



## July 2018 Newsletter

### All World Photographic Competition

2018 has proved a fantastic year for Australian Ayrshire cattle in the world arena, with Australian Ayrshires having an extremely successful year in the All World Photo Competition. Australia produced its best results ever, as well as being the most successful country in the competition.

Australia had winners and runners up in 7 of the 9 classes. Casey Treloar had a win in the 12-18 month old class with Finesse Burdette Marcie, who also won the People's Choice award. The 18-24 month old class saw a win and People's Choice for Boldview Farms with Boldview Starbuck Macchiato. Boldview Farms also had a win in the 8 year old and over class with Boldview Bonaparte Spect.

In the 2 year old class Jake Mathews owned Boldview Billi-Zad achieved Runner Up, while the syndicate of Ben Taylor, Ben Hentschke and Caitlin Liebich received 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up with Boldview Gibbs Patron in the 3 year old class. Paul and Vicky Timbs had success with Mayfield Farms Shimitan placing 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner up in the 4 year old Class. The 6 & 7 year old class saw Boldview Modem Pastel, owned by Mick and Janine Eagles also placing 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up.

Congratulations to all winners, and to all entrants on a very successful World Photo Competition. It proves that Australian Ayrshires are up there with the best in the world, and that we have plenty of wonderful cattle to put on show when we host the World Conference in 2020.

### 2020 World Ayrshire Conference

Places are filling fast for the upcoming World Conference in January 2020. With limited availabilities for accommodation make sure you get your registrations in as soon as possible. Contact John Edmonds (email: [cjedmonds0@bigpond.com](mailto:cjedmonds0@bigpond.com)), or any committee member for more information. Refer to the Australian Ayrshire website for the itinerary, and registration forms. [www.australianayrshire.com.au](http://www.australianayrshire.com.au)

We are also looking for a person who may be interested in being our 'Sponsorship Co-Coordinator' for the 2020 World Conference. This role will be to send sponsorship request letters, and co-ordinate sponsorship toward events included during the tour, as well as for the 2020 IDW Ayrshire Show. If you would be interested please contact Scott Braendler for more information.

**Remember to put forward your pedigrees for selection for the World Conference Embryo Auction and 2020 IDW Sale. Pedigrees are to be submitted to Federal Council for consideration.**

### 2019 IDW Ayrshire Sale

Just a reminder that there will be **NO SALE** held at IDW in 2019. This will enable vendors to showcase a fabulous selection of Elite Pedigree animals for the sale in 2020 for the World Ayrshire Conference.

We will still be holding the Annual Fanfare Sale and Show in May of 2019 as per normal.

### 2018 Nathalia Show (Victoria)

The Nathalia Show will be held on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October, and would like to invite our members to enter. Classes range from heifer born this year, to Cow 6 years old, with Junior, Intermediate and Senior Champions. There is also a Junior Handler Competition. For more information please contact Nathalia Show Society Secretary, Kathleen Botterill, email: [nathaliaagsociety@gmail.com](mailto:nathaliaagsociety@gmail.com) , or ph: 0407 662 563.

### **NSW All Breeds Judging School**

Australian Ayrshires NSW Branch is involved in the All Breeds Judging School being held in the Taree area in a couple of weeks time, Friday 27<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July.

The 3 day event will include talks on skeletal structure, microphone technique, ring craft, judges responsibilities promoting the dairy industry, and show ethics and rules. The Friday night will hold a sit down dinner, including a Breed Forum with an open Panel discussion. Saturday and Sunday will include farm visits looking at groups of cows/heifers, and cows and heifers being led and semi presented for judging, and oral presentation for any participants looking for breed panel judges recognition.

There will be presentations and tutoring from industry leaders including Patrick Nicholson, Cameron Yarnold, Brian Wilson, Richard Cole and Phillip Hentschke.

Accommodation can be organized for you, and rates are quite reasonable. Organisers have a special price organised, so please contact them before making any bookings.

For more information and to book please contact Karen Yarnold at [Karen\\_Yarnold@semex.com.au](mailto:Karen_Yarnold@semex.com.au) or on 0428 535 183 as soon as possible as the date is fast approaching.

### **Australian Ayrshire Journal**

On behalf of all Ayrshire enthusiasts, we would like to congratulate and thank Janine Eagles for her continued work in preparation of the many previous editions of the Ayrshire Journals for us all to be able to catch up on the year's events and results and enable us to treasure a record of annual Ayrshire happenings as a keepsake. Many hours of time and effort go into each edition and Janine has felt it time to take a step back. We now have the pleasure of Caitlin Liebich taking on the role of Journal Editor, and with her enthusiastic approach I am sure the coming Journals will continue to be a fantastic read.

It's that time of year again and we are now taking bookings for advertisements in the upcoming 2018 Ayrshire Journal. Could you please get your bookings to Caitlin Liebich before the end of August, via email: [caitlin.liebich@hotmail.com](mailto:caitlin.liebich@hotmail.com) Also any information, show, herd comp or sale results, or just any general Member news, please forward this to Caitlin for inclusion. The 2018 Journal will be distributed at the end of this current year.

### **2020 IDW Conference Show Judge Nominations**

At your next State Branch Meeting, a letter from Federal Council will be discussed as Correspondence. This will be asking for nominations to be submitted via your State Branch for Judges for the 2020 IDW World Conference Show. So have a think and prepare a submission if you have some Judges names that would be worthy to adjudicate at this, our biggest and best Ayrshire Show this country has ever seen.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone the best of luck in the coming Spring Show season, with the Brisbane and Adelaide Royals, and the NSW Calf Show on the horizon.

Regards,  
Scott Braendler.  
President  
Australian Ayrshires.