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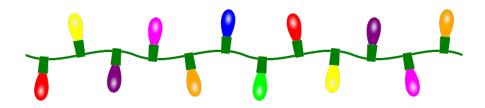
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From the President



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With kidding finished now and the next generation growing fast, I hope you have some fine stock to go on with.

The Royal Hobart Show did go ahead, all be it one day shorter than planned due to the sudden lockdown for Covid reasons.

The Branch Show was held in Merseylea and attracted six exhibitors.

Congratulations to all the winners. Thank you to the judges and Desely for

stewarding both shows. Thank you also to the sponsors of trophies for both these shows. Your generosity is much appreciated.

The next show is the Northeast Tasmanian Dairy Goat Show being held in Scottsdale. This is a standalone show due to the cancellation of the Scottsdale Show which is usually held in November and run by the North Eastern Agricultural & Pastoral Society.

GoatFest is only a month away with all the sections gearing up with preparations for a successful event.

Getting mainland judges for our shows has its complications and difficulties. With the everchanging rules and requirements, plane travel across any border has people not wanting to fly. And who can blame them.

The Agfest planning committee have decided to hold this premier agricultural event in August next year. The decision is due to a limit of 5,000 patrons being imposed by the health department. They are hoping by then that the government will have relaxed those rules. As anyone knows, winter in Tasmania is extremely cold and wet. Being held in August will have lots of drawbacks. In the dairy goat world it is kidding time. August is not suitable for us, so it appears at this stage that the goats will not be participating.

A list of upcoming shows and events is included in this newsletter.

Wishing you all a peaceful and Happy Christmas with Best Wishes for 2022.

Steve Baldock

Reminder

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FEES ARE DUE BEFORE 31st DECEMBER 2021

If you allow your membership to lapse, then you will be required to fill out the paperwork to apply to rejoin. This will then cost more as the Prefix fee is added.

Your invoice can be found in your recently received Herd Book

(If you have become a member since October your membership is carried through to next year).

Upcoming events

Event	Date	Location
North East Goat Show	Sunday 9 th January 2022	Scottsvale Showground, Rose Street, Scottsvale
Goat Fest	Sunday 30 th January 2022	Longford Showground
Middleton Fair (Display Only)	Saturday 5 th February 2022	
All Breeds Summer Show	Saturday 20 th February 2022	Deloraine Showground
Bushy Park Show (Display Only)	Sunday 27 th February 2022	
Hamilton Show (Display Only)	Saturday 5 th March 2022	
Wynyard Show	Saturday 12 th March 2022	
Agfest	24-27 th August	This event has been moved to August, which is not a good time of year for goat breeders. At this stage it is unlikely that the Tas Branch will be in attendance



From the Editor

The holiday season is here again!

I hope everyone is able to spend some time with their loved ones near and far now that the borders are open. If not, spend the day pampering yourself and enjoying bad holiday movies!

We have results for two shows held recently for this newsletter with lots of photos. The 2021 Tas Branch Show was again hosted at Anna and Tim's place with an amazing lunch. This is becoming the must do annual event. Thanks Anna and Tim!

Have a great Christmas and I hope to see many of you in the New Year!

Desely

Royal Hobart Show Results 2021

JUDGE: Mr Eian Rayner (TAS) DATE: Friday 22nd October

Class 1: SAANEN DOE in milk, 1st Lactation

1stHighveld MelodyS. Baldock2ndHighveld MelaniaS. Baldock

Class 4: ANGLO NUBIAN DOE in milk, 1st Lactation

1st Jiel Kiari A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 5: AUST. MELAAN DOE in milk, 1st Lactation

1st Marel Catriona M. & E. Lomman

Class 7: SAANEN DOE in milk, 2nd or Sub Lactation

1st Highveld Melinda S. Baldock 2nd Highveld Chantelle S. Baldock

Class 8: TOGGENBURG DOE in milk, 2nd or Sub Lactation

1st Heidrun Amber M. Payton

Class 9: BRITISH ALPINE DOE in milk, 2nd or Sub Lactation

1st Marel Mhairi M. & E. Lomman

Class 10: ANGLO NUBIAN DOE in milk, 2nd or Sub Lactation

1st Jiel Kira A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 14: BEST UDDER any breed, 1st Lactation (4)

1stMarel CatrionaM. & E. Lomman2ndHighveld MelodyS. Baldock3rdHighveld MelaniaS. Baldock

Class 15: BEST UDDER any breed, 2nd or Sub Lactation (5)

