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**Iowa Holstein Association**

**2024 Annual Report**

Here are some of the highlights of various events, activities, and accomplishments of the Iowa Holstein

Association for 2024.

Each and every member who participated in any of the activities contributed to a successful year. Numerous members served loyally on standing and ad hoc committees and directed activities to make things happen. The officers and the board of directors provided the support and counsel needed by staff members in carrying out their duties towards the goals of the Association. Important activities were carried out at all levels - national, state, district, and county. Attendance and service at each level contributed greatly to the success of the total organization. While the names of individuals who have assisted and contributed cannot be included, they should take pride in work well done.

**Mission Statement**

The mission of the Iowa Holstein Association is to act concurrently with the National Association in the

promotion and development of registered Holstein cattle. (Adopted by Board of Directors, March 15,

2003)

**2024 Ad Hoc Committees**

**Auditing Committee**

Walt Wessel, Chair

Alden Arthur

Linda Pagel

**Nomination Committee**

Dave Chapman, Chair

Kevin Fossum

Jeff Hammerand

Trent Henkes

**PDCC**

Trent Henkes, Chair

Doug Lyons

Paul Stempfle

**2024 Iowa Holstein Association Officers & Directors**

**Officers**

President - Walt Wessel, 28547 400 th St, Greeley, IA 52040; 563-590-8162;wesselcrest@msn.com

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**Executive Committee**

Sheri Danhof Non-Voting, Ex Officio

Doug Lyons Shellie Volker

Tom Simon Brianna Lucey

**2025 National Convention Delegates**

The following have been elected as Iowa’s delegates to the 139th Holstein Association USA Annual

Meeting to be held June 23-26,2025 in Saint Louis, Missouri; Kyle Demmer, Tom Simon and Mark Knutson.

**2025 Show Schedule**

July 15 & 16- District 1 Junior and Open Show– Fayette County Fairgrounds West Union, IA

July 18 & 19– District 8 Junior and Open Show – Delaware County Fairgrounds, Manchester, IA

July 15 – Iowa Junior Holstein Show –Fayette County Fairgrounds, West Union, IA

July 16 – Iowa Holstein Open Show – Fayette County Fairgrounds West Union, IA

**2024 Standing Committees**

**Program Development & Management** - Trent Henkes, Chair; Shellie Volker, Matt Hamlett, Mark Kerndt, Mark Knudtson, Heather Moore, Bob Rahe, Bill & Lana Strein, Leslie Henkes, Mark Steffens

**Sale** –Sheri Danhof , Scott Stempfle;Nathan Adams, Scott Courtney, Brian &

Koral Harbaugh, Jason Menne, Bill Rauen, Tim Rauen, Dan Reuter, Lance Schutte, Katie Wernimont, Jim

Vierhout, Brent Wessel, Walt Wessel, Tom Simon, Blake Courtney, Alan Kruse, Mike Scott and Duane Gibbs

**Show** –Rick Demmer, Chair; Paul Stempfle, Alden Arthur, Shane Courtney, Kevin Fossum, Joe Gibbs,

Matt Henkes, David & Janet Joachim, Kaitlin Kempel, Larry Landsgard, Doug Lyons, Nathan Meyer, Dan

Moon, Rick Reuter, Jason Volker, Dave Chapman

\*If you are currently serving on a committee and would like to change to another committee, please notify

Shellie at shelliev@ymail.com or 319-269-0318. If you would like to become involved and serve on a

committee, please contact Shellie. Any member is welcome to serve on a committee. Standing Committees

usually only meet at the state convention and at the state picnic.

**2024 District Officers**

**District 1**

President: Larry Landsgard

Vice-President: Paul Stempfle

Secretary: Kevin Fossum

Treasurer: Dan Moon

Show Chair: Kevin Fossum

Junior Advisory: Kevin & Julie Fossum, Bill &

Shellie Volker, Lance & Jonna Schutte

State Directors: Sheri Danhof, Doug Lyons, Doug Brown

**District 2**

President: Terry Eick

Vice-President: Kevin Kueker

Sec-Treas: Kelly Eick

State Director: Dan Bolin

**District 4**

President: Heather Luitjens

Vice-President: Brad Korver

Sec-Treas: Charlotte Rollefson

Show Chair: Charlotte Rollefson

**District 5**

President: Mark Ludwig

Sec-Treas: Connie Ludwig

**District 6**

President: Larry Madren

Vice-President: Ron Finch

Sec-Treas: Charles Sloniger

**District 8**

President: Jeff Hammerand

Vice-President: Tom Simon

Sec-Treas: Bob & Rita Rahe

Show Chairs: Jeff Hammerand

Junior Advisory: Shirley Simon, Kathy Demmer,

Joanne Rauen

State Directors: Jeff Hammerand, Rick Demmer

**District 9**

President: Dean Miller

Vice-President: Jack Lang

Sec-Treas: Paula Smith

**Iowa Holstein Association Annual Meeting Minutes**

President Walt Wessel called the annual meeting of the Iowa Holstein Association to order on Feburary 24,2024 at Delaware County Fairgrounds, Manchester Iowa with 30 members present.

