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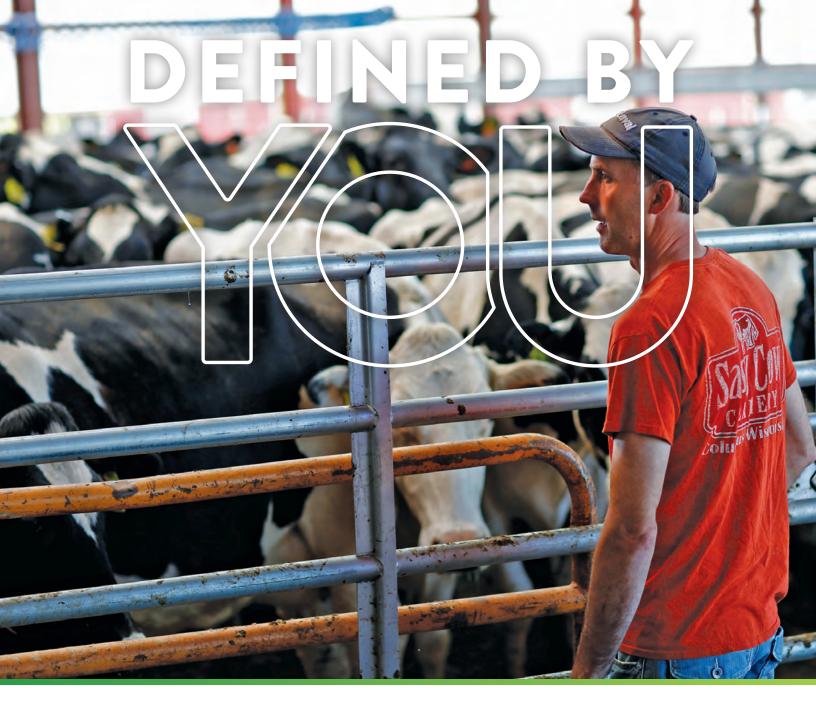


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OCTOBER

1-6: World Dairy Expo, Madison, WI 20: Fall Sale Consignment Deadline

NOVEMBER

1: Advertising deadline for December publication 18: MHA Fall Sale, CowBuyer

DECEMBER

1: Golden Gopher Futurity Entry Deadline

JANUARY

20-21: Minnesota Holstein Bus Tour

MARCH

8-9: 2024 Minnesota All-Breeds Convention, St. Cloud, MN22-24: 2024 Minnesota Junior All-Breeds Convention,

Willmar, MN

JUNE

11-15: 2024 Minnesota State Holstein Show, Stearns County Fairgrounds

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On the Cone

Grand Champion of the 2023 Midwest Fall National Holstein Show - Shir-Man Seeger Manhattan exhibited by Esperanza Cattle Co.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: Kris Gruenes



Oh my! Where has the summer gone! A lot has happened over the summer. We had a successful MN State Show in Hutchinson, MN. A huge shout out to the McLeod Holstein Club for

MHA Board President

Kris Gruenes

hosting a great show.

Olmar farms hosted a great Field Day with many activities including a judging contest, speakers on stray voltage, and guest speaker Mark Rueth who shared his judging and showmanship skills with everyone. The Nelson family went all out with the catering from the local smokehouse! What a great event for the holstein community.

We had many active participants in the district shows around the state and our Marketing Manager, Hailey and Intern Brea Keiffer helped out with each one of those district shows. Thank you to all the hosts of each of these district shows; without your help these would not be possible!

I hope everyone made great memories at the MN State Fair and the Midwest Fall National Show. A reminder that we are taking consignments for the fall online sale until October 20. I hope to see you at World Dairy Expo in October. If you have a suggestion or concern, please feel free to give me a call at any time.

> Thank you all, Kris Gruenes, MHA President







Amanda Bedtke Business Manager



Hailey Frericks Marketing Manager

Hello from the MHA office!

Another busy but fun summer is beneath us, and we can both agree that it was a great one. We started the summer off on a good note after the conclusion of the 2023 Minnesota State Holstein Show hosted by the McLeod Holstein Club in Hutchinson, Minnesota. It is always fun for us to work with members to help put on a top notch show. Congratulations to all of the breeders and exhibitors and thank you to all the volunteers who work tirelessly to host events like these!

Minnesota was well-represented at the 2023 National Holstein Convention bringing home many accolades that members should be proud of.

Brea Kieffer, wrapped up her summer as our 2023 intern in August and we couldn't be more thankful for the hard work she put in. Between attending many district shows to countless hours working on show materials Brea always approached every task in a positive manner. We will sure miss her, but wish her the best of luck as she finishes school.

At the end of August our summer show run officially came to a close at the Midwest Fall National Holstein Show. We would like to thank Bernice Van Hulzen and Tyler Peters for coming down to assist with the show. It was great to see many familiar faces and watch a tremendous amount of hard work come full circle in the show ring.

We will soon be preparing for our 2024 membership drive, sending out corporate sponsor letters and club packets. Watch your mailbox for those items to arrive this winter!

As harvest season is upon us we wish you a bountiful harvest and prayers of safety for you and your crew.

As always, please reach out to Amanda and Hailey with any questions you may have.

-Amanda and Hailey, MHA Staff

2023 MINNESOTA HOLSTEIN FALL SALE

Back this November the Minnesota Holstein Association will host its Fall Sale. The sale committee looks forward to offering consignments that meet the goals of a variety of breeders. Consignments on this sale are marketed on MHA's social media platforms, website, email blasts, and an online catalog. Breeders in both Minnesota and South Dakota should utilize this opportunity to market their outstanding genetics and cow families.

This year's sale will be held on November 18, 2023 via Cowbuyer. Bid-offs for the sale will begin at 7 PM. For those interested in consigning a lot to the sale, please contact one of the sale committee members listed on the right. The consignment deadline is October 20, 2023. There will be a \$100 flat fee for each lot consigned to the sale. A sliding commission percentage will be utilized to determine the dollar amount MHA receieves after the conclusion of the sale. All questions regarding bidding and sale lots can be direccted towards the sale commitee.

Be sure to check out this year's Fall Sale, and bid last on November 18, 2023!

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2024 Minnesota All-Breeds Convention

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY

• PDCA meeting

- Luncheon to follow with guest speaker Katie Schmitt Council on Dairy Cattle Breeding (CDCB)
- Six break out sessions from 2:00 -3:00 PM and again from 3:00 4:00 PM: cover crops, MPCA permit process, MN

Department of Agriculture programs to help pay for expansions, breeding/embryo programs, calf care, and labor crisis

• Friday Evening Social and All-Breeds banquet featuring comedian "Tim the Dairy Farmer" and live auction

SATURDAY

Breakfast with MMPA and Farm Transition speakers
 All-Breeds Board and Annual Meetings

• Luncheon and guest speaker/story teller Donna Jocene

Clubs will not be eligible for their club rebates through MHA unless a representative is present at the banquet and Holstein annual meeting!

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A SUMMER to remember

2023 MHA Summer Intern



BREAKIEFFER

It has been a busy, exciting summer interning for the Minnesota Holstein Association.

I have had the opportunity to meet and talk to so many dairy enthusiasts state wide. I am so grateful to everyone, especially the MHA board and staff who helped me develop my personal skills to be more successful during my internship and in the future. I never imagined the adventure I would endure this summer when I started in May, and it sure has been a worthy experience!

I have always had a passion for showing dairy cattle, so it comes as no surprise that my favorite part was spent attending shows as a MHA staff member. I helped at the MN State Show in June and various other district and youth shows the rest of the summer. Experiencing the "behind the scenes" work at a show was very eye opening for me. I never anticipated all the time and effort that is needed for clerking, preparing awards, taking pictures, and other various tasks that make a show run smoothly. At those shows I learned how to take breeder and exhibitor points, clerk, and post results and pictures. I also embraced some creativity during my time with MHA; I enjoyed making up some designs for MN Junior State Show and Midwest Fall National award banners.

After the MN State show, I also attended Field Day hosted at Olmar Farms, where I helped check people in and enjoyed the day meeting a lot of new faces. When I wasn't at a show or field day I had the chance to get more familiar with the MHA social media accounts and writing a breeder feature.

Throughout the summer I learned how to adopt my creative side using more extensive adobe software to make digital graphics for designs and social media accounts. I was also able to have a bigger grasp on the whole workings of shows. I am grateful for the communication, initiative, and problem solving skills I developed. I would also like to thank the Minnesota Holstein Association for giving me this great opportunity to work alongside some great people that share the same passion as me for the dairy industry!

