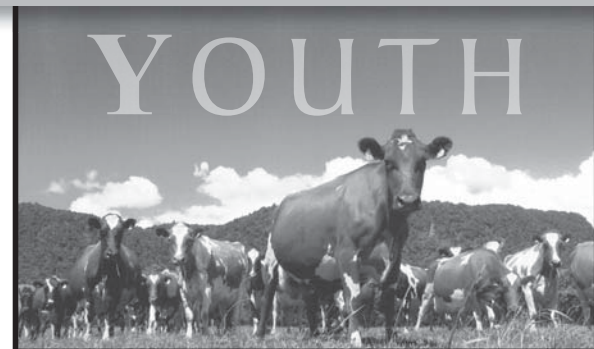


Ayrshire New Zealand



Young Handlers Competitions

The Fredrickson Trophy for competitors aged 13-25 and the Greenlane Trophy for competitors aged 5-12 are competed for at the North and South Island Championships annually.

At the North Island Championships at Bay of Islands on 9 November 2013 the Fredrickson Trophy was won by Courtney Davies of Inca Ayrshires, Albany, with Bridget Capper of Waiuku and Andrew Martin in second and third places respectively. The Greenlane Trophy was won by Brad Martin, with Harrison Davis in second place and Odyssey Travers in third.

The South Island Championships were held at Winton on 18 January 2014. The winner of the Fredrickson Trophy for senior young handler was Amanda Brown of Gore. Second place went to Bronwyn Brown and third place to Brett Morton of Ingleside Ayrshires, Wyndham. The Greenlane Trophy for junior young handler was awarded to Emily Instone of Stoneleigh Ayrshires, Gore, with Reuben and Fynn Allison of Bonacord Ayrshires, Outram in second and third places respectively.

Congratulations to all Ayrshire youth who took part in these exciting competitions.

Young Judge Competitions

Michael Gilbert of Glenalla Ayrshires, Ashburton is the reigning Ayrshire and All Breeds Young Judge winner following the NZ Dairy Event in Feilding in late January. Michael won the Arran Trophy for the Ayrshire competition with a spectacular 95 points from previous title holders Sarah Leech, Kylee Perret and Jessica Vaughan in one of the highest scoring competitions in the history of the event.

Representing Ayrshire New Zealand along with Sarah Leech, he then went on the following day to win the World Wide Sires All Breeds Young Judge Competition with 92 points against Jersey and Holstein-Friesian representatives. Sarah placed fourth in the All Breeds competition.

Well done to you both on your accomplishments.

Luke Instone - Retro Ayrshires

Youth Member Profile

Hello I'm Luke Instone. I'm 17 years old and finished Yr 13 last year at St Peters College. I live on a farm in Riverdale, Northern Southland. My family is originally from Taranaki and we moved to the South Island when I was 8. I have had much success in the show ring over the past few years whether it has been in the breed classes or in the showmanship class. Animals that I have had success with over the last few years are Stoneleigh Ice Cream who won South Island Junior Champ in the 2011/2012 season and then again this year with my calf Stoneleigh Lots Chilli who has had much success this year getting a couple of junior championships and recently got Supreme Champion Ayrshire at the Southland A&P Show. She also won the Robert McIntosh Memorial Trophy Southland A&P Show Best Ayrshire Heifer Calf.

In the Showmanship classes I have won the Otago Handling Competition three times, the Southland Handling Competition Senior class four times and the Craig Morton Memorial Trophy three times for the Overall Herdperson out of the Junior, Intermediate and Senior classes. I have won the Fredrickson Trophy twice and the Ayrshire Youth Achiever Competition twice. I have been up to the Royal show at the Waikato A&P show for the Ayrshire Young Judge competition and the Royal AG judging competition for the dairy section where I represented Southland.

I have just started an apprenticeship with Stabi-Craft Marine. In my spare time I like playing rugby where I was in the 2013 St Peters College 1st xv where we won the bottom half of the Highlanders 1st xv competition after coming up from the u18 competition. I also like helping Mum and Dad out on the farm and like looking through pedigrees in sale catalogues.





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1. North Island Greenlane Trophy (l-r) Brad Martin (winner), Harrison Davis & Odyssey Travers with Judge Jonathan Glentworth 2. South Island Greenlane Trophy (l-r) Fynn Allison, Reuben Allison, Emily Instone (winner) with Judge Peter Addison 3. Arran Trophy contestants (l-r) Jessica Vaughan, Kylee Perrett, Michael Gilbert & Sarah Leech 4. South Island Fredrickson Trophy (l-r) Brett Morton, Bronwyn Brown & Amanda Brown (winner) 5. Brad Martin, winner of the North Island Greenlane Trophy 6. North Island Fredickson Trophy (l-r) President Brian Hutchings, Courtney Davies (winner), Bridget Capper & Andrew Martin 7. South Island Greenlane Trophy winner Emily Instone 8. Michael Gilbert accepts the Arran Trophy from Allen Donald 9. South Island Fredrickson Trophy winner Amanda Brown 10. Participants in the Otago/Southland Youth Camp 11. World Wide Sires All Breeds Young Judge competition contestants (l-r) Michael Gilbert - Ayrshire (winner), Thomas Lilley - Holstein-Friesian, Josh Sneddon - Jersey, Ron Baker - Holstein-Friesian, Sarah Leech - Ayrshire and Nick Gilbert - Jersey