



Welcome to our new Association President, Donald Green. Donald has served on the Board since 2009, and is Youth Convenor and a Senior Judge.

- New President
- Youth Invitation to Sweden
- Photo Competition results



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AYRSHIRE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Annual Conference hosted by the Southland/Otago Ayrshire Club and based at the Ascot Park Hotel, Invercargill was a great success. At the Awards night the Kiteroa Trophy was presented to Selwyn Donald, Arran Ayrshires, Featherston and the Bell Booth Achiever Awards to Bruce Eade, Fairleigh Ayrshires, Gore and Kelly Allison, Bonacord Ayrshires, Outram. The inaugural Graeme Knight Memorial Trophy was presented to Neil McDonald of Stratford. For more information see the website www.ayrshire.org.nz or the upcoming Spring Bulletin.

A very successful youth auction at the conclusion of the Conference sale, and some fun fines on the final night raised a total of \$1904 towards the Youth Fund. Huge thanks to all those members who took part.

The 2016 Annual Conference will be hosted by the Bay of Plenty Ayrshire Club, dates to be confirmed.

OUTREACH PROGRAMME

Shortly, all Ayrshire New Zealand membership details will be incorporated into a customer relationship programme operated by Jersey NZ. Benefits include:

- allowing all staff to access a one-stop-shop for membership across all three Associations
- the ability to produce Ayrshire customised banner style e-mails to members
- the ability to customise member requirements for publications

We may be contacting you to update your e-mail address over the next couple of months to ensure that we have the most up-to-date information available.

BOARD ELECTIONS

Following an election in the Southland/Otago ward, Peter Allison has been re-elected as Director of Ward 9 for a three year term. Check out the website for a full list of all Board members and Committees for the 2015/16 year.

COMMITTEE POSITIONS

Expressions of Interest are called for from members who would like to be considered for the outside Directors position on the Semayr Board, or as a member of the Youth Committee. Both Semayr and the Youth Committee have two co-opted Directors, one of whom is re-elected each year. Please contact the office by 1 September to register your interest.

WAF PHOTO COMPETITION 2015

Check out the results of the World Photo Competition via link from our website www.ayrshire.org.nz

Congratulations to Vince and Sheri Steiner who won the 8 years & over in milk class with Brookview Lot Laguna. Other NZ placegetters included 3 year in milk - Reserve - Sentinal Hot Georgia, Perrett/Fredrickson Partnership; 6 & 7 year in milk - Reserve - Peak View Alfie Hetty, Arran Trust; 2 year in milk - Honorable Mention - Brookview Napes Joliette, V K & S L Steiner; 4 year in milk - Honorable Mention - Fairleigh LM Samantha, Fairleigh Dairy Farm Ltd. Well done!

SALES BRIEFS

Southern Lights Ayrshire Photo Sale, Invercargill, 17 June 2015. 18 lots averaged \$2411. Top priced animal was the pick of the two Rumba daughters out of Sanrosa Della 06-128, E8-8. The vendor was G & S A Glentworth and the pick was purchased by the Waikato Syndicate for \$5,100. Check out the facebook page or website for full results.

Ayrshire New Zealand

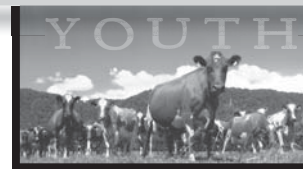
Youth Ambassadors

Imogen Steiner of Brookview Ayrshires, Tokoroa and Courtney Davies of Inca

Ayrshires, Albany, have been selected to represent Ayrshire NZ at the World Ayrshire Federation Conference in USA, 2016. Well done to you both, we are sure that you will represent us well.

