

## Coloured Breed Highlights - August 2018 -

### **New Stars in the Sky Among Top Ayrshire Sires and Cows**

This August release welcomes two newly proven sires that make the headlines as they penetrate the Top 5 LPI list. Des Coteaux Revolution-ET is the highest of these at #2 LPI (tied #4 Fat, #4 Protein), landing just behind his sire, Orraryd, who still occupies the #1 LPI position (#3 Milk, #1 Fat, #1 Protein). Revolution's dam is Kamouraska Poker Rubis-ET, who is a maternal sister to Kamouraska Orra Xuby as the #1 GLPI cow, as well as the proven sires Kamouraska Decaf-ET (#9 LPI) and Kamouraska Rockstar (#13 LPI). Du Petit Bois Animate (Rockstar x Reality) also makes a very impressive debut at #5 LPI and tied at #7 Conformation with +11. The highest newcomer last round, Kamouraska Bigstar-ET, gains ground from his former #5 spot to now take #3 LPI (tied #9 Protein, tied #3 Conformation). He is a Situation son out of Kamouraska Jupi Uby-ET, who is also a daughter of the famous "Ruby" cow. Peterslund (tied #6 Fat, #6 Protein) and T-Bruno (#6 Milk, #8 Fat, #7 Protein) experience little change, now taking #4 and #6 LPI positions, respectively. The Top 10 LPI list is completed by Des Fleurs Patriote-ET (#7 LPI, #4 Milk, #3 Fat, #3 Protein), Roi Tennison-ET (#8 LPI, tied #4 Fat, #5 Protein) and Cock Rond Big Brother at #10 LPI, up from #18 spot last round (#9 Fat).

On the cow side, although Kamouraska Orra Xuby stays solid at #1 GLPI (#2 Milk, tied #2 Fat, #1 Protein), she has a team of five full-sister daughters sired by Sammatin Valpas that are newly indexed this round and flood the Top 10 GLPI list. Four of these, namely Kamouraska Diva-ET (tied #4 Milk, #1 Fat, #2 Protein), Kamouraska Dounia-ET (#7 Milk, tied #2 Fat, #3 Protein), Kamouraska Capucine-ET and Kamouraska Crystal-ET (#10 Protein), make their debut in #2 to #5 GLPI positions, in that order, while Kamouraska Calliope-ET (#4 Fat, #9 Protein) rounds off the Top 10 list at #10 GLPI. Another full sister, Kamouraska Clooney-ET, sees little change since her first index last round and is tied at #8 GLPI. Another pair of full sisters (Orraryd x Rockstar) that hold on strong are Visserdale Selena 8 ET at #6 GLPI (#6 Milk, #5 Fat, #5 Protein) and Visserdale Selena 7 ET, who is tied at #8 GLPI (#9 Milk, tied #7 Fat, #4 Protein). Impressively, De Fraserville Kita-ET is another newly indexed cow this round who also enters the Top 10 GLPI list in #7 spot and she is a daughter of the highest newly proven sire, Revolution (#2 LPI), out of Margot Chocolate-ET.

### **"MegaPower" Delivers a Strong Performance in Jerseys**

River Valley PF MegaPower-ET takes centre stage this round with his outstanding debut as the highest newly proven sire taking #5 LPI and #7 Pro\$ as well as #6 Milk, #4 Fat and tied at #2 Protein. MegaPower is a son of Sunset Canyon Megatron-ET (#6 LPI, #25 Pro\$, #1 Fat, tied #2 Protein) and a maternal brother to River Valley Pfennig Perfect Fit at #2 Pro\$ and #9 LPI (dam is Hi-Kel TBone Pfennig-ET). Golden GDK Vivaldi stays firm at #1 LPI but also regains the title as #1 Pro\$ this round (#2 Fat, tied #8 Protein). In addition to Vivaldi, MegaPower and Perfect Fit, there are five other bulls that rank among the Top 10 for both LPI and Pro\$. Two of these are the maternal brothers, Hawarden Dimension Pilgrim-ET (#2

LPI, #6 Pro\$, #3 Fat, #5 Protein) and Hawarden Impuls Premier (#3 LPI, #5 Pro\$). The others include Wilsonview IF Matt-ET (#3 Pro\$, #4 LPI), ERTL Mantra (#7 LPI, #8 Pro\$, #7 Milk, #4 Protein) and Sunset Canyon Dignitary-ET (#8 LPI, #10 Pro\$). River Valley Salinas Siren-ET rounds off the Top 10 LPI list in #10 position (#29 Pro\$, tied #8 Protein). The two remaining bulls that hold on to their Top 10 Pro\$ status are River Valley Cece Chrome-ET, who was newly proven and the breed leader in April but slips slightly to #4 Pro\$ (#14 LPI), and Lynns Valentino Irwin-ET at #9 Pro\$ (#17 LPI).