The Minnesota Holstein Association would like to thank Brea for her hard work this summer. Best of luck in your future pursuits!





BELOW: Brea posting online results for the Midwest Fall National Holstein Show with other show staff.



SCHMITY HOLSTEINS

Jon and Kim Schmit own and operate Schmity Holsteins in Owatonna, Minnesota. The farm has been in operation by the Schmit family for approximately 140 years. Today, they milk 220 cows in a double five flat parlor and farm around 250 tillable acres.

The farm is a fifth generation dairy operation. Jon grew up milking 40 grade holsteins with his parents. After attending and graduating from the University of Minnesota in 2004, Jon had plans to buy his own herd with his brother. Together the two bought their neighbors 50 cow registered holstein herd and rented their facilities for five years. In 2009, Jon and his brother decided to buy out their parents and expand to 200 cows. They built a new freestall barn and the double five flat parlor with automatic take offs, that could handle 60-70 cows an hour. A new calf barn was built in 2014 and the following year they put up a new heifer barn as well. Jon eventually bought his brother's half of the farm in 2019, and he now milks 220 registered holsteins and a few jerseys.

Schmity Holsteins is a proud, family run operation, with "all family besides a few part-time employees" running the farm. They have a few part-time highschoolers that help milk cows in the evenings. Besides Jon, the other family members that help on the dairy include: Jon's brother-in-law, Chris Slater, who works full-time doing field work, mixing feed and mechanical work; Jon's nephew milks cows; and Jon's dad is involved with the day-to-day work on the farm such as feeding calves and youngstock, assisting with odd jobs and driving tractor. Kim is currently not involved with the on-farm work and has a job off the farm.

Jon Schmit joined the Minnesota Holstein Association in high school and has been an active member for 25 years. He first joined to learn more about registered holsteins after purchasing a few of his own. Jon remembers wanting "to get more involved with the dairy in our community." He is now the president of his local Holstein club, the I-35 club, which he joined in high school. Maximizing forages with cover crops

The Schmits have found great value in using cover crops to increase the amount of feed they can harvest from the land. When they harvest corn for silage in the fall, they like to plant triticale and winter rye as a cover crop, which then gets cut in mid-June for

heifer feed and extra cow feed. After that is harvested, they go in and plant some corn and the rest with a sorghum sudangrass mix.

Jon said "[Harvesting cover crops] allows us to add a lot more feed without buying feed, so by double cropping we gained a lot in forage production, which results in buying a lot less dry hay and heifer feed, which gives us a lot more opportunities."

With the 250 acres the Schmits farm, "everything we grow we feed" Jon said. 125 acres are used for corn silage. The reminder grows alfalfa or sorghum mix, and cover crops including triticale and sorghum sudangrass.

Breeding goal focused over the years

When genomics started getting hot in the dairy industry, the Schmit's found great success early on. They were on the cutting edge, selling high genomic bulls and embryos. In those early years, they focused on the number side of things like high index and high production.

Since the increased popularity in the genomics industry, their breeding goals have changed slightly. "The last few years it's been hard to compete" Jon says.

Schmit's still use about 95% high genomic bulls with high production, high fat and protein, along with key health traits. They also come a long way in terms of expansion within look for type, especially the bulls that provide strength and depth of body.

"We want cows that are going to last" said Schmit. "Over the years we've bred [cows with legs that are] too straight and posty. We now focus more on legs. Not using the extreme posty bulls anymore, but aiming for the middle, the more ideal foot and leg.

Schmit's run a standard double ovsynch reproduction program. Every cow starts the program on 50 days in milk and are bred by 75-80 days in milk. They use the AI 21 SCR ear tags for heat detection and watch rumination to monitor the overall health of each cow. They breed off of heats from the SCR system. Most of the heifers are bred from natural heats observed from the SCR as well. Ion still does a little flush work on his better heifers and cows but not as much as in the past.

Although Schmity Holsteins has not been too involved in the genomic market for a few years, they still flush some higher type animals. They have a few show families they continue to develop, with multiple cows

scored excellent. The Schmits lease some animals out to Jon's niece and stepdaughter to show at the local fair. Besides those few show animals, the rest of the herd is bred for production and functional type.

Nappy paved the way

One foundation cow Jon is very proud of is Schmity Bojangles Nappy VG-86, who is a Gold Medal Dam born in 2008. She was a high genomics cow that Schmit had a lot of fun working with. She flushed well and they sold many high progeny and embryos. Jon mentioned a daughter went to Oakfield Corners and he sold a few bulls to AI as they continued to develop the family.

Nappy had a big influence on the herd with a quarter of the herd tracing back to the Nappy cow family. Nappy was Schmit's first cow to produce more than 200 pounds of milk per day.

"All her offspring are very high production cows. She even had some daughters that made 50,000-pound records," exclaimed Ion.

For all of these reasons and more, Jon believes Nappy was the cow that had the biggest impact on Schmity Holsteins. Looking into the future

Jon explained that Schmity Holsteins has the last 10 years and the dairy is sitting right where he wants it to be.

Jon's current goal is to "just try to do a better job at what we do." They would like to stay at milking around the 220 cow range and continue to be more successful at it.

"We used to push the cows a lot harder [production-wise]. We used to get over 90 pounds of milk and our components were not as high," Schmit said. "Now we are averaging around 88 pounds [of milk] with a 4.25% fat and 3.45% protein, so our herd average has been climbing in the past few years due to the things we've done with different feed, breeding, and improved overall management."

Currently the herd is at 28,015 pounds of milk, 1,163 pounds of fat, and 952 pounds of protein. In the future, Jon would like to continue increasing pounds of milk, bettering his components, while also improving management on the farm.

Wrote by: Brea Kieffer

2023 DISTRICT SHOW RESULTS



JULY 3, 2023 | DISTRICT VI HOLSTEIN SHOW

LOCATION: CANNON FALLS, MN · JUDGE: ERIC WACHTENDONK Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Go-For Sidekick Maggie | Megan & Jacob Gochnauer Reserve Grand Champion & Reserve Senior Champion: Marmax Addison Juliette-RED | Kandy-Kreek Junior Champion: Oakfield Handshake Majestic | Clint & Erica Irthum Reserve Junior Champion: Faye-Acres Select Lady Moolah | Faye-Acres Premier Breeder: Lone-Oak Acres Premier Exhibitor: Square Deal Dairy

JULY 26, 2023 | DISTRICT I HOLSTEIN SHOW

LOCATION: ROCHESTER, MN · JUDGE: BEN WALLACE

Grand Champion & Intermediate Champion: Sheeknoll Unstopabull Charm | Sheeknoll Farms Reserve Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Gar-Lin Risen Star 9220 | Vincent Migliazzo Res. Senior Champion: Raylore Doorman Aria | Madison Weis Res. Intermediate Champion: Sheeknoll Thunder Storm Kya | Sheeknoll Farms Junior Champion: Sheeknoll T-Storm Kayla | Sheeknoll Farms Res. Jr. Champion: Raylore Warrior Tesla-Red| Lauren Weis Premier Breeder & Exhibitor: Sheeknoll Farms





JULY 26, 2023 | DISTRICT XIII HOLSTEIN SHOW

LOCATION: SAUK CENTRE, MN · JUDGE: ANDREW STUEWE Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Ryberg MCC Emmy Lou | Ryberg Holsteins Reserve Grand Champion & Reserve Senior Champion: Ryberg Tatoo Turquoise | Ryberg Holsteins Junior Champion: Tri-Emerald All-In-RED-TW | Tyler Ratka Reserve Junior Champion: Melarry D-Lambda 2589-ET| Atley Gruba

Premier Breeder & Exhibitor: Ryberg Holsteins

AUGUST 5, 2023 | DISTRICT X HOLSTEIN SHOW

LOCATION: BAGLEY, MN · JUDGE: STEVE SEARLES Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Kara-Kesh Dback Jazz | Seth Rupprecht Reserve Grand Champion & Int Champion: Mursu Sidekick 9741-ET | Jeremy Mursu Reserve Senior Champion: Lida-Acres Ambition Fiona | Seth Rupprecht Reserve Int Champion: MS Doc Hi-Light | Thad Schlauderhaff Junior Champion: Mursu Sidekick 9946 | Jeremy Mursu Reserve Junior Champion: Lida-Acres Sidekick Tesla | Olivia & Maddie Johnson Premier Breeder: Lida-Acres