Invitation to Sweden

The Swedish Red Association and SRB Youth Group have invited one youth (18-30 yrs) from each WAF country to Sweden Oct 21-29. For a full itinerary and details check out the website. To register your interest, please contact the Ayrshire office by Friday 31 July 2015.



dates to remember

july

- 24 Advertising booking closes Spring Bulletin
31 Advertising copy deadline Spring Bulletin

august

- 31 Registrations for Herd Book close

september

- 1 Spring Bulletin issued
Expressions of interest - Semayr & Youth

october

- 6 Semayr Board Meeting
7 Ayrshire Board Meeting
9 TOP Applications close
17 South Island Champs - Ellesmere
30 - 1 A&M Scott Memorial Shield - Waikato
31 Herd Book issued

november

- 30 Production Register issued

december

- 5 North Island Champs - Tokoroa

january

- 27-29 NZ Dairy Event, Feilding
30 Autumn Show Points Shield - Rotorua

REMINDERS

- All advertising bookings and copy for the Spring Bulletin must be received by Friday 31 July 2015.
- The Herd Book for the 2014/15 period closes on Monday 31 August 2015. If you are NOT part of the standing order or lifetime registration system, please contact the office now to get your registrations underway and into this years Herd Book.
- All cash prizes awarded annually following various awards and competitions (with the exception of the Youth Achiever Competition) are paid by a credit to your account with the Association. All invoices for these credits have now been sent to members.

SHOW DATES 2015/16

- South Island Championships Ellesmere Show, 17 October 2015.
- North Island Championships Tokoroa Show, 5 December 2015.
- NZ Dairy Event 27-29 January 2016, Feilding.
- The A & M Scott Memorial Shield for sire progeny will be held at the Waikato Show, 30 October - 1 November 2015.
- The Autumn Show Points Shield will be held at the Rotorua Show, 30-31 January 2016.



all new zealand photo competition 2015 results

Class 1 - 2 years	7 entries
1. Fairleigh Dairy Farm Ltd	Fairleigh Pre Alice
2. Arran Trust	Arran Burs Cha Cha
3. V K & S L Steiner	Brookview Bur L Secret
4. R J & N J Lawson	Subshine Reality Doll
5. J A & K L Robinson	Pukekaraka Crown Lady

Class 2 - 3 years	10 entries
1. M R & S A Booth	Thornton Park SPG Berretta
2. J A & K L Robinson	Pukekaraka Burdete Rose
3. Arran Trust	Arran Admiral Gracie
4. V K & S L Steiner	Brookview Real Secret
5. Fairleigh Dairy Farm Ltd	Fairleigh W Amelia

Class 3 - 4 & 5 years	10 entries
1. Arran Trust	Arran Risto Tinker
2. Arran Trust	Arran Poker Player
3. Fairleigh Dairy Farm Ltd	Fairleigh Trysts Girl
4. Fairleigh Dairy Farm Ltd	Fairleigh Ex Brash
5. Glenalla Farm Ltd	Glenalla Drew Tabitha

Class 4 - 6 yrs & over	7 entries
1. J Baxter	Brookview Maxi Jemini
2. V K & S L Steiner	Brookview Lens Cassatta
3. V K & S L Steiner	Brookview Ans Ice Iggy
4. Lodore Farm Ltd	Lodore Vals Nella
5. M T Livingstone	Inglecorner Par Clare

Class 5 - Herd Scene	32 entries
1. L Kite	
2. S Steiner	
3. L Kite	
4. R Gordon	
5. S Steiner	

Class 6 - Yearling Heifer	8 entries
1. V K & S L Steiner	Brookview Bar Atella
2. J A & K L Robinson	Pukekaraka Dream Memo
3. B K & D A Tippett	Te Awhata Deams Christi
4. S Leech	Brookview Spitz Snowbell
5. Arran Trust	Arran Nexus Hetty

Class 7 - Heifer Calf	12 entries
1. Fairleigh Dairy Farm Ltd	Fairleigh W Peach S2A
2. A McPike	Montrose Double Irish
3. A McPike	Montrose Whams Spirit ET
4. R J & N J Lawson	Sunshine Burdete Alice
5. P & H A Baxter	Shardville Black Star

the members voting competitions were won by charlie cox and nancy eade



ALPHA NOMINATED SCENIC
PHOTO COMPETITION 2015

Class 1 - Over 16 Open Division	25 entries
1. Sheridan Steiner	
2. Courtney Davies	
3. Sheridan Steiner	

Class 2 - Under 17 Kids Competition	no entries
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Look out for photos in the Spring Bulletin