President Walt Wessel welcomed everyone to the convention. President Wessel reported the minutes of the 2023 annual meeting were printed in the annual report. Treasurer Shellie Volker went over the Operating Statement for the 2024 year.

Audit Committee Chair Wat Wessel reported that the Audit Committee reviewed the financial records of the association were in good order and everything was itemized out and correct. Walt also stated he had copies of the materials if there were any questions.

President Walt Wessel presented and overview of the past year saying he was happy with the year and wants to keep things going forward. The association is going in the right direction and to let him know if there are any changes that need to be made. The sale will be taken over by Scott Courtney and the bus trip was a success with another one scheduled.

The Auxiliary report was given by Kathy Demmer.

The Junior report was given by Jeff Hammerand. Jeff gave a special thanks to Brad Kerndt for the junior show trophies.

Membership report was given by Shellie Volker

Futurity report was given, Matt Henkes will continue to run futurity with the money now being run through the association. Still trying to get more involvement.

Trent Henkes gave the report for the Program Development. We had a good turn out at Farnear for the picnic and Brianna is looking for ads for the Herald. Bus Trip was a success and plans for one again this year.

The Sale report was given by Sheri Danhof. Sale went well and thanks to all who helped with the 75 lots. Sheri and Scott Stempfle have decided to step back and appreciate Scott Courtney for stepping up for the 2024 sale.

Show report was given by Rick Demmer. There were 183 head shown in Manchester and thanked Joe Gibbs next summer the show will be held at the state fair.

All reports were approved.

PDCC report was given by Doug Lyons.

Holstein Association report was given by Dennis DeVore.

Old business was the deadline for the bus trip 55 passenger bus will be taken and a flyer with details will be mailed.

New business- Scott Courtney will run the sale. Loose housing for some cattle and there will be 75 in the catalog. The raffle calves are picked, the 3 not chosen will have no commission. The state will cover part of the fairgrounds rental. Selectors will receive 3% commission.

The 2024 budget was approved.

Meeting adjourned

**Standing Committee Reports**

**Junior Advisory Committee**

Iowa Holstein Juniors had another great year in 2024..

The year got underway with the execution of two very successful lunch stands, the Iowa State Sale followed the next week by the Shades of Excellence sale. Thanks to all who donated, helped, and purchased from the lunch stands.

The juniors had an udderly good time at the National Holstein Convention in Salt Lake City, Utah. The senior Dairy Bowl team included Ethan Palmer (captain), Naomi Scott, Alia Domeyer, and Ford Domeyer. Our junior team consisted of Norah Palmer (captain), Hannah Scott, Lily Holthaus, and Ana Rauen. Both teams gave it their all in a tough competition. Representing Iowa in junior Jeopardy was Carson Rauen and Roslyn Palmer. Dominic Hammerand and Natalie Hamlett competed in intermediate Jeopardy. Naomi Scott participated in the extemporaneous speaking contest. Iowa was well represented in the banner contest with an entry that was created by Lily Holthaus and Hannah Scott. Congratulations to Naomi Scott on being a DJM semi-finalist and Ethan Palmer for earning the YDJM finalist honor.

The Iowa Junior Holstein Show was held at the Iowa State Fair on August 10, 2024. Judge Kelly Cull placed 119 head. The Intermediate Champions were also named Grand and Reserve. First place Junior 3-Year-Old, Dreamridge Smoke Show, was Grand Champion. While the first place Junior 2-Year-Old, Courtlane Hancock Daiquiri, earned Reserve Grand Champion honors. Grand Champion was exhibited by Ana Rauen. Brody Courtney had the honor of showing the Reserve Grand Champion. The Reserve Junior Champion was Farnear Acteleyne exhibited by Ellie Simon. The Junior Champion was Nu-Wave Outa This World shown by Abbie Gahring. Iowa Juniors continued their excellent showing at World Dairy Expo.

We would like to thank all our trophy sponsors for their continued support. We would also like to thank the Iowa Holstein Association for their support.

Jeff and Tammy Hammerand, Co-Chairs

**Iowa Junior Holstein Association**

Financial Report for the period from January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024

Checking Account Balance as of January 1, 2024, $6,723.21

**Income**

Auction at Convention $1,215.00

Trophy Sponsors $1,203.00

Lunch Stand $1,888.79

Adult Support members@$5 $ 865.00

Additional support $ 500.00

Checking Account Interest $ 15.23

$5,687.02 $12,410.23

**Expense**

State Show Trophies 23 and 24 $4,422.04

Junior State Convention 23 and 24 $1,568.83

National Convention 2022 $3,009.50

$9,000.37

Balance in Checking Account as of December 31, 2024, $3,409.86

**Iowa Holstein Auxiliary**

Kaitlyn Besler was crowned the 2024 Iowa Holstein Co-Princess at the 2024 State Convention in Manchester.