On the cow side, after receiving her first official GLPI last round, the Vivaldi daughter, Lencrest Cocopuff, stays solid at #1 GLPI but now also captures the #1 positions for both Pro\$ and Fat. Only three other cows rank among the Top 10 for both GLPI and Pro\$ this round, including two other Vivaldi daughters, namely Guimo Vivaldi Jezia (#2 GLPI, #3 Pro\$) and Summum Vivaldi Ira (#4 GLPI, #6 Pro\$), as well as Guimo Premier Joany ET (#2 Pro\$, #5 GLPI). The dam of Cocopuff, Lencrest Premier Coco ET, takes #3 GLPI (tied #21 Pro\$) and stays among the five breed leaders. For Pro\$, the five leaders this round include the highest newly indexed cow for this index, namely Luchanel Archer Fudgie, at #4 Pro\$ (#46 GLPI, #2 Milk, #3 Protein) and she is followed by the breed leader in April, Reyla Archer Kendall, now at #5 Pro\$ (#11 GLPI, #5 Milk, #5 Protein). The Top 10 Pro\$ list is completed by Guimo Zuma Julia ET at #7 Pro\$ (#16 GLPI, maternal sister to Joany), Lone Pine MegaPower Tsunami at #8 Pro\$ (#14 GLPI), Estran Vivaldi Concerto at #9 Pro\$ (#18 GLPI) and Jada Archer Milady ET at #10 Pro\$ (#69 GLPI, #1 Milk, tied #1 Protein), therefore becoming the second highest cow with their first official Pro\$ this round. The rest of the Top 10 GLPI list now includes Guimo Vivaldi Lysanne (#6 GLPI, #17 Pro\$), Redhot Matt Tesla ET (#7 GLPI, #13 Pro\$, #1 Conformation), Gillard Vivaldi Viva (#8 GLPI, #29 Pro\$), FDL Premier Belle (#9 GLPI, #12 Pro\$) and Luchanel Vivaldi Fran ET at #10 GLPI (#11 Pro\$). The highest newly indexed cow this round for GLPI is Troiscotes Vivaldi Urss in #15 spot (#16 Pro\$).

### **"Seasidebloom" Continues his Climb in Brown Swiss**

For three consecutive rounds since his first official proof in August last year, Lime Rock Seasidebloom (Brookings x Driver) has continuously increased each round for a total gain of 579 LPI points. With his current gains for both production and conformation traits, which translates to +221 LPI points, he stays dominant at #1 for LPI as well as Milk, Fat and Protein. With this performance, he is able to stay just ahead of Huray (Hussli x Siray), from Germany, who receives his first official type proof and LPI landing as a strong contender at #2 for each of LPI, Milk, Fat and Protein. Also born in Germany, Payssli ET (Payoff x Hussli) moves up the ranks to #3 LPI. The Top 5 LPI list is completed by Jobo Vigor Bush ET (Vigor x AltaPronto) in #4 position and Olsons Mel Zeus Mojo ET (Zeus x Brinks) taking #5 LPI spot. The highest young sire proven this round is Scherma Blooming Biver (Blooming x Nesta) at #20 LPI. For cows, the Brown Swiss breed still has a polled leader as Gubelman SSB Devon P\*POR holds on at #1 GLPI (#2 Milk, #1 Protein). Gubelman Juhus Crystal climbs from #5 to #2 GLPI (#3 Fat) and moves ahead of both Nor Bella Paul Eve (#3 GLPI, #1 Fat, tied #5 Conformation) and Gubelman Driver Belle (#4 GLPI, tied #5 Protein). The two highest newly indexed cows this round get off to a great start as Charluson Cadence Dalida (dam is Charluson Cafino Dania) debuts at #5 GLPI as well as #4 Milk, #4 Fat and #3 Protein, and is immediately followed by Shady Lane Swiss JH Patience (Seasidebloom x Bush) at #6 GLPI while becoming the new breed leader for Milk and is tied at #5 Protein.

