identify UK and international bloodlines of outcross blood with benefits for production, type and health traits whilst maintaining Ayrshire breed character.
- 6. Identify UK families with potential to enhance the breeds future.

What other projects do Breed Heritage work on?

Any relevant work to help the breeds progress and development. Some of our recent work has been to conduct a genomic case file on several females, who when genomically tested, saw their original PTAs completely decimated! These females are now milking, and we are recording their genomic evaluations after each proof run. All of them have seen a dramatic increase from their original genomic predictions to the point that they are heading towards, or in some cases exceeding their original PTAs. This project will be expanded to more animals for us

to gain more accurate assumptions as to the information of data provided for our breed.

Important to note: Please understand that genomic predictions on data is only relevant to the transmission to the next generation and not to the animal itself.

What can breeders do to assist in this crucial programme?

Communication - Positivity - Drive - Development - Future

These are all words to describe what all breeders can do to help. Without these we will struggle to function. When we suggest a breeding, we have all the data available to us to attempt to make informed decisions. In an ideal world, we would prefer to visually inspect the animals, but budgets don't allow that luxury so we do rely on breeders to inform us of any inconsistencies we should be aware of. Any videos/photos of animals on the programme are always very welcome and can be sent to the Breed Heritage manager.

Who are the Breed Heritage Committee?

Ayrshire breeders with ambition to help achieve the best possible future for the Ayrshire breed and are willing to give their time and knowledge to the cause. They are Michael Broadley, Colin Christophers, John Adamson, Scott Taylor and Sam Wake with Duncan Hunter managing and actioning the programmes work.

What would the committee like to express to breeders?

We really want to encourage breeders to work with the committee and offer suggestions of cow families and individuals who may benefit the breeds future, as already, many do. We only have limited time on this project, so responses and information are vital for our progress. This project should involve everyone with the breeds future at heart!

Contact Us

Please, if you have any information relevant to the project, use the contact details below. We will always be happy to talk to you.

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Michael Broadley (Breed Heritage Chairman)

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Class G, 4yr Olds

Class H, 5yr Olds

Class I, 6 & 7Yr Olds

Class J, 8yr Olds & Above

Class J, 8yr Olds & Above

Class K, Red & White Heifer in Milk

Class L, Red & White Cow in Milk

Class M, Amateur Photo, (Cow must not be haltered)

Class N, Scenic Shot

Submit your entries to registrations@ayrshirescs.org

**N.B The Society do not automatically receive images taken by professional photographers and is the breeders responsibility to send the images they wish to enter to the Society.

All Entries are subject to approval and must abide by the Society showing rules.



CATTLE SERVICES NEWS

Cattle Services Sales & Marketing Manager
Sam Wake

This year has been another challenging year for UK dairy farmers, something that we seem to be saying all to often. Despite this, it has been very promising

to see such great results from breeders

who have been using Cattle Services Sires, both in the heifer pens, the milking parlours and the show rings.

Daughters of Beechmount Magic Mike, Cuthill Towers Calcutta and Royal Flush Sea King are really impressing in the heifer pens and in the milking groups the Biddesden Hector, Pam Ayrs Hawaiian and Harperfiled Wind in the Willows daughters are really standing out. At the National Ayrshire Show at UK Dairy Day, the Reserve Champion heifer went to a daughter of Heydale White Willow, and there were class wins for daughters of Pam Ayrs Hawaiian, Brieryside Magic and Hunnington Famous. At the South West Dairy Show, a daughter of Cuthill Towers Madison took the Championship.

Onto the National calf show and over three quarters of all the calves shown were sired by Cattle Services sires. A Brieryside Hail daughter took Champion and then went on to be named premier sire. Hunnington Fantasy sired his first National Calf class winner and there were also some great calves at the show from Beechmount Magic Mike, Grove Razell and Willhome Challenger.

Sales for 2023 remain strong with a fantastic year for exports. Straws have been shipped to Australia, New Zealand, Canada, America, South Africa and Finland and it is great to see UK genetics getting out onto the Worldwide stage.

Sales at home continue to be strong with almost 75% of sales being sexed.

Longwood Willow Sandy Rose



Brieryside Magic Patsy



Willowfields Famous Clover



Rosehill Madison Jelly

Remember that Cattle Services carries the following bulls in Ultra Plus High Purity, Alkmonton Stardust, Ardmore Jeepers Creepers, Beechmount Magic Mike, Beeline Ladys Man, Cuthill Towers Calcutta, Grove Razell, Harperfield Wind in the Willows, Hunnington Fantasy, Plaskett Bruno, Royal Flush Sea King, Troutbeck Daring with Hilltown Yukon Delta and Ravenhill Revolver soon to be available this winter. Alongside these great young sires there are many proven sires available in conventional straws, if you would like a list of these then please get in touch.

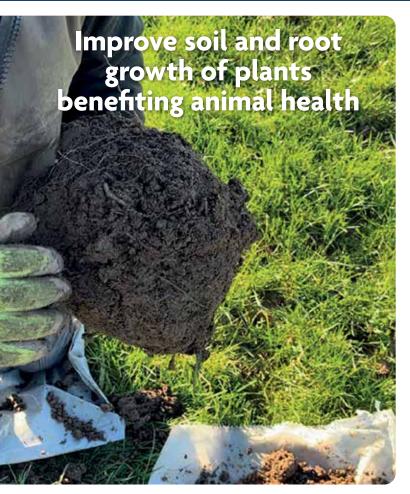
At Cattle Services, our aim is to offer 4-6 new bulls a year, unfortunately due to failed health tests and a decline in Male registrations, we only have three for this year. To counter this we breed certain cows to conventional semen (although this usually results in a heifer calf!) to hopefully produce some bull calves. Remember if you have that exciting cow then please let me or any of the directors know and we can offer suggestions on what to breed her to.

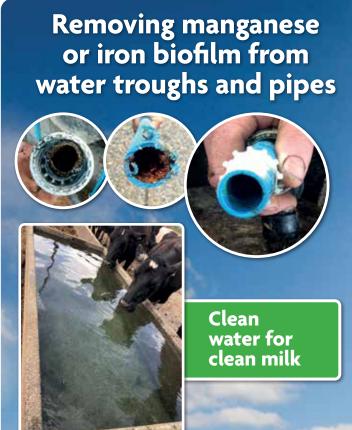
Finally, the directors and I would like to thank Claire for all her work and help over the years and we wish her the best of luck in her new job.

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CONFERENCE

The annual conference and AGM this year took us to the picturesque Palace Hotel in Buxton, Derbyshire. Monday morning saw the presidents and council meet before the Annual AGM and awards giving.

Following the finance and president's reports, the officers for the next term were elected as follows:

President – Andrew Broadley (Whitecroft)
Vice President – John Watson (High Mark)
Junior Vice President – Rodney Armstrong (Plaskett)
Past President – Steve Bailey (Beeline)
Honorary Life President – John Hunter (Ardmore)

Andrew's term as president is the last extended term following the Covid-19 pandemic and will he remain in his role until the next AGM where the usual one-year term will resume. Following the AGM, the 2023 awards were given out which included the Photographic Competition awards, LP 100's and Star Brood cow awards, before the final award was given. The Haresfoot Vase is awarded every year to the Premier Breeder Exhibitor that has gained the most points across the qualifying shows during the season. The award was presented to A & S Lawrie of Cuthill Towers for the most points during 2022.





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After lunch at the hotel, the first herd visit took us to Chris Adams' Tessvale herd. Chris and his family have farmed a closed herd run over 280 acers where they breed and rear all their own replacements. Delegates were interested to hear how Chris has been genomic testing batches of youngstock. For those not visiting the farm, craft activities were held at the hotel with Lou from Hook or by Crooks where the ladies showed their hands to the very fiddly, needle felting.

The evening began with a very interesting reception with the main conference sponsors, Aled and Zoe from Pruex, who explained how they use Bacilas based bacteria in many different systems to reduce the antibiotic use on farms. After dinner, the entertainment was with Buxton's Greatest Quiz Master, Paul Jenner.

On Tuesday morning, the bus took a short trip to Heydale where the Berresford family have farmed since the 1950's in the idyllic Derbyshire Peak District hills. Delegates enjoyed roaming the fields, admiring Peter's breeding before heading to David and Charlotte Gibson's Beltonville Cow shed for an impressive lunch. With full bellies, the next stop of the day was to Whitecroft. After a welcome and introduction from Michael, delegates were taken to the field where the cows had been split into two groups, Cattle Services sires and then other sires. It was soon time for milking where we were able to watch the impressive Cynthia system in action that sprays good bacteria on the cows udders and legs as they leave the parlour which has helped to massively reduce the clinical mastitis and digital dermatitis in the herd. The alternative programme took the ladies for a very informative and interesting visit and tour of the Buxton Opera house before taking a trip underground to Pooles Cavern to explore the vast limestone caverns.

The evening was introduced by Rob from AHV International who gave an informative talk on how they use innovations, tools, and solutions in Animal Health to help farmers understand their herd health and to







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optimize health and performance within their herds. After dinner, delegates and friends danced the night away to the fantastic Skylight band.

The final day was another packed day for delegates. The first farm visit took us for a very relaxed visit to Bigginvale, where again the cows had been split to showcase those sired by Cattle Services sires, and the breeding was a credit to the Adams family with numerous bloodlines and families standing out in the glorious summer sun.

The final visit was to Alkmonton where we were welcomed by Richard Harris before delegates tucked into an amazing hog roast lunch. The Harris family decided to diversify in 2020 by opening their own bottling plant and are now processing around 15,000lts of milk per week and delivering directly to the local area. The alternative programme had a more relaxed approach with some free time in the morning to explore Bakewell before a tour of historic Tissington Hall.

That evening we welcomed the delegates, hosts, sponsors, and friends for the final dinner before the Conference sale began. Guest auctioneer, Mark Davis from Kivells was invited to conduct the sale. For the first time, the sale was streamed and available to bid through MartEye, which opened the bidding to those unable to attend and was a real success. Andrew welcomed the second guest auctioneer of the evening, Charles Hanson, to sell the lots forward to raise money for the 2024 World Conference. A full report follows.

A great conference was had by all whom attended with lots of great weather, superb hospitality and a fantastic itinerary of herd and alternative visits with lots of entertainment along the way. The society wish to thank the Broadley family, Derbyshire club and sponsors who kindly gave their time and financial support.





CONFERENCE SALE REPORT

LOT 1 - RAVENHILL NICKLE ETHEL 2 - 100% Ayrshire Consigned by John Suffern. Tom McCreadie £3,000.00.

LOT 2 - TRISTAR HAIL R JEMIMA - 91.40625% Ayrshire Consigned by Chris and Connie Creeper Howard & Linda Batty £3,800.00.

LOT 3 - 4 Embryos by a mutually agreeable sire X Sandyford Real Punchy ET EX94 2E

Consigned by Chris and Connie Creeper

Cattle Services - Ayr Ltd £800.00 per embryo.

LOT 4 - 4 Grade 1 Sorted IVF embryos Palmyra Tri-Star Burdette x Palmyra Calimero R Rosy EX92 100% Ayrshire

Consigned by Palmyra Farm Ben Broadley £650.00 per embryo.

Semen Lots - Consigned by Cattle Services (AYR) Ltd WAXHAM EXECUTIVE X 10 Straws 100% Ayr £65.00 per straw. D&C Sanderson.

ATTWELL AMADEUS X 10 Straws 100% Ayr £60.00 per straw. R Barr.

HUNNINGTON MANDELLA X 10 Straws 87.5% Ayr £15.00 per straw. Chris Creeper.

WHITECROFT FURTADO X 10 Straws 100% Ayr £15.00 per straw. Harry Bolderston.

SWAITES DERMOTT SEXED X 5 Straws 89.0625% Ayr (Qualifies for Northern Ireland) £140.00 per straw. James Rankin.

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Lot 2 – 16 Historical Ayrshire Journals from 1971 to 1974. C onsigned by Linda & Howard Batty. £30 Tom McCreadie.

Lot 3 – 15 Historical Ayrshire Journals from 1975 to 1979. Consigned by Linda & Howard Batty. £30. John & Avril Watson

Lot 4 – Organic Belted Galloway Meat Box. Consigned by Jo Billings. £360. Rodney Armstrong. Lot 5 – Two Toplines at Great Yorkshire Show, UK Dairy Day, or Southwest Dairy Show.
Consigned by Wendy Young, Clippaholics.
£70.00. James Waterhouse.

Lot 6 - Short Break at Woodend Farmhouse, Haugh of Urr. £720.00. Zoe Davies, Pruex.

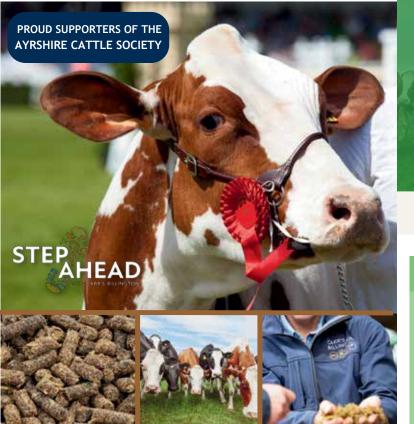
Cushion made by Jo Billings £20, Phil Reed

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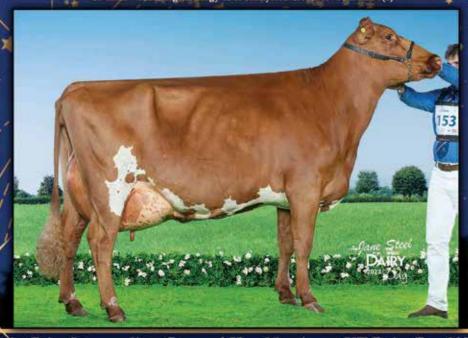
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HILLTOWN YUKON DELTA #1 TYPE GENOMIC SIRE

Hilltown Yukon Delta is the next sire to be released from Cattle Services. He is the result of a Breed Heritage mating. Yukon Delta was born at Hilltown last vear. His story started when the committee decided to use La Yukon Croisee on Hilltown Violet 476. with Violet due to

be breed unfortunately the straws had not arrived at Hilltown, but we were able to call in a favour in order to ensure the semen arrived on time! The

resulting calf Hilltown Yukon Delta was born at the end of February 2022. Now on collection at UK Sire services in Devon, Yukon Delta is currently the number 1 type merit genomic sire available.

The story of the Violet Hilltown family at started nearly 70 years ago when in early 1957 they bought four Avrshire heifer calves from a Mr Muir at **Garliford Farm which** was two miles west of Hilltown. Once these calves were taken to Hilltown, they shortly received a call from Mr Muir to say that his best cow, Violet, had given birth to a heifer calf and he wanted them to have her.

There was one condition

though, he said they had paid too much for the other calves and this one would be free so they went and picked her up in the back of the car and bought her home. Shortly after this the herd at Garliford farm was dispersed so it was a stroke of luck that they had got Violet!