The Auxiliary would like to express their sincere appreciation for all the work that she did while representing the Association this past year.

The Hall of Fame Award was presented to Walt Wessel. Cookbooks sales are ongoing, cookbooks are still

available for sale at a discounted price. Thank you for your continued support of our silent auction which goes to support scholarships and princess contest.

President, Kathy Demmer

**Iowa Holstein Auxiliary**

Financial Report for the period from January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024

Money Market Account Balance as of January 1, 2024, $10,404.14

**Income**

Convention Silent Auction $ 420.00

Cookbook Sales $ 40.00

Auxiliary Dues $ 260.00

Interest Income $ 491.70

$1,211.70

**Expense**

Princess contest $180.67

Hall of Fame $ 64.09

$244.76

Money Market Account Balance December 31, 2024, $11,371.08

There were 52 Auxiliary members in 2024. Membership by districts were as follows:

District 1-29, District 2-6, District 4-3, District 5-0 District 6-1, District 8-13, District 9-0.

**Membership**

The adult membership base fee is $35 with an additional $1 per registered/identified cow on 1/1 that year, with a maximum cow fee of $200. A membership update was mailed to membership workers in February. Membership postcards were sent to members not renewed in March. Membership invitations are sent to those who do business with the National Association but are not State Association members. There is a $10 late fee assessed to past members if not paid by March 1.

The district rebates of 30% were figured on the membership count as of March 1, 2024. The rebate structure has changed. Each district will receive a 10% rebate, districts hosting a district show each year will receive an additional 10% with an additional 5% to each district hosting a state show and/or convention with the appropriate rotations.

In 2020 it was changed to be entitled to one district director, there must be 30 or more farmer or retired farmer members in the district based on the previous year’s membership. The number of directors-at-large increased to three from seven starting in 2007. Districts 2,4, 5, 6, 9 and 10 no longer have a district director, but anyone from those districts interested in serving as a director-at-large is encouraged to be a candidate for one of those positions. In addition to the regular directors, the voting members of each district may elect additional directors based on the following schedule of paid farmer and retired farmer memberships in the Association within the district as of August 1 of each year preceding the year for which elected.

60 to 100 members = 1 additional director

101 to 200 members = 2 additional directors

201 to 300 members = 3 additional directors

If at any time, you would like Association information and an invitation to join sent to a prospective member let the treasurer know and it will be done.

A complete 2024 membership report is printed..

Shellie Volker, Treasurer

**Iowa Holstein Association Membership Report- December 31, 2024**

**SR B X J Total 2023 New Member 2024**

**District 1** 140 4 29 84 228 260 10-Jr

**District 2** 25 1 6 13 39 50 5-Jr

**District 4** 26 3 22 48 53 1-Sr and 7 Jr

**District 5** 5 2 7 7

**District 6** 4 1 5 4

**District 8** 78 2 13 52 132 135 8-Sr, 13-Jr

**District 9** 7 7 13 1- Sr and 1-Jr

**District 10** 3 4 4

**Total 295 7 51 173 464 526 36-Juniors, 9-Seniors**

**2024 Junior Membership -173 (96% of the 181 members for 2023)**

**2024 Adult Membership-295 (89% of the 330 members for 2023)**

**Holstein Futurity Show**

The 2024 Hawkeye Holstein Futurity was held at the Iowa Holstein Show on August 9nd in Des Moines with 1 entry shown. Originally 88 head were entered as calves. The total payout was $464.00. Special thanks to the Millard Lyons memorial for their generous donation to the Hawkeye Holstein Futurity. There will only be two more years of the futurity and it will be discontinued.

1st Moondale Doc Pauline

Matt Henkes, Secretary

**Program Development, Management and Herald Committee**

 The Program Development, Management and Herald Committee once again sponsored the State Holstein Picnic which was held on Aug 24th at Farnear Holsteins. A big crowd enjoyed touring the state-of-the-art Robot facility, visitors welcome center, great cows, delicious catered meal and ice cream for dessert.  Thanks to the Simon Family for opening their doors and hosting this annual event.

Brianna Lucey continues to serve as Herald editor and has incorporated new ideas into the magazine. Please contact Brianna and she will be glad to help you with an ad or calling card for an upcoming issue.

President, Walt Wessel organized a very successful state sponsored trip to Wisconsin in April. The first day we visited Hilrose Holsteins, Synergy, and Milksource. Day two stops included Budjon for breakfast and touring, Jeffrey Way and Trent-Way. The group saw great herds of cattle with beautiful facilities and high scoring cows and also found some fun places to eat. Walt is again working on a bus trip for this spring, most likely to northern Illinois. Be sure to sign up and take advantage of this tremendous opportunity to see some more great herds at cattle and enjoy good times and Iowa Holstein fellowship!!