2023 DISTRICT SHOW RESULTS

AUGUST 7, 2023 | DISTRICT IV HOLSTEIN SHOW

LOCATION: PIPESTONE, MN · JUDGE: TONY KOHLS

Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Flashy-M-W Amaretto-ET | Flashy Holsteins Reserve Grand Champion & Intermediate Champion: Mat-Ar-Dor Warrior Roni-RED | Mat-Ar-Dor Holsteins Res. Sr. Champion: Elm-Lane Jordy Jada-RED | Elm-Lane Holsteins Res. Int. Champion: Fortale Mirand Lea-ET | Newalta Dairy Junior Champion: Twist-View Warrior 6089-RED | Twist-View Genetics Res. Jr. Champion: Crescentmead LC Luau-RED-ET | Flashy Holsteins Premier Breeder & Exhibitor: Newalta Dairy





AUGUST 11, 2023 | DISTRICT V HOLSTEIN SHOW

LOCATION: WACONIA, MN · JUDGE: TONY KOHLS

Grand Champion & Intermediate Champion: Lady Prance A Lot-ET | Stu-Felt Holsteins Reserve Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Vale O Skene Gldwn Kareb | Feltmann Dairy Res. Senior Champion: Lady Rose Peace Achieved | Stu-Felt Holsteins Res. Intermediate Champion: Bevens Creek Cyrus | Dean & Maddie Worm Junior Champion: Stu-Felt Dilly Bar-ET | Stu-Felt Holsteins Reserve Jr. Champion: Flower-Brook Ginn-Red-ET | Andy Stuewe Premier Breeder: Hoen Feist Family Premier Exhibitor: Feltmann Dairy

AUGUST 21, 2023 | DISTRICT II HOLSTEIN SHOW

LOCATION: OWATONNA, MN · JUDGE: TONY KOHLS Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Schmity Monterey Shadow | Brad Rugg Reserve Grand Champion & Reserve Senior Champion: Pine-Shelter Cerea Dormn-ET | Pine-Shelter Farms Intermediate Champion: Schmity Double-Down 1488 | Leased by: Ali Slater Res. Intermediate Champion: Schmity Artist 1610 | Leased by: Madison Homuth Junior Champion: Strans-Jen-D Dnvr Tenacious | Stranshome Holsteins Res. Jr. Champion: Holmacres Alt Skittles-RED | Mary Franz Premier Breeder: Schmity Holsteins Premier Exhibitor: Lorenzland Dairy



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL 2023 DISTRICT SHOW BREEDERS & EXHIBITORS!

THANK YOU TO ALL THE SHOW HOSTS AND ORGANIZERS!

FIELD DAY

2023 | RECAP

HOSTED BY OLMAR FARMS

Around one hundred Minnesota Association members and guests gathered at Olmar Farms, for the 2023 Minnesota Holstein Association Field Day on July 29, 2023. Those in attendance enjoyed perfect weather and had the opportunity to socialize and enjoy a great smokehouse barbeque meal. In addition, guests were able to tour Olmar's operation and see some of their impressive cow families. Throughout the day the judging contest occurred, it included two cow classes and one heifer class for members to judge and compete in.

Some amazing speakers also presented, Mark Rueth from Rosedale Genetics gave an excellent presentation and demonstration on the do's and don'ts for presenting cattle for the show ring. During the same time Larry Neubauer with Concept Electric and Noble Salisbury from Salisbury Electric presented about their extensive and experienced knowledge on the topic of stray voltage in dairy facilities. The day ended with the announcement of the judging contest winners and some great door prizes. Thank you to the Brian & Jill Nelson family for their great hospitality and willingness to be this year's Field Day host.











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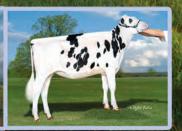


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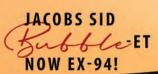




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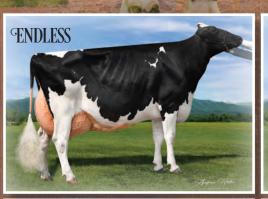
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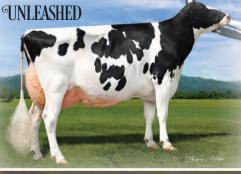
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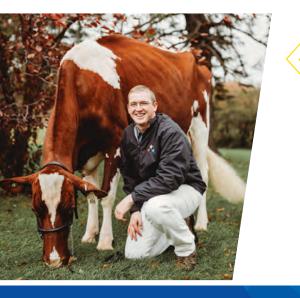


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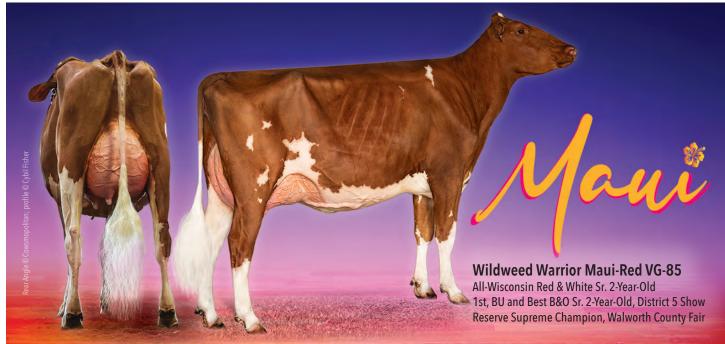
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Maui is a Warrior from an EX Ladd that goes back to Hillcroft Leader Melanie EX-96. She has a sharp spring calf by Altitude and is due back again in March to sexed Altitude. Thank you to everyone who has been part of Maui's success this summer. Stop by and see her in the Smith-Crest string during WDE!



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Terseys and Holsteins will be ottered, make plans to attend!

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All-Michigan Jersey Show Highlights -Vitality Eye Candy (Chocolate Chip) - 2nd Spring Calf Vitality Jusayin (Getaway) - 2nd Winter Calf Evel Kid Rock Recoil-ET (Kid Rock) - 2nd Fall Calf Miss Ferdinand Finley (Ferdinand) - 3rd Fall Calf Miss M-Signature Frank Violet (Frank) - 3rd Spring Yearling Vitality Frilly Frock (Ferdinand) - 1st Winter Yearling/Honorable Mention Junior Champion Vitality Jitter Bug (Casino) - 2nd Winter Yearling **1st Junior Best Three Females**



at Achievement

On August 23rd, we classified our whole herd and results are back in from Holstein USA

EX • 56 VG • 13 GP • AND NONE LOWER ON 90 CO

With that, our newest BAA has finally broken through the barrier we have been knocking on for years for an end score of 110.1!! On that Wednesday, in particular, we had 13 VG two year olds and 11 EX cows get scored. Of those excellent cows, five newly reached the achievement and three cows earned another "E" to their name. That included Starward Atwood Holly-ET obtaining her third "E" back in milking form at the age of 9-08, owned with BSP.

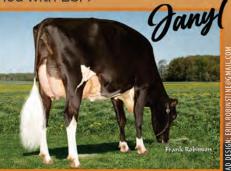


LONG-HAVEN ET EX94-3E DAUGHTERS: Starward Crush Reba-ET EX90-90MS @4-2 Starward Avalanche Rally-ET VG87-90MS @4-5 Starward Master Raven-ET VG87-87MS @2-8

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ATWOOD JANYL EX92 DAUGHTERS:

Starward Crush Janna EX90-92MS @5-11 Starward Rager Jayda VC88-88MS @3-5 Starward Denver Jazzie VG87-90MS @2-5

LEADING LADIES FROM THE

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2-01 305 21,104M 4.1% 868F 3.2% 674P 3-00 305 30,737M 3.9% 1189F 3.1% 949P 365 34,593M 1386F 1099P 4-05 295 30,947M 3.7% 1158F 3.1% 948P Sire: Ruti Appleboy-Red Dam: St Genomicpro 60608-Red Rosie has multiple high scoring Gold Medal Dams and Dams of Merit in her Pedigree.

