

'Jogger' is newest Polled Hereford Gold Trophy Sire

KANSAS CITY, Mo — The American Polled Hereford Association announces 12 nationally recognized Polled Hereford sires and dams recently have qualified for the coveted Gold Trophy Award. The list includes one Gold Trophy Sire and 11 Gold Trophy Dams.

The newcomer to the Gold Trophy Sire list is Wili-Via Justa V, called Jogger, tallying 378 points. He's owned by Will-Via Hereford Farm, Mooresville, N.C., Georgetown Farm, Free Union, Va.; Overlook Farm, Little Falls, N.Y.; and Wolfe Hereford Ranch, Wallawa, Ore.

The 11 new Gold Trophy Dams and their owners are HHH Oakmaid 547, Triple H Ranch, Burlington, Iowa; Sandra Lee W, DJM Polled Herefords, Hawley, Texas; BT Advance Juno 197H, RCT Ranch, Mountain View, Mo; FLF Belle Lass 4732, Kilmorlie Farms, Bradford, Ont.; BT Roundup Meta 37E, Ellis Farms, Chrisman, Ill.; JRM Miss Vicki 130R, James and Robbyn Morris, Louisiana, Mo, and Tway and Carolyn Branstetter, Hartville, Mo; WSF Miss

Banner 154H, Wooden Shoe Farms, Othello, Wash.; T&S Lady Victor T349, G. Tufts and Sons, Hillsboro, Texas; WP Spidel W Lass 54H, Palaschuk Farms, Ltd., Wishart, Sask.; BT Anita 161G, ACE Polled Herefords, Millbrook, N.Y., Wasser and Winters Co., Toledo, Wash., and Pudding River Polled Herefords, Salem, Ore; and Remittall Goodeve 7G, Sierra Polled Herefords, Grass Valley, Calif.

Still leading the Gold Trophy Sire list is WSF PRL Justa Banner, gaining 715 new Standard of Performance points in 1980-81 and boasting a new all-time record high total of 2327 points. Justa Banner's owners are C E Brehm Estate, Belle River, Ill.; Wooden Shoe Farms; Chester Gullikson, Bath, S.D.; and Ponderosa Ranch Ltd., Lloydminster, Sask. Second to Justa Banner is Advancer 228D, owned by Glenview Farms, Farmington, Ill., Beartooth Ranch, Columbus, Mont., Wooden Shoe Farms, and Ellis Farms.

In the female bracket, Gold Trophy Dam LBCR Queen of Domino, owned by Wasser and Winters Co., clings to the top notch

with 126 SOP points, while Copperstone F Sara, owned by Split Butte Ranch, Rupert, Idaho, trails close behind.

Currently, 71 bulls and 91 females fill the roster of Gold Trophy Sires and Dams, according to APHA Senior Vice President Jim Harris. To be eligible, a bull must accumulate 100 points based on the points his calves earn at designated Standard of Perfection events; a female requires 35 points.

The APHA Gold Trophy awards acknowledging the outstanding Polled Hereford sires and dam were started in 1967, thus marking the fourteenth year of recognition.

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About 5000 farms with 20,000 or more birds accounted for 70 per cent of all U.S. egg production in 1979. Between 16,000 and 17,000 farms with 60,000 or more broilers accounted for 90 per cent of U.S. broiler production. The trend is toward large operations in the poultry industry.



Lester F. Starner, Gardner, accepts the Outstanding Cooperator Award from Cumberland County Conservation District Chairman Roy Snoko.

Starner is Outstanding Conservationist

CARLISLE — Cumberland County Conservation District recently named Lester F. Starner, Gardner the District's 1980 Outstanding Cooperator.

Roy E. Snoko, chairman of the District, presented the award at the annual banquet, sponsored by

the District along with the Cumberland County Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service Office.

Lester Starner received the award for outstanding conservation work applied to his strawberry and corn farm.

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