1stHeidrun AmberM. Payton2ndMarel MhairiM. & E. Lomman3rdHighveld MelindaS. Baldock

BEST UDDER OVERALL - HEIDRUN AMBER

Class 16: TYPE & ONE DAY PRODUCTION - show ground test(9)

1stHeidrun AmberM. Payton2ndMarel MhairiM. & E. Lomman3rdHighveld MelindaS. Baldock

Class 17: TYPE & HERD RECORDING PRODUCTION

1stHighveld MelindaS. Baldock2ndHighveld ChantelleS. Baldock

CHAMPION SENIOR DOE - HEIDRUN AMBER RESERVE CHAMP. SENIOR DOE - HIGHVELD MELINDA

Class 18: SAANEN GOATLING 12-24 months, unkidded

1stHighveld Penny-RoseS. Baldock2ndHighveld Ellaura-JaneS. Baldock3rdHighveld ShowflowerS. Baldock

Class 19: TOGGENBURG GOATLING 12-24 months, unkidded

1stLavender Park AriaM. Payton2ndLavender Park AmaraM. Payton

Class 20: BRITISH ALPINE GOATLING 12-24 months, unkidded

1st Cedarvale Park Serienity M. Payton

Class 21: ANGLO NUBIAN GOATLING 12-24 months, unkidded

 $\begin{array}{lll} \textbf{1}^{\text{st}} & \text{Jiel Kaja} & \text{A. Shepheard \& T. Saltmarsh} \\ \textbf{2}^{\text{nd}} & \text{Jiel Tsilver Lining} & \text{A. Shepheard \& T. Saltmarsh} \\ \textbf{3}^{\text{rd}} & \text{Jiel Kitri} & \text{A. Shepheard \& T. Saltmarsh} \\ \end{array}$

Class 22: AUST. MELAAN GOATING 12-24 months, unkidded

1st Marel Nyree M. & E. Lomman

CHAMPION JUNIOR DOE – JIEL KAJA RESERVE CHAMP. JUNIOR DOE – LAVENDER PARK ARIA

Class 24: SAANEN DOE KID under 12 months

1st Highveld Melodrama S. Baldock 2nd Highveld Melindianna S. Baldock

Class 25: TOGGENBURG DOE KID under 12 months (4)

1 st	Lavender Park Lavina	M. Payton
2^{nd}	Lavender Park Avia	M. Payton
3 rd	Lavender Park Lexi	M. Payton

Class 26: BRITISH ALPINE DOE KID under 12 months

1 st	Marel Cherith	M. & E. Lomman
2 nd	Marel Myrtai	M. & E. Lomman

Class 27: ANGLO NUBIAN DOE KID under 12 months (4)

1 st	Jiel Kiandra	A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh
2^{nd}	Jiel Kiana	A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh
3 rd	Jiel Thaisa	A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 28: AUST, MELAAN DOE KID under 12 months

1 st	Marel Ciara	M. & E. Lomman
2 nd	Marel Marlene	M. & E. Lomman

Class 30: BUCK KID any breed, under 12 months (4)

1st Lavender Park Atticus M. Payton

2nd Jiel Pyrrhus A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

3rd Highveld Melarkey S. Baldock

CHAMPION KID – LAVENDER PARK LAVINA

RESERVE CHAMP. KID - HIGHVELD MELODRAMA

BEST EXHIBIT - HEIDRUN AMBER

Class 31: DAM & DAUGHTER-Dam in milk, daughter in milk or dry

- 1st Highveld Melody & Highveld Melodrama
- 2nd Jiel Kiari & Jiel Kiandra
- 3rd Heidrun Amber & Lavender Park Amara

Class 33: JUNIOR PROGENY PAIR, under 24 months, same sire, different dams.

- 1st Highveld Ellaura-Jane & Highveld Showflower Progeny of Highveld Clarkey
- 2nd Lavender Park Amara & Lavender Park Lavina Progeny of Luckmore Collee Tansey

Class 34: OWNER BRED ANY BREED – must be bred by exhibitor (5)

- 1st Highveld Melinda
- 2nd Marel Mhairi
- 3rd Jiel Kaja

BREED CHAMPIONS

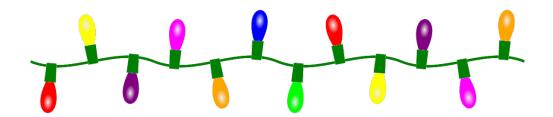
CHAMPION SAANEN HIGHVELD MELINDA

CHAMPION TOGGENBURG HEIDRUN AMBER

CHAMPION BRITISH ALPINE MAREL MHAIRI

CHAMPION ANGLO NUBIAN JIEL KIRA

CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN MELAAN MAREL CATRIONA



Royal Hobart Show photos



Heidrun Amber Best Exhibit, Champion Toggenburg, Grand Champion Doe and Best Udder Overall

Royal Hobart Show photos continued...