At the time of writing this story, Violet 640 has been born at Hilltown and they all go back to

At the time of writing this story, Violet 640 has been born at Hilltown and they all go back to that original Violet. There are currently 57 Violets milking on the farm. Speaking to Mark, "Violets have a very true Ayrshire type, with dark feet that rarely need trimming and are seldom lame. They have superb bone quality and mobility with amazing udders that have strong attachments and central ligaments, alongside great toplines. They have naturally high butterfat and protein content on our simple grass-based system.



The oldest cow at Hilltown is Violet 299 EX95 (7) who classified EX95 in her 10th lactation (97 points for Mobility) and will reach 80,000kgs in the next couple of months. Served once and back in calf for her 11th next March with a 370 day calving interval. When Hilltown were in the show ring the Violets had plenty of success for ourselves and other breeders who have purchased from us.



The Violet Family is extremely valued at Hilltown as high type yet robust and trouble free but with loads of pizzazz!"

Hilltown Yukon Delta will appeal to you if you want something from a proven cow family with generations of longevity in it. He carries the added bonus of the A2/A2 milk gene. He is 100% Ayrshire being a nice outcross to many of todays bloodlines and also excels

for Type. He is available to the Worldwide market in both conventional straws and Ultra plus high Purity sexed straws.

The Hammer Falls on 150 Years of Brieryside breeding

Saturday 3rd June saw one of the largest crowds ever seen at a dairy dispersal as the Lawrie family dispersed their renowned Brieryside herd of Ayrshires and blended Red & White's.

The Brieryside prefix has, over the years, become synonymous with show champions together with production awards and has provided many breed leading bulls. Breeders and commercial dairymen alike, travelled from as far as Cornwall, Norfolk and the South of Ireland to see over 420 head pass through the sale ring ending in almost 100 different buyers providing a sale total of almost £1 million.

Leading the trade was lot 370, Brieryside Hail Miss Donald, a superb served heifer, due at the end of the year and ready to show at the highest level and when the hammer finally fell she sold to James, Charles & Ninian McAlister, Isle of Bute for 8600gns.

A further three animals made over £5000 with lot 190, Brieryside Awesome Magenta VG88 selling for 5800gns to the Bailey family of Audlem, Cheshire. Brieryside Hail Wren that provided much excitement amongst breeders went on to make 5600gns joining the Edenfields herd of Mr D Coulthurst,

Preston. Another member of the superb Wren family also brought 5600gns. Brideryside Aladdin Wren made her way to A &S Lawrie, Kinross.

Lot 192 was much admired on the day and was a descendant of the great Barr Sandy Rose family. Due in July to Brieryside Hail, this lovely young cow sold for 5000gns to join the renowned Ardmore herd of Mr John Hunter & family in Northern Ireland who also secured lot 159, Brieryside Magic Swan for 4800gns.

The sale ended with an average of almost £2400 for the milking herd with almost £2200 per life across all ages, a record average and the highest grossing herd dispersal in the history of the Ayrshire breed. A truly memorable event and a day that will be regarded as one of the UK's greatest dairy sales.

Cows and Calves available for sale

Averages

284 Cows in Milk £2391.23
54 Recently Served Heifers £2461.57
22 Maiden Heifers £1596.48
63 Heifer Calves £1106.17
423 Head £2167.49



WAF CONFERENCE



Sunday 30th June

Accommodation at The Tower Hotel, Central London

Arrive in London, welcome reception and

Thames River Cruise with drinks and light snacks

Monday 1st July

2 nights accommodation at The Courtyard by Marriot, Sandy Park, Exeter Lunch and herd visit to Biddesden by kind permission of the Guinness Family

Visit famous English heritage site, Stonehenge

Evening and dinner at your leisure

Tuesday 2nd July

Herd visit - Lyner by kind permission of the Walters family

Lunch, alternative activity and herd visit at Rosehill by kind permission of the Christophers family

Herd visit, social evening at Bowden by kind permission of the Ashford family

Wednesday 3rd July

2 nights accommodation at The Queens Hotel, Cheltenham Herd visit by kind permission of the Windel family, Wroughton

Afternoon and evening at your leisure to explore this beautiful traditional english regency town

Thursday 4th July

Lunch and herd visit at Duchy by kind permission of the Gay family Highgrove gardens tour with traditional Highgrove Afternoon Cream Tea Evening and dinner at your leisure

Friday 5th July

3 nights accommodation at The Palace Hotel, Buxton

Lunch, alternative activity and herd visit at Hunnington by kind permission of the Window family Industry visit to Cogent Breeding Ltd

Herd visit and evening party at Beeline by kind permission of the Bailey family

Saturday 6th July

Optional herd visits; Heydale, Bigginvale & Tessvale, by kind permission of the Berresford and Adams's families

Sunday 7th July Herd visit, and alternative activity – Whitecroft by kind permission of the Broadley family

Evening dinner and social night



4 nights accommodation at DoubleTree by Hilton Harrogate Majestic Hotel & Spa Industry factory four

Lunch and herd visit at Alkmonton by kind permission of the Harris family

Evening and dinner at your leisure to explore Harrogate

Tuesday oth July

Full day at your leisure, visit the website for recommendations of things of interest in the local area

Wednesday 10th July

World Ayrshire Federation Board of directors meeting

World Ayrshire Federation Annual General Meeting & country presentations

Evening dinner and drinks reception

Thursday 11th July

Delegates will attend "The Great Yorkshire Show"

Afternoon reception with exhibitors



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Friday 12th July

2 nights accommodation at Ibis Edinburgh Centre South Bridge Scenic Train journey from York to Edinburgh Evening and dinner at your leisure

Saturday 13th July

Optional herd visit with lunch at Cuthill Towers by kind permission of the Lawrie family Early evening Scottish Happy Hour Evening and dinner at your leisure

Sunday 14th July

2 nights accommodation in The Hilton Hotel, Glasgow Family day with Ayrshire Young Breeders showcase Calf Show, Lanark Market Evening and dinner at your leisure

Monday 15th July

Day at your leisure Sale of top Ayrshire genetics Traditional Burns Supper & Scottish Ceilidh dance

Tuesday 16th July

3 nights accommodation at The Titanic Hotel, Belfast Lunch and herd visit at Myremill by kind permission of The Lawrie family Travel by ferry to Belfast Evening and dinner at your leisure

Wednesday 17th July

Morning herd visits at Cottown by kind permission of the Drummond family and Ardmore by kind permission of the Hunter Family Lunch and final herd visit at Ravenhill by kind permission of the Suffern family Evening and dinner at your leisure

Thursday 18th July Day at your leisure

Farewell Gala dinner and tour at The Titanic Museum

LOOKING TO JOIN THE TOUR?

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TO DISCUSS YOUR REQUIREMENTS, REGISTER YOUR INTEREST AND
INTENDED ATTENDANCE



WHAT WAS IT THAT STARTED YOUR INTEREST IN AYRSHIRES?

My interest in Ayrshires started when I was around 7 or 8 years old. My parents owned a hill farm running suckler cows and breeding ewes. Our neighbouring farm milked a small herd of mixed breeds of dairy cows, and the coloured cows always caught my eye. My parents sold the hill farm in early 1982 and purchased a lower lying farm about ten miles away with a view to transitioning to dairying over the next few years where our first Ayrshire was purchased.

WHERE DOES THE ERNE PREFIX COME FROM?

The initial dairy herd was located on the shores of Lough Erne in County Fermanagh, so it seemed fitting to change our original prefix, Clareview, to Erne.

CAN YOU INFORM US OF HOW YOU OPERATE AND WHERE?

Unfortunately, we had to sell our farm in 1998, but we continued to work on leased units and sections of seasonal grazing blocks for the following 10

years or so. Family circumstances and demands at that time bought the sad realisation that this was no longer feasible or sustainable to do what we were doing so all but a few favourites were dispersed. As I still wanted to milk cows, these few favourites went to live with good friends William Henderson at Ballinahone, John Suffern at Ravenhill and Trevor Brown at Oakfield.



Stewart and Nyree Baxter are from Cool
We conducted an interview with Stewart
the breed led him to breed and milk

More recently, due to a change of my employment and relocation to Cookstown, in Mid Ulster, I found it difficult to keep stock so far from home, and a chance meeting with Alan and Leanne Paul of Slatabogie Holsteins has resulted in our extended herd running alongside their milking herd.

"You can't beat a deep pedigree bull mother"

HOW MANY HEAD ARE CURRENTLY FEATURING IN YOUR HERD?

Currently 12 milking and about 40 followers including some recipients for embryos. We also have a young bull for sale! Completed or current lactation projections are averaging 9,587 kg. Classifications as follows 1 x EX 94,1 x EX93, 2 x EX90, 1 x VG88, 2 x VG87, 3 x VG86 and 2 heifers still to be scored.

WHICH SERVICE SIRES ARE CURRENTLY BEING USED IN THE ERNE HERD?

All are bred to sexed semen. Pregnancies currently are due to Ringer, Burdette, Wind in the Willows, Reynolds, Stanley, and Ladys man.

WHICH COW FAMILIES ARE YOUR FAVOURITE WITHIN THE HERD AND WHY?

Francine (Jonholm) and Conceit (Willowfields) families are our high production cows with regular lactations of over



ITH ERNE AYRSHIRES

kstown in County Tyrone, Northern Ireland.

to find out more on how an obsession with Ayrshires whatever the circumstances!

10,000kg, whilst the type traits of Pretty (Forever Schoon) and Opa (Faucher) have bred us some promising young cows. Recent investments from the Snowdrop (Carnell), Ruth (Morwick), and Denise (Whiteflat) families bring new opportunities.

IF YOU HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO USE A BULL FROM ANY COW FAMILY IN THE UK, WHICH FAMILY WOULD THAT BE AND WHY?

Difficult! In an ideal world I would love the opportunity to visit as many herds as possible to see and research cow families. History has taught us that you can't beat a deep pedigree for a bull mother. That means multiple generations of excellent classifications, the ability to consistently breed good daughters, long productive lives, high volumes of milk, and above average butterfat and protein figures. I pay little or no attention to either index or genomic figures, as I prefer to see it as it is! If anyone reading this has a bull mother to suit, please let me know.

"In my experience we have a very versatile breed."

WHICH TRAITS, TYPE, HEALTH, AND PRODUCTION, DO YOU FEEL THAT THE AYRSHIRE HAS STRENGTHS TO SUIT COMMERCIAL DAIRY FARMERS AND WHY?

In my experience we have a very versatile breed. The Ayrshire cow is asked to perform and perform she will under good management and in any system! It is given that quality legs and feet are essential. Body capacity is also something we have within the breed, which contributes so much to how well a cow can perform commercially, with the ability to consume large quantities of forage and convert cost effectively into quality milk. Health traits of fertility, mastitis, and general wellness are inherently better. Labour is one of the biggest challenges for dairy farms, but I see the Ayrshire cow as having a massive commercial attraction in this regard due to their ease of management.

AS A BREEDER OF AYRSHIRES, HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE THE BREED PROGRESS IN FUTURE YEARS?

I feel we have many challenges, but as with all challenges, brings opportunity! The breed must focus on the commercial dairy farmer. If we can progress to becoming more desirable, we will all see benefit! The value of our cattle will increase, Society membership will rise, and registrations will escalate which in turn will add reliability to our breeds genetics.

I think the key to progressing the breed will be for all of us involved to identify our best cows. We are encouraged to feed information back to Breed heritage, but how many of us do?

ARE THERE ANY MEMBERSHIP SERVICES WHICH MAY BE OF BENEFIT YOU WOULD LIKE THE ACS TO ADOPT FOR ITS MEMBERS?

Services which I feel would be very beneficial are field type roles. I can site several examples where a member who was inactive or possibly disillusioned as to what

direction to take with their herd or plans has been greatly assisted by someone to help them. Simple encouragement so the member feels part of the organisation and someone to advise on registrations, classifications, breeding advice, and a contact for either the purchases or sales of stock.

WHAT ADVICE WOULD YOU HAVE FOR A NEW ENTRANT INTO THE AYRSHIRE BREED?

Just reach out to existing members and breeders for advice and support. Over the years I have made many

friends and asked for support and advice from many people. Ayrshire breeders we are a very friendly bunch, really!





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1st Ayrshire Heifer in Milk, Ayrshire quey Derby Champion, Champion Ayrshire, Interbreed heifer champion and Interbreed Supreme Champion Stranraer Show 2022

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AYRSHIRE YOUNG BREEDERS

HUGH STEVENSON COMPETITION WINNER

1st Scott Taylor 2nd Amy Armstrong 3rd Megan Stratton

JOHN COCHRANE TROPHY WINNER

1st David Oultram 2nd Charlie Bolderston 3rd Jay Adamson

STOCKJUDGING SENIOR

1st Amy Armstrong 2nd Scott Taylor 3rd Megan Stratton

STOCKJUDGING JUNIOR

1st Jay Adamson 2nd Charlie Bolderston 3rd Alfie Melling

STOCKJUDGING TEAM WINNERS

George and David Oultram

SIRE SELECTION SENIOR

1st Amy Armstrong 2nd Scott Taylor 3rd Megan Stratton

SIRE SELECTION JUNIOR

1st Anna Waterhouse 2nd Alfie Melling 3rd Charlie Bolderston

OVERALLS SIRE SELECTION

Amy Armstrong

CLIPPING SENIOR

1st Scott Taylor 2nd Amy Armstrong 3rd Megan Stratton

CLIPPING JUNIOR

1st David Oultram 2nd George Oultram 3rd Alec Masson

HOLDING SENIOR

1st Charles Scaling 2nd Emma Scaling

HOLDING JUNIOR

1st Molly Bolderston
2nd Lucinda Bolderston

SHOWMANSHIP

Champion - Scott Taylor Reserve Champion - Hattie Hassall

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

1st Hattie Hassall 2nd Tom Baynes 3rd Jack Howie

INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP

1st David Oultram 2nd Emma Sloan 3rd Matthew Gordon

SENIOR SHOWMAN

1st George Oultram 2nd Alec Masson 3rd Charlie Bolderston

MATURE SHOWMANSHIP

1st Scott Taylor 2nd Megan Stratton 3rd Amy Armstrong

SPECIAL AWARDS

Most improved member – Carys Williams AYB Personality – Jack Howie

THE CORONATION TROPHY

Awarded to the member with the highest aggregate score in the Stockjudging and reason giving competition.

Amy Armstrong

THE DARLAND TROPHY

Highest scoring team of two members from the same club or area.

Amy Armstrong & Jay Adamson



This years Young Breeders gathering took place in Dumfries where we had an encouraging attendance, including many new attendees from all over the country including the Isle of Man, to take part in the Hugh Stevenson and John Cochrane competitions.

Following dinner on the first evening, delegates took the opportunity to get to know each other with some fancy dress and ice braker games.

On Friday morning we boarded the bus for the short journey to Dumfries Market where two classes of cattle were provided from the Halmyre Urr and Caerlaverock herds for the stock judging competition. Master Judge was John Watson of High Mark. There were several new participants, so John spent some time going through what to look for in a cow when judging, terminology to use, and how to confidently give reasons before letting the young breeders have a go for themselves.