Her 7th dam is the great Robthom Ivory Mark EX-94 GMD DOM

ROSIE HAS:

2 daughters

Sunnyville Ledyard Rosemary

- ▶ Granddaughters on the ground
- Sunnyville Dbac Rosetta-Red VG-85
 2 by Doral-Red
 - one by Warrior-Red

Rosie has Warrior embryos due March of 2024 She is due December 2, 2023 to Cycle Ron Burgundy-Red

SUNNYVILLE DO



- placed second at the Ohio State Fair in the Red and White Spring Calf class
- Res Jr Champion District 10 show
- Reserve Jr Champion Henry County Fair

Sire: STGen Doral-Red-ET Dam: Sunnyville Rager Maroon-Red VG-86



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We've worked together with our children, Jake & Paige to build this exceptional herd of Holstein cattle, and now we're excited to have this sale and watch their legacy carry on with new breeders.

The cows have made tons of memories for us including District Show champions and Breeder Banners, 10 All-American nominations, a Jr. All-American Red & White and 2 Honorable Mention All-Americans.

We'll be selling approximately 130 cows, springers, heifers and calves, both Black & Whites and Red & Whites. 125 of them are from Excellent dams and/or grandams, with the vast majority from multiple generations of Excellent and Very Good and up to 8 generations of Excellent!

Please join us at the farm or on Cowbuyer as we celebrate!

Tab Prudence EX94 3E (96MS) 249,000 lifetime Inspiration Egypt EX92 5E GMD DOM 301,000 lifetime

Advent Magic EX94 2E 5th gen EX

Debonair Lavendar EX94 2E (95MS) Nom. Jr AARW Sr.2, 2013

Dundee Rhianna EX93 2E (95MS) Nom. Jr AA Sr. 2, 2012

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EX91



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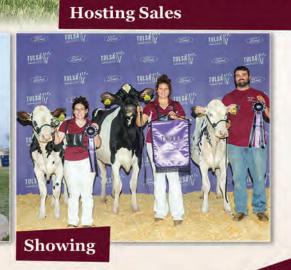
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4-04 365d 32,720# 4.8F 1,569# 5-09 365d 34,390# 4.6F 1,590#

RX-941-213

SIRE: Louiselle Equation-ET DAM: Irwindale Bradnick Teri VG-87 4-03 363d 31,820# 3.4F 1,097# 2ND DAM: Irwindale Talent Tiny VG-87 4-11 365d 35,890# 3.9F 1,382#

Tara has over 160,000 LTD and was the 2023 All-Illinois 150,000# cow. She is projected 7-03 305d 33,165# 4.4F 1,461. She has three daughters an EX Armani, and two fancy heifers sired by Crushabull and Sidekick.

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Ja-Bob Holsteins

I have been called to lead a dairy project at an orphanage next year for Eternal Families Tanzania. For this reason, I am selling our herd at Ja-Bob Holsteins. While it comes with great emotionallycharged feelings, I know that God will use our efforts to feed and provide milk for the children of Eternal Families. I see this as a good use of my time and knowledge I have gained in the dairy industry for over 50 years and my passion to help "the least of these." ~ Mark Yeazel

NOVEMBER 10, 2023 | AT THE FARM | EATON, OHIO

What might you expect to find at the Ja-Bob Kolsteins Dispersal?

Our herd is based on the genetics of Sky-Hi Mars Helen-ET RC EX 92, who to date has more than 100 bulls in AI that trace to her maternal female lines and hundreds more that trace maternally through the male side. Helen has over 350 known Excellent maternal female descendants in eleven countries around the world, including USA, Canada, England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Spain, Denmark, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Switzerland and Australia. She has over 1000 maternal female descendants that scored VG in twelve different countries. Today almost 60% of our herd comes from the Helen family, including a couple of lines with 9 and 10 generations of EX tracing directly to Helen!

You will find over 100 red Holsteins selling. More than 100 are polled with 40+ being homozygous polled. Another 40+ are tested A2A2 and at least 12 linebacks. You will finds 6 that are the trifecta of red, PP and A2A2. Two other trifectas of red, PP and lineback.

A Few Sale Highlights.

57 cows over 1000 fat, 20 over 1300 fat, with one over 2000 fat 30 cows over 1000 protein, with at top cow at 1400 protein Selling 100 units of Ja-Bob Jordan Red semen, 200 units of semen from sires that carry the Slick gene, and the last 15 units of conventional and 5 units of sexed semen in the US on Falonasprings Jacot Hulk P Red

JOLLY P RED: Tenth generation EX Helen, 2000 fat, embryos exported, contracted for son and sells as a donor dam. Sells with VG 88 Malki daughter, Jovanatti daughter and Heilo daughter. Pregnancies due before sale by Advent and Stefan. RACHEL-RED: Ex 92 Addiction, 1600 fat, maternal sister to Rex, our featured cow in the Holstein International article last year HAVA P RC: EX 94 ninth generation EX Helen 1400 protein. Sells with sisters by Rex and daughters Barcuda and I Am Red. GALA P: EX Armani, 1800 fat, sells w/daughters by Salva, and Lucky REX PP RED: 7 red, homozygous polled daughters sell, including his first EX daughter and four full sisters from Holly P Red, 9th generation EX Helen

Holly P Red, 9th generation EX Helen SLICK: 20 slick animals for heat tolerance sell, sired by Rubels, Sinba, Heilo, England, Redwings, Nipit PP Red, I Am PP Red, Rompun, Solar P, and Broker HEIFERS: Sired by Boeing P Red, Nipit PP Red, Redeye P Red, Redwings Red, Rompen Red, Hulk P Red, Latenite P Red, Redstar Red, Launch PP Red, I Am PP Red, Rubels Red, Fireball P Red, Highwire Red, Addiction P Red, Mambo SL Red, Ranger Red and Challenger Red

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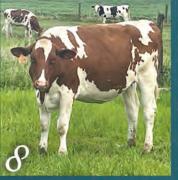












- 91 N
- One of several Ja-Bob Horizon P Red daughters that will sell
 Danger daughter from VC 88 sister to
- **2:** Ranger daughter, from VG 88 sister to Hulk, then 7 generations EX Helens
- 3: Slick & polled Rubels... full sister to Ja-Bob Hallmark SL P Red at ABC Genetics... projected over 30,000 milk as 2-year-old
- 4: Polled Redeye from VG 88 Outlaw, bred to Launch PP Red and due after the sale
- 5: Two slick bred heifers. One sired by Slick England Shottle from New Zealand and the other by Solar P
- 6: Rubels daughter. Due to Easy Off PO RC on October 28
- 7: Slick Rompen Red bred heifer due to Slick Gator Nippy SL P RC! Could she be carrying a homozygous slick calf?
- 8: Hayley, sired by Bert-Mar Axel Red, due before the sale to Hornet Red. Dam is Ja-Bob Pembroke Happy Red VG 86, then seven generations EX Helens
- 9: Homozygous polled Kitami daughter
 10: Ja-Bob Kad Rave P RC to calve before sale due to Horizon P Red. VG with two records over 1600 fat. Helen family
- A uniquely marked 100% Holstein, sired by I Am PP Red x Catch On X ten generations EX Helens and homozygous polled
- 12: Ja-Bob Kad Holly P Red EX has ten descendants in the sale and Ja-Bob Bayonet Hava P RC EX 94 is on the sale also with ten descendants selling
- 13: We purchased these Calf-Tel individual pens in February 2023. Enough panels for ten pens, buckets and bottles will sell at our dispersal
- 14: VG 87 Citation just fresh with 6th calf, best record 35,000 Helen family. Ten generations of VG or EX











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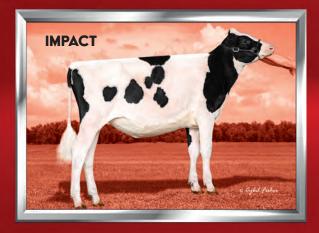
RETS!

2-00 305 3x 27,228M 3.9% 1064F 3.1% 855P Sired by Avalanche and daughter of Our-Favorite Unlimited EX-94 2023 Intermediate Champion, District 1 Holstein Show No Regrets has a September daughter by Thunder Storm – 2023 Junior Champion, Northern Wisconsin State Fair; 11th Fall Calf, 2023 Midwest Fall National Holstein Show.

