



## NEWS

### Entries For 1995 Pot O' Gold Contest Due

REYNOLDSBURG, OH—Entries are due July 1 for the 1995 Pot O' Gold Production Contest. AJCA Juniors between the ages of seven and 19 enter the Pot O' Gold Production Contest by purchasing one of the animals consigned to either the Western National Pot O' Gold Sale in Puyallup, WA or the All American Pot O' Gold Sale in Louisville, KY. Funding for the contest equals 17 percent of the gross of the two sales. The records completed by heifers purchased in these sales must be submitted to the American Jersey Cattle Association no later than July 1 to be eligible for competition.

The heifer must calve before

reaching 30 months of age. The actual first lactation production is adjusted to the mature equivalent (305-day, 2x milking, age and month of calving). Adjusted records are then ranked according to the mature equivalent protein to determine the placings in the contest.

All heifers must be tested in a DHI or DHIR herd owned by the purchaser or the purchaser's parents or legal guardian. In the event this is not possible, a written request must be made to the All American Executive Committee by December 31 of the year the heifer is purchased. The heifer can not be tested in the herd in which she is bred or consigned.

### Junior Jersey Show Affidavits Due July 1

REYNOLDSBURG, OH—Junior exhibitors planning to show at the All American Junior Jersey Show in Louisville, KY need to be aware of the following eligibility rules.

Registration certificates must show ownership of junior's project animals registered in the name of the junior exhibitor. If the animal is not registered solely in the junior exhibitor's name, the animal must have qualified to be shown as a 4-H/FFA project in the

junior exhibitor's home state by July 1 of the current show year. Affidavits of said qualifications must be received in the office of the American Jersey Cattle Association by July 1 of the year to be shown. Affidavits cannot list more than two animals for each All American Junior Show class. Transfers must be received by July 1, 1995.

Affidavits can be requested from the American Jersey Cattle Association.

REYNOLDSBURG, OH—The American Jersey Cattle Association administers eleven scholarships that are available to Jersey youth. Three V.L. Peterson Scholarships are available to youth who have completed at least one year of college. "Vic" Peterson has been called the "dean of dairy breed representatives" for his 25 years of service as an AJCA area representative.

One Paul Jackson Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to a youth who has completed at least one year of college. Mr. Jackson was a longtime Jersey

breeder, showman, and herdsman who was devoted to encouraging junior interest in Jerseys.

Jersey juniors who are graduating from high school and have been accepted by a college or university are eligible to compete for two William A. Russell scholarships. The Russell scholarship was established in 1977 to honor Bill Russell, a lifelong Jersey enthusiast who was an area representative of the American Jersey Cattle Association and National All-Jersey Inc.

Three Jack C. Nisbet Memorial Scholarships are awarded annual-

ly to participants in the National Jersey Youth Achievement Contest. Nisbet joined the AJCA staff in 1941 as an extension director. He served as executive secretary for the Association from 1943-1947.

There is an \$1,000 Stanley K. Bansen Scholarship to be awarded to students working on an advanced degree (Masters or PhD) in dairy or animal science, dairy manufacturing, or agricultural business. The Bansen scholarship was established in 1992 to honor Bansen's lifelong interest and dedication to the Jersey breed and the dairy industry.

Besides these scholarships, the American Jersey Cattle Association administers the ABS/Morris B. Ewing Essay Contest sponsored by American Breeders Service. The contest winner will be awarded a \$500 scholarship. Contest entries should focus on the question: "How can Jersey Breeders work with the genetic industry (AI organizations, universities, etc.) to help further the Jersey breed in the dairy industry?" To be eligible for the contest, applicants must be between 16 and 22 years of age on January 1 of the contest year. Essays should not exceed 1,000 words and will be judged on accuracy of information, creativity, and grammatical correctness.

Jersey scholarships are available to youth who own at least one registered Jersey and who are selected or enrolled in college. Selection is based on financial need and scholarship achievement, as well as Jersey and related activities. The deadline for applying for a 1994 scholarship is July 1. Applications are available by calling the American Jersey Cattle Association (614) 861-3636 or writing to: 6486 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068-2362.

### Cowbell Juno Dodie Grand At Willis Fair

UNION BRIDGE, Md. — Cowbell Juno Dodie, a 3-year-old Jersey cow owned and shown by Emily Birch was the grand champion of the annual Willis Fair junior and 4-H Jersey Show held May 20 at the Howard County Fairgrounds.

