

2008 ANNUAL MEETING SUMMARY

On Friday March 13, 2009, the Guernsey Cattle Breeders' Association of Ontario and the Canadian Guernsey Association held their annual meeting in Guelph.

We were pleased and encouraged by the number of attendees , with representation from both the West and East.

The day started at 11:00 am when Morris Bartlett called the Ontario meeting to order. Morris presented his President's address where he commented on the successful National Show congratulating the breeders and exhibitors and thanking the sponsors and volunteers. Morris also commented on the great work that Rob Forster, our Fieldman, has done this past year. The amended Ontario Constitution was presented by Ken McNabb and with one additional amendment, the Constitution was approved. Elections of the 2009 Board of Directors was completed and the Ontario Awards presented.

The Canadian meeting was called to order at 11:30 by Bill Henhoeffler. Bill presented his President's address whereby he expressed his concerns over the economy and the impact on the Association. On a positive note, Bill commented on the activities completed by Administration and the visits by the Fieldman to many breeders over the year. With the sudden loss of one of our Board Members, Alan Black, Jim Eby presented a plaque to Wendy and Jason Black, recognizing Alan's contributions to the Guernsey Breed..

The financial and administration report was presented by Nellie Endeman. Fiscal 2008 was an exciting and challenging year. It was exciting in that the Association invested dollars and time promoting the breed. The challenge is evident in the financial results. Together with the Board of Directors, we undertook a budgeting exercise for fiscal 2009, this will provide direction to both the Fieldman and Administration as to where efforts should be directed in 2009.

Jim Eby presented a letter that will be distributed to the Members looking for assistance to the Canadian Association, to continue supporting the requirements of all breeders in all provinces, to continue to promote and build the Guernsey breed.

John Gordon and Marie McNabb brought the members up to date on the 2010 World Guernsey Conference, Sponsor packages have been completed and were distributed to the members at the meeting, if you are interested in obtaining one of these packages to assist the WGC committee please contact Marie McNabb.

Ken McNabb read the Breed Improvement report and Rob Forster presented his Fieldman report and read the Semex YS Program report submitted by Murray Reissner.

The Canadian Awards were presented which was followed by fun and laughter as the auction of numerous donated items took place. The auction brought in \$1,769.00 to the Association. Thank you to all our sponsors for their donations and to our members who participated and were recipients of the items.

2008 ANNUAL MEETING AWARDS



**RUNNING SPRING FARM, CALEDONIA, ON
ONTARIO GUERNEY ASSOCIATION AWARD**

for the highest Butterfat Production (kg)

RUNNING SPRING CARLY

5 Yr 9951M **467F** 4.7% 330P 3.3% BCA 261 247 243

b/o Morris & Penny Bartlett, Caledonia, ON

SUPERIOR PRODUCTION RECORDS

Based on 2007 Production Records



**BIG SPRING FARMS LTD, KITCHENER, ON
ONTARIO GUERNEY ASSOCIATION AWARD**

for the highest Protein Production (kg)

BIG SPRING SILVER KASSIE

3Yr 9985M 402F 4% **357P** 3.6% BCA 303 239 305

b/o Big Spring Farms Ltd., Kitchener, ON

CANADIAN CLASS LEADERS

Protein

Based on 2008 Breed Class Average

3 yr—**BIG SPRING SILVER KASSIE**— 9985 402 357 BCA 303 239 305

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CALLUMLEA FARM, NEW HAMBURG, ON

ONTARIO GUERNSEY ASSOCIATION AWARD

for the cow with the Highest BCA

CALLUMLEA MAGICMAN PATTI

2 yr 10166M 411F 4% 330P 3.2%

BCA 322 257 295 +79+32+59

b/o Kenneth McNabb, New Hamburg, ON

CANADIAN CLASS LEADERS

Protein

Based on Breed Class Average

4 yr **CALLUMLEA LL NATALIE**—10012 434 341 BCA 267 232 **256**

2 yr **CALLUMLEA MAGICMAN PATTI**—10166 411 330 BCA 322 257 **295**

LINDLEY FARM AWARD for the highest composite Breed Class Average 2007

CALLUMLEA FARM

BCA 230 215 224 = 669

COMFORT FARMS, ST ANNS, ON

ONTARIO GUERNSEY ASSOCIATION AWARD

Awarded to the Breeder and Owner of the Grand
Champion Cow at Ontario Shows

Based on Lifetime records

COMFORT FARMS HONEYBUN

Grand Champion Simcoe 2008

13366M 640F 474P BCA 213 189 203

b/o Bruce Comfort, St Anns, ON

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LINDRIAN FARM, SURREY, BC

CANADIAN CLASS LEADERS

Butterfat

Based on Breed Class Average

Mature	LINDRIAN MAGICMAN POPPY —	12371 546 411	BCA 321 290 300
3 Yr	LINDRIAN GARRETT PIPPY 465 —	8602 427 308	BCA 266 260 268
Yearling	LINDRIAN PIPPY LAMAR 28 —	7195 382 275	BCA 266 283 286