It was soon time to move onto the next visit for the day, which took us to The Cowhill Trust's Bellfield herd of Ayrshires, managed by David Douglas and family. Two cows had been selected for the sire selection competition and David gave a specific brief of the breeding conditions he requires along with other breeding traits he considers when selecting his next mating. Jake Sayer and Colin Davidson were on hand to help those understand how to read the pedigrees and information provided about the cows and potential sires. The delegates were then invited to look at the rest of the herd before handing their sheets in to Jake, Colin, and judge Andy Chalmers from Genus.

Friday evening's entertainment was an ice disco at the Dumfries Ice Bowl where we witnessed some very artful skating (if you can call it that!) and of course, falls. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the evening and left with all limbs still intact.

An early start on Saturday morning had when we departed to the Davidson Family's Halmyre Urr Herd. Competitors would spend the day clipping, washing, and preparing the calves for the afternoon's showmanship under the watchful eye of our judge, David Gray. David gave some useful tips on what he looks for when "dressing" a calf including tips on doing the topline and leaving on belly hair.







Competitors were then allocated a calf to work with before being set just over an hour for the first clip. Throughout the morning, Colin and Jake were on hand to give tips and help those who needed it. Once time was up it was off to the wash bay! Calves were given time to dry in the sun whilst delegates enjoyed a lovely lunch before going back for the final clip. Once finished, competitors paraded the calves in front of our judge where he conducted a thorough inspection and provided each member with feedback.

The sun continued to shine for the Showmanship competition which is split into four age groups to allow competitors fair competition in their class. David Gray was again our judge for this section, where he had his work cut out to place the afternoons classes due to such a high standard of showmanship. David spent time speaking to each handler after the final placings giving reasons and feedback on a personal level which was appreciated by all. Congratulations to Hattie Hassall from Kedar who took Champion handler, closely followed by Scott Taylor in Reserve.

On Saturday evening, we held the usual dinner and awards. Family and friends from the local area and members of the Dumfries club attended to support the competitors. Society President, Andrew Broadley and last years winner, Ben Broadley was delighted to award Scott Taylor from Old Mill Ayrshires the prestigious Hugh Stevenson award for 2023. As part of the award, Scott was given the opportunity to attend the World Ayrshire Federation youth tour in Australia in September this year with the trip kindly being part funded by Breed Heritage. Scott's report on his trip follows later in this journal.

The Society extend many thanks to the Dumfries club for all their hard work before and during the weekend, along with providing club funds to help run the event. These weekends also would not be possible without the support of the sponsors and those who give up their time to help organise these important events in the Society calendar.

We are pleased to announce that the plans for the 2024 Young Breeders Weekend are well underway and we are looking forward to the Isle of Man members hosting this event for us next August. Keep an eye on the Website and Facebook for updates!

















Thank you

FOR YOUR VALUED SUPPORT

Thank you to the Spansors of the 2023 Young Breeders Weekend and Annual Conference. Without your continued support, we would not be able to run these important events.























A TRIP OF A LIFETIME!

Hugh Stephenson Award Winner
Scott Taylor reports on his travels to
Austrailia

cow by Ardmore Crown Napier and some Pam Ayrs Hawaiian fresh heifers to name a few.

As part of winning the Hugh Stevenson trophy I was given the opportunity to be the UK delegate on the World Ayrshire Federation Youth Tour in Australia.

It all started off in Melbourne, where

I met our two hosts Andrew Gray and Imogen Steiner along some of the other delegates from around the world.

We took the opportunity to head into Melbourne for a wonder round before the rest of the delegates arrived later that afternoon.

The next day was relaxed allowing us to try and get our bearings and time clocks back into sync! visited Healesville Wildlife Sanctuary in the afternoon to see some of Australia's local wildlife including Kangaroos, Koalas and Tasmanian **Devils along with many** other different creatures

in between! That evening we were treated to a meal by the local Ayrshire club giving us the chance to meet some of the hosts for the farm visits the next day.

The following day and a series of farm visits saw a

chance to see some cows! We visited Blue Gum Park. **Araluen Park. and Munden** Farms. It was interesting to see all these herds which all were grazing based systems and split block calving. There were nice daughters some Jumper, from Lessard Kamouraska Bigstar and Palmyra Berkely Reagan. There were some Blue **Spruce Ringer daughters** just calving in and they looked promising. Munden Farms had used some daughters of sires from the UK too with a nice senior

The day after, our first visit was to Total Livestock Genetics at Camperdown where we got the opportunity to see the Al collection facility and see a bull jumped. The store was impressive with around 3 million straws of semen in one room either having been collected there or imported and distributed across Australia. We then went next door to the ST genetics lab where we saw their sexing machines in action. Next stop was Parnell Ayrshires, and the standout cows were by Sandyford Triclo and Ravenhill Enigma, before heading onto the Great Ocean Road and

stopping at the 12 apostles (or maybe just the 5 that we could see). The following day took us to Boldview Farms where there were some powerful daughters of Palmyra Tristar Burdette and a neat Whitecroft Nectar heifer before heading to Adelaide Show for the remainder of the trip.

On arriving in Adelaide, we were all assigned an exhibitor to help and for the next few days, I was allocated to the Boldview team. We went straight in with a clipping competition, and these were heifers to be

shown in the breed show later that week, so no pressure!

The Ayrshire was the Feature Breed meaning the entries were up with around 100 head altogether! The judging was over two days with Stuart Williams as judge. In the

junior show, champion was a Cedarcut Colata's Champion daughter with a Terrace Bank Free Beer in reserve, both from Boldview. The senior show was dominated by one sire with the final 3 all being Burdette daughters with the champion and reserve again, both going to Boldview.

I'd like to thank the Society for giving me the opportunity to go on this fantastic trip, Australian Ayrshires for their hospitality and Breed Heritage for funding the flight.





Stu's judging dream come true!

National Judge Stuart Williams reports on his travels to Austrailia



"BING", is not the sound I wanted to be woken up by at 2.12am by my mobile. My thought was, either a distant relative who thinks they know me has left me millions or

The following day saw the milking section put forward. As with the previous day, the intermediate section kicked off as the juniors had finished. Quality and

throughout every balance class. Locomotion is evidently key for the breeders too, as every animal put forward had super thurl placement, a great leg set depth of heel. My intermediate champion was a 3yr old, Burdette daughter from Sam Hentschke. Again, she oozed dairy character, balance and had tremendous mammary system and it was the extra dairy strength, depth through the region of the heart and overall barrel to her rear rib that she went ahead of a super stylish, youthful

something is wrong! I rolled over to check the screen and it read 'Royal Adelaide Show', so opened it and didn't sleep the rest of the night from pure excitement. From then on September couldn't come fast enough!

The Ayrshire Feature Show at Royal Adelaide was a major tick off the bucket list... and it definitely did not let me down. Along with Vicky, Eva and Ella we travelled to Australia for our family adventure. Following a week in Brisbane we flew to Adelaide, on arrival we met the other dairy judges who gearing up to judge the following day. As feature breed judge I had to wait another day before I started with the heifer show which added to the excitement. When accepting the judging duty I also enabled Andrew Gray to be my associate.

Andrew is a great young judge who is up and coming, we worked well together so thank you for spending your week with me.

The heifer show was large with quality throughout in every class. It soon dawned on me that South Australian Ayrshire breeders not only know how to put on a great show but consistency was evident. From top to bottom of every class, they were like peas in a pod and it was the smallest of reasons that separated my selections. The eventual



The senior section continued with the stamp I had previously seen, every animal cut from the same cloth and giving me plenty

and fresh milking yearling

from Wallis and Liebich.

these young cows have a

great future ahead of them.

to scratch my head. I appears from the results that Burdette daughters came to the fore, with all senior champion, reserve and honourable mention sired by him. As whenever I judge balance is key and along with having the 'Best Udder' of the show Revolution Burdette Saffron from Boldview Farms took Senior and Grand Champion. She had a everything I look for in a champion, balance, dairy strength, super locomotion and a strongly attached udder that will last forever. Congratulations to all exhibitors.

Throughout my time at Royal Adelaide I also had some additional judging duties; as one of the dairy judges I was part of the judging panel for the interbreed classes, unfortunately the Ayrshires didn't come to the top but it was a spectacle to see the best individuals and pens of 5 in the ring together.

The state dairy judging contest was a keenly sort-after competition. Along with judging both the showmanship and judging competitions of the World Ayrshire Youth Tour competitors. They were an outstanding group of individuals who show unity through their love of the Ayrshire cow. Congratulations to all the participants and especially Léanne from Canada who was crowned champion. I can't go without mentioning the final competition I judged... 'Celebrity milk off'. Teams of 'celebrities' had to see how much milk they could hand milk from a cow in 5 minutes. Through all the cheating of cartons of milk and bottles of water I eventually got a winner, it was alot of fun but more importantly got dairy cows onto television to promote milk and where it comes from.

Finally, I must the Royal Adelaide Show asking me to judge. It was both an honour and privilege to officiate at the show and great to work with my associate, Andrew. Also, thanks to the Ayrshire exhibitors in putting my name forward but furthermore supporting the show and putting on a great display of Ayrshires. You are all a credit to the











FINNISH JUDGING

ASSIGNMENT

John Watson reports on his travels to Finland

One of the highlights for me this year was being asked to judge the Finland national herds competition especially, having never been to Finland before, so I didn't know what to expect. I flew from Edinburgh on the 28th of August and arrived on the first

farm by 6pm that evening. I visited 22 farms in total and was shocked at the sheer size of the country and the distances involved. We travelled west to east and then ended up in the south of the country having had four different drivers and a three-hour train journey as well.

There were eight classes to judge from calves to senior cows in milk. More than two thirds of the herds were intensively managed with large inputs of oil seed rape as most of the dairies in Finland don't allow them to use soya. I was amazed at the amount of milk some of the cows were giving, with several exceeding 13,000 litres and were looking well on it! Many of

the cows were by **FABA** and genetics from Viking sires with some using Semex sires. However, did see daughters of Heydale Windstar, Biddesden Hector Rosehill and Vitality. Some of the breeders were sceptical of some British genetics. but I did see a second calver. Taipoleen Sissi, a Rosehill Vitality daughter aivina

51 litres. She had a tremendous udder and was placed third in her

class. Another cow that really impressed me was the winner of that same class Joukolan Scarlett. She was a Pie X Yellow out of a Burdette with amazing height and width of rear udder and giving 50 litres.

My two favourite cows were from the senior cows in milk and were eventual winners of class seven and eight. The class seven winner was Ranta Omartina by Money Man ET and the winner of class eight, Shady Walnut Gold Moria ET by Remington. Two tremendous cows that really stood out to me and two cows I will remember and admire for a long time.

It was interesting to see that in most cases on Finnish dairy farms the majority of the general management and cow work was done by the female members of the family, and they certainly know their cows!

Although a very busy week with plenty miles covered, I had an unforgettable trip. I would like to

thank the Society for asking me iudge to and also **Finnish** Avrshires for all the hospitality I received while I was there and congratulate all the breeders who took part.



Biddesden Hector Daughter In Finland

UK Delegation to USA National Ayrshire Convention

Sam Wake reports

At the end of June myself and Blaise Tomlinson were invited to the National Ayrshire Convention in Maryland, USA.

The trip was supposed to start by meeting Blaise at a services on the M1, all well and good until we realised we were both waiting at different services! The fun didn't stop there when we couldn't find the right car park at Heathrow, followed by issues with the wrong names on tickets... After an 8 hour flight we landed in Washington and were greeted by Michael Creek from Palmyra Ayrshires who was our tour guide for the 10 days.

The first day started early which was mainly due to the jet lag with a trip to Washingon DC, before this we met up with Edmund Els from South Africa who was also invited as an international guest to the convention. Whilst in Washington we had a day of sight-seeing which included the Lincoln Memorial, Washington Monument and the National Museum of Natural History before sampling a beer or two in the hotel bar with Edmund.

Day two was the official start of the convention, the hotel was a hive of activity as many delegates from across the USA joined, along with many youth members who joined for competitions which included competing in a quiz bowl, Jeopardy, ambassador interviews and designing adverts.

Blaise, Edmund and I were invited to sit in on the USA Avrshire council meeting. It was interesting to hear how they run their society and also how they have sub committees running different areas such as sales and breed promotion. We also gave an overview of the UK society and what is happening with Ayrshires in the UK, including current genomics, **bulls** and the World Conference.

The following day involved

more meetings and a visit to the Patrick family who own the Maple Dell herd where we saw some great daughters of Palmyra Bendig Berkely and De La Plaine Vicking. We then went to Annapolis for a boat ride to the lighthouse and have lunch. That evening there was a banquet dinner which included an awards ceremony and a live preview at the lots that were selling in the Convention sale.

The next day of the convention was more meetings and then the National Convention sale in the evening, they had put together a great line up of cattle that were prepared by Junior members who looked after the clipping, feeding, washing and leading of the lots. The top price was for \$10,000 for a pick of either a

Bolsonaro or Wicked calf out of Margot Precious. The sale averaged \$4,669.82.

The last day of the convention included

a classification workshop, a brewery tour and then a wrap up party at Steel Farm which included great food, some fancy heifers, and more beer. After the convention had ended Blaise, Edmund and I were taken on tour across Maryland and New York state to look at some great Ayrshire herds which included the following:

- -Peter Vail's herd housed at Dale and Deanna Bendig's Spun-Gold Farm
- -Barrens View the Baumgartner Family
- -Conebella the Gable Family
- -S&M Ayr Farm the Mike Zook Family
- -Jackson Hill Farm the Atherton Family
- -Heineman Farm Angela Heineman Fuller and Family
- -Locust Spring the Bogardus Family
- -Sunny Acres Farm the Evans Family

-Palmyra Farm the Shank and Creek Families

It was great to see so many different systems which included tie stalls, free stalls and grazing systems. We travelled a lot of miles but it was well worth it as the standard of cattle that we saw was exceptional. It was also very refreshing to talk with the host farms about bulls that the UK can offer them, since this visit Cattle Services have sent another shipment of straws over.

It would be too hard to list every cow but the highlight sires in the calf and heifer pens would be the Palmyra Lochinvar Reynolds calves with milking Palmyra Berkely Reagans and Palmyra Tristar Burdette's impressing the most in the cows.

I'd like to thank Mary and Michael Creek for hosting us both on this tour and Becky Payne and all the American Ayrshire breeders both on farms and at the convention for making us feel so welcome. If you want to see some fantastic Ayrshire cows and meet some great people, the USA should definitely be on your bucket list!

