

First Hawkeye Pot O'Gold Sale Held with Spring Sale

The news from the Iowa Spring Extravaganza Sale is all good this year, with the highest average in three years and the introduction of the Hawkeye Pot O'Gold Sale just for juniors. As well, several dairy producers made first-time purchases at this year's event to add top-quality Registered Jersey genetics to their dairy herds.

Sale Analysis

Number	Avg. Price	Total Value
13 Cows, two years and over	\$1,934.62	\$25,150
1 under 3 mos., s.w.d.	1,00.00	1000
9 Bred heifers	1,763.89	15,875
1 Open yearling	1,900.00	1,900
13 Heifer calves	1,205.77	15,675
1 Choice of calves	1,500.00	1,500
37 Lots	\$1,651.35	\$61,100
Median price	\$1,700.00	

*Sale Management:
Iowa Jersey Cattle Club
Auctioneer: Lynn Lee*

The 37 lots that crossed the auction block at the fairgrounds in West Union, Iowa, on April 2 sold for an average of \$1,651.35 and grossed \$61,100. Buyers looking to earn a quick return on their investment were willing to pay a premium for milk and the prospect of a heifer calf, with eight of the 10 high prices being paid for milking cows or close-up springers.

Gary Johnson, Waukon, Iowa, took home the high seller, Gallagher Flash Sweetheart Sugar, with a bid of \$2,400. The fancy-uddered senior two-year-old is sired by Margandale Iatola Flash, GJPI +120, and sold fresh in early March. Her heifer calf, Iota Quenton Spot, sold to Jodi Simon, Farley, Iowa, for \$1,000.

"Sugar" has two Very Good maternal sisters: Gallagher Duke Sweetheart Sissy, Very Good-85%, with 17,470 lbs. milk, 774 lbs. fat and 558 lbs. protein, and Gallagher Sugardaddy SH Sugar, Very Good-88%, who sold in the sale as well to Brian Bagge, Worthington, Iowa, for \$1,900. Their dam is sired by Curtsey



Carlena and Pat Gallagher consigned the high seller, Gallagher Flash Sweetheart Sugar. Gary Johnson purchased the senior two-year-old for \$2,400. In the box are Eric Lang, pedigrees, and Lynn Lee, auctioneer.



The second high seller was Lyon Iatola Librada, purchased by Bryce VanVark for \$2,350. She was consigned by Russell and Robert Lyon, represented by Eric Lyon, left. Also pictured are Eric Lang, pedigrees, and Lynn Lee, auctioneer, in the box, and Dave Koss, at the halter.

Duncan Jude-ET, GJPI -56. Their grandam is VG 85 in Canada.

"Sugar," "Spot" and "SH Sugar" were consigned by Patrick and Carlena Gallagher, Decorah, Iowa.

Bryce VanVark, Pella, Iowa, purchased the second high seller, Lyon Iatola Librada, for \$2,350. The deep-pedigreed senior two-year-old is sired by SC Gold Dust Paramount Iatola-ET, GJPI +88, and backed by 10 dams that are appraised Very Good or Excellent. "Librada" freshened in early October and has an m.e. of 18,887-955-673 on her first lactation. She sold due to Lencrest On Time-ET, GJPI +42, in mid-September.

Her dam is a Very Good-85% daughter of WF Brook Bomber, GJPI -8, with three records in excess of 20,000 lbs. milk and a best record of 4-0 305 22,010 4.3% 957 3.3% 724 98DCR. Her grandam, Lyon Cream Stud Lynette, is a Very Good-81% daughter of Danish Cream Stud, GJPI -25, with seven lactations and a high record of 18,950 lbs. milk, 1,005 lbs. fat and 715 lbs. protein at 5-2. "Lynette" has a Very Good-82% maternal sister with 20,180 lbs. milk, 978 lbs. fat and 742 lbs. protein.

"Librada's" fourth and fifth dams are appraised Very Good-80% and have seven completed lactations each. Her sixth dam is a Very Good-85% daughter of Gramhil Leader Sophia Samson, GJPI -176, with 11 lactations.

"Librada" was consigned by Russell and Robert Lyon, Traer, Iowa.