Trent Henkes Chair

**Sale Committee**

The Iowa State Holstein Spring Sale was held March 16h, 2024, in West Union, IA.

We would like to thank Scott Courtney, our committee members and our Holstein members for their continued support.

Look forward to next year’s sale, March 15th in West Union.

**Show Committee**

The 2024 Iowa Holstein Show was held in Des Moines at the Iowa State Fairgrounds. A total of 161 head were exhibited and Judge Roger Turner placed them in the State Open Show Dreamridge Smoke Show exhibited by Farnear Holsteins was Grand Champion. The Reserve Grand Le-O-La Chief Less exhibited by Le-O-La Holstens. Senior Champion was exhibited by Danhof Holstein: Danhof Sidekick Satin The Reserve Senior Champion was Farnear Crush 2783 exhibited by Farnear Holsteins. Intermediate Champion was Dreamridge Smoke Show exhibited by Farnear Holsteins and the Reserve Intermediate Champion was Lo-O-La Chief Les exhibited by Le-O-La Holsteins. Jesse Muse exhibited the Junior Champion, Miley Warrior Grande. Farnear Holsteins exhibited the Reserve Junior Champion Genosource Let Loose.. Premier Breeder was CloverHill and Exhibitor was awarded to Farnear Holsteins. Farnear Holsteins was also the Premier Breeder and Exhibitor of the Heifer Show.

Rick Demmer, Chair

Open Shows

District 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024

1 92 126 85 88 90 127 115 54 108 98 106 127 65

8 60 44 43 52 43 65 47 89 58 30 47 75 42

State Show 203 193 248 226 216 198 233 169 164 163 187 183 161

Location DM Dec DM DM DM WU DM Man WU WU DM Man DM

Spring Calf

1 Genosource Eyes on Love Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

2 Genosource Caught Dating Exhibited by TJR

Winter Calf

1 Genosource Let Loose Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

2 Genosource Boombox Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

Fall Calf

1 Le-O-La Analyst Dani-R Exhibited by Le-O-La

2 Le-O-La Doorman Thankful Exhibited by Le-O-La

Summer Yearling

1 Nu-Wave Outa This World Exhibited by Abbie Gahring

2 Danhof Starlight-Red Exhibited by Danhof Holsteins

Spring Yearling

1 Ms Triple T MPH EXR Rae-R Exhibited by Superstition Cattle Company

2 MS Nabholz FDB Ainsley Exhibited by Norman Nabholz

Winter Yearling

1 Miley Warrior Grande Red Exhibited by Jesse Muse

2 Esperanza-CC Tabatha Exhibited by Abbie Gahring

Fall Yearling

1 Royal-Review Promis Red Exhibited by Doug Brown

2 Red-Violet W Lynnley-Red-ET Exhibited by Alanna Schatz

Junior Champion Miley Warrior Grande-Red Exhibited by Jesse Muse

Reserve Genosource Let Loose Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

Junior Best Three Females Farnear Holsteins

Milking Yearling

1 Sco Lo Delta 2481 Exhibited by Joe Gibbs

2 Biercrest RDL Crapshoot Exhibited by Irish Hill

Summer Junior 2 Year Old

1 Le-O-La Chief Les Exhibited by Le-O-La

2 Ms TNT Mystic Alora Exhibited by TNT

Junior 2 Year Old

1 Courtlane Hnacock Daiquiri Exhibited by Courtlane Holsteins

2 Hawkeye-JK Doc Aleah Exhibited by Hawkeye JK

Senior 2 Year Old

1 Farnear Lambda 3159 Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

2 Hawkeye-JK Thun Allmagic Exhibited by Hawkeye-JK

Junior 3 Year Old

1 Dreamridge Smoke Show Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

2 Cloverhill Al Tacoma-Red-ET Exhibited by Clover Hill Farms

Senior 3 Year Old

1 Glaustar Roll A Dice-Red Exhibited by Irish Hill

2 Blue Skies Big Time Tori Exhibited by Bill Vanderham

Intermediate Champion Dreamridge Smoke Show Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

Reserve Le-O-La Chief Les Exhibited by Le-O-La

4 Year Old

1 Danhof Sidekick Satin Exhibited by Danhof Holsteins

2 Farnear Crush 2783 Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

5 Year Old

1 Le-O-La Altitude 44635 Exhibited by Le-O-La

2 Cloverhill Jordy Lauren Exhibited by Clover Hill Farms

Aged Cow

1 Farnear Babes Cry Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

2 Pinetree 9839 Frazzle 7613 Exhibited by Steinridge

Senior Champion Danhof Sidekick Satin Exhibited by Danhof Holsteins

Reserve Farnear Crush 2783 Exhibited by Farnear

Grand Champion Dreamridge Smoke Show Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