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Megan

Sharwards Calimero Megan, EX-94 3E

6-02 326D 23,130M (10,186L) 4.2% 978F 3.3% 760P 7-05 365D 28,120M (12,384L) 4.6% 1303F 3.1% 884P 3x All-American

Reserve Grand Champion, 2012 World Dairy Expo

Grandson

Megan's Revolution grandson, MAGELLAN, is available from World Wide Sires

Megan's Daughters



OLD-N-LAZY MARCH MADNESS-ET, EX-94 5-00 317D 30,500M (13,432L) 4.1% 1260F 2.8% 862P All-American Jr. 3-Year-Old, 2020 Grand Champion, National Summer Spectacular 2022



OLD-N-LAZY GIBBS MORGAN-ET, EX-94 2É 5-03 295D 26,360M (11,608L) 3.4% 888F 3.0% 797P Honorable Mention All-American 5-Year-Old, 2020



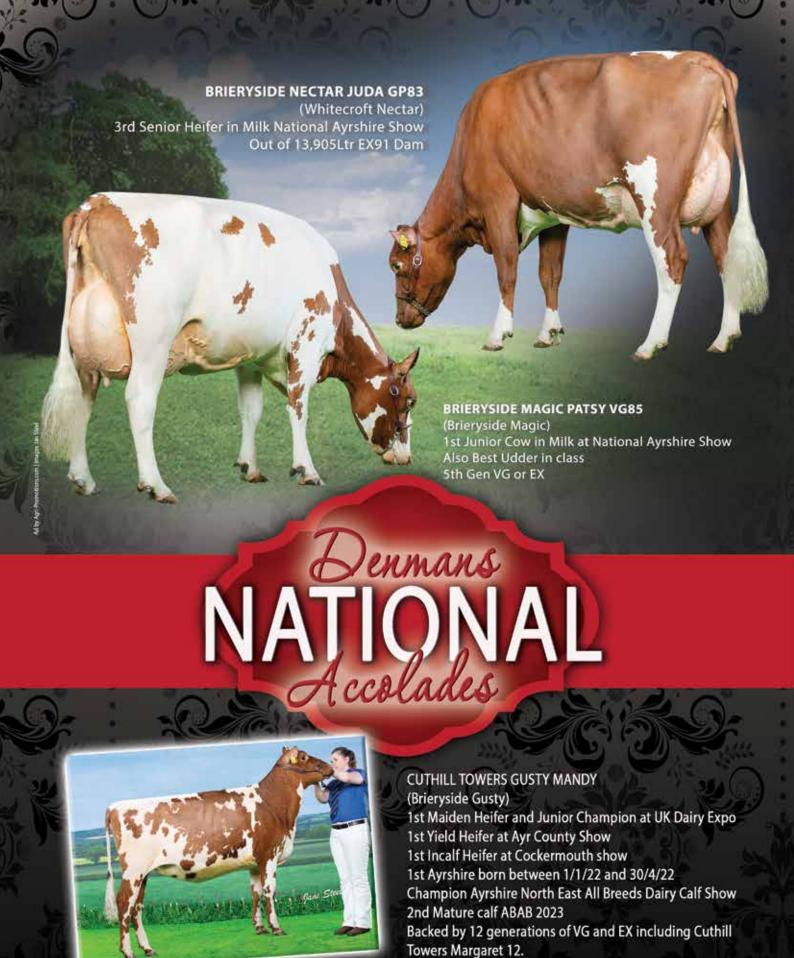
OLD-N-LAZY V MELANIA-ET, EX-91 3-07 316D 28,510M (13,471L) 4.1% 1159F 3.0% 854P Unanimous All-American Sr. 2-Year-Old, 2019 Reserve Int Champion, 2019 World Dairy Expo





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National Ayrshire
Show 2023 held at UK Dairy Day

Colin Christophers

What a great display of Ayrshires on show at this year's National Show which was held in September at UK Dairy Day in Telford. Breeders travelled from all over the UK to exhibit and support the breed. Once again, the society were lucky enough to offer members the service of the Young Breeders to look after their cows. This year's judge was Colin Christophers from the Rosehill herd.

The National Show began with the junior heifers. Allstar Ringer Joybell took top honors in her class before going on to take Heifer Champion. Judge, Colin, commented on how he admired her power, strength, and length and then second place and reserve Heifer Champion went to Longwood Willow Sandy Rose who showed strength with balance through her system.

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Champion Ayrshire; Allstar Ringer Joybell

honorable mention heifer champion was Morwick Peggy 126 who won first place in the senior heifer class from GG Baynes & Stuart Mullen and was on top form for the National show having been calved since January. Colins reasons mentioned her tremendous scope, depth of rib and ligament in her rear udder that gave the advantage over Wroughton Nina 23 from the McCreadie family that stood in second in this class.

The standard across the rest of the show didn't make the job any easier for Colin. Six very strong junior cows were forward, and it was Brieryside Magic Patsy from JC & AM Sayer who came out on top for her balance throughout, but it was her mammary system that stood out to Colin for her ligament in her rear udder and veination in her fore-udder which took her over Mid





Reserve Champion Ayrshire; Hunnington Wren 7

Ascog Patricia 3 in a very close second place.

In the intermediate cow class, it was Willowfields Famous Clover from L H Batty that stood top of the class of nine animals. Her style, balance and levelness through her top line gave her the advantage over Bigginvale Black Cherry 20 from R T & J I Adams in Second place. Colin said he admired her long, dairy body with tremendous scope.

The senior cow class saw six powerful cows enter the ring. Hunnington Wren 7 from L & C Window took first place for her quality, movement and style on parade which gave her the advantage over Hilltower Modern Marcy from A & S Lawrie, a real dairy cow with a great body and mammary capacity. There were two classes for the Society's Red and White section. This year's heifer class was won by Cuthill Towers Rager Miss Blondie. Stevensons Bunty 178 was back again this year, and she won the cow class and went on to take the Red & White Hybrid Champion.

Before the championship, the final class of the day was the exhibitors' group of three. The five groups forward were positioned around the ring to give spectators and the Judge the best view of all the groups. It was the group of three from Longwood Ayrshires that were tapped out as winners and received the Gordon Timbrell memorial trophy. Harperfield closely followed in second place.

The championship line-up was a credit to the Ayrshire breed exhibitors' efforts and success throughout the day. Colin selected his heifer champion Allstar Ringer Joybell from Evie Tomlinson as his Overall Champion with Hunnington Wren 7 in reserve followed by Willowfield Famous Clover as honorable mention.

Society would like to again thank our dedicated Young Breeders team who gave up their time to spend four hectic days at the show and thank the breeders that sent cows for them to look after. The team are a credit to the breed and



Hon Mention Ayrshire; Willowfield Famous Clover

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National Ayrshire Show

RESULTS 2023

Judge - Mr Colin Christophers, Rosehill CHAMPION - ALLSTAR RINGER JOYBELL RESERVE - HUNNINGTON WREN 7 HONOURABLE MENTION - WILLOWFIELDS FAMOUS CLOVER

Ayrshire Junior Heifer in Milk

- 1. Allstar Ringer Joybell, E Tomlinson
- 2. Longwood Willow Sandy Rose, Robert Crawford
- 3. Heydale Ovoid 436, D W Berresford & Son

Ayrshire Senior Heifer in Milk

- 1. Morwick Peggy 126, G G Baynes
- 2. Wroughton Nina 23, DG McCreadie & Son
- 3. Brieryside Nectar Juda, JC & AM Sayer

Ayrshire Heifer Championship

Champion: Allstar Ringer Joybell, E Tomlinson

Reserve: Longwood Willow Sandy Rose, Robert Crawford

HM: Morwick Peggy 126, G G Baynes

Ayrshire Junior Cow in Milk (Having had 2 calves)

- 1. Brieryside Magic Patsy, JC & AM Sayer
- 2. Mid Ascog Patricia 3, D M Lindsay
- 3. Rhos Lottery Majority, E Tomlinson

Ayrshire Intermediate Cow (Having had 3 Calves)

- 1. Willowfields Famous Clover, L H Batty
- 2. Bigginvale Black Cherry 20, R T & J I Adams
- 3. Longwood Vicking Barbara, Robert Crawford

Ayrshire Senior Cow in Milk

- 1. Hunnington Wren 7, L & C Window
- 2. Hilltower Modern Marcy, A & S Lawrie
- 3. Harperfield Irene 53, DM Lindsay

Ayrshire Breeders Group of 3

1. Longwood

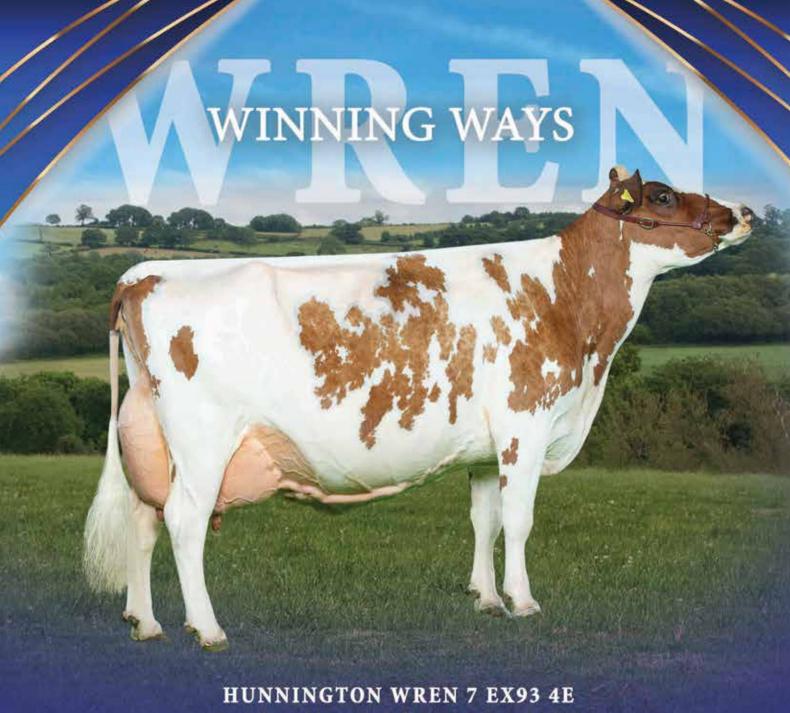






2023 Ayrshire Young Breeders Team





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Exhibitors travelled from up and down the country to the new venue at Stoneleigh Park for this years All Breed All Britain Calf Show. Entries topped the previous years with 47 Ayrshires forward.

Saturday welcomed handlers to the ring with over 100 entries from all colour breeds putting on a tremendous display on for judge Izzy Laird from Blythbridge Holsteins, Scotland. Izzy is originally from Staffordshire where her family have a herd of pedigree Jerseys under the prefix Fourcrosses.

The youngest Ayrshire handlers that took to the ring were an admirable 7 years old and set the standard for the day. It was George Seaton, Isla Davidson, Ruth Allison, Freddie Etteridge, Annabelle Tomlinson, Fraser Sloan, Max Bryson, Kirsten Sloan, Zoe Walters, Craig Hodge, Melissa Fletcher and Jake Sayer that took the top Ayrshire places in some very tough classes. In the championship, it was Zoe Walters that took Champion Ayrshire handler followed by Annabelle Tomlinson in reserve and Geroge Seaton taking Honourable mention.

Peter Berresford from the Heydale herd was judge on the Sunday with five strong classes for Ayrshires forward to give Peter the challenge of placing them.

The first class of the day was the youngest calves and it was George Seaton in the lime light again as he lead Beeline Reagan Ladybird from the Bailey family to the top of the class followed by Wigboro Wick Hail Poker from John Smith.



Class two of the day saw five very strong calves forward, but it was Rosehill Fantasy Magenta from the Christophers family that stood out for Peter with Greenway Platinum Jubilee from Les and Tracy Rockett in second.

The next class was the biggest of the day with 14 calves on display. Brieryside Hail Pauline 5 was bought earlier in the year by the Young family at West Spittal and took first place in her class. Gwynnog Hawaiian Linnet 2 from G R Thomas closely followed her at the top of the line.

Another big class followed with 13 calves forward. Sandyford Ringer Mayflower 2 from Evie Tomlinson lead the class followed by Swaites Spotty 11, a Brieryside Hail daughter from the Adamson family.

The final class of the day was a superb display of mature calves and after much deliberation, Peter tapped Gwynnog Bigtime Eunice out in first place from Zoe Walter very closely followed by Cuthill Towers Gusty Mandy from J C & A M Sayer.

With a massive crowd of supporters around the ring, and a tremendous line up of 10 calves, Peter went on to crown Brieryside Hail Pauline 5 the Champion, Sandyford Ringer Mayflower 2 took Reserve and Beeline Reagan Ladybird was Honourable mention.

The All Breeds All Britain calf show is an event which focuses on the youth of the breed and seeing the standard of both calves and handlers across this year's event guarantees the future of the Ayrshire cow is in reliable hands.







JUDGE - PETER BERRESFORD

Breed Champion - Brieryside Hail Pauline 5 - JBL Young Reserve Champion - Sandyford Ringer Mayflower 2 - Evie Tomlinson Hon Mention - Beeline Reagan Ladybird - SN Bailey & Partners

BORN AFTER 1ST MARCH 2023

1st Beeline Reagan Ladybird - SN Bailey & Partners 2nd Wigboro Wick Hail Poker - J Smith 3rd West Spittal May 7 - JBL Young

1st Dec 22 - 28th Feb 23 born

1st Rosehill Fantasy Magenta - WRC & JE Christophers 2nd Greenway Platinum Jubilee - L & T Rocket 3rd Cuthill Towers Majestic Miranda 2 - A & S Lawrie

1st Sept - 30 Nov 22 born

1st Brieryside Hail Pauline 5 - JBL Young 2nd Gwynnog Hawaiian Linnet - GR Thomas 3rd Swaites Lorna 56 - J Adamson & Son

1st May - 31st Aug 22 born

1st Sandyford Ringer Mayflower 2 - Evie Tomlinson 2nd Swaites Spotty 11 - J Adamson & Son 3rd Swaites Bunce 34 - J Adamson & Son

1st Jan - 30th April 22 born

1st Gwynnog Bigtime Eunice - Zoe Walters 2nd Cuthill Towers Gusty Mandy - JC & AM Sayer 3rd Millford Horizon Jungle Girl - Evie Tomlinson



Champion Brieryside Hail Pauline 5



Reserve Champion Sandyford Ringer Mayflower 2



Hon Mention Beeline Reagan Ladybird

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BACK IN THE SHOWRING



Royal Cornwall - Champion Rosehill Premier Verylight EX95 4E, Res. Rosehill Panache Whisky VG87 2yr

·Liskeard - Champion Rhos Vicking Matilda EX94 2E, Res. Rosehill Pink Indiana VG86 2yr

·Camborne - Supreme Champion Rhos Buster Vanity VG88 3yr, Res. Rosehill Pink Indiana VG86 2yr, Interbreed Team of 5, Rosehill Pink Indaina VG86 2yr, Rosehill Panache Whisky VG87 2yr, Rosehill Madison Jelly VG87 3yr, Rosehill Premier Verylight Ex95 4E, Rhos Buster Vanity VG88 3yr

- ·Stithians Champion Rosehill Pink Indiana VG86 2yr
- ·South West All Breeds Calf Show Res. Rosehill Fantasy Magenta
- ·South West Dairy Show Champion Rosehill Madison Jelly VG87 3yr, Res Rosehill Premier Verylight Ex95 4E
- All Britain Calf Show 1st Dec/Feb Calf Rosehill Fantasy Magenta
- W.R.C. & J.E. Christophers, Trenerry Farm, St Allen, Truro, Cornwall
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Balmoral Show

Judge – Blaise Tomlinson

For the first year since Covid, Balmoral Show was able to return to its usual
 date and was well supported by Ayrshire breeders putting on a great display.