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Redline Jagger Impact - daughter of Ideal 1st Winter Calf, District 1 Holstein Show 1st Winter Calf, Northern Wisconsin State Fair 2nd Winter Calf, Wisconsin Junior State Fair 1st Winter Calf and HM Jr. Champion, Midwest Fall National Holstein Show

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EX-90

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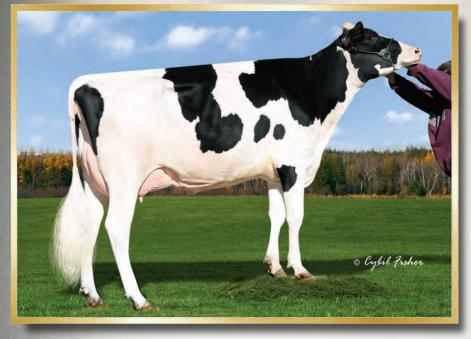
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BRANDY DAUGHTERS

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Jenniton Helix Jamie VG-85

PTA +1849M +94F +56P 2-7 332D 27,370M 4.8% 1,302F 3-8 365D 35,950M 4,3% 1,542F

BRANDY'S OFFSPRING

BETH DAUGHTERS

Jenniton JoSuper Maya VG-88 PTA +1480M +118F +66P GTPI +2800 2-4 365D 28,520M 4.8% 1,361F 3.3%P

Jenniton Magnitude Lilliana GTPI +2963 Former #1 Magnitude daughter

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Golden Oaks O Arriel-Red-ET EX-92 2E | *Olympian x Aria EX-92 x Apple EX-96* 6-06 345 28,630 4.6 1305 3.4 976 | LIFE 136,860 3.9 5359 3.2 4429 Arriel was purchased as part of flush lot from the National RW Sale. She's a ninth generation EX back to Apple and has more than 50 descendants.

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Daughters of Arriel EX-92 2E

• A Hypnotic EX-90 EX-MS @ 3 YRS with 2-3 312 25,340 4.0 1014 3.4 867

- A Loyola-P EX-91 VEEEE with 365 42,800 4.0 1695 3.2 1377 and Life 124,250 3.9 4799 3.3 4089
- VG-87 EX-MS and VG-85 Rubels
- JUST FRESH daughters by Fitters Choice and Latenite
- Additional daughters by Latenite, Anaylst, Fitters Choice and Warrior-Red

• Pregancies coming by Dropbox, Maximum, Doral, Hastoric, Altitude, Advancer and Turbo-Red Embryos have been shipped to Europe and daughters sold to Canada

Daughters of Crush Always EX-91

Always

- EX-90 Jordy with 27,000 900 825 in 305 with 3 Luxor daughters
- EX-90 3Y Warrior with Latenite and Analyst daughters
- GP-82 Jordy with 4 Luxor daughters
- VG-88 Warrior with Turbo-Red and Tango-Red embryos
- Sugar-C Warrior Trish-Red-ET VG-88 sold to Dymentholm Genetics
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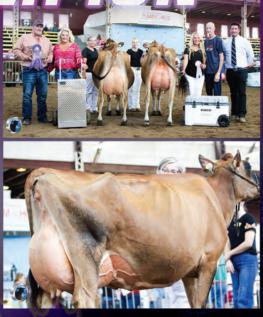
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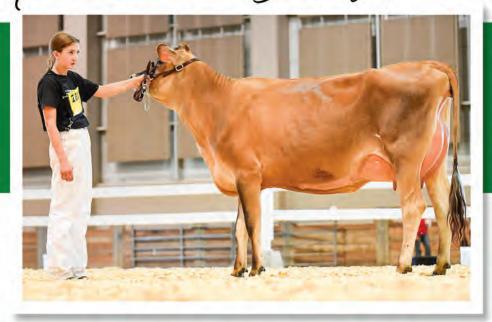
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MICHIGAN STATE FAIR HIGHLIGHTS:

YOUTH SHOW:

- Reserve Supreme Cow, Pleasant-Meadow Lexie Lilac
- Grand Champion Holstein, Pleasant-Meadow Lexie Lilac
- Reserve Grand Champion Holstein, Pleasant-Meadow Doc Adage
- Junior Champion Holstein, Pleasant-Meadow L Charlie
- Reserve Champion Jersey, Haws FF Jeronimo Diva
- Junior Champion Jersey, Haws Red Hot Mort Donita

OPEN SHOW:

- Reserve Grand Champion Holstein, Pleasant-Meadow Lexie Lilac
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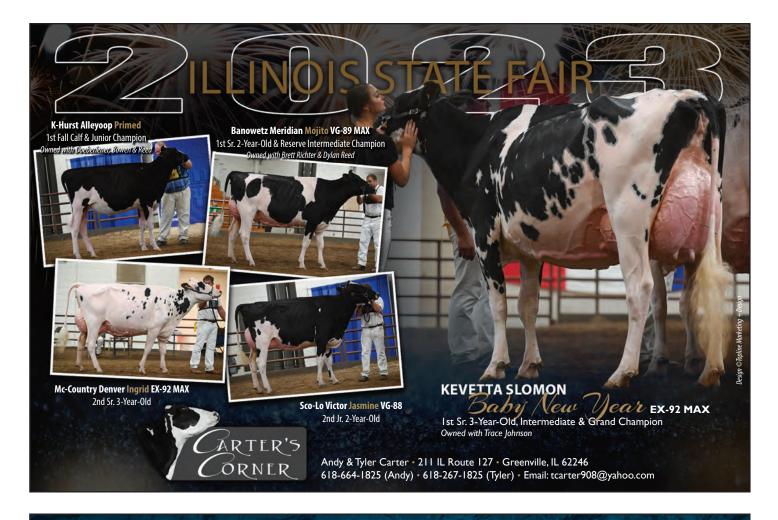
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KLINGENDALE **TATOO MILLY** 2-07 VG-87 VG-87MS Fresh in June 77lbs Aug Test King Doc calf sells Short bred Chief Sister and July Sidekick sisters Sell Dam: EX-92 93MS McCutchen Sells 3-05 365D 34,846M 1,622F 993P

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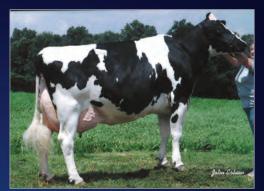
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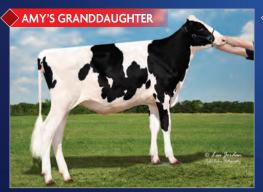
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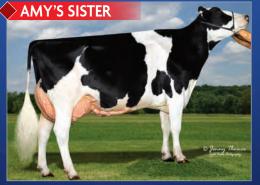
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BREEDER SPOTLIGHT – STEFFES REGISTERED HOLSTEINS



S teffes Registered Holsteins is a fifth-generation family farm located in Elizabeth, and the host of the 2023 Illinois Holstein Fall Picnic. The farm milks 420 cows and farms 450 acres of corn and 250 acres of alfalfa with all being used to provide feed for the dairy. Karen Steffes, Dennis and Jane Steffes and Austin and Darcy Ertmer strive to produce high-quality milk and provide the best care to the animals and the land.

Dennis' parents bought the farm in 1970. They started with ten cows, and the milk was carried to a can body given to them from the milk man. Since then, the farm has undergone several updates and expansions. A 38-cow stanchion barn was built in 1971. In 1978, the stanchion barn addition was built to grow the herd to 93 cows. This barn was updated to freestalls and houses bred heifers and dry cows today. In 1999, the parlor was built, and in 2003 the first three-row freestall barn was completed. In 2012, the four-row freestall barn was finished, and the new Lely robot facility started milking cows in January 2023.

The matriarch of the herd is Steffes Durham Cinnamon EX-91. She has more than thirty descendants in the herd today

– from calves up to milk cows. Other homebred herd favorites include Steffes Jacoby Thunder Rolls EX-92, 94 MS; Steffes Corvette Finally EX-92; Steffes Novo Rocky EX-92; Steffes Dempsey Crimson Clover VG-89-3Y and Steffes Diamondback Shadow EX-91.

Other exciting cows include RJR-BH Goldwyn 1154-ET EX-95. She hails from an EX-93 full sister to Barbie. Her daughters include RJR Aftershock Destiny-ET EX-93 with descendants by Gold Chip, Unstopabull, Hancock, Warrior, Showtime, Select, Crush, Summerfest, Unix and Hanans. Also,



RJR Sid 3275-ET EX-90 with daughters by Diamondback and Hancock and Arethus GS Van Ireland-ET VG-86.

One Red and White Holstein of interest is Kara-Kesh-RK Sapphire-Red VG-87. She is an Armani from Plattvu Advent Sarah-Red EX-94 and is from the same family as Kara-Kesh-RK Jacot Selene – the 2022 Junior All-American Summer Junior 2-Year-Old.

