

Penn State Dairymen's Club Meeting Set

Friday evening, October 29, 1999 will feature the annual dinner meeting of the Penn State Dairymen's Club at Celebration Hall, 2280 Commercial Blvd., State College. Arrival time is 6:00 - 6:30 P.M. with the dinner at 6:30 P.M. We're looking forward to alumni and friends having this opportunity to visit and share.

A milk bottle with unique artwork for Penn State Dairymen's Club is ready to raise funds for the Penn State Dairymen's Club Endowment Fund. The Endowment Fund supports activities of the Penn State Dairy Judging Team as well as the Poage Grant-in-Aid. We plan to have the bottles for sale at the annual meeting and at the Nittany Lion Fall Classic at a cost of \$10.00 each. These would be wonderful gifts or a perfect item for your Penn State or dairy collection. There are only 300 ordered with the first logo on them. They will be sold on a "First come, first served" basis.

The Penn State Dairymen's Club is a non-profit support group whose mission is to enhance activities between the dairy industry and the Penn State College of Agricultural Sciences. New members are always welcome. Contact Beth Raney at 405 Ag Admin, University Park PA 16802, phone 814-863-2525.

Directions to Celebration Hall. From downtown State College, go north on Rt. 26. At the traffic light by College Gardens Nursery and Dunkin' Donuts, turn left on Gerald Street. Commercial Blvd is the first left turn. Celebration Hall is the last building on the street.

Penn State Dairymen's Club Annual Banquet

Friday, October 29, 1999
Registration 6:00 PM. Dinner served at 6:30 PM
Celebration Hall, 2280 Commercial Blvd., State College

Please mail this form with your payment to.

Penn State Dairymen's Club
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RESERVATION FORM

Name _____ E-Mail Address _____
Address _____ Daytime Phone _____
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DEADLINE: OCTOBER 25, 1999

\$ _____ Total for banquet (_____ reservations at \$15/person)
\$ _____ Penn State Dairymen's Club Membership: Lifetime (\$50); Three-Year Renewal (\$15)
\$ _____ Donation to Dairymen's Club Endowment Fund (\$25, \$50, \$100 supports Judging Team activities and Poage Grant-in-Aid)
\$ _____ Donation to "Sponsor a Senior" (\$15 each helps defray the cost of a meal for a senior student at the annual dinner meeting)
\$ _____ Total Enclosed Please use single check, made payable to Penn State Dairymen's Club. Thank You!

Editor: If you have questions, please contact Beth Raney at 814-863-2525 or fax 814-863-7209. Thank you!!

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Scholarships Worth \$8,850 Awarded To Jersey Youth

Ten Jersey juniors continuing their educations in agricultural science and leadership programs at institutions in Illinois, Iowa, Ohio, Oklahoma, Virginia and Wisconsin will receive scholarships valued at \$8,850 during the Junior Banquet on November 6, 1999, concluding All American Junior Day in Louisville, Ky.

Support for the scholarship program of the American Jersey Cattle Association comes from five different funds managed in perpetuity by the AJCA, plus three awards provided by individual sponsors.

Jack C. Nisbet Scholarships

The Jack C. Nisbet Memorial Scholarship Fund was created in 1965 to honor this former Executive Secretary of the American Jersey Cattle Association. All nominees for the National Jersey Youth Achievement Contest in the year announced are eligible for consideration.

Two Nisbet Scholarships of \$800 each will be presented to Bryan Marcot, Greenville, Ill., and Kristin Barlass, Janesville, Wis. Marcot and Barlass were ranked first and second, respectively, in the 1998 achievement contest. Marcot is the son of Roger and Anita Marcot, and is a senior at the University of Illinois majoring in dairy management in the Animal Science program. Kristin is a sophomore at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, where she is majoring in dairy science. Barlass just completed her second summer internship with *Midwest Dairy Business*. She is the daughter of William and Marion Barlass.

V. L. Peterson Scholarships

The fund commemorating "Vic" Peterson, the dean of Jersey area representatives, was established in 1972. This year, Terri R. Billman, West Salem, Ohio, and Shelley Thompson, Chandler, Okla., were selected to receive the \$750 awards.

Billman just completed a summer internship with the AJCA Communication Department this summer and is now attending Ohio State University Agriculture Technical Institute, where she is double majoring in dairy production management and business management. Terri is the daughter of James and Linda Billman. Thompson is the daughter of Robert and Janine Thompson, and is a senior in Agricultural Communications and Animal Science at Oklahoma State University. She has been a state 4-H dairy project winner, a delegate to the National 4-H Dairy conference, a member of OSU's dairy judging team and was the 1996 National Jersey Queen.

Paul Jackson Memorial Scholarship

This fund was created in 1965 to honor Paul Jackson's service to the Jersey breed spanned more than half a century. Jennifer Kunde, Manchester, Iowa, will receive a \$650 Jackson scholarship for 1999-2000. She is the daughter of David and Donna Kunde, and currently a junior at Iowa State University. An active 4-H member and now the National Jersey Queen, Jennifer is also the secretary-treasurer of the Iowa Jersey Cattle Club.

Russell Memorial Scholarships

William A. Russell's lifetime of experience with and service to the Jersey breed is commemorated by the scholarships established in 1977. These awards are designated for students who have completed high school and are beginning their university studies.

Recipients of \$600 awards are Tara Bohnert, East Moline, Ill., and Veronica L. Steer, Cottage Grove, Tenn. Tara is the daughter of James and Wanda Bohnert and is a freshman at the University of Illinois, working towards a degree in Animal Sciences with a dairy emphasis. Veronica is a freshman attending Virginia Tech in Blacksburg, Va., graduating from Henry County High School with a 3.51 GPA. The daughter of Charles and Carol Steer started her Jersey herd with purchases from the South Carolina Pot of Gold Sale and the National Heifer Sale. Veronica has earned many awards for her showmanship, judging and records in 4-H and FFA.

Reuben Cowles Youth Award

The Reuben R. Cowles Youth Award supports a variety of educational experiences for individuals who are no older than 30 and who live in six southeastern states. The trustees of this fund selected Veronica Steer (see above) and Iris D. Peeler, Starr, S.C., to each receive a \$700 cash award, presented at the Dixie Invitational Sale on September 6. Both are applying these awards to their expenses in attending Virginia Tech.

Peeler is the daughter of L. D. and Sherrie Peeler, and was the winner of the 1997 National Jersey Youth Achievement Contest. Iris received the Gold Emblem in Dairy Proficiency and the Silver Emblem for Diversified Livestock Proficiency from National FFA, and also has been the South Carolina 4-H dairy project winner.

Stanley K. Bansen Memorial Scholarship

The Bansen Scholarship was begun in 1991 by Dora Bansen and her family, to honor their late husband and father, Stan. It is designated for a student who is pursuing graduate studies in the animal sciences, ag business or veterinary science.

The 1999-2000 recipient of this \$1,000 award is Amy Plummer of Chalfont, Penna., currently a second-year student in veterinary medicine at The Ohio State University. Reproductive physiology is of special interest to this graduate of the University of Tennessee. She has assisted with embryo transfer and conducted research on IGF-1 and BST.

Advanced Bovine Technologies Award

Advanced Bovine Technologies LLC of Edgewood, N. M., provided \$1,000 this year to support a student who demonstrates, through his/her academic program of study, goal statement and supporting letters, the clear intention to pursue a career in agriculture. The recipient is David A. Jordan, a senior majoring in agriculture leadership education at the University of Illinois.

Jordan is the son of Robert and Joan Jordan, Assumption, Ill., and earned numerous honors through his 4-H and FFA work, including the American FFA Degree. He has maintained a GPA of 3.44 at the University of Illinois, with extracurricular activities including the Agriculture Education Club, the Illinois Dairy Club, and the Illinois Dairy Judging Teams. Over the past two summers, he has completed internships with Novartis, the American Jersey Cattle Association and Select Sires, Inc.

ABS Global/Ewing Scholarship

The tenth scholarship to be presented during the Junior Banquet will be the ABS Global/Morris B. Ewing Scholarship. This winning essay was submitted by Kristin Barlass.

Awards For 2000-2001

Applications for the 2000-2001 Jersey Youth Scholarships will be available April 1, 2000 on AJCA website (www.USJersey.com) and must be returned to the office by July 1.

U.S. Jerseys on Parade

Nearly 500 Registered Jerseys will be on exhibit at the 42nd All American Jersey Show and Sale, November 6 through 8 at the Kentucky Fair and Exposition in Louisville, Kentucky.

The All American is the U.S. national show and much more. The All American, first held in 1946, is always one of the largest dairy cattle shows in the United States, by any standard. Thousands of dollars will be awarded in the National Jersey Jug Futurity for 3-year-old cows (the 1998 Winner received \$1,725). Thousands of dollars also will be spent on superior Jersey genetics in the All American Sale, which averaged \$5,909.52 on 63 lots in 1998. Based upon previous years, more than 200 milking females will enter the ring in the All American show.

1999 All American Schedule of Events

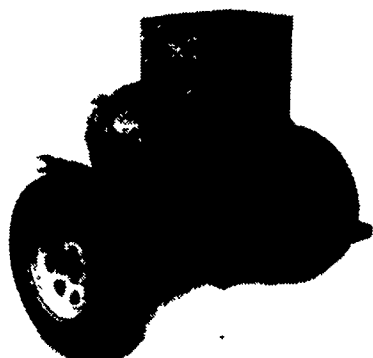
Saturday, November 6
8:00 A.M. All American Junior Jersey Show, Coliseum, Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center, Kevin Williams, McConelsville, Ohio, judge, Michael Heath, Westminster, Md., consultant.
4:00 P.M. Pot O' Gold Sale, Newmarket Hall, Jersey Marketing Service, Sale Manager

Saturday, November 6-Monday, November 8
All American Silent Auction Bidding begins Saturday, November 6 at 8:00 A.M. (EST) and ends Monday, November 8 at 4:00 P.M. (EST) Jersey Marketing Service, Sale Manager

Sunday, November 7
12:30 P.M. 44th National Jersey Jug Futurity, Coliseum, Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center, Kevin Lutz, Lincolnton, N.C., judge, Ted DeMent, Kenney, Ill., consultant
4:30 P.M. 42nd All American Jersey Sale, Jersey Marketing Service, Sale Manager

Monday, November 8
8:00 A.M. All American Jersey Show, Coliseum, Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center, David Jones, Yale, Okla., judge, Brian Schilling, Boggs, Ind., consultant

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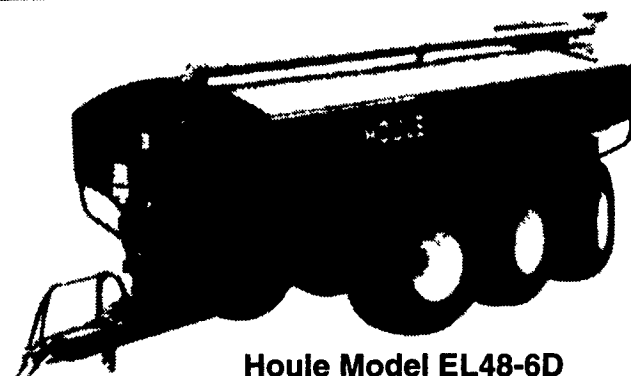
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