Champion of the day was from the second calver class, Beechmount Russet 9 VG89, sired by Brieryside Magic from R & C McConnell with the Reserve champion coming from the Keenan family with Threemile Bella Elegant who also won the senior cow in milk class.



Champion Beechmount Russet 9

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Royal Bath & West Show

Judge - Mike Deakins

Though down on numbers, the quality of the Ayrshires on display didn't disappoint the judge for the day with triumph for Greenway Ross Great Jubilee from L & T Rockett as she won the senior cow class before taking Ayrshire champion followed by Supreme Interbreed champion.

Success for the Rockett family didn't stop there as they also won the heifer in milk class with Greenway Windstar Cara who was also Reserve Ayrshire champion followed by Creech Hill Nickle Lassie in honourable mention.





Royal Cornwall Show

Judge – Alan Timbrell

This years Royal Cornwall welcomed a great number of exhibitors to show in the glorious June sun.

Champion and Reserve both came from the Christophers Rosehill herd with Rosehill Premier Verylight EX95 taking top honors for the Ayrshires, she also won the 35,000Kgs and senior cow classes. Rosehill Panache Whisky won the heifer in milk class before taking Reserve champion followed by Rockweir Amazing Snowball from Beth Murch in honourable mention after winning the Junior cow class.

Royal Highland Show

Judge - lain McLean

Despite the rain, Ayrshires were on top form at this years Royal Highland show with several breeders getting mentions in the Interbreed classes.

Champion for the day was Cuthill Towers Religious Bunty from A & S Lawrie, she wone her second calver class before going on to take Honourable mention in the Interbreed. Reserve Ayrshire came from John Adamson with Swaites Bracken 19 followed by Cuthill Towers Rocco Senga, in honourable Mention. She also took Honourable mention in the Junior interbreed.

Other Interbreed success came in the Group of three which was won by the Lindsay family from Harperfield. Ayrshires also took Interbreed Group of Four with a combined team from Swaites, Cuthill Towers and Old Mill.



HOWS 2023

Great Yorkshire Show

Judge - Robin Templeton

The show was once again well supported, and the sun brought out many spectators.

It was Harperfield Irene 53 from the Lindsay Family that took Breed Champion after winning the Senior cow in milk class. Mid Ascog Patricia 3 is no stranger to the show ring and added another championship title to her name by taking Reserve.

Royal Welsh Show

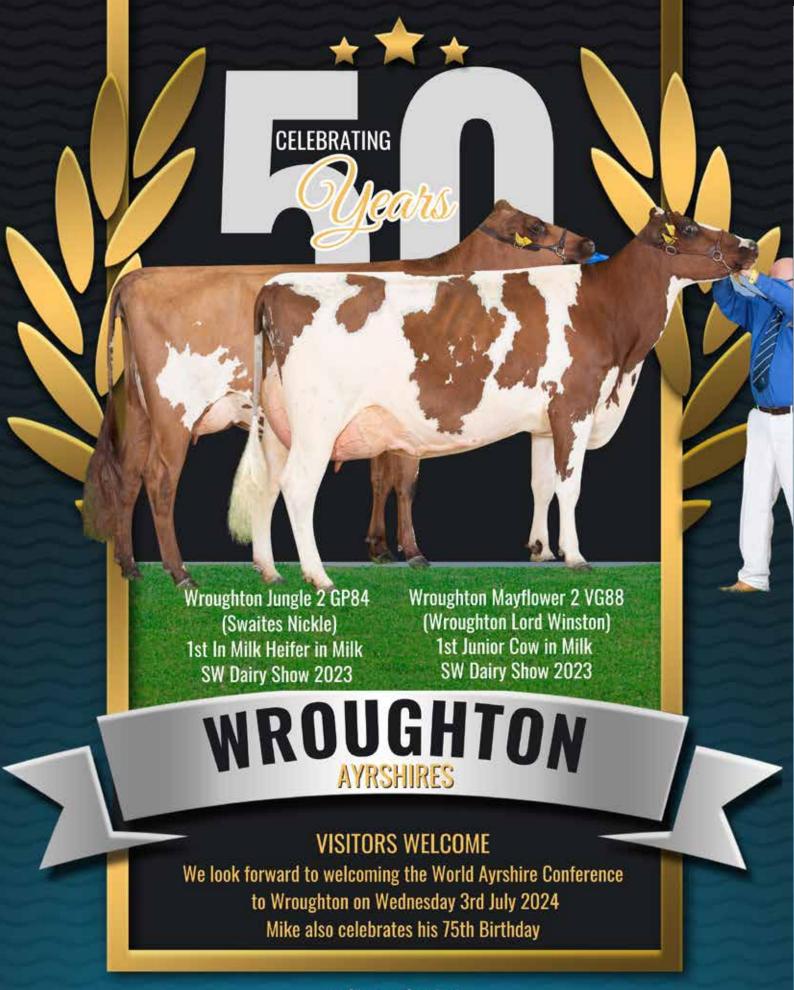
Judge - John Watson

Although a small display of Ayrshires, the quality throughout entries was admirable. The champion was Allstar Provider Honesty from E B Tomlinson, who also won the Cow in Milk having had four or more calves. Reserve again from E B Tomlinson was Sandyford Clolord Donella, winner of the second or third calver class.

South West Dairy Show

Judge - Stuart Williams

Despite being down in numbers from last year, Stuart Williams had a busy day working his way through the classes. His champion was Rosehill Madison Jelly from the Christophers family who also won the intermediate class. Reserve champion was again from Rosehill with Rosehill Premier Verylight, the winner of the Senior cow class.



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Ayrshire

The club were pleased to hold their annual calf show in September at Catcraig by kind permission of Jim Brown and family.

Intermediate Showmanship (15 years of age and under at 1st January 2022) 1st – Fraser Sloan, Dormieston (DOB 13/09/2008)

Class 3 Senior Showmanship (16 – 26 years of age at 1st January 2022) 1st – Fiona Currie, Shacklehill (DOB 31/03/2006)

SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPIONSHIP

CHAMPION Fiona Currie RESERVE Fraser Sloan

Calf born between 1st September 2021 and 30th November 2021 1st Prize - Brieryside Ringer Baby (DOB 19/11/2022) by Blue Spuce Ringer (Shacklehill) 2nd Prize - Brieryside Amazing Red Plum (DOB 02/09/2022) by Des Coteaux Amazing (Shacklehill)

Calf born between 1st May 2021 and 31st August 2021 1st Prize - Brieryside Hail Pansy (DOB 25/07/2022) by Brieryside Hail (Dormieston)

Calf born between 1st January 2021 and 30th April 2021 1st Prize - Carnell Progress Snowdrop (31/01/2022) by Troutbeck Progress (Lessnessock)

CALF CHAMPIONSHIP

CHAMPION Brieryside Ringer Baby (DOB 19/11/2022) by Blue Spuce Ringer (Shacklehill) RESERVE Brieryside Hail Pansy (DOB 25/07/2022) by Brieryside Hail (Dormieston)



Champion Handler Fiona Currie & Reserve Champion Handler Fraser Sloan

Wigtownshire

Congratulations to Allan Clark from Fineview who went Ayrshire Champion at Stranraer Show with Fineview Rocky Teenie, a 2nd Calver, sired by Fineview Rocky. Reserve Champion went to Hew Howie from Wellhouse with Wellhouse platinum Geordie Girl, a heifer sired by Tristar Platinum.

Congratulations to the Club members on their great success at UK Dairy Day. Messrs Howie & Stevenson won the Ayrshire Hybrid - Cow in Milk Class & the Ayrshire Hybrid Championship with Stevenson's Bunty 178.



Stranrear Show Champion



Jack, Hew, Wilma and Robert with Stevenson's Bunty 178

Got News!

If you have any news on your pedigree herd, awards or family achievements your readers would love to know!

FRD.

Ulster

Antrim Show, at the end of July, always attracts a large entry of Ayrshire Cattle, and this year was no exception. A large and quality entry came under the watchful eye of David Christophers from Cornwall, who chose Robert & Caroline McConnell's second calver Beechmount Russett 9 as Champion. Alan Irwin was Reserve Champion with his heifer in milk, Rhos Beaumont Ovid and Honourable Mention going to John and Michael Hunter with Knowe Favourite Beauty. To cap off an already successful day, Beechmount Russett 9 went on to be Reserve Interbreed Champion.

The next big event on our calendar was our Annual Herds Competition. We were very grateful to Linda Batty, Jo Billings and master judge young Ernie for giving up their time to spend three days judging the various herds around the Province. Our Chairman, Richard Emerson and vice Chairman Raymond Stewart shared the driving and certainly covered some miles!!

Thomas Gordon and his family kindly hosted our stock judging and results evening, and we were warmly welcomed and well entertained. The weather was inclement to put it mildly, but a good turnout of members and friends enjoyed a delicious supper and a good nights craic. Thanks to Thomas, Sharon, Katie, Andrew and Matthew. Thanks must also go to our sponsors Danske Bank, Al Services, Moores Feeds and Dale Farm.

The overall champion herd was The Ravenhill Herd from John and Caroline Suffern who were enjoying another win in this hard fought competition. The small herd champion was John Ferguson with his Loughshore Herd. This is John's first time entering the competition so it was a great achievement - ne excuses for not entering again!!Well done to the Champion and Reserve and all class winners and entrants, it was a stiff competition.

HERDS COMPETION RESULTS 2023

LARGE HERD

1st - Ravenhill

2nd - Seaview

3rd - Grove

LARGE HERD INDIVIDUAL COW

1st - Seaview Jackie 3

2nd - Ravenhill Burdette Ethel 4

3rd - Fortfield Megan 100

LARGE HERD INDIVIDUAL HEIFER

1st – Ravenhill Showstar Ethel 27

2nd – Ardmore Orphan 136

3rd - Cottown Magic Natasha

SMALL HERD

1st - Loughshore

2nd – Orlands Mill

3rd - Mullindavard

SMALL =HERD INDIVIDUAL COW

1st - Erne Modern Opa

2nd - Grave Narcissus 32

3rd - Orlands Mill Oblique Arlene

SMALL HERD INDIVIDUAL HEIFER

1st - Loughshore Vimo Lauren

2nd - Beachmount Astral 12

3rd - Erne Magic Conceit

VETERAN COW – LARGE HERD

1st - Oakfield Gigi 7

2nd – Ardmore Miranda 2

3rd - Fortfield Queenie 26

COW FAMILY - LARGE HERD

1st - Grove Crocus 17 & 21

2nd - Oakfield Gigi 7 & Ravenhill Stormin Gigi

3rd - Cottown EP Claire & Renegade Claire

COW FAMILY - SMALL HERD

1st - Beechmount Topaz 2 & 3

2nd - Erne Pretty

3rd - Orlands Mill Oblique Fergie & Hawaiian Fergie

GROUP OF THREE

1st - Ravenhill

2nd - Seaview

3rd - Beechmount

PROGENY GROUP OF FOUR BY SAME SIRE - LARGE HERD

1st - Fortfield

2nd - Ravenhill

3rd - Seaview

PROGENY GROUP OF FOUR BY ONE SIRE - SMALL HERD

1st - Loughshore

2nd - Beechmount

3rd – Fortfield

The annual NI All Breed Dairy Calf Show was held at the Eikon Centre, Logan Hall at Balmoral Park for the first time and this new venue proved a great success. Andrew Rimmer from the Holmeswood Herd in Cheshire was our breed judge and was kept busy.

As his Champion he selected Robert and Caroline McConnell's Beechmount Laura, the September class winner (who notably is the first show calf by Beechount Magic Mike), with Reserve Champion coming from the May class, Isaac Moore's Holmeswood Saquenay Clover and Honourable Mention Beechmount Bertha, Robert and Caroline McConnells January class winner.

The young Wylie brothers James and Bobby (11 and 7 respectively) had a great day with both winning their handling classes and James chosen as Champion with Katie Gordon, senior class winner as Reserve and Amy King Honourable Mention. Well done to all our young breeders, a great future awaits and it is encouraging for the breed.

We are very grateful to our sponsors United Feeds, Farm Wardrobe, OB Construction and AHV, without whom these events cannot run.

Our Club meetings are due to resume in October and then all roads will lead to the Winter Fair!

Congratulations to Peter and Laura Drummond who have welcomed a baby boy, a brother for William and James, we wish them all the best.

Cumberland

The clubs Herd Competition was held in August, the judge was Robert McConnell from the Beechmount Herd. An enjoyable 2 days were spent travelling around judging animals from 7 herds in The Cumberland Club.

HERDS COMPETITION RESULTS 2023

Small Herd

1st M/S Armstrong, Plaskettlands 2nd B Johnson, Orton Hall 3rd RT& M Cartner, Low Ploughlands

Large Herd

1st FJ & M Mattinson and Sons, Troutbeck 2nd M/S Whiteford, Middle 3rd D & C Sanderson, Sanderson

Individual Cow

1st Troutbeck Burdette Jess 3, FJ & M Mattinson and Sons 2nd Middle Jean MH, M,S Whiteford 3rd Brieryside Rock Pansy, D & C Sanderson

Individual Heifer

1st Middle Robyn MH, M/S Whiteford 2nd Plaskett Lucky charm 365, M/S Armstrong 3rd Troutbeck Margo, FJ & M Mattinson and Sons

Youngstock

1st D & C Sanderson 2nd M/s Armstrong 3rd M/S Fawcett

Overall Herd

FJ & M Mattinson and Sons

The clubs progeny competition was held and the judge was Ben Broadley from the Whitepeak Herd at Bundcliffe. Ben's results were given at a meal following a busy but enjoyable day.

Mother and Daughter

1st Troutbeck Burdette Jess & Troutbeck Famous Jess, FJ & M Mattinson and Sons

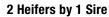
2nd Sanderson Ester & Sanderson Sonic Ester, D & C Sanderson 3rd Ploughlands Buttermilk, RT & M Cartner

2 Cows by 1 Sire

1st Troutbeck Progress, Troutbeck Irene & Troutbeck Flash, FJ & M Mattinson and Sons

2nd Hunnington Flash, Plaskett Lucky Charm 322 & Plaskett Jolly 276, M/S Armstrong

3rd Troutbeck Skyfall, Sanderson Skyfall Lamplight & Sanderson Skyfall Biscuit, D & C Sanderson



1st Middle Hero, Middle Tripova MH3 & Middle Queenie MH3, M/S Whiteford

2nd Troutbeck Progress, Troutbeck Bertha & Troutbeck Jean, FJ & M Mattinson and Sons

3rd Changue Polymath Polled, Ploughlands Buttermilk & Ploughlands Devil Woman, RT & M Cartner

40,000kg Cow

1st Troutbeck Burdette Jess, FJ & M Mattinson and Sons 2nd Sanderson Skyfall Lamplight, D & C Sanderson 3rd Plaskett Lucky Charm 303, M/S Armstrong

Stock Bull

1st Plaskett Bruno, M/S Armstrong 2nd Brieryside Chess, FJ & M Mattinson and Sons 3rd Greengrass Aladdin Red, M/S Whiteford

We would also like to pass our congratulations on to Mrs and Mrs Sayer, Amy and Jake were married in July and had their reception at Plaskettlands following their wedding in the local church.