When selecting bulls to use, the farm focuses on type, sound feet and legs, quality udders and strong milk production. The goal is to breed balanced cows that will stand the test of time. With the herd transitioning to robots, the linear for teat placement is also reviewed. Service sires include Showtime, Hancock, Handsome, Summerfest, Artist, Tatoo, Fitters Choice, Crushabull and Sidekick.

The Steffes family began planning for their most recent update as their existing facilities were overcrowded. The parlor was designed to handle 250 cows (and the family was milking 425 cows) with limited holding area space. In addition, milking three times a day in the parlor allowed only two hours down time. The family was at a cross-roads to build another freestall

> barn and parlor or a robot facility. They decided to build a robot facility – not only for the comfort of the cows, but also for the labor benefit.

> The barn is outfitted with four Lely robots. It is tunnel ventilated and has 240 stalls. The stalls are sand bedded once a week and automatic alley scrapers run every three hours. There is an auger at the end that transfers manure to the holding tank. There is also a bedded pen at the beginning of the barn that can be used for show cows or special needs cows.

> When planning for their start-up, the Stef-



fes family made several decisions they believed would ease the transition. Cows are fed gluten pellets in the robot as this was something the cows were already used to in their diet. The family felt introducing a new feed would have been difficult and might have resulted in reduced visits to the robot. The Steffes family also tried to keep cows that were in the same freestall group together to reduce the stress of regrouping in addition to the cows moving to a new milking facility and freestall barn.

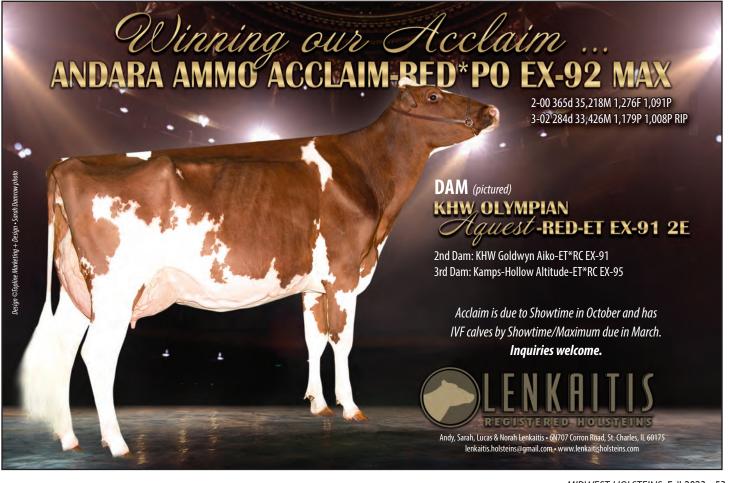
The robotic milking facility began milking cows in January 2023. Overall, the Steffes family feels the cows transitioned very well. One of the biggest compliments they received during start-up was the cows are very friendly and easy to work. The family feels this contributed to the success they had during the first week of the transition. The first group they took to the robots was the bigger cows that didn't fit well in the parlor anymore and were the highest producers. The family saw these cows immediately thrived – the cows adjusted well to flexibility of milking intervals that comes with robots and appreciated that the facility that fit their size, too.



From the first day, the Steffes family began observing the cow comfort benefits of the new facility for the entire herd. Cows had a stall to lie down in and became comfortable setting their own schedule to get milked in the robot. The automatic scrapers also keep the herd's feet cleaner, and the tunnel ventilation keeps fresh air moving – reducing the incidence of heat stress this summer.

Trusting in automation and letting it do what it is designed to do can be challenging according to the Steffes family. However, there is a lot of information to help manage the herd and each cow. The family reviews data on rumination, activity, temperature, SCC and milk production. A fetch cow list and health report list are reviewed regularly throughout the day. Each family member also has access to the information on their cell phones.

The Steffes family is very happy with the results of the transition for the cows and the people working with the cows. They are looking forward to continuing to enjoy the new facility with their cows. For others looking at making a similar transition, they emphasize the importance of planning. They recommend looking at every option at several farms at different times of the year to understand how it will work on your farm. Also, work with people that know your existing management style. And, know your cows and understand how the transition will work for them.



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Red-Violet W [MMA BE-Red-ET

Warrior x Pamprd-Acres Ab Ivy-Red EX-94 2E-94 2nd, 1st Jr. Winter Calf, New York Spring R&W Show 2nd and HM Junior Champion, District 6 Show All-Wisconsin Red & White Winter Calf

Flannery-Vu AMERICA-Red

Warrior x EX-90 Jacot back to Apple EX-96 3rd, 1st Jr. Winter Calf, MW Spring Red & White Show 2022 due in January to Analyst

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We'd like to extend a big thank you to Ben and Jen Wallace for their expert care of our heifers. We would also like to thank Tim Natzke for his professionalism and to the show crew for making the 2023 summer show season unforgettable.



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> RED-ET EX-90

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2nd Aged Cow, HM Sr. Champion All-Michigan Jersey Show Lucky-hill Joker x Minister Maycee VG 87

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Grand & Intermediate Champion: Crescentmead Jaurora-RED-ET | Brooklyn, Bryce & Blakely Kohls

Reserve Grand Champion & Senior Champion: Luck-E McGucci Arabel-ET | Sophia Schiffler

Reserve Intermediate Champion: Kara-Kesh-RK Jacot Selene | Curtis, Evelyn & Agnes Griffin

Reserve Senior Champion: Nic-K Defiant Phoenix | J&B Krogman, Kamrie Mauer & Bentley Brasch

Junior Champion: KCCK Luxr Chardonnay-RED-ET | Brea, Ava & Bryson Kieffer Reserve Junior Champion: MS Milksource Jolie-RED-ET | Ashley & Andrew Gruenes

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Grand & Intermediate Champion: Crescentmead Jaurora-RED-ET | Brooklyn, Bryce & Blakely Kohls

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Reserve Intermediate Champion: Elm-Lane Spitfire Lotus | Intrigue Holsteins & Blackjack Holsteins

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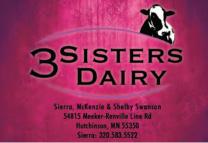
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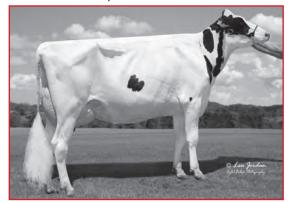
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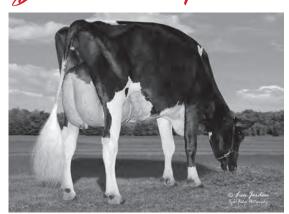
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ADDITIONAL WINNERS

- 2nd Place: \$500 Kwik Trip Gift Card Galen Schrieber 3rd Place: 1/4 Beef - Joe Maier 4th Place: \$250 Fleet Farm Gift Card - Matt Lippert 5th Place: \$250 cash - Jeff Donnor 6th Place: 1/4 Beef - Cory Phillipi 7th Place: 1 Pie a Month for a Year - Cory Phillipi 8th Place: \$250 Athens IGA Gift Card - June King 9th Place: \$100 Texas Roadhouse Gift Card - Austin Fahey 10th Place: \$100 Mullins Cheese Gift Card - Tim Milke 11th Place: \$100 Nasonville Gift Card - Maverick Kreager 12th Place: \$100 Lynn Dairy Gift Card - Dean Johnson
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The calf raffle drawing was held August 19, 2023 at the Athen's Fair following the Little Britches Dairy Show. Thank you to everyone who purcahsed a ticket!

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HOLSTEIN CLASSIFICATION

KING-STREET ARCRVL 6RATPITI EX-93

Grand Champ Holstein Jr Show, Great Lakes All Breeds Spring Show '23 Res. Grand Champ Holstein, Great Lakes All Breeds Spring Show '23 Daughter: King-Street DBack Gallery EX90 (13th gen EX) Graffiti Dam: King-Street GC Gratitude EX94-3E

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Frank Robinson

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MS KING-STREET ROCKNEW -RED

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ACK-LEE JACOBY CHlana EX-91 3rd Sr 3-Yr-Old Mid-East Summer National Holstein Show

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National Holstein Futurity Winner Owned with Cindy Howman

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August 2023 Test - 14 cows - RHA 23,518 M- 3.9%F - 3.1%P - 54 SCC

August 2023 Classification – BAA 109.1 on 12 cows – 3 EX 6 VG 3 GP 12 of the 13 scored are homebred. 10 are in their 1st or 2nd lactation.