Jiel Kaja - Champion Junior Doe



Lavender Park Aria – Reserve Junior Doe



Lavender Park Lavina - Champion Doe Kid



Highveld Melodrama - Reserve Doe Kid



Highveld Melinda – Reserve Senior Doe



Jiel Kira - Champion Anglo Nubian



Gift Ideas!

Nubian Goat

I commissioned a lady to crochet an Anglo-Nubian toy for my new nephew, to accompany the book "G is for Goat" by Patricia Polacco. It's never too early to begin indoctrination!

I'm happy to pass the details of the talented toy maker on to anyone who is interested. I

may have to get one made for myself! I'm sure she could do other breeds too.

Anna Shepheard





Cajeta

Sonia and David at Touchwood Farm have a great new product on the market – Cajeta goat milk caramel. Absolutely divine on pancakes, ice cream or whatever your imagination comes up with! You can purchase direct from their website (www.touchwoodfarm.com), and they have a stall at the Salamanca Markets where you can sample all their products.

Get in my belly!

Tas Branch Show 2021 Results

JUDGE: Mrs Shelley Johnson DATE: Saturday, 11th December

Class 1: Saanen Doe in milk 1st lactation

1st Highveld Melania S. Baldock

Class 4: Anglo Nubian Doe in milk 1st lactation

1st Jiel Kiari A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 8: Saanen Doe in milk 2nd or sub. Lactation 1st Highveld Melinda S. Baldock

Class 9: Toggenburg Doe in milk 2nd or sub. Lactation
1st Heidrun Amber M. Payton

Class 10: British Alpine Doe in milk 2nd or sub. lactation 1st Marel Mhairi M. & E. Lomman

Class 11: Anglo Nubian Doe in milk 2nd or sub. Lactation

1st Jiel Kira A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 15: Best Udder 1st Lactation, Any Breed

1st Highveld Melania S. Baldock

2nd Jiel Kiari A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 16: Best Udder 2nd or sub. Lactation, Any Breed

1stHeidrun AmberM. Payton2ndMarel MhairiM. & E .Lomman3rd)Highveld MelindaS. Baldock

3rd) Jiel Kira A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

BEST UDDER OVERALL - HEIDRUN AMBER

Class 17: Type & One Day Production any breed, Any Lac (6)

1stMarel MhairiM. & E. Lomman2ndHeidrun AmberM. Payton3rdHighveld MelaniaS. Baldock

Class 18: Herd Recording, Any Breed, Any age

1st Highveld Melinda S. Baldock

CHAMPION SENIOR DOE – HEIDRUN AMBER

RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR DOE – HIGHVELD MELANIA

Class 19: Saanen Goatling 12-24 months unkidded.

1st Highveld Ellaura-Jane S. Baldock 2nd Highveld Penny-Rose S. Baldock

Class 20: Toggenburg Goatling 12-24 months unkidded

1st Lavender Park Aria M. Payton2nd Lavender Park Amara M. Payton

Class 21: British Alpine Goatling 12-24 months unkidded

1st Cedarvale Park Serenity M. Payton

Class 22: Anglo Nubian Goatling 12-24 months unkidded(5)

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mathbf{1}^{\text{st}} & \text{Jiel Sirine} & \text{A. Shepheard \& T. Saltmarsh} \\ \mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}} & \text{Jiel Tsilver Lining} & \text{A. Shepheard \& T. Saltmarsh} \\ \mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}} & \text{Jiel Kitri} & \text{A. Shepheard \& T. Saltmarsh} \\ \end{array}$

Class 23: Aust. Melaan Goatling 12-24 months unkidded

1st Marel Nyree M. & E. Lomman

CHAMPION JUNIOR DOE - MAREL NYREE

RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR DOE – LAVENDER PARK ARIA

Class 26: Saanen Doe Kid under 12 months

Highveld Melodrama S. Baldock Highveld Melindianna S. Baldock

Class 27: Toggenburg Doe Kid under 12months (4)

1stLavender Park AviaM. Payton2ndLavender Park AmeliaM. Payton3rd)Lavender Park LavinaM. Payton3rd)equal Lavender Park LexiM. Payton