Protein

Mature	LINDRIAN MAGICMAN POPPY —	12371 546 411	BCA 321 290 300
Yearling	LINDRIAN PIPPY LAMAR 28 —	7195 382 275	BCA 266 283 286

SUPERIOR PRODUCTION RECORDS

Based on 2007 Production Records

BUTTERFAT + 460 kg

LINDRIAN MAGICMAN POPPY—8 yr 12371 **546** 4.4% 411 3.3%

PROTEIN + 360 kg

LINDRIAN MAGICMAN POPPY—8 yr 12371 546 4.4% **411** 3.3%

LINDRIAN PIZZAZ— 5 yr 10988 436 4.0% **370** 3.4%

HONOUR ROLL ADDITION— BUTTERFAT & PROTEIN

LINDRIAN MAGICMAN POPPY

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COANWOOD FARMS, CHILLIWACK, BC

CANADIAN CLASS LEADERS

Based on Breed Class Average

BUTTERFAT

2Yr **COANWOOD SUZZANE**—8883 396 299 BCA 309 273 2 93

John & Larry Wigham, Chilliwack, BC

GLEN HAVEN FARMS, CRYSLER, ON

SUPERIOR PRODUCTION RECORDS

Based on 2007 Production Records

BUTTERFAT + 460 kg

GLEN HAVEN DOUBLE BUBBLE

4 yr—10057 494 4.9% 355 3.5%

BCA 275 270 273 +64 +65 +59

b/o Glen Haven Farms, Crysler, ON

HONOR ROLL ADDITION

BUTTERFAT

GLEN HAVEN DOUBLE BUBBLE

EBY MANOR LTD, WATERLOO, ON

CANADIAN CLASS LEADERS

Based on Breed Class Average

BUTTERFAT

2Yr **EBY MANOR LARMER LOTTIE**—7236 380 257 BCA 262 273 262

Eby Manor Ltd., Waterloo, ON

LINDRIAN FRAMS AWARD for highest butterfat herd average kg 2007

EBY MANOR LTD

38 records 7321 364 262

BCA 220 219 221

CHINOOK CREST DAIRY AWARD for highest protein herd average kg 2007

EBY MANOR LTD

38 records 7321 364 262

BCA 220 219 221

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MAPLEHURST FARM, LYNDEN, ON

CANADIAN CLASS LEADERS

based on Breed Class Average

BUTTERFAT

4 yr **MAPLEHURST ROYAL ANGELINE**—8681 442 316 BCA 233 **238** 238

QUEENHOLM FARMS AWARD to the highest Lifetime Milk producer completing a record in 2008
MARSHDENE FARMS AWARD to the highest Lifetime Butterfat producer completing a record in 2008
CALLUMLEA FARM AWARD to the highest Lifetime Protein producer completing a record in 2008

MAPLEHURST ROMEO LUCINDA

46623 M 2276 F 1622P in 7 Lactations

b/o Robert Forster, Lynden, ON



BLACKHOME PLACE, MOOREWOOD, ON

GARTMORE FARMS AWARD

for highest increase in BCA over the previous year (2006-2007)

2006 BCA 474 — 2007 BCA 562 — Increase 88

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GOLD STAR BREEDER AWARD

**EBY MANOR LTD
KITCHENER, ON**

Pictured:

Jim & Ben Eby

**MAPLEHURST FARM
LYNDEN, ON**

Pictured:

Ken & Chris Forster

Congratulations on your achievement!

To achieve this honour, a home-bred herd will have at least 15 completed records, with classification score average at least 82.5% and BCA 10 points above the National Herd Average for Butterfat and Protein.

The Canadian Guernsey Association and the Cattle Breeders' Association of Ontario would like to thank our sponsors for their contributions towards the Annual Meeting luncheon and auction items.



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