Kintyre

Kintyre Ayrshire breeders club held their annual herds competition on Friday 25th of August. Favourable weather saw stock from the four competing herds shown at their best with a good following of interested spectators. Master judge for the day was Mr Tommy Ralston.Dinner and prize giving was held that night in the Royal Hotel Campbeltown with the results as follows:

Large Herds

1st J&M Barr, Clochkeil
2nd Thos M Ralston and sons, East Drumlemble

Small herds

1st Thomas Cameron, Gartvaigh 2nd John Barbour and co, Machribeq

Overall herd J&M Barr, Clochkeil

Individual cow 1st J&M Barr, Clochkeil.

2nd Thos M Raiston and sons, East Drumlemble

Devon

After the difficulties of the last few covid years, the Devon club finally met back in the early part of the Summer a lunch to announce the winners of the 2019 herd competition, yes, that was how far behind we were!

A much simplified herd competition was held in early September kindly judged by Rodney Armstrong with Annabell playing the perfect secretary to him. A great three days were had culminating in another lunch where the results and prize giving took place. We had 12 entrants which was extremely encouraging.

Full results in next journal but Robert Cornish won best herd and Chris Creeper best cow with the amazing Gargus Jemima 3. It was lovely to see some young members involved including Marcus Walters who has relatively recently moved to Devon, a keen Ayrshire man, Emily Ashford who has taken on Russell Ashford's well known Bowden herd and last but not least, 8 year old Oliver Tratt who is a very keen young up and coming stockman. He was awarded the East Church silver salver for his efforts clipping and training his Ayrshire calf.

It was good to welcome James Legg into the competition and Ollie Reed, and finally, the Murch girls from Umberleigh who shine through with their professionalism. It was also good to see our former President Ruby Tristram looking well at 93 years of age and our current president Libby Marnham.

We are planning a Christmas get together and a young breeders day in the spring. Robert Cornish is our new President and Mark Evans is secretary. North East All Breeds Dairy Show

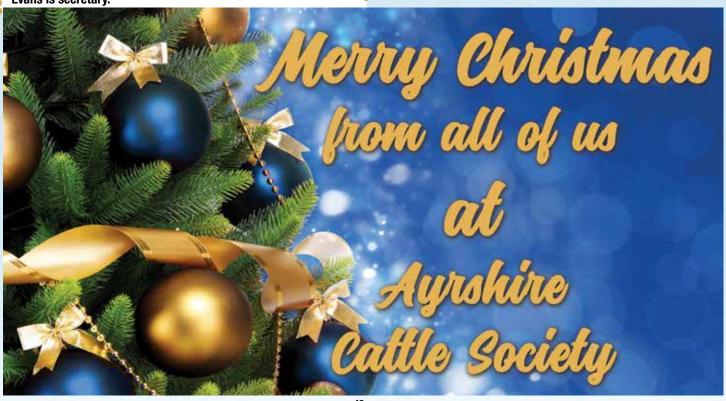
Ayrshire Showmanship Championship

Champion - Amy Sayer Reserve - Anna Waterhouse Honourable Mention - Jake Sayer

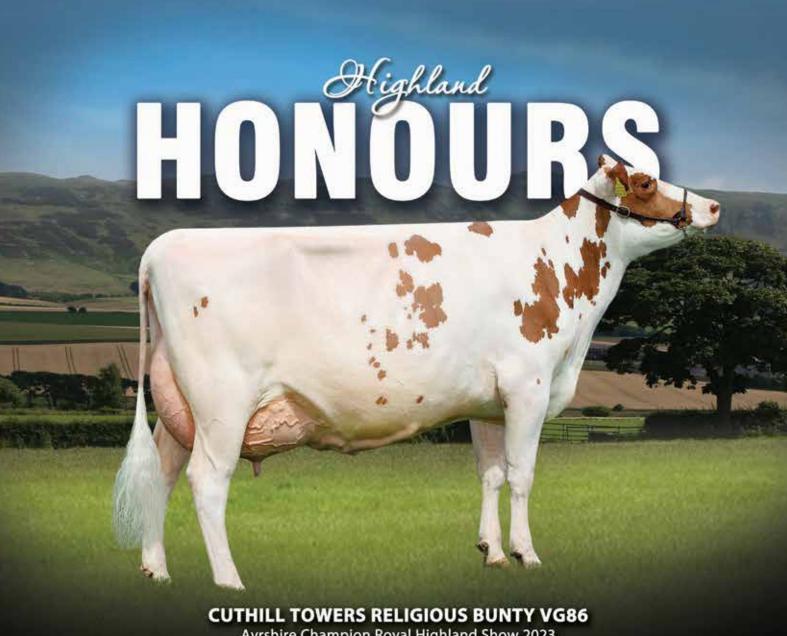
Champion Ayrshire
Cuthill Towers Gusty Mandy (JC & AM Sayer)
Reserve - Fourth Milestone Wanita 8 (J Waterhouse)

Stokesley Show 2023 Congratulations to James Danforth who took Champion Ayrshire and Supreme Champion with Moathouse Miss Ella EX90.









Ayrshire Champion Royal Highland Show 2023

Congratulations to the new owners of Cuthill Towers Horizon Rae, calf we donated to the Cull Cow scheme to raise funds for the 2024 World Conference We wish David Heasman, Pylon Ayrshires, all the best!

Bull for sale Cuthill Towers Billy Sired by Harperfield Wind in the Willows out of Cuthill Towers Miss Blondie 4 EX92



All enquiries welcome.

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LP100 COWS

awarded between 1st March and 29th September 2023

RAVENHILL TULIP 85 EX92 8E LP100 1 STAR - John Suffern

Tulip 85 is the 4th successive generation of star brood cows and the tenth generation EX/VG, which is testament to this tremendous family at Ravenhill. Sired by Ardrossen EV Kate's Trident and out of the Torpane daughter, Ravenhill Tulip 11 EX90 LP80 5 Stars, Tulip 85 has achieved her LP100 award in her 10th lactation producing averages of over 4.5% butterfat and over 3.5% Protein. Five registered daughters and two registered sons will ensure the strong attributes of this family continue.

BEELINE STAR CRUMMIE EX94 5E LP100 1 STAR — SN Bailey & Partners

This great productive cow is sired by Hunnington Kellogg Star and has achieved her LP100 status in her 11th lactation producing up to 11,668 kgs with over 800 kgs of milk solids. She has produced an impressive 10 daughters with three of them in the top grades and four still to enter the herd, which also gives her a brood cow award. The fertility on Star Crummie must be admired, calving in every year, and has gained a month from her first calving with her 11th calf.

CUTHILL TOWERS CROWN RAY EX96 7E LP100 6 STARS - A & S Lawrie

This former National Ayrshire show champion has been awarded her LP100 in her 9th lactation producing yields up to 13,286 kgs. Only her 1st lactation was under 10,000 kgs! She is sired by Ardmore Crown Napier and has produced numerous progeny with seven scored Excellent and four scored Very Good. This has helped her achieve a 6-star brood cow status so far, which will be sure to increase further soon.

CARNELL SNOWDROP 258 EX94 7E LP100 - GG Baynes & Son

A daughter of the great Carnell Snowdrop 185 EX92 5E LP60 9 Star brood cow, and full sister to another LP100 1 Star brood cow Carnell Snowdrop 242 EX92 6E, Snowdrop 258 is sired by Lagace Modem. She has consistently produced high yields through to the end of her 10th lactation. She herself has already produced a daughter by Carnell Warrior who has also gained a star brood cow award. Snowdrop 258 now resides at Marleycote and is on a flush programme to enhance this great family further under a new prefix.

KIRKINRIOLA SPW JOY VG85 LP100 - R & M King

If there were to be a prime example for superb fertility in the Ayrshire breed, then SPW Joy must be just that! She produced her first calf at 1yr 11 months and then her 11th calving at 12yrs old! She is sired by Stamford Prize Winner and out of the Brocklehill Buccaneer daughter Kirkinriola BB Joy. She has produced 6 registered daughters, 2 x Excellent, 1 x Very Good, 2 x Good Plus and has a Biddesden Hector daughter still to enter the herd.

SANDERSFARMS NEVE THISTLE EX91 4E LP100 - Sanders Farms Ltd

Neve Thistle has achieved her LP100 award in her 10th lactation and she is sired by the Swedish sire, B Jurist. Again, we see a consistent producer who exceeded 100,000 kgs in her 10th lactation. She has 3 registered daughters including a VG85 daughter sired by Pell Pers.

MUIRSIDE ANNE 5 LP100 – Muirside Farms

Muirside Anne 5 is registered in the Red and White section of the herd book and has claimed her LP100 award in her 10th lactation. She has been a consistent performer throughout her lifetime with all but one lactations producing an admirable production of over 10,000 kgs. She is sired by Durham Red and has 3 registered daughters.

LP80 COWS							
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Prefix	Owner/Breeder	Animal's Name	Sire	Lac.			
ARH	MR HARRY HOUGH	SWAITES BROWN STAR 7 EX92	WEST SPITTAL REGIMENT RED	8			
BEELINE	MESSRS S N BAILEY & PARTNERS	MORWICK JOT MITZY EX92	JOTAN RED	9			
BEELINE	MESSRS S N BAILEY & PARTNERS	BEELINE DICTATOR TRACY EX92	BRIERYSIDE DICTATOR	10			
BELLFIELD	THE COWHILL TRUST	BELLFIELD HEATH 24	HORSECLOSE MONTY	9			
BRIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE ARTIST SPARKY EX92	RIVERDANE ARTIST RED	5			
BRISCO HILL	M/S J & W COULTHARD & SON	BRISCO HILL MILES EMILY	KETBY M E MILESTONE RED	12			
CAERLAVEROCK	HOLLANDS FARM BUSINESS ACCOUNT	CAERLAVEROCK KISS 3	WELBERGER SONLIGHT	9			
CALDERVALE	M/S W S MILLAR & SON	CALDERVALE PETULA 63 VG85	CALDERVALE CROWN PRINCE	8			
CRAIGENDS	MESSRS J & J MILLAR	CRAIGENDS WILLOW 14	KNOWE SANDY	10			
CUTHILL TOWERS	MESSRS A & S LAWRIE	CUTHILL TOWERS BURDETTE REGALIA VG8	8 PALMYRA TRI-STAR BURDETTE	7			
CUTHILL TOWERS	MESSRS A & S LAWRIE	CUTHILL TOWERS KLASSIC RAY EX92	POOS STADEL CLASSIC	6			
CUTHILL TOWERS	MESSRS A & S LAWRIE	CUTHILL TOWERS PRIME BARBARA EX92	DE LA PLAINE PRIME	8			
GARTHLAND	MR J A MCCOLM	GARTHLAND TEDRA G75	GARTHLAND LANCASTER	8			
HIGH MARK	MESSRS J S WATSON	PLASKETT LUCKY CHARM 283 EX92	CHANGUE TRYST	11			
HUNNINGTON	M/S L & C WINDOW	HUNNINGTON EASLED 9 EX93	BLACKADDAR B B KELLOGG	11			
JAMARA	J E & S M SEEDALL	JAMARA CLASSIC GLADYS 2 EX93	POOS STADEL CLASSIC	8			
LANGBARNS	MR DONALD ARMSTRONG	LANGBARNS THOMASINA	WHITECROFT MR MO	10			
LANGSIDE	M/S A GRAY & SON	LANGSIDE NINETTE 33 EX91	ABS ROSCOE RED	8			

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Prefix	Owner/Breeder	Animal's Name	Sire	Lac.
LYNHER DAIRIES	LYNHER DAIRIES LTD	GADLES TAMSIN VG85	ARDMORE CROWN NAPIER	<u>10</u>
MADJESTON	MADJESTON DAIRY	MADJESTON VINCE MEGAN VG87	ROSEHILL VINCE	9
MEATHOP	MR STEPHEN HARRISON	MEATHOP ARUDOLF WAGLASS EX90	KAMPS-HOLLOW ARUDOLF-RED	10
MUIRSIDE	MUIRSIDE FARMS	MUIRSIDE MAVIS 70 GP84	CARNELL PURE TALENT	9
PAM AYRS	J POLLARD & D CORYN	PAM AYRS HAWAII FIVE-0 EX93	FAMILY-AF-AYR POKER DUNCAN	7
PARK HEAD	M/S H TINKER & SONS	PARK HEAD SUPREME POLLY 2	MIDDLE EMERALDS SUPREME	9
PARK HEAD	M/S H TINKER & SONS	PARK HEAD BC PRUDENCE	BIGGINVALE BUTTERCROWN	9
PRIESTBARROW	MR D E LIPPIATT	PRIESTBARROW BEAUTYS CLEAR 41	HARESFOOT PANAMA	9
RAVENHILL	MR JOHN SUFFERN	RAVENHILL TULIP 115 EX93	B JURIST	9
RAVENHILL	MR JOHN SUFFERN	OAKFIELD GIGI 7 EX95	STAMFORD HENRIK	10
ROSEHILL	M/S W R C & J E CHRISTOPHERS	ROSEHILL TOY FLAMENCO EX92	KILPISALON TOIVO	9
RYEMUIR	M/S WILLIAM SLOAN & CO	RYEMUIR PANACHE SPANKIE EX93	HARESFOOT PANACHE	7
RYEMUIR	M/S WILLIAM SLOAN & CO	RYEMUIR PERFEK RENA EX90	HARESFOOT SIMPLY PERFEK	7
SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS SPANGLED RUBY	SANDISFARNE MANANNAN	8
STAMFORD	M/S H W OULTRAM & CO	STAMFORD ESTHER 59 EX94	STAMFORD BREAKTHROUGH	<u>10</u>
SWAITES	M/S JOHN ADAMSON & SON	SWAITES LORNA 15 EX93	JELYCA OBLIQUE	9
TROUTBECK	FJ & M MATTINSON & SONS	TROUTBECK PORTMAN ANTIC VG85	KILLOCH PORTMAN	9
WROUGHTON	MR MICHAEL WINDEL	MILLFORD MAYFLOWER 9 VG88	PALMYRA TRI-STAR REALITY	8