Class 28: British Alpine Doe Kid under 12 months

1stMarel MytaiM. & E. Lomman2ndMarel MhariahM. & E. Lomman3rdMarel CherithM. & E. Lomman

Class 29: Anglo Nubian Doe Kid under 12 months (9)

1stKillara Ram LanikaA. Kositsin2ndLittle High Country TelitaS. Payton3rdKillara Ram LavaniA. Kositsin

Class 30: Aust. Melaan Doe Kid under 12 months

1st Marel Ciara M. & E. Lomman

CHAMPION DOE KID – KILLARA RAM LANIKA RESERVE CHAMPION DOE KID – LAVENDER PARK AVIA GRAND CHAMPION DOE – HEIDRUN AMBER

1st Highveld Melarkey S. Baldock

Class 34: Toggenburg Buck Kid under 12 months

1st Lavender Park Atticus M. Payton

Class 35: British Alpine Buck Kid under 12 months

1st Marel Mika M. & E. Lomman

Class 36: Anglo Nubian Buck Kid under 12 months

1st Little High Country Colorado S. Payton

Class 41: Toggenburg Buckling 12-24 months

1st Lavender Park Latrobe M. Payton

Class 42: British Alpine Buckling 12 - 24 months

1st Marel Myrdyn M. & E. Lomman

Class 43: Anglo Nubian Buckling 12 -24 months

1st Jiel Phoebus A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

2nd Little High Country Maverick S. Payton

3rd Jiel Persian Shield A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 50: Anglo Nubian Buck over 24 months

1st Jiel Perseus A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

GRAND CHAMPION BUCK - JIEL PERSEUS

RESERVE CHAMPION BUCK - JIEL PHOEBUS

Class 54. Dam and Daughter, Dam in milk, Daughter in milk or dry

1st Highveld Melinda & Highveld Melania
 2nd Heidrun Amber & Lavender Park Aria
 M. Payton

3rd Marel Mhairi & Marel Mhariah M. & E. Lomman

Class 56: Junior Progeny Pair, under 24 months, same sire, different dams

Jiel Tsilver Lining & Jiel Kiandra (Sire: Jiel Perseus) A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh 2nd Highveld Ellaura-Jane & Highveld Melodrama (Sire: Highveld Clarkey) S. Baldock

3rd Marel Cherith & Marel Myrtai (Sire: Marel Myrdyn) M. & E. Lomman

Class 57: Dam's Progeny Pair, same dam, different sires

1st Highveld Melania & Melindianna (Dam: Highveld Melinda) S. Baldock

2nd Jiel Kiari & Jiel Kira (Dam: Jiel Kismet) A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 58: Buck & 2 Progeny

1st Jiel Perseus & Progeny

A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

Class 59: Group of 3 Goats same prefix, same breed

1stHighveld StudS. Baldock2ndLavender Park StudM. Payton

Class 60: Owner Bred

1st Highveld Stud S. Baldock

2^{nd)} Jiel Stud A. Shepheard & T. Saltmarsh

2^{nd)Equal} Marel Stud M. & E. Lomman

Novice Handler Class:

1st Anastasia Kositsin

2nd Audrey Wu3rd Timothy Kositsin

BEST EXHIBIT HEIDRUN AMBER

CHAMPION SAANEN HIGHVELD MELANIA

CHAMPION TOGGENBURG HEIDRUN AMBER

CHAMPION ANGLO NUBIAN BUCK JIEL PERSEUS

CHAMPION ANGLO NUBIAN DOE JIEL KIRA

CHAMPION BRITISH ALPINE MAREL MHAIRI

CHAMPION AUST. MELAAN MAREL NYREE



Tas Branch Show 2021 Photos



Champion Junior Doe (Marel Nyree) and Reserve (Lavender Park Aria)



Champion Doe Kid (Killara Ram Lanika) and Reserve (Lavender Park Avia)



Champion Senior Doe (Heidrun Amber) and Reserve (Highveld Melania)



Heidrun Amber Best Exhibit, Grand Champion Doe, Champion Senior Doe, Best Udder Overall and Champion Toggenburg



Reserve (Jiel Phoebus) and Grand Champion Buck (Jiel Perseus)





Winners prizes!!!.....



Type and Production (Marel Mhairi)



Line up for Grand Champion Doe

Sue Davey with Judge, Shelley Johnson. Both members were awarded their 20 year membership badges having joined the Society in 1991.

Sue presented Shelley with her badge after judging.





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