A pair of fancy-pedigreed consignments sold for the third high price of the day—\$2,250. Wisconsin Jersey breeders Jon and Ashlee Crubel of Lancaster purchased the younger of the two, Rosdedale HP GPrix Munchkin-ET. The daughter of Rapid Bay Grand-Prix-ET, PA JPI +9, will show as a summer yearling on the tanbark trail this year. She is out of Lone Pine Saturns Maria, Excellent-94%, with a best record of 4-5 304 22,870 4.9% 1,122 4.0% 910 92DCR. "Maria" placed third in the



The high seller of the Hawkeye Pot O'Gold Sale was Summetz Celebrity Treva, purchased by Jenna Simon for \$1,650 and consigned by Summit Farm, represented by Harvey Metzger. Also pictured is Jenna's niece, Jiah Riniker.

aged cow class at the Wisconsin Spring Spectacular Show in 2007 and then stood second in the class for cows with at least 75,000 lbs. milk lifetime at the spring show the following year.

"Munchkin's" third dam is SUP-EX in Canada and has lifetime credits of 110,561 lbs. milk, 5,067 lbs. fat and 4,279 lbs. protein.

"Munchkin" was consigned by Mitch Schulte, Watkins, Iowa.

The volume buyer of the day, Robert Allen Miller of Riverton, Ill., chose the other heifer for \$2,550. Hei-Bri Iatola Frannie was one of the eight head he purchased for \$15,050. The "Iatola" daughter is due in early May to ISDK Q Impuls, GJPI +189.

"Frannie's" pedigree includes seven generations of Very Good or Excellent dams. Her dam is a Very Good-87% daughter of BHF-SSF Parade Louie-ET, JPI +123, with 21,770 lbs. milk, 1,009 lbs. fat and 760 lbs. protein in her third lactation. Her grandam is also appraised Very Good-87% and has a best record of 6-11 305 17,990 5.4% 970 3.9% 704 95DCR.

"Frannie's" fourth dam, Ravenwood Garnet Favorite, Excellent-92%, has 18,000 lbs. milk, 934 lbs. fat and 757 lbs. protein at 3-7. Her fifth and six dams both are Excellent-90%. Her seventh dam is Les Serrettes Cel-Mast Fashion, Excellent-91%, with 10 lactations and a best record of 19,820 lbs. milk, 923 lbs. fat and 787 lbs. protein at 7-2.

Brian and Heidi Lantzky and Family, Hawkeye, Iowa, consigned "Frannie" to the sale.

Sales \$1,900 and Over (Consignors in Parentheses)

Gary Johnson, Waukon, Iowa	
Gallagher Flash Sweetheart Sugar, cow 2 yrs.....	\$2,400
(Patrick and Carlena Gallagher, Decorah, Iowa)	
Bryce VanVark, Pella, Iowa	
Lyon Iatola Librada, cow 2 yrs.....	2,350
(Russell and Robert Lyon, Traer, Iowa)	
Robert Allen Miller, Riverton, Ill.	
Hei-Bri Iatola Frannie, bred heifer 2 yrs.	2,250

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Iowa Spring Sale

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Part of the crowd at the Iowa Spring Extravaganza Sale, including several juniors who bid at the inaugural Hawkeye Pot O'Gold Sale.

