



One June 1 at the NOK DHI Awards banquet, Blake Luttmerring presented a plaque to Jack Van Dongen, with his ladle and inscription reading, 'Hit the road Jack, and don't you come back no more.' We wish Jack a happy retirement after 12 years milk testing for CanWest/Lactanet and a lifetime in dairy. Jack was also a genetics sales rep for many years after dairy farming in Aldergrove and Delta for 16 years.



Award recipients at the NOK DHI banquet: (L-R) Chris Dewitt, Mike Haambuckers, Bob Reck, Ken DeRuiter, Dave Hamming, Al Krause with his granddaughter, Rick Geisler, Jack van Dongen, Dan Geitema, Pete Bongers, Edwin Crandlemire. Missing is Clayton Hamming.

TOP YEARLING

SPONSORED BY OKANAGAN FERTILIZER

1. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	PATIENCE PARELLAL AXL SUNBURST	393-382-413=1188
2. Wallyann Holsteins	WALLYANN LAMBEAU LEAH	365-426-383=1,174
3. Wallyann Holsteins	WALLYANN ALCOVE TUNDRA	340-433-369=1,142

TOP 2-YEAR OLD

SPONSORED BY SURE CROP FEEDS

1. Gietema Farms Ltd.	WHATCOM 82 VIOLET LONDON	420-428-411=1,259
2. Wallyann Holsteins	WALLYANN MANHATTAN SHEABUTTER	323-519-366=1,208
3. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING LAMDA SAMARA	358-412-399=1,169

TOP 3-YEAR OLD

SPONSORED BY HORNBY EQUIPMENT

1. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING AVENGER CARDI B	419-501-441=1,361
2. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW RIVERBEND TABINA	351-534-365=1,250
3. Wallyann Holsteins	WALLYANN HEMMI	318-564-365=1,247

TOP 4-YEAR OLD

SPONSORED BY COUNTRY TRACTOR

1. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW SEABIS AADEY	377-562-386=1,325
2. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING MIRAND CORALIN	380-546-368=1,294
3. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	CASH DOC EMERALD	391-496-388=1,275

TOP 5-YEAR OLD

SPONSORED BY FMF CUSTOM WORK

1. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW IMPRESSION DORI	396-517-373=1,286
2. Wallyann Holsteins	WALLYANN OTHELLO LUCIFER	364-543-355=1,262
3. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING 1ST GRADE SMARTY PANTS	384-495-369=1,248

TOP MATURE COW

SPONSORED BY BDO

1. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW EPIC PAITON	411-616-394=1,421
2. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW EZEKIEL LOKI	348-457-350=1,155
3. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	SPRINGBEND MCCUTCHEN JENGA	344 445 362=1,151

TOP PUBLISHABLE COW

SPONSORED BY DEVANNAH HOOFTTRIMMING LTD.

1. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW EPIC PAITON	411-616-394=1,421
2. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING AVENGER CARDI B	419-501-441=1,361
3. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW SEABIS AADEY	377-562-386=1,325

MOST IMPROVED HERD

SPONSORED BY BANK OF MONTREAL

1. Sunny Hill Jerseys	+33.0 BCA
2. Sunninghill Holsteins	+25.3 BCA
3. Suncountry Holsteins Ltd.	+24.7 BCA

TOP MANAGEMENT SCORE

SPONSORED BY ARMSTRONG VET CLINIC

1. Bomi Farms Ltd.	845
2. Luttmerring Farms	833
3. Cliffview Farm Ltd.	826

LOWEST SCC

SPONSORED BY SHUSWAP VET CLINIC

1. Sior Farms	52,000
2. Luttmerring Farms	61,000
3. Tazo Farms Ltd.	117,000

TOP LIFETIME MILK

SPONSORED BY PRAIRIECOAST EQUIPMENT

1. Tazo Farms Ltd.	HAMMING JASPER SHAINA	130,693 kgs
2. Murlene Farm	MURLENE MAGGIE WILDTHING	127,036 kgs
3. Sunnyhome Farms Ltd.	SUNNYHOME GOLDSUN MUSIC	120,976 kgs

LIFETIME FAT

SPONSORED BY J&D FARMERS' DAIRY SERVICE

1. Tazo Farms Ltd.	HAMMING JASPER SHAINA	5,469 kgs
2. Bonivista Farms	BONIVISTA JABARI DORCY	5,059 kgs
3. Evergraze Holsteins Ltd.	EVERGRAZE LUMINOUS GOLD CHIP	4,841 kgs

LIFETIME PROTEIN

SPONSORED BY MIANE CREEK LIVESTOCK

1. DeWitt Holsteins Ltd.	WESTCOAST SUNFISH LILLY	4,036 kgs
2. Tazo Farms Ltd.	HAMMING JASPER SHAINA	4,034 kgs
3. Bonivista Farms	BONIVISTA JABARI DORCY	3,972 kgs.

LIFETIME AVERAGE DAILY MILK

SPONSORED BY BEN'S BINS & AG SERVICES

1. Tazo Farms Ltd.	HAMMING SYMPATICO DANA	34.30 kg/day
2. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW EZEKIEL LOKI	33.90 kg/day
3. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING CINDERDOOR STEFANIA	31.69 kg/day

TOP COWS BY 305 MILK

SPONSORED BY ROSSWORN HENDERSON

1. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW IMPRESSION DORI	21,424 kgs
2. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW EPIC PAITON	20,780 kgs
3. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING 1ST GRADE SMARTY PANTS	19,465 kgs

TOP COWS BY 305 PROTEIN

SPONSORED BY REES EARTHWORKS

1. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING OTHELLO DARLING	660 kgs
2. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	HAMMING AVENGER CARDI B	640 kgs
3. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW EPIC PAITON	631 kgs

TOP COWS BY 305 FAT

Sponsored by CD Mechanical

1. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW EPIC PAITON	1,158 kgs
2. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW FRAZZLED MAARATH	1,057 kgs
3. Elkview Farms Ltd.	ELKVIEW SEABIS AADEY	1,046 kgs

TOP SMALL HERD (< 90 RECORDS)

Sponsored by WestGen

1. Suncountry Holsteins Ltd.	BCA 271-317-279	Avg=289.0
2. Evergraze Holsteins Ltd.	BCA 256-333-271	Avg=286.7
3. Schurway Farms	BCA 268-297-279	Avg=281.3

TOP LARGE HERD (90+ RECORDS)

Sponsored by Mountain View Electric Ltd.

1. Wallyann Holsteins	BCA 310-388-322	Avg=340.0
2. Hamming Holsteins Ltd.	BCA 303-359-316	Avg=326.0
3. Elkview Farms Ltd.	BCA 290-366-306	Avg=320.7