Some highlights:

Mapleton-Valley Airlift Nuptial EX-91 (Airlift x VG-88 Aftershock x 2E-92 Dundee) Mapleton-Valley Crush Lilac 2E-91 (Crush x VG-86 Mammoth x VG-88 Atlas) Indianhead Aftershock Ellie 2E-91 (Aftershock x VG-87 Epic x EX-94 Goldwyn)

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Blake with Mapleton-Valley Allegany Lullaby Reserve Jr. Champion – Waukesha County Fair 2023

Bryn with Mapleton-Valley King Doc Noel Reserve Jr. Champion - Waukesha County Fair 2022

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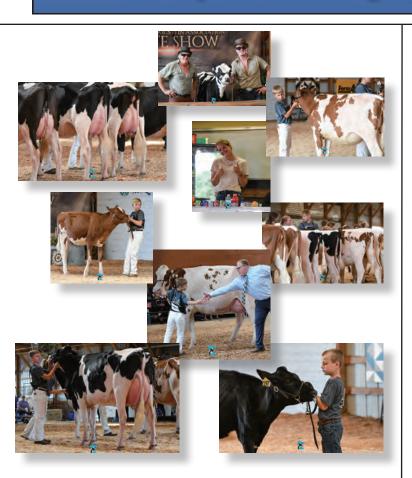
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2023 STATE SHOW

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2023 MINNESOTA JUNIOR HOLSTEIN STATE SHOW RESULTS

The 2023 Minnesota State Holstein Show was held on June 30, 2023, in Hutchinson, Minnesota. Judge Kaleb Kruse of Iowa placed 151 head. A special thank you to Trans Ova Genetics, Schlauderhaff Land & Cattle Company, and Auspicious Oyster Grange for their sponsorship of Cowsmopolitan show coverage. Congratulations to all exhibitors!



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RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION KARA-KESH-RK JACOT SELENE, CURTIS, EVELYN & AGNES GRIFFIN



JUNIOR CHAMPION: KCCK LUXR CHARDONNAY-RED-ET, BREA, AVA AND BRYSON KIEFFER



RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION & SENIOR CHAMPION LUCK-E MCGUCCI ARABEL-ET, SOPHIA SCHIFFLER



RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION NIC-K DEFIANT PHOENIX, J & B KROGMAN, K MAUER & B BRASCH



RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION: MS MILKSOURCE JOLIE-RED-ET, ASHLEY AND ANDREW GRUENES



2023 MINNESOTA OPEN HOLSTEIN STATE SHOW RESULTS

The 2023 Minnesota State Holstein Show was held on July 1, 2023, in Hutchinson, Minnesota. Judge Chad Ryan of Wisconsin placed 199 head. A special thank you to the Minnesota Holstein Association and Blackjack Holsteins for sponsoring this year's Cowsmopolitan show coverage. Dave Hoese also graciously donated cash awards to division winners, thank you very much. Congratulations to all exhibitors!



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RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION: ELM-LANE SPITFIRE LOTUS, INTRIGUE HOLSTEINS & BLACKJACK HOLSTEINS



JUNIOR CHAMPION: MS BLACKJACK SK ELECTRIC, BLACKJACK HOLSTEINS



RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION & SENIOR CHAMPION LUCK-E MCGUCCI ARABEL-ET, SOPHIA SCHIFFLER



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RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION: KURTHHAVEN LAUIGI TATTOO, KURTHHAVEN FARMS

FALL 2023 MINNESOTA HOLSTEIN NEWS



2023 MINNESOTA RED & WHITE HOLSTEIN OPEN STATE SHOW RESULTS

The 2023 Minnesota State Holstein Show was held on June 29, 2023, in Hutchinson, Minnesota. Judge Roger Turner of Wisconsin sorted the show. A special thank you to Blackjack Holsteins, Rolling River, Do-N-Joy Genetics, Sunkist Acres, Kurthkine Holsteins, Minnesota Red & White Club, Starlight Acres, Feed Supervisor and Lorenzland, for their sponsorship of Cowsmopolitan show coverage. Congratulations to all exhibitors!



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RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION: MAT-AR-DOR JORDY LAYLA-RED, JACOB & AIDEN TIMMER



JUNIOR CHAMPION: MS MILKSOURCE JOLIE-RED-ET, ASHLEY & ANDREW GRUENES



RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION: KARA-KESH-RK USTBL SAGE-RED, CURTIS, EVELYN & AGNES GRIFFIN



RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION: FAIRMONT WAR BELL-RED-ET, BLACKJACK HOLSTEINS





Minnesota's Junior Delegation at the 2023 National Holstein Convention in Louisville, Kentucky.

Jacob Schaefer 2023 DJM Finalist with the mission membership plaque presented to MN at convention.

Our home state of Minnesota was well represented at the 2023 National Holstein Convention held in Lexington, Kentucky, this past June. Spencer Hackett of Rice, Minnesota, was reelected to serve on the Holstein Association USA Board of Directors. There is no doubt that Spencer will continue to represent the Holsteins breeders and their farms in Region 6 well. Several junior members competed in contests and networked with others across the nation. Jacob Schaefer was named a 2023 Distinguished Junior Member, the highest honor a junior can bestow. Minnesota also receieved the Junior Mission Membership Award which is given to the state with the most increase of memberships within the year. Congratulations to all those who made their way to this year's National Holstein Convention!



BE SURE TO MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR NEXT YEAR'S NATIONAL HOLSTEIN CONVENTION: JUNE 24-27, 2024 SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

OBITUARY: TIMOTHY STENDER

Timothy R. Stender, age 45, of Norwood Young America passed away Saturday, June 10, 2023 at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis.

Funeral service 3:00 PM Friday June 16, 2023 at St. John's Lutheran Church (101 SE 2nd St) in Norwood Young America with Rev. Josh Bernau as officiant. Visitation held AT THE CHURCH 4-8:00 PM Thursday and Friday one hour prior to the service. Interment in the church cemetery.

Timothy Ryan Stender was born April 8, 1978 in Waconia, MN, the son of John and Annette (Kellermann) Stender. He attended St. John's Lutheran School in Norwood Young America and Mayer Lutheran High School before graduating from Central High School in Norwood Young America. He continued his education at North Dakota College of Science, completing the John Deere Ag Tech program. On September 24, 2011 Tim was united in marriage to Amy Gregg at St. John's Lutheran Church in Norwood Young America.

In his early years, Tim was a lifeguard and swim instructor. He was a member of the FFA and proudly achieved Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts. After completing his education, Tim started working for John Deere in Belle Plaine before pursuing dairy farming fulltime. He was passionate about cattle especially registered Holsteins. Tim was a member of the America Dairy Association and the Holstein Association, as well as many other associations related to farming. His involvement in these organizations awarded him many relationships from across the county.

Faith, family and community were the guideposts in Tim's life. He was an usher at St. John's Lutheran Church and enjoyed mentoring local youth. Tim was an incredible optimist and made putting others before himself a priority. He was always available to listen and lend a helping hand. He left a lasting mark in the hearts of those who knew him and will be dearly missed.

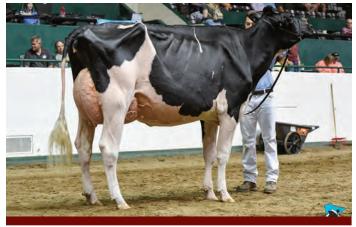
Tim was preceded in death by his grandparents Albert and Hilma Kellerman, Edwin CF and Emma Stender; uncles and aunt Tim Schindler, Lila and Harry Norman.

Tim is survived by his loving family: daughter Cassandra Stender; parents John and Annette Stender of Norwood Young America; brothers Daniel Stender of Norwood Young America, Anthony Stender of Omaha, NE, Andrew (Amy) Stender of Amery, WI; sister Jenna (Zac) Templeman of Mayer; special friend Robin Rossbach of Robbinsdale; nephews and niece Aidan Templeman, Jolee Templeman, Wesley Stender; former spouse Amy Gregg; aunts and uncles Allan (Bonnie) Kellerman, Karen Schindler, Willard (Kathryn) Stender, Kathleen (Frank) Adamich, Earl Stender, Marie (David) Wickenhauser; godson Kolby Lindemann; many cousins and friends.