Reserve Le-O-La Chief Les Exhibited by Le-O-La

Top Bred and Owned Le-O-La Chief Les Exhibited by Le-O-La

Best Udder of the Show Dreamridge Smoke Show Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

Best 3 Females Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

Produce of Dam Exhibited by Farnear Holsteins

Daughter-Dam Exhibited by Irish Hill

Premier Breeder of the Heifer Show Genosource

Premier Exhibitor of the Heifer Show Farnear Holsteins

Premier Breeder Clover Hill Farms

Premier Exhibitor Farnear Holsteins

**2024 Operating Statement**

January 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024

INCOME

Membership Dues $17,927.00

State Sale/Raffle 9,010.00

Herald/Midwest 1,560.00

Checking Account 42.68

Futurity 130.00

$28,669.68

EXPENSE

Herald Cost

Printing $ 2,583.79

Postage 673.31

$3,257.10

Association Cost

Wages, Editor- $ 2,770.50

Wages, Treas/Sec- 12,024.00

District Rebates 3,870.65

$18,665.15

Program Cost

Jr Dues and Support $1,365.00

Senior Awards 192.60

Meeting Expenses 705.34

State Show 1,463.67

Breed Promo/ Advertising 830.00

Bus Trip 3,309.70

$7,866.31

Operating Cost

Travel Meals/ Lodging $1,959.96

Supplies and Printing 1,585.67

Postage 706.11

Payroll Taxes/FUTA 2,758.58

Tax Prep 842.00

Insurance Bond 968.00

Auxiliary Dues 260.00

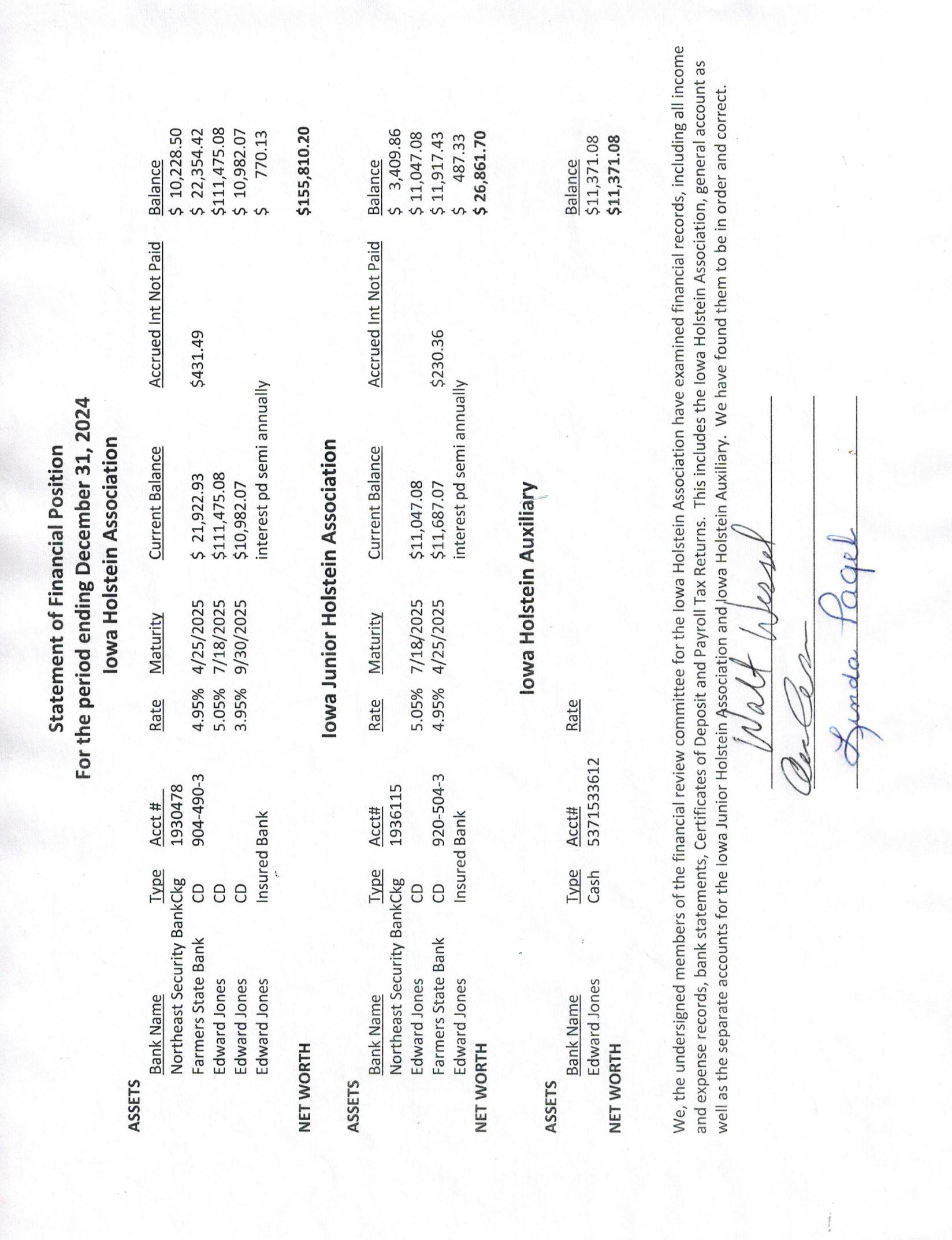
$9,080.32

$38,868.88

**$-10,199.20**

**2025 Budget**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **INCOME** | 2022 Budget | 2022 Actual | 2023 Budget | 2023 Actual | 2024 Budget | 2024 Actual | 2025 Budget |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Membership | 25,000.00 | $22,432.00 | $25,000.00 | $19,106.00 | $25,000.00 | $17,927.00 | $22,200.00 |
| State Sale | 10,020.00 | $11,814.32 | $12,115.00 | 24,177.12 | $18,020.00 | 9,010.00 | $10,000.00 |
| IA Holstein Herald | $4,000.00 | $3,764.00 | $4,000.00 | 2,066.30 | $2,000.00 | $1,560.00 | $2,000.00 |
| Interest - Checking | $10.00 | $15.96 | $15.00 | $69.03 | $100.00 | $42.68 | $70.00 |
| Misc Income | $500.00 | $16,073.04 | $500.00 | $1,395.42 | $500.00 | $130.00 | $0.00 |
| **Total** | 39,530.00 | $54,099.32 | $41,630.00 | $46,813.87 | $45,620.00 | $28,669.68 | $34,270.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **EXPENSE** | 2022 Budget | 2022 Actual | 2023 Budget | 2023 Actual | 2024 Budget | 2024 Actual | 2025 Budget |
| **Major Cost** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Herald Printing | $4,000.00 | $5,780.95 | $4,000.00 | $4,177.54 | $4,000.00 | $2,583.79 | $2,600.00 |
| Herald Postage | $700.00 | $1,183.55 | $700.00 | $972.60 | $700.00 | $673.31 | $700.00 |
| District Rebates | $4,000.00 | $4,517.10 | $4,000.00 | $4,308.90 | $4,000.00 | $3,870.65 | $3,500.00 |
| Wages-Sec/Treas | $13,020.00 | $12,024.00 | $13,020.00 | $12,024.00 | $13,020.00 | $12,024.00 | $13,020.00 |