LP60 COWS

Prefix	Owner/Breeder	Animal's Name	Sire	La
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ILSA CRAIG	MRS DIANE J BUCHANAN	BALLYGREGGAN GOVERNOR CUSHIE EX93	BARR GOVERNOR	
LKMONTON	MR RICHARD HARRIS	HEYDALE WINSOME 145 VG85	DUO STAR NORMANDIN	
<u>ILKMONTON</u> IRDMORE	MR RICHARD HARRIS MR W JOHN G HUNTER	ALKMONTON AMBASSADOR HELENA GP84 ARDMORE JANET 110 EX94	STAMFORD AMBASSADOR DE LA PLAINE PRIME	
ADENHEATH	M/S J & R RANKIN	BADENHEATH CHERRY BLOSSOM 144	WEST MOSSGIEL STAR	
ADENHEATH	M/S J & R RANKIN	BADENHEATH WINNIE 2	BADENHEATH GLENGOYNE	
BALLYGREGGAN	MR A C MILLAR	BALLYGREGGAN GOVERNOR PRINCESS	BARR GOVERNOR	
BEECHMOUNT	MR ROBERT MCCONNELL	BEECHMOUNT MARIE GIRL 6 EX93	BEECHMOUNT TRISTAN	
BEELINE	MESSRS S N BAILEY & PARTNERS	BEELINE TEXAS AVRIL GP83	TEXAS RED	
EELINE	MESSRS S N BAILEY & PARTNERS	BEELINE SWISS RHONA 2 EX91	BRIERYSIDE LUCKY SWISS	
BELLFIELD	THE COWHILL TRUST	BELLFIELD MYREE 218 VG88	NEXUS DREAMER	
ELLFIELD	THE COWHILL TRUST	BELLFIELD CHIME 117 EX93	KELLCREST LONGRUN	
BELLFIELD	THE COWHILL TRUST	BELLFIELD BUNT 18 EX90	HORSECLOSE MONTY	
BELLFIELD	THE COWHILL TRUST	BELLFIELD EMILY 50	STEVENSON'S SNOWSTORM	
BELLFIELD	THE COWHILL TRUST	BELLFIELD RITA 173 EX90	STAMFORD FIRST QUALITY	
BIDDESDEN BIGGINVALE	BIDDESDEN FARM PARTNERSHIP M/S R T & J I ADAMS	CUTHILL TOWERS JUMPER ASTRAL VG89 BIGGINVALE MYRTLE EX91	LESSARD JUMPER JELYCA OBLIQUE	
BIGGINVALE	M/S R T & J I ADAMS	BIGGINVALE MARK MARIE 11 EX91	BIGGINVALE GIZMO	
RIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE CLASSIC WARRIOR SYLVIA VG85	BRIERYSIDE CLASSIC WARRIOR	
BRIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE THUNDER SWAN GP83	BRIERYSIDE THUNDER	
RIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE SIR ALEX PATSY VG87	MAIR'S SIR ALEX	
RIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE ADDICTION KITTY RED VG87	MR ANSLY ADDICTION-P-RED	
BRIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE RESPECT SANDY ROSE EX94	BRIERYSIDE RESPECT	
BRIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE WARRIOR DOROTHY GP82	BRIERYSIDE CLASSIC WARRIOR	
BRIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	CALDERGLEN BRAMBLE VG88	HORIZON RANGER RED HOL	
RIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE SEA BABY 9 H379	BRIERYSIDE SUPER STAR	1
BRIERYSIDE	M/S G LAWRIE & SONS	BRIERYSIDE THUNDER PANSY VG87	BRIERYSIDE THUNDER	
BROCKLEHILL Burnside	M/S J & K RENNIE MR ROBIN YOUNG	BROCKLEHILL ELDORADO KERRY EAST DRUMLEMBLE JALNA 68	BROCKLEHILL ELDORADO AUCHENSALE LORD POTTER	
BUTTERBESLEY	MESSRS R & A CORNISH	BUTTERBESLEY VIOBULL SARAH EX93	BUTTERBESLEY VIOBULL	
CALDERGLEN	J & M BARR	CALDERGLEN CAMILLA VG86	CARNELL ASSET MAKER	
CALDERVALE	M/S W S MILLAR & SON	CALDERVALE COWSLIP 90 VG85	FLINTSTONE BRAZEN ENZO	
CANTSFIELD	MESSRS F A BROWN & SON	CANTSFIELD SANDY BETH	SANDERSON NICK	
CATCRAIG	MESSRS J & A BROWN	CATCRAIG TALENT DV VG88	WILLSBRO DV	
CLYNMELYN	MR D B & MRS C A WALTERS	CLYNMELYN LARKRISE AMBO	MILLFORD LARKRISE	
COLEG	ABERYSTWYTH UNIVERSITY	COLEG PATROLMAN EVE EX92	EAST CHURCH PATROLMAN	
COLFIN	MR WILLIAM A MCWILLIAM	COLFIN ANGELA	VISSTEIN K & L PICASSO RED	
COLFIN	MR WILLIAM A MCWILLIAM	COLFIN FLASH 36	GARTHLAND GLORIOUS	
COLFIN	MR WILLIAM A MCWILLIAM	COLFIN LAURA 12 VG85	PALMYRA TRI-STAR BURDETTE	
COTTOWN COTTOWN	MR JOHN DRUMMOND MR JOHN DRUMMOND	COTTOWN QUEST JENNI G78 COTTOWN AMBITION FAITH EX91	BALLYNAHONE HECTORS QUEST COTTOWN AMBITION	
COTTOWN	MR JOHN DRUMMOND	COTTOWN AMBITION PATTH EX91 COTTOWN RIGGINS RIHANNA 2 VG88	PALMYRA POKER RIGGINS ET	
COTTOWN	MR JOHN DRUMMOND	COTTOWN FREE BEER HARRIET GP84	TERRACE BANK FREE BEER	
COTWALTON	MR THOMAS MALKIN	MORWICK ESTELLE 10	SANDY-VALLEY COLT P-RED	
COWDRAY	COWDRAY HOME FARMS	COWDRAY MUSKETEER SNOWBALL	HILLTOWN MUSKETEER	
REECH HILL	CREECH HILL PARTNERSHIP	SWAITES BROWN WHIM 9 EX90	SWAITES DYNAMITE	
REECH HILL	CREECH HILL PARTNERSHIP	PARK HEAD KHAN FLO VG87	HARESFOOT KHAN	
REECH HILL	CREECH HILL PARTNERSHIP	PARK HEAD DREAMER BRENDA GP84	NEXUS DREAMER	
UTHILL TOWERS	MESSRS A & S LAWRIE	CUTHILL TOWERS MAGENTA EX93	PALMYRA TRI-STAR REALITY	
UTHILL TOWERS	MESSRS A & S LAWRIE	CUTHILL TOWERS ELPASO IRENE VG86	CUTHILL TOWERS ELPASO	
UTHILL TOWERS	MESSRS A & S LAWRIE	CUTHILL TOWERS HARRYS SABRINA EX91	CUTHILL TOWERS HARRY P	
UTHILL TOWERS	MESSRS A & S LAWRIE MESSRS R G & J M THORNTON	CUTHILL TOWERS BARBARIAN BEAUTY VG87 DEAN HOUSE BELLE	CUTHILL TOWERS BARBARIAN MUIR MR MAGIC	
EAN HOUSE UDLEY WOOD	M/S G HALL & SON	DUDLEY WOOD MYRTLE 68	BARR REGENT	
UDLEY WOOD	M/S G HALL & SON	DUDLEY WOOD RICKY 41	ACTON FARM SCOTSMAN	
AST CHURCH	MR M D EVANS	EAST CHURCH BUCCANEER ELSIE EX90	BROCKLEHILL BUCCANEER	
AST CHURCH	MR M D EVANS	EAST CHURCH NELSONS ROSETTA 3 EX90	MCCORNICK NELSON	
ASTFORD	CAROLINE LAWRIE & SHEILA YATES	EASTFORD ARMAN TABITHA VG86	MR APPLES ARMANI	
LERY	MR D GERAINT JENKINS	ELERY GLORY JUBILENCE EX93	WALISWOOD GLORY	
RNE	MR STEWART BAXTER	ERNE MAGENTA EX92	PALMYRA TRI-STAR REALITY	
INEVIEW	MR ROBERT D CLARK	FINEVIEW CHATTER APRIL 3 GP83	KC ROSES CHATTER T RED	
ORTFIELD	MR RAYMOND STEWART	FORTFIELD ETHEL 48 VG87	GREEN LANE WORLD LEADER	1
GARTHLAND	MR J A MCCOLM	GARTHLAND TIFFI GP83	GARTHLAND GLORIOUS	
ARTHLAND	MR J A MCCOLM	GARTHLAND WAGGLE 2 GP81	GARTHLAND LANCASTER	

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GARTHLAND	MR J A MCCOLM	GARTHLAND ADELINA VG88	WEST MOSSGIEL MODERN REALITY	8
GARTHLAND GILFACH	MR J A MCCOLM MR EMYR JONES	GARTHLAND AILEEN VG87 GILFACH TRYST MELISSA	JELYCA OBLIQUE CHANGUE TRYST	7
GLENWOOD	MR SAM WADSWORTH	FORTFIELD TULIP 38	FORTFIELD NAPOLEON	6
GOLDEN GROVE	R C & T MARTIN MR THOMAS J GORDON	GOLDEN BLASTER MARY EX90 GROVE DUSK 3 EX93	EAST CHURCH BLASTER AUCHENSALE STAR PERFORMER	<u>9</u>
HAFOD	MR MORRIS DAVIES	HAFOD BET JEAN VG85	HAFOD DREAMER BET	<u>o</u> 5
HEMSINGTON	MESSRS MAURICE COCK & PARTNERS	HEMSINGTON VELSVIK FREDA BLACK	VELSVIK	7
HEMSINGTON HEMSINGTON	MESSRS MAURICE COCK & PARTNERS MESSRS MAURICE COCK & PARTNERS	HEMSINGTON VELSVIK HAWTHORN BLACK 2 HEMSINGTON HOOEN JOSIE 4	VELSVIK HOOEN	
HEMSINGTON	MESSRS MAURICE COCK & PARTNERS	HEMSINGTON HOOEN FREDA	HOOEN	5
HEMSINGTON HEMSINGTON	MESSRS MAURICE COCK & PARTNERS MESSRS MAURICE COCK & PARTNERS	HEMSINGTON MVP POPSY BLACK HEMSINGTON GOODWHONE HELGA BLACK	SEAGULL-BAY MVP TW GOODWHONE	<u>6</u>
HEMSINGTON	MESSRS MAURICE COCK & PARTNERS	HEMSINGTON HOOEN EVELYN 2	HOOEN	6
HORSECLOSE HULTON PARK	MR JAMES A MCGARVA MR M J PARTINGTON	HORSECLOSE BESS 25 VG87 HULTON PARK TOY STORY	HORSECLOSE QUALITY BRIERYSIDE CROWN PERFORMER	<u>6</u>
HUMESTON	MESSRS IAN C GILMOUR & SONS	HUMESTON SMOKIN CULTURE	MISTY SPRINGS SMOKIN	5
HUMESTON HUNNINGTON	MESSRS IAN C GILMOUR & SONS M/S L & C WINDOW	HUMESTON MILKGIRL 70 GP83 HUNNINGTON FRAGY 17 EX93	HUMESTON HAVEN CHESHIRE VIEW MAGNUM	<u>5</u> 7
JAMARA	J E & S M SEEDALL	JAMARA WOOLLY RACHAEL EX90	JAMARA TRUST WOOLLY	6
KIRKINRIOLA KNOWE	MESSRS R & M KING MR G TEMPLETON	KIRKINRIOLA KR GRACE VG87 KNOWE WHITE LILY 643 EX90	KIRKINRIOLA ROMEO BLUMENFELD DE PRINCE-RED	<u>7</u>
KNOWE	MR G TEMPLETON	KNOWE WHITE LILY 619 EX91	BRIERYSIDE RONALDO	6
KNOWE KNOWE	MR G TEMPLETON MR G TEMPLETON	KNOWE DAINTY LASS 208 VG85 KNOWE WHITE LILY 615 VG86	BRIERYSIDE RESPECT ROSEHILL VITALITY	<u>6</u> 7
LANGSIDE	M/S A GRAY & SON	LANGSIDE MAJOR CJ EX91	LANGSIDE CACTUS JACK	6
LYNER	MR COURTNEY WALTERS	JENDALE PEACH 178	CHANGUE TRYST	9
LYNER MADJESTON	MR COURTNEY WALTERS MADJESTON DAIRY	LYNER ALEX HONEY 17 EX92 MADJESTON PANACHE BABY EX91	LYNER BRANDYSNAP ALEXANDER HARESFOOT PANACHE	1 <u>0</u> 8
MADJESTON	MADJESTON DAIRY	MADJESTON PANACHE PEAR EX93	HARESFOOT PANACHE	8
MADJESTON MADJESTON	MADJESTON DAIRY MADJESTON DAIRY	MADJESTON AMBASSADOR IRENE 2 VG88 MADJESTON AMBASSADOR UNA VG88	STAMFORD AMBASSADOR STAMFORD AMBASSADOR	<u>8</u>
MADJESTON	MADJESTON DAIRY	MADJESTON OBLIQUE LUCINDA VG86	HILLTOWN OBLIQUE	7
MAIR'S MARLBROOK	MR COLIN MAIR MARLBROOK FARMS	MAIR'S FIDELITY SHIRLEY VG88 MARLBROOK BRAZIL MAISIE	DELTA FIDELITY PALMYRA REALITY BRAZIL	<u>5</u> 7
MOATHOUSE	MR R DANFORTH	HALMYRE URR MAYFLOWER 271 EX90	HALMYRE URR HUNTERS JOE	7
MORWICK MOSSBURNHILL	M/S D A HOWIE & SONS MR ROBERT FLEMING	MORWICK JESSIE 4 GP84 MOSSBURNHILL CHERYL 12	CHARPENTIER LFG SPECTRUM BROCKLEHILL LAIRD	<u> </u>
MUIRSIDE	MUIRSIDE FARMS	MUIRSIDE DIANA 20 G79	DELTA FIDELITY	6
MUIRSIDE MUIRSIDE	MUIRSIDE FARMS MUIRSIDE FARMS	MUIRSIDE MAVIS 109 EX91 MUIRSIDE MAVIS 117 GP81	DELTA FIDELITY TOPSPEED KODAK	<u>5</u>
MUIRSIDE	MUIRSIDE FARMS	MUIRSIDE DOLLY 12 GP82	TOPSPEED KODAK	5
MUIRSIDE MUIRSIDE	MUIRSIDE FARMS MUIRSIDE FARMS	MUIRSIDE SALLY 4 GP83 MUIRSIDE BISCUIT 13 VG87	TOPSPEED KODAK RIVERDANE ARTIST RED	<u>5</u> 5
MUIRSIDE	MUIRSIDE FARMS	MUIRSIDE WREN 77 GP84	MUIRSIDE RAPID	6
MUIRSIDE NORTHNEY	MUIRSIDE FARMS A H BROWN (HAYLING ISLAND) LTD	MUIRSIDE MAVIS 87 VG87 NORTHNEY LILY 54 GP81	WEST MOSSGIEL REAL CLASS STAMFORD AMBASSADOR	<u>6</u> 8
NORTHNEY	A H BROWN (HAYLING ISLAND) LTD	NORTHNEY DIAMOND 53 G79	MAPLE-DELL MODEM DIEGO ET	10
OLD MILL OLD MILL	MESSRS G & A TAYLOR MESSRS G & A TAYLOR	BALLYGREGGAN GOVERNOR HENRIETTA VG88 OLD MILL LUSTRUM ALEXINA RED EX94	BARR GOVERNOR MAGYS LUSTRUM	<u>6</u> 7
PARK HEAD	M/S H TINKER & SONS	PARK HEAD DUNLOPS UNTOLD 2	MIDDLE DUNLOPS STAR	7
PARK HEAD PARK HEAD	M/S H TINKER & SONS M/S H TINKER & SONS	PARK HEAD KHAN GERTRUDE 2 PARK HEAD SPECIAL BUTTER GIRL	HARESFOOT KHAN FOREVER SCHOON SPECIAL K	8
PENRHOS RAVENHILL	MR R E B HUGHES MR JOHN SUFFERN	PENRHOS RAZZLE MYFANWY 3 COCHRANES OBLIQUE PRESENT EX94	WILLSBRO RED RAZZLE JELYCA OBLIQUE	<u>7</u>
RAVENHILL	MR JOHN SUFFERN	RAVENHILL QUEEN 216 EX91	RAVENHILL STORMIN NORMAN	6
RAVENHILL RIDLEY HILL	MR JOHN SUFFERN MR JAMES HOWIE	RAVENHILL MAY 77 EX94 RIDLEY HILL MARTINA 4 EX90	TERRACE BANK FREE BEER MUIR MR MAGIC	<u>8</u> 7
ROSEDALE	A A & J MYERS	ROSEDALE SANDY ROSE	BRADNOP TRIBUTE	8
RYECROFT SANDERSFARMS	M/S D & K HAWORTH SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	RYECROFT FIDELITY DUSKY 2 VG85 SANDERSFARMS TEARDROP RUBY GP83	DELTA FIDELITY GUNNARSTORP	<u>5</u> 5
SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS SHINING BLAZE VG85	GUNNARSTORP	7
SANDERSFARMS SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS SILK ARABIS VG85 SANDERSFARMS RADIANT JEWEL BLACK VG86	REGANCREST OMAN INGLES B JURIST	<u>7</u> 8
SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS STARDUST JEWEL VG85	GUNNARSTORP	6
SANDERSFARMS SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS PEACH MELODY BLACK SANDERSFARMS NIGHT PRIMROSE	SANDISFARNE LAIRD B JURIST	<u>6</u>
SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS TIZZY SNOWDROP	BOURGUEIL	7
SANDERSFARMS SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS ROSY RUBY VG86 SANDERSFARMS SCARLET RUBY GP84	UROCHER UNCHOIX	<u>7</u> 8
SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS CORAL MELODY	B JURIST	8
SANDERSFARMS SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS SILKEN FAITH VG87 SANDERSFARMS ROMILY FRANCES EX91	UROCHER B JURIST	<u>7</u>
SANDERSFARMS	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED	SANDERSFARMS VALE FAITH	GUNNARSTORP	6
SANDERSFARMS SANDYBANK	SANDERS FARMS LIMITED BATESONS FARM	SANDERSFARMS SILKSHINE RUBY EX91 HULTON PARK DORIS 2 EX90	GUNNARSTORP BRIERYSIDE WINNING HAND	
SOMERBY	MESSRS H N BARNES & SON	SOMERBY QUALITY NORMA F70	STAMFORD FIRST QUALITY	8
STAMFORD STEPEND	M/S H W OULTRAM & CO JAMES MCCRAE & SON	STAMFORD CHERRYLEAF 2 EX94 STEPEND HOLLYTREE 5	STAMFORD AMBASSADOR SCIENTIFIC DESTRY	<u>9</u> 5
STEVENSON'S	M/S M W & A STEVENSON	STEVENSON'S VANITY 107	STEVENSON'S BENJAMIN	7
SUNSHINE SWAITES	MRS LAURA NCNAUGHER M/S JOHN ADAMSON & SON	SWAITES MYRA 3 VG88 SWAITES BRIDIE 13 EX90	SWAITES DYNAMITE CHEROKEE VAN DE PEUL	<u>6</u> 6
TREROSE	MR T R DAVID CHRISTOPHERS	TREROSE BURLESQUE EX93	ROSEHILL VIAGRA	9
TREROSE TRISTAR	MR T R DAVID CHRISTOPHERS TRI-STAR GENETICS	TREROSE LASH BEAUTY VG88 SANDYFORD REAL PUNCHY EX94	LASHBURN JEOPARDY PALMYRA TRI-STAR REALITY	<u>7</u>
TRISTAR	TRI-STAR GENETICS	GLYNGARTH SALTIRE MELODY EX91	STEVENSON'S SALTIRE	9
TROUTBECK TROUTBECK	FJ & M MATTINSON & SONS FJ & M MATTINSON & SONS	TROUTBECK BOOKMARKER JESS 6 TROUTBECK SKIPPER ROBINA GP82	WEST MOSSGIEL BOOKMARKER ARDS SKIPPER RED	<u>6</u>
T-RUST	MESSRS G M & A J HARRISON	SHAUNLEA GERI 4	WEST SPITTAL REGIMENT RED	7
WASHSTONE WEST BERRIOW	MR STEPHEN CAUNTER MR A WALTERS	WASHSTONE VIOLET REID'S CRIMSON TULIP EX90	ARDMORE CROWN NAPIER BARR REGENT	<u>9</u>
WHITECROFT	MESSRS J D & B F BROADLEY & SONS	WHITECROFT BROWN GIRL 20 EX90	KAMOURASKA ROCKSTAR	6
WILLOWFIELDS WROUGHTON	MR L H BATTY MR MICHAEL WINDEL	WILLOWFIELDS WINNIE 2 EX93 WROUGHTON SUSAN EX91	WEST MOSSGIEL MODERN REALITY PALMYRA TRI-STAR BURDETTE	7
WROUGHTON WROUGHTON	MR MICHAEL WINDEL MR MICHAEL WINDEL	WROUGHTON ROSEWOOD EX90 WROUGHTON DUSK VG85	WROUGHTON LORD WINSTON MAWDESLEY BRIGHT BEAM	7 8
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FEMALE CLASSIFICATIONS awarded between 1st March and 29th September 2023