- (Brian and Heidi Lantzky and Family, Hawkeye, Iowa)
- Hei-Bri Ringmaster Joker, cow 2 yrs. 2,050
- (Brian and Heidi Lantzky and Family)
- Treys Jade Trifecta-ET, cow 2 yrs. 1,900
- (David Koss and Benito Jaramillo, Epworth, Iowa)
- Hei-Bri Ray Shami, bred heifer 2 yrs. 1,900
- (Brian and Heidi Lantzky and Family)
- Ashlee and Jon Crubel, Lancaster, Wis.**
- Rosedale HP Gprix Munchkin-ET, heifer calf 10 mos. 2,250
- (Mitch Schulte, Watkins, Iowa)
- Levi DeRuyter, Ruthton, Minn.**
- Holtz-View Blake Nikita, cow 2 yrs. 2,150
- (Brent Hoogendoorn, Rock Rapids, Iowa)
- Summit Farm Inc., Lester, Iowa**
- Knapp Time Comerica Maribeth, cow 2 yrs. 2,050
- (Kevin G. Knapp, Larchwood, Iowa)
- Blake Bieber, Springville, Iowa**
- FV Hannah Harmony, bred heifer 22 mos. 2,050
- (Ronald D. Kaiser, Garnavillo, Iowa)
- James H. Pflughaupt, Central City, Iowa**
- Jackknife Heather of Edgebrook, bred heifer 19 mos. . 2,050
- (Mike and Julie Hemp and Patty Dilly, Chebanse, Iowa)
- Jeremy M. Angstman, Oakes, N.D.**
- Schulte Bros Vin Nadia-ET, bred heifer 19 mos. 2,050
- (Zach and Blake Schulte, Watkins, Iowa)
- Brian Bagge, Worthington, Iowa**
- Gallagher Sugardaddy SH Sugar, cow 3 yrs. 1,900
- (Patrick and Carlena Gallagher)
- Steve Durnan, Elgin, Iowa**
- Cool Ayr Rockets Kandy, cow 2 yrs. 1,900
- (David Coolidge, Rochester, Minn.)
- Nick Bagge, Worthington, Iowa**
- Schulte Bros Giller Galaxy, open yearling 13 mos. 1,900
- (Zach, Blake and Mitch Schulte, Watkins, Iowa)

Hawkeye Pot O'Gold Sale

The inaugural Hawkeye Pot O'Gold Sale auctioned four heifer calves for an average of \$975 and a gross of \$3,900. The four juniors who made purchases are eligible for the Hawkeye Pot O'Gold Production Contest, which is based on the actual production (combined fat and protein pounds) of these heifers in their first lactations.

Jenna Simon, Farley, Iowa, placed

Sale Analysis

Number	Avg. Price	Total Value
4 Heifer calves	\$975.00	\$3,900
4 Lots	\$975.00	\$3,900
Median price	\$875.00	

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+113. Four of her five closest dams have records in excess of 20,000 lbs. milk.

Her dam is sired by Forest Glen Meccas Jevon-ET, GJPI +143, and has an m.e. of 17,010-674-538 on her first lactation. Her grandam is appraised Very Good-86% and has a best record of 5-10 305 21,700 4.6% 995 3.6% 788 98DCR. Her third dam has four lactations and made her high record of 23,430 lbs. milk, 1,027 lbs. fat and 815 lbs. protein at 4-10. Her fourth dam, Summetz Lester Toes Topsy, Very Good-86%, has three records over 21,800 lbs. milk and an m.e. average of 24,314-1,031-817 on five lactations. The next dam has 20,890 lbs. milk, 886 lbs. fat and 736 lbs. protein in her third lactation.

"Treva" was consigned by Summit Farm Inc., Lester, Iowa.

Other Iowa juniors to make purchases were: Colt Churchill, Altoona; Meghan Hettinga, Orange City; and Kaylee Koss, Epworth.

The Iowa Spring Extravaganza Sale has been co-managed by the Iowa Jersey Cattle Club and the Iowa Ayrshire Association since 2002. This year, 48 Ayrshires were also auctioned for an average of \$1,646.08.

Sales \$500 and Over

(Consignors in Parentheses)

- Jena Simon, Farley, Iowa**
- Summetz Celebrity Treva, heifer calf 7 mos. \$1,650
- (Summit Farm Inc., Lester, Iowa)
- Meghan Hettinga, Orange City, Iowa**
- GR Hei-Bri Gannon Dixie, heifer calf 8 mos. 900
- (Brian and Heidi Lantzky and Family, Hawkeye, Iowa)
- Colt Churchill, Altoona, Iowa**
- Lyon Jevon Chaney, heifer calf 9 mos. 850
- (Lyon Jerseys, Toledo, Iowa)
- Ski Pal Ayrshires and Kayle Koss, Epworth, Iowa**
- Zumbach Legion Chive, heifer calf 8 mos. 500
- (Jennifer Zumbach, Hopkinton, Iowa)

the final bid of \$1,650 on the high seller, Summetz Celebrity Treva. The production-bred P8 summer yearling is sired by Galaxies Celebrity-ET, GJPI