2023 MIDWEST FALL NATIONAL OPEN HOLSTEIN SHOW RESULTS

The 2023 Midwest Fall National Holstein Show was held on August 30, 2023, in St. Paul, Minnesota. Judge Keith Topp of Ohio sorted 194 head at the show. Congratulations to all of our MHA members who exhibited and bred animals in the show!



GRAND CHAMPION & INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION: SHIR-MAN SEEGER MANHATTAN, ESPERANZA CATTLE CO.



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RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION & SENIOR CHAMPION: MACLAND EMILIO BUTTON, SCOTT CULBERTSON AND JAMES MCFARLAND



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GOLDEN GOPHER FUTURITY XLVIV

- TWO-YEAR OLD FUTURITY -

The Golden Gopher Futurity is sponsored and governed by the Minnesota Holstein Association. Its purpose is to stimulate interest in breeding and developing outstanding Holsteins for type regardless of individual herd size. It is open to any Minnesota breeder of Holsteins identified through Holstein Association USA, Inc.

This will be a continuing program 2024 competition with the designated as Futurity No. XLVIV. One nomination is required for each animal that competes. New this year Competition will be in one category - type only. The production futurity will no longer be continued. Last applicants will be awarded in 2025. All nominations are the responsibility of the owner and must be made on regulation entry blanks, along with specified fees, postmarked by the nomination date and other rules. All money received from the nominations in the Futurity class shall make up the purse entered on the basis of their placings.

Any registered Holstein female, owned by a Minnesota Holstein Association member, and born from 9/01/22 through 8/31/23 is eligible for Golden Gopher Futurity XLVIV. One payment of \$25 shall be paid by 12/1/23.

A breeder may nominate any number of females in the type futurity. Nominations must be postmarked no later than the due date.

TYPE FUTURITY

Animals nominated will be shown in a special two-year old futurity class at the Minnesota State Show, winners and awards to be based on the placing at that show. Showing in this class does not eliminate her from showing in the All-Minnesota two-year old classes. All rules and regulations of the show are to be adhered to. Placings will be made by an official show judge. The purse shall consist of all money received by nomination fees, less the expenses for its promotion and management. All money will be kept in a special fund and used only for futurity purposes. Money received for Type nominations will be used only for those animals entered in that class. The money in this class will be divided among placings as follow:

First Place - 15 %; 2nd Place - 10%; 3rd Place - 8%; 4th Place - 6%; 5th Place 5%; 6-10 Placings - 4%; 11-15 Placings - 3%; 16-25 Placings - 2%. Remaining 1% to be used for administration fees. If fewer than 25 animals are competing, the remainder will be divided equally among the entries.

All nomination fees are committed to the purse. No refunds will be made whether an animal completes or eligibility is discontinued.

Any animal sold after being nominated will remain eligible if the new owner is a Minnesota Holstein member.

The Minnesota Holstein Association is sponsoring and governing the futurity and will not be responsible for any accident or injury in connection with the show.

HOW TO ENTER:

- Look at your animals that were born between September 1st of the previous year through August 31st of the current year.
- Choose any animal that you believe has the potential of doing well in their class.
- Fill out the form below prior to December 1, 2023.

NOMINATION FOR GOLDEN	GOPHER FUTURITY XLVIV
NAME OF OWNER AT BIRTH:	REGISTRATION NUMBER:
ADDRESS:	NAME OF ANIMAL:
	SIRE:
NAME OF BREEDER:	DATE OF BIRTH:
ADDRESS:	
Nomination and payment due to the MHA Office by 12/1/23	







2024 BUS TOUR

The Minnesota Holstein Association has a bus tour planned for January 20-21, 2024. The bus will travel to Wisconsin & Iowa and will be at a low cost to members. Watch for a full schedule and breeder highlights in the December publication!

2024 MHA CALENDAR

This year a complimentary MHA calendar will be mailed out to members alongside the December publication. In this calendar there are ad spots available to Minnesota breeders exclusively. If this is of interest to you, contact Hailey at mnholsteinmarketing@gmail.com.

OBITUARY: CONRAD KVAMME

Conrad Kvamme, 88, of Arlington, MN, died Saturday, May 13, 2023.

Conrad Harlan Kvamme was born on August 2, 1934, in Crookston, MN, to Carl and Hilda (Natwick) Kvamme. Conrad grew up on his family farm in rural Twin Valley, taking an interest in caring for the farm at a young age. He attended country school, graduating early in 1950 from Twin Valley High School and later furthered his education at the North Dakota State University, majoring in agriculture education and animal science, with minors in ag journalism, speech, and horticulture. Following graduation, he started his career teaching at the Ulen High School for two years before working as a 4-H extension educator in Norman County. He then went on to teach at the University of Minnesota - Crookston for two years. Conrad married Karen Sivertson in 1958 and to this union, 5 children were born. While living on a dairy farm near Ada, MN, Conrad formed a singing duo with a neighbor named Howard Nuemann. They called themselves The Harmony Twins and traveled throughout a large area singing at various events, the highlight being invited to sing at the American Dairy Association convention in Chicago in 1961. Conrad purchased a farm near Little Falls, MN, and operated Orbit Dairy for over 20 years, In 1978, Conrad featured his cow, Memory, on national television and participated in Memory's March for Milk – a 32 day Promotion of Dairy Products Tour through 18 states, 47 US cities, and 146 presentations, touring from Canada to Mexico. In 1992, he sold his herd of cattle and began working with cattle nutrition and cattle sales management. A year later he moved to Arlington and was elected to the Minnesota Beef

Council as a member of the board of directors and later as the vice chairperson, positions he was very proud to serve on. Continuing his passion for the industry, Conrad took a position as a consultant on the Midwest Dairy Beef Quality Assurance Center, encouraging farmers to be certified in quality production techniques and proper animal care, especially with antibiotics and vaccinations. While working as a consultant, Conrad helped produce many brochures and information that was used in displays at the World Expo. He also operated a feed business named Space Age Dairy, selling quality feed. Conrad officially retired at the age of 80.

Known for being "one of the strongest voices in the Minnesota beef industry", Conrad centered his life around his passion for cattle. He taught some grandchildren how to show cattle, one of his favorite pastimes. He was awarded with a plaque for 50 years of showing at the Minnesota State Fair. When he wasn't spending time with cattle, he continued to nurture his love of agriculture by planting gardens and tending to his lawn. Conrad will be greatly missed by his loved ones for his outgoing, friendly personality.

Conrad is survived by his children: Mark Kvamme of New Richman, MN, Kathy (Rick) Cochrane of Helena, MT, Sherry (Dave) Nelson of Hitterdal, MN, Lori (Rodney) Oberg and Lisa (Kim) Syverson, both of Ulen, MN; 19 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; and other extended family members.

Conrad was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Hilda Kvamme; two sisters, Senora and Bernice; brother, Art; and grandson, Jaycob.

The Ulimate Dairy Cheerleader.

Conrad Kvamme was passionate about helping the dairy industry succeed by promoting all things dairy. This includes creating his own milk product called "Mighty Milk" made in five unique flavors and readily sold to consumers. It was soon sold to several distributors across the United States. Conrad truly worked hard to make a difference and said "I want to get farmers excited. I want them to know that we're doing this for the American dairyman."

Conrad can be remembered for this and many more strides made within Minnesota's dairy community. His positive energy and drive will be missed by all!









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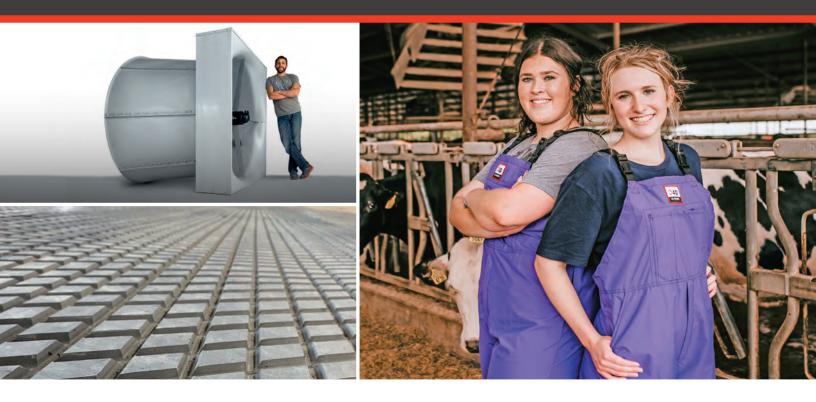


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