Judge for the show was Mike Heath, while Stacy Kahler served as associate judge.

The show is an annual spring event, according to Cindy Hines, secretary of the Maryland Jersey Cattle Club, sponsor of the show. "The Maryland Jersey Cattle Club would like everyone who showed at the Willis Fair to know that they did a super job and we are very proud of everyone," Hines stated in a news release.

Birch's 3-year-old was also the senior champion animal of the show, while taking the reserve grand and reserve senior championship titles was JJS Frieda, an aged cow shown by Julie Delp.

The junior champion was a senior heifer calf, shown by Ashley Burbette, while the reserve

junior champion was an intermediate calf shown by Ryan Savage.

For more information on the show or the Maryland Jersey Cattle Club, contact Hines at (410) 775-2629.

#### WILLIS FAIR Jr. Jersey Show

INTERMEDIATE CALF: 1.Ryan Savage; 2.Addy Fawley; 3.Ashley Mayer.

SENIOR CALF: 1.Ashely Burdette; 2.Kellie Savage; 3.Emily Birch.

SUMMER YEARLING: 1.Andrea Hood; 2.Emily Birch; 3.Shanna Bradshaw.

JUNIOR YEARLING: 1.Amanda Holland; 2.Bruce Bassler; 3.Tom Lakin.

INTERMEDIATE YEARLING: 1.Katie Bussard; 2.Shannon Harbaugh; 3.Robbie Bassler.

SENIOR YEARLING: 1.Jamie Savage; 2.Brenna Remsburg.

JR CHAMPION: Ashley Burdette

RESERVE JR CHAMP: Ryan Savage  
JR 2-YR-OLD: 1.Ashely Burdette; 2.Adam Harvey.

JR 3-YR-OLD: 1.Heather Hines.

SR 3-YR-OLD: 1.Emily Birch

AGED COW: Julie Delp

SENIOR CHAMPION: Emily Birch

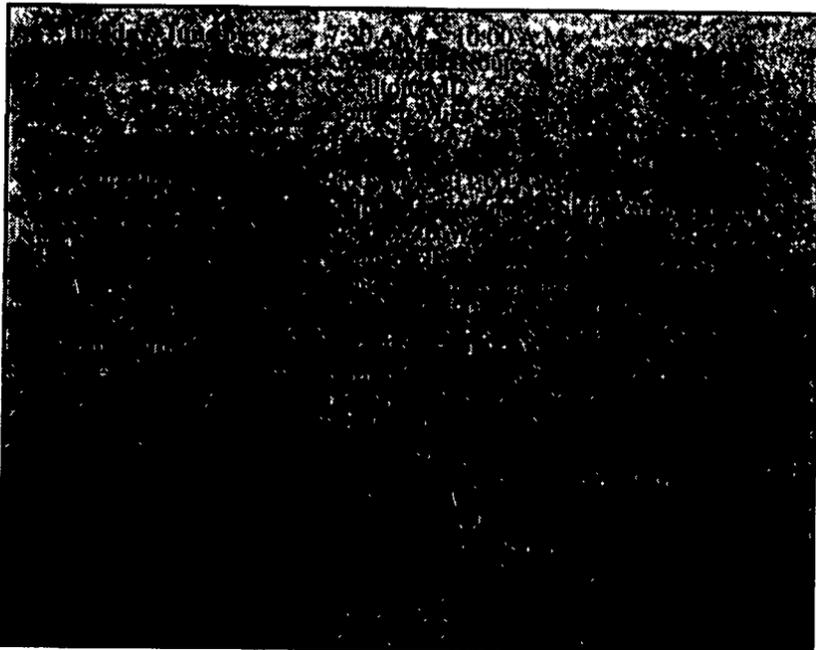
RESERVE SR CHAMPION: Julie Delp

GRAND CHAMPION: Emily Birch

RESERVE GRAND: Julie Delp.

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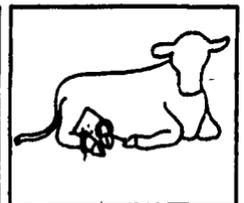
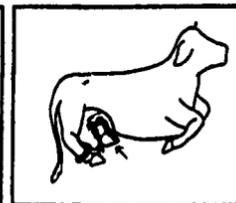
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