| Wages-Editor | $6,000.00 | $4,617.50 | $6,000.00 | $5,541.00 | $6,000.00 | $2,770.50 | $3,000.00 |
| **Total Major Cost** | $27,720.00 | $21,158.60 | $27,720.00 | $27,024.04 | $27,720.00 | $21,922.25 | $22,820.00 |
| **Program Cost** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jr Dues and Support | $1,400.00 | $1,395.00 | $1,400.00 | $1,405.00 | $1,400.00 | $1,365.00 | $1,400.00 |
| Senior Awards | $110.00 | $139.05 | $110.00 | $144.45 | $150.00 | $192.60 | $200.00 |
| Scholarships | $1,000.00 | $1,500.00 | $1,500.00 | $500.00 | $500.00 | $0.00 |  |
| Meeting (inc State Conv) | $500.00 | $427.00 | $500.00 | $388.69 | $350.00 | $705.34 | $350.00 |
| Breed/Dairy Promo | $500.00 | $1,362.00 | $1,000.00 | $681.09 | $1,000.00 | $830.00 | $650.00 |
| State Fair/District Show | $500.00 | $3,516.17 |  |  |  | $1,463.67 |  |
| State Show Ultrasounding | $0.00 |  | $1,000.00 | $1,000.00 |  | $0.00 | $1,000.00 |
| Advertising | $0.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bus Trip | $0.00 |  |  | $4,995.27 | $5,000.00 | $3,309.70 |  |
| Nat'l Conv |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Website | $0.00 | $68.55 | $0.00 | $267.12 | $0.00 | $0.00 | $0.00 |
| **Total Program Cost** | $4,010.00 | $8,722.28 | $5,510.00 | $9,381.62 | $8,400.00 | $7,866.31 | $3,600.00 |
| **Operating Cost** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Travel Meals/Lodging | $1,500.00 | $2,825.27 | $2,000.00 | $1,331.20 | $2,500.00 | $1,959.96 | $1,000.00 |
| Supplies and Printing | $700.00 | $332.84 | $800.00 | $1,027.09 | $800.00 | $1,585.67 | $1,000.00 |
| Assoc Computer | $0.00 | $1,344.74 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Postage | $500.00 | $658.98 | $500.00 | $832.84 | $700.00 | $706.11 | $800.00 |
| Payroll Taxes/FUTA | $3,100.00 | $2,835.08 | $3,100.00 | $2,982.08 | $3,000.00 | $2,758.58 | $3,000.00 |
| Legal & Prof | $700.00 | $751.00 | $800.00 | $700.00 | $700.00 | $842.00 | $850.00 |
| Insurance Bond | $1,000.00 | $897.00 | $900.00 | $1,531.00 | $1,500.00 | $968.00 | $950.00 |
| Auxiliary Dues | $300.00 | $290.00 | $300.00 | $240.00 | $300.00 | $260.00 | $250.00 |
| Donations | $0.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miscellaneous | $0.00 |  | $0.00 |  | $0.00 | $0.00 | $0.00 |
| **Total Operating Cost** | $7,800.00 | $9,934.91 | $8,400.00 | $8,644.21 | $9,500.00 | $9,080.32 | $7,850.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Expense** | $39,530.00 | $46,780.29 | $41,630.00 | $45,049.87 | $45,620.00 | $38,868.88 | $34,270.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **NET DIFFERENCE** | $0.00 | -$8,239.95 | $0.00 | $1,764.00 | $0.00 | -10,199.20 | $0.00 |
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**40- Year Members of the Holstein Association from Iowa**