## **"Conrad" Offers Balance Among Top 5 LPI in Milking Shorthorn**

After achieving proven status for production in April, Lady Grove Conrad (Ace x Logic) receives his first official LPI and arrives on the scene in #3 LPI position (#4 Fat, tied #4 Protein, #7 Conformation). The duo of Treeton Pingerly (#1 Milk, tied #5 Fat, #1 Protein, tied #1 Conformation) and B Jurist (#2 Milk, tied #1 Fat, #2 Protein) remain at the helm in #1 and #2 LPI positions, respectively. The Top 5 LPI list is rounded off with Kulp-Gen Jurist Ace-ET at #4 LPI (tied #1 Fat, tied #4 Protein) and Oceanbrae Ironman-P ET staying firm in #5 LPI spot. For cows, the Top 5 LPI list is still led by the trio of Kulp-Gen Jurist Angel EXP-ET at #1 LPI (#1 Fat, #1 Protein, full sister to Ace), Lady Grove BJ Charm at #2 LPI (#5 Fat, tied #4 Conformation) and Lands-Brook Chardonnay-ET-EXP at #3 LPI (#1 Conformation, dam of Charm). Charm's full sister, Lady Grove BJ Cherry, gains 120 LPI points to move from #6 to #4 position, sneaking ahead of Lady Grove TP Lady Nancy 8, who is now at #5 LPI (#2 Protein). Chardonnay now has a total of 11 daughters on the Top 400 LPI list, averaging 2012 points, including the highest newly indexed cow this round, Lady Grove Cody Celeste, at #21 LPI, who is sired by Rovin Ali Cowboy Cody EXP\*POR.

## **Top 5 LPI Lists in Guernsey Include the Same Sires and Cows as April**

Trotacre Enhancer Lewis ET fights back to regain #1 LPI status this round (#3 Milk, #3 Protein), switching places with Pine Ridge Double L (#2 LPI), who is now followed by his son, Dairyman Double Dawson, still taking #3 LPI spot. Another switch in ranking also happens as Idle Gold E Challenge (#4 LPI) moves up to surpass Golden J Ronald Grumpy, who now occupies #5 LPI position. The order of the Top 5 LPI cows returns to exactly the same list as December 2017, still led by the trio of Glen Haven Lewis Lana at #1 LPI (tied #4 Protein), Eby Manor D L Indy at #2 LPI (#2 Fat) and Lindrian Polite at #3 LPI (#1 Milk, tied #4 Fat, #1 Protein). It is Guernsey View Urma's Expense and Guernsey View Winner's Zuri that switch back in their ranking, now taking #4 and #5 LPI positions, respectively. The highest newly indexed cow this round is Eby Manor Caspian Kara at #40 LPI, who is a daughter of Eby Manor Yogi Kate at #16 LPI.

## **"Simon" Becomes Sole Conformation Leader Among Canadienne Sires**

Thanks to slight gains for both production and type, Acton Rubis Simon ET climbs the LPI ladder to take #2 LPI position this round but he also becomes the sole leader for Conformation at +10. Expo still leads for LPI (#1 Milk, #3 Fat, #1 Protein), Urluberlu stays firm at #3 LPI, and the Top 5 LPI list is completed by Moka (#4 LPI, tied #3 Conformation) and Volcom (#5 LPI, #4 Milk, #2 Conformation). Of interest this round is the first production proof of De Tilly Hermes Dr. Terreur (dam is De Tilly Oscar Nina), who debuts at #8 Milk, #2 Fat and tied #5 Protein. On the cow side, it is Amandes Vladimir Adele that gains the most this round as she picks up 117 LPI points and climbs from #6 to #3 positions (tied #4 Fat, tied #5 Protein, tied #2 Conformation). The breed is still led by the duo of Celebrity Vladimir You at #1 LPI (#2 Fat, tied #5 Protein) and Amandes Vladimir Anabelle at #2 LPI (tied #2 Protein), while Celebrity Vladimir Reina (#4 LPI, #1 Protein) and Monbriant Expo Fleurette (#5 LPI) swap places to complete the Top 5 LPI list this round.