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Prefix	Owner/Breeder	VG HEIFER	FIRST TIME EX	MULTIPLE EX
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Alkmonton	Mr Richard Harris	9	12	
Allstar	Miss Evie Tomlinson	1	0	0
<u>Ardinariff</u>	Mr Ryan Douglas	0	1	0
Ardmore	Mr W John G Hunter	0	1	0
<u>Arh</u>	Mr Harry Hough	1	0	1
Atley Hill	Mr David Alderson	1	0	2
Badenheath	M/s J & R Rankin	3	2	0
Ballygrainey	Mr & Mrs Jay Warden	0	0	1
Beca	Messers J M, L M J & J B J Wheeler	1	0	<u>0</u>
Beechmount	Mr Robert McConnell	0	6	2
Bellfield	The Cowhill Trust	0	3	3
Bidlea	M/s Ray Brown & Prtns	0	0	1
Bigginvale	M/s R T & J I Adams	7	2	3
Booth's	A J Norbury	3	0	0
Bowden	Mr R J R Ashford	5	7	2
Bradnop	Messrs M J & D Needham & Son	0	3	0
Brieryside	M/s G Lawrie & Sons	5	3	1
Brinsbury	Chichester College	0	0	1
Brocklehill	Messrs J & K Rennie	1	2	2
Burnview	G Currie & Sons	0	1	0
Butterbesley	Messrs R & A Cornish	1	2	4
Calderglen	M/s J & M Barr	3	4	4
Caldervale	M/s W S Millar & Son	6	0	4
Carsenaw	M/s Charles Service & Co Ltd	2	4	3
Castledale	Mr Gavin Stockdale	0	0	
Clynmelyn	Mr D B & Mrs C A Walters	0	2	1
	Mr W A McWilliam	9	2	
Colfin				0
Coombe	Mr Brian Coombe	0		
Coombe Valley	Mr James Legg	0	1	0
Cottown	Mr John Drummond	3	3	0
Craigtown	M/s Irwin Bros	2	4	0
Creech Hill	Creech Hill Partnership	2	2	1
Cuthill Towers	M/s A & S Lawrie	12	10	8
<u>Denmans</u>	J C & A M Sayer	0	0	1
Devas	Mr C Roskilly	3	8	1
Douglas's	Ms Margaret Howie	0	1	<u>0</u>
<u>Duchy</u>	James Gay	0	1	3
Elery	Mr D G Jenkins	0	0	1
Erne	Mr Stewart Baxter	1	0	0
Fineview	R & S Clark	1	3	<u> </u>
Flintstone	M/s R A & S Arnott & Son	0	5	3
Fortfield	Mr Raymond Stewart	1	1	0
Fourth Milestone	Mr James G Waterhouse	2	1	2
Freeford	Freeford Farms	1	2	0
Garthland	John McColm Ltd	7	3	0
Gatrog	Miss Anwen Thomas	0	1	0
Glenmuir	Messrs J & A Struthers	2	0	1
Golden	R C & T Martin	1	4	1
Greenway	Mr L Rockett & Miss T Marshall	0	2	1
Grove	Mr Thomas Gordon	4	2	0
Gwynnog	Mr G R Thomas	0	0	3
Halmyre Urr	M/s L Davidson & Sons	0	3	3
Harperfield	Firm Of D M Lindsay		5	<u></u>
Harry's	Mr Harry Bolderston	<u>5</u>		<u>5</u>
Heavenly	Miss Wendy Brassington	0	2	<u>U</u>
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Heydale	M/s D W Berresford & Son	5	<u>3</u> 1	9
High Mark	Messrs J S Watson	3		4
<u>Highway</u>	Martin H Parkes Esq	1	4	6
Hilcol	Messrs C J R & S M H Evans	0	1	2
Hilltown	M/s Nicholls	18	21	33
<u>Holehouse</u>	M/s Holehouse Farms	0	1	0
<u>Hollysprings</u>	Messrs R E & J S Jones	1	0	0
Holmeswood	Andrew & Laura Rimmer	0	2	0
<u>Hunnington</u>	L & C Window	3	3	7
Inch	Messrs James Morrison & Son	1	0	0
Jamara	Mrs Sara Seedall	3	1	1
Killoch	Hugh Woodburn	0	2	<u> </u>
Kirkinriola	M/s Robert & Martin King	1	2	1
Kittochside	The National Museum Of Rural Life	1	2	3
Knowe	Mr George Templeton	11	3	2
Langside	M/s A Gray & Son	2	3	0
Lessnessock	Adam W Montgomerie	0	2	1
Lilylane	Lilylane Farms Ltd	0	2	1
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FEMALE CLASSIFICATIONS

	<u>awarde</u>	<u>d between 1st March and 29</u>	th September 2023	
Prefix	Owner/Breeder	VG HEIFER	FIRST TIME EX	MULTIPLE EX
Liverton	M/s G & B Stevenson & Sons	1	0	0
Longwood	Messrs T Crawford & Co Ltd	0	1	0
Loughshore	Mr John Ferguson	3	3	3
Lyner	Mr Courtney Walters	5	9	10
Mair's	Mr Colin Mair	1	0	0
Marleycote	Messrs G G Baynes & Son	4	8	<u>5</u>
Meldale	Mr David Mellor	1	1	0
Middle	J Whiteford & Sons	6	2	<u> </u>
Moathouse	Mr Richard Danforth	1	1	3
Morwick	Michael Howie	10	2	1
Mossburnhill	Mr Robert Fleming	1	3	2
Muir	M/s W & A Watson	0	0	<u> </u>
Old Mill	Messrs G & A Taylor	2	1	6
Orlands Mill	Mrs Linda Campbell	3	3	0
Paith	Mr Iwan Thomas	2	1	<u> </u>
Paws	Mr Paul White	0	2	<u> </u>
Plaskett	M/s Armstrong	2	2	3
Preston	M/s Williams & Sons	1	0	<u> </u>
Priestland	Mrs J McLean	0	0	<u> </u>
Ravenhill	Mr John Suffern	1	4	6
Rivermead	Mr Mark Davis	1	1	<u> </u>
Rosehill	M/s W R C & J E Christophers	13	8	7
Rosewarrick	Mr D J Nattle	1	1	0
Ryemuir	William Sloan & Co	6	2	4
Sandersfarms	A J & S M Sanders	3	2	13
Sanderson	M/s D & C Sanderson	2	3	3
Sandyford	M/s E T Tomlinson & Son	5	0	<u> </u>
Seaview	Mr James Brown	1	1	1
Slatabogie	A & L Paul	1	0	0
Stamford	M/s H W Oultram & Co	7	2	4
Stoneybridge	Mr Peter Phillips	1	0	<u>0</u>
Tessvale	Messrs R C & A L Adams Ltd	1	1	0
<u>Tontine</u>	Mr Ian Hutchinson	2	1	4
Trewmount	Alfred Emerson & Son	0	2	<u> </u>
Tristar	Mr Christopher J Creeper	0	0	3
Troutbeck	F J & M Mattinson & Sons	6	7	<u>6</u>
T-rust	Messrs G M & A J Harrison	1	0	1
Wellhouse	Firm Of J M Howie	1	0	1
West Berriow	Mr A Walters	1	0	1
West Spittal	Mr M Young	8	2	1
Whitecroft	M/s J D & B F Broadley & Sons	9	7	<u>5</u>
Whiteflat	Callum Bryson	3	1	1
Whitegate	Mr Ian D Patrick	5	5	11
Wigboro Wick	Mr John Smith	2	0	0

MALE CLASSIFICATIONS					
Prefix	Owner/Breeder	ANIMAL'S NAME	SIRE	CLASSIFICATION	
Devas	Mr C Roskilly	Devas M And M	Hunnington Mandella	VG 89	
	-	Devas Mankea	Hilltown Oblique	VG 86	
Harperfield	Firm Of D M Lindsay	Harperfield Sands Of Time	Harperfield Loch Lomond	EX 91	
Hilltown	M/s Nicholls	Hilltown Highlander	Bargower Highland Pride	VG 88	
		Hilltown Flashlight	Biddesden Hector	VG 87	
		Hilltown Border Force	Brocklehill Border Scot	VG 86	
Marleycote	Messrs G G Baynes & Son	Marleycote Musketeer	West Mossgiel Aramis	EX 90	
Meldale	Mr David Mellor	Grove Razell	Swaites Nickle	VG 86	
Middle	J Whiteford & Sons	Willowfields Cassanova	Troutbeck Progress	VG 88	
		Troutbeck Stirling	Troutbeck Progress	VG 86	
Plaskett	M/s Armstrong	Plaskett Bruno	Pam Ayrs Hawaiian	VG 86	
Stamford	M/s H W Oultram & Co	Stamford First Attraction	Stamford Star Attraction	VG 87	
Tontine	Mr Ian Hutchinson	Tontine Lolan	Harperfield Wind In The Willows	VG 86	
Whitecroft	M/s J D & B F Broadley & Sons	Whitecroft Historian	Brocklehill Bank Book	EX 93	
Whitegate	Mr Ian D Patrick	Newsham Hall Scarlet Pimpernell	Ardmore Crown Napier	EX 91	

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