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Rick Demmer, Peosta

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Kris-Del Farms Corp, Davenport

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Zane Hobbs

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Mark C. Wilcox

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Donley Korver

**46Years - 1978**

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Norman Voelker, Ryan

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Alan Steffens, Clermont

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Ray Haupt, Eldora

Donald Meyer, Maynard

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Ivan Epley & Sons, Inc, Waverly

Craig Lang, Brooklyn

Maynard Lang, Brooklyn

Stardell Farms Inc., Fredericksburg

**50 Years - 1974**

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**51 Years - 1973**

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Rick Henderson, Coggon

Larry Landsgard, St. Olaf

**52 Years - 1972**

Thomas L. Holub, Monticello

**53 Years - 1971**

David O. Joachim, Waverly

**54 Years - 1970**

John J. & Marie Anderson,

Aplington

Carrol D. Harbaugh, Elkader

Joe Schott, Sheldon

**55 Years - 1969**

Kevin Miller, Monticello

**56 Years - 1968**

Curtis Anderson, Waterville

**57 Years - 1966**

Jay R. Phillips, Centerville

**58 Years - 1965**

Larry H. Finch, Castalia

**60 Years - 1963**

Vernice Moon, Monona

Leonard Shatek, Elma

**61 Years - 1962**

Walter Ruth, Janesville

**62 Years - 1961**

William Klodt, Ottumwa

**63 Years – 1960**

Charles Hamlett, Lamont

**65 Years - 1958**

James R. Tompkins, Marengo

**64 Years - 1957**

Paul Peterson, Callender

Maurice Van Note, Palo

**70 Years - 1953**

Harold Eggink, Sibley

Hadwen Kleiss, Fredericksburg

**2024 Progressive Breeder Registry**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Herd Name | Years Qualified | Homebred% | Avg. BAA | Avg. Milk | Avg. Fat | Avg. Protein | |
| David J.& Rhonda J. Bahr | 8 | 95.5 | 106.7 | 30651 | 1142 | 965 |  |
| Jason Menne | 4 | 88.7 | 106.6 | 32273 | 1310 | 1019 |  |
| Kevin G. Knapp | 1 | 81.5 | 106.4 | 29625 | 1193 | 972 |  |
| Marlin J. Bontrager | 4 | 83.8 | 109.1 | 27509 | 1067 | 867 |  |
| Mervin R. Brubaker | 1 | 99.1 | 108.6 | 30194 | 1154 | 905 |  |
| Piggott-Hill Farm | 4 | 96.7 | 106.6 | 28395 | 1139 | 916 |  |
| Reuben Nolt | 9 | 98.7 | 106.1 | 31168 | 1333 | 982 |  |
| Trent & Matt Henkes | 24 | 95.2 | 111.6 | 28726 | 1127 | 866 |  |

**2024 Progressive Genetic Herd Award Winners**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Herd Name | Herd Number | Years Qualified | Avg. CTPI |  |
| Adaway Dairy LLC | 85922 | 13 | 2803 |  |
| David A Petersen | 32888 | 22 | 2592 |  |
| David J. & Rhonda J. Bahr | 28717 | 13 | 2580 |  |
| Douglas A. Fairbanks , | 37041 | 7 | 2304 |  |
| Elsbernd Dairy Farm LLC , | 26498 | 14 | 2640 |  |
| GenoSource | 118934 | 7 | 2971 |  |
| Hulstein Brothers, Inc | 116104 | 7 | 2595 |  |
| Jason Menne | 86575 | 17 | 2423 |  |
| Jason Volker | 56063 | 12 | 2337 |  |
| Jeff & Melinda Walz | 115465 | 6 | 2476 |  |
| John & Meghan Palmer | 122705 | 1 | 2491 |  |
| Justin R. Wiebe | 102481 | 7 | 2539 |  |
| Kaleb, Cole & Carter Kruse | 113948 | 7 | 2410 |  |
| Keith Pedley | 57971 | 3 | 2358 |  |
| Mark C. & Sara Ann Wilcox | 32821 | 29 | 2465 |  |
| Northeast Iowa Dairy Foundation | 33841 | 13 | 2552 |  |
| Piggott-Hill Farm | 51693 | 5 | 2503 |  |
| Regancrest Holsteins, LLC | 10902 | 34 | 2626 |  |
| Reuben Nolt | 110743 | 11 | 2695 |  |
| Reuter Dairy, Inc. | 30380 | 10 | 2594 |  |
| Rick & Tom Simon | 28437 | 31 | 2731 |  |
| Scottmore Holsteins | 23340 | 22 | 2537 |  |
| Summit Dairy | 104130 | 10 | 2457 |  |
| Ted J. Domeyer | 45043 | 6 | 2399 |  |
| Walter W. Wessel , | 82869 | 15 | 2641 |  |
| William Langreck | 47504 | 26 | 2467 |  |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Producer Name | Town |  | Cow Years | ECM | Fat% | Fat- lbs | Pro- % | Pro lbs |
| TOP-DECK FARMS | WESTGATE | 6 | 720 | 39829 | 4.8 | 1611 | 3.2 | 1059 |
| M & C DAIRY | LIME SPRINGS | 6 | 385 | 39079 | 4.3 | 1481 | 3.2 | 1117 |
| KEVIN & GAYLEEN MOELLERS | RIDGEWAY | 3 | 1382 | 38378 | 4 | 1411 | 3.2 | 1120 |
| GIBBS DAIRY | WATERVILLE | 7 | 616 | 37623 | 4.6 | 1481 | 3.3 | 1044 |
| GAV-N-VIEW FARM | LANSING | 3 | 544 | 37024 | 4.7 | 1471 | 3.2 | 1013 |
| KDS DAIRY RYAN MOELLERS | CRESCO | 4 | 1025 | 36854 | 4.5 | 1453 | 3.1 | 988 |
| MCALLISTER FAMILY DAIRY LLC | NEW VIENNA, | 12 | 273 | 36652 | 4.1 | 1355 | 3.2 | 1068 |
| HULSTEIN BROTHERS DAIRY | HULL | 9 | 319 | 36477 | 4.4 | 1372 | 3.5 | 1099 |
| REUTER DAIRY INC. | PEOSTA | 8 | 934 | 36118 | 4.3 | 1380 | 3.1 | 1011 |
| DEAN MEYER | NEW ALBIN | 11 | 2570 | 36113 | 5.2 | 1499 | 3.4 | 961 |
| LEHMAN DAIRY | SHERRILL | 12 | 196 | 36063 | 4.5 | 1391 | 3.3 | 1034 |
| MCALLISTER FAMILY DAIRY LLC | NEW VIENNA, | 12 | 314 | 35687 | 4.2 | 1334 | 3.2 | 1039 |
| TOM ENGELKEN | EARLVILLE | 12 | 225 | 35632 | 4.2 | 1332 | 3.3 | 1043 |
| TOM ENGELKEN | EARLVILLE | 12 | 251 | 35198 | 4.2 | 1318 | 3.3 | 1031 |
| RAPSON DAVE | HAWKEYE | 5 | 347 | 34826 | 4.4 | 1359 | 3.1 | 939 |
| TOM & SARA KRUSE | DYERSVILLE | 7 | 76 | 34694 | 4.4 | 1325 | 3.3 | 1004 |
| STEMPFLE HOLSTEINS | MAYNARD | 3 | 896 | 34588 | 4.3 | 1312 | 3.3 | 995 |
| CARL Z NOLT | ORCHARD | 9 | 57 | 34545 | 4.2 | 1307 | 3.2 | 980 |
| SCHWARTZHOFF DAIRY | DORCHESTER | 9 | 417 | 34504 | 3.8 | 1252 | 3 | 992 |
| KRUSE, MARTIN | DYERSVILLE | 7 | 555 | 34465 | 4.1 | 1288 | 3.2 | 996 |
| DUSCHNER, GENE/CONNIE | FARLEY | 9 | 613 | 34385 | 4.2 | 1280 | 3.4 | 1024 |
| MARTY BAHL | DUBUQUE | 9 | 210 | 34380 | 4.4 | 1320 | 3.3 | 986 |
| MENNE, JASON & SARA | POSTVILLE | 12 | 161 | 34157 | 4.4 | 1313 | 3.3 | 973 |
| REIFF, RAYMOND & NORMA | RICEVILLE | 11 | 47 | 34065 | 5.8 | 1497 | 3.1 | 807 |
| BRUMM DAIRY, LC | STACYVILLE | 12 | 271 | 33952 | 4.5 | 1306 | 3.3 | 978 |
| JAN BOELEN | BROOKLYN | 8 | 1920 | 33932 | 4.2 | 