

Genetics Australia's Red On Farm Challenge (OFC): NSW 2011

The philosophy of the Australian Red Dairy Breed (ARDB) is to use the best RED genetics from around the world to breed the best red cows in Australia. The inaugural OFC in NSW demonstrated that this philosophy is working.

To enter the competition cows had to be sired by a red bull registered with the ARDB, Ayrshire or Illawarra Societies. Each farmer could enter a maximum of 12 cows.

There were no rules placed on the colour of the exhibits, to encourage as many farmers as possible to enter the competition. This ruling also seeks to encourage farmers to use RED bulls in the future over all their cows, so that they can experience the benefits RED genetics offer, such as better health traits, increased milk components, improved fertility and good type.

There were 5 classes in the OFC based on the exhibits year of birth. The judges also nominated an overall champion, reserve champion and honourable mention.

The ARDB would like to thank everyone who entered cows in the OFC. It attracted 140 exhibits from 22 farms.

Thanks to Stuart Lockhart and Daniel Cochrane who judged the competition. They travelled from Bega to Casino over 5 days and farmers appreciated their professional on farm manner.

The ARDB would also like to thank the 2 sponsors of the event. Genetics Australia donated 5 units of ARBLEX to each class winner and an additional 5 units of ARBLEX to the overall champion. Crazy Cow also donated the owners of the overall champion a ½ page ad in Crazy Cow in print.

Hopefully ARBLEX daughters will feature in future OFC events as his ABV for overall type is 118 with an exceptional APR of 197.

Interestingly, all 3 breeds claimed a class winner. It was also great to see the judge Stuart Lockhart (Ayrshire breeder) hand his overall champion to Tom & Kyleigh Cochrane (Illawarra breeders) and the cow was sired by Grazin Prince Ralph (ARDB bull)

RESULTS

BORN 2009

- 1st Kangawarra Heather 3188, (s. L Jinnys Empire)- Tim & Natalie Cochrane
- 2nd Kangawarra Jewel 3269, (s. L Verbs Viscount)- Tom & Kyleigh Cochrane
- 3rd Kangawarra Samantha 3197 (s. L Jinnys Empire)- Tim & Natalie Cochrane
- 4th Creighton Park Elizabeth 1900, (s. L Jinnys Empire)- Brian & Debbie Parker
- 5th Jelgowry 255, (s. Lynonga Red Roo)- R Russell, Jelgowry P/L
- 6th Werombi Trident Belle, (S. Trident)- B & M Hayter
- 7th Viewmount Squirt 31, (L Jinnys Empire)- R & P Ringland
- 8th Kangawarra Heather 3248, (s. L Verbs Viscount) - Tom & Kyleigh Cochrane
- 9th EMAI 2545, (s. ARBRALPH)- NSW DPI, Mark Holdsworth
- 10th Shade Tree Bunny 980, (s. ARBRALPH)- Neville & Maureen Ward



Kangawarra Heather 3188

BORN 2008

- 1st Woodburn Trifle Mandella,(S.Hunington Mandella)- Tony & Todd Biffin
- 2nd Beaulands Delta Tailor, (s. VESTDELTA)- Ron & Brenda Graham
- 3rd Kangawarra Pretty 3012, (S. FYNAKS)- Tom & Kyleigh Cochrane
- 4th Sherringham Wands 4- Lucas Family
- 5th Kangawarra Samantha 3034, (s. Kangawarra Claret)- Tim & Natalie Cochrane
- 6th Beaulands Frem Cassie, (S. SYDFREM)- Ron & Brenda Graham
- 7th Viewmount Ruth 3, (s. Panorama Royal Treble). - R & P Ringland
- 8th Beaulands Delta Fashion, (s. VESTDELTA)- Mark Wilson
- 9th Beaulands Lens Birdie 3, (s. KLENS)- Ron & Brenda Graham
- 10th Fairyvale Cheryl 342, (s. ARBJIM)- Terry & Shannon Blasche



Woodburn Trifle Mandella

BORN 2007

- 1st Beaulands Aks Birdie 8, (s. FYNAKS)- Ron & Brenda Graham
- 2nd Jelgowry Clarabella 47, (s. Gwandalan Park Perfection)- R Russell, Jelgowry P/L
- 3rd Beaulands Delta Daisy, (s. VESTDELTA)- Ron & Brenda Graham
- 4th Coolea Sakic Zerene - Crawford Family
- 5th Paschendale Charlies Angel - M & J Eagles
- 6th Creighton Park Queenie 1730, (s. Lemon Grove Buttler)- Brain & Debbie Parker
- 7th Werombi Trident Girl, (s. Trident) - B & M Hayter
- 8th Mullenderee Samantha 74- Steve Hefernan
- 9th Viewmount Emma 24 (s. L Jinnys Empire)- R & P Ringland
- 10th Kangawarra Princess 2884, (Kangawarra Beau)- Tim & Natalie Cochrane



Beaulands Aks Birdie 8

BORN 2006

1sta Kangawarra Gladys 2693, (s. Kangawarra Sambo) – Tom & Kyleigh Cochrane

2nd Jelgowry Jo 1885, (s. Glenbrook Kosciusko)- R Russell, Jelgowry P/L

3rd Euroma Skole Girl, (S. Skole)- Sean Tomkins

4th Moto - Terry Cornell

5th Paschendale Gentle Vicky- M & J Eagles

6th Creighton Park Treasure 1667, (s. Crieghton Park Xplosion)- Brian & Debbie Parker

7th Kendi Spring Blossom, (S. Kellcrest Iceman)- B & M Hayter

8th Sherringham Willowgard Sybil, (s. WillowPark Backgard)- Lucas Family

9th Shade Tree Bunny 860, (s. ARBTOLMER)- Neville & Maureen Ward

10th Woodburn Park Satin, (s. Triallen Satin Riley) - Tony & Todd Biffin



Kangawarra Gladys 2693

BORN 2005 OR PRIOR

- 1st Kangawarra Pretty 2612, (s. ARBRALPH)- Tom & Kyleigh Cochrane
- 2nd Viewmount Myra- Salway & Ringland
- 3rd Beaulands Aks Hilda, (S. FYNAKS)- Ron & Brenda Graham
- 4th Verombi Kates Brunette- B & M Hayter
- 5th Viewmount Melba 44, (s. Viewmont Morocco)- R & P Ringland
- 6th Sherringham Glen Flora, (s. Sherringham Treaty Glen)- Lucas Family
- 7th Kangawarra Jewel 2352, (S. Kangawarra Lazarus)- Tom & Kyleigh Cochrane
- 8th EMAI 2137, (s. Willowpark Backgard)- NSW DPI, Mark Holdsworth
- 9th Woodburn Park Delilha, (S. Kildare Reimer)- Tony & Todd Biffin
- 10th Werombi Trident Grace, (S. Trident)- B & M Hayter



Kangawarra Pretty 2612

Champion Cow and Best Uddered- Kangawarra Pretty 2612, Sire ARBRALPH

Reserve Champion Cow- Beaulands Aks Birdie 8, Sire FYNAKS

Honourable Mention Cow- Kangawarra Gladys 2693, Sire Kangawarra Sambo

Details for future competitions will be announced on the www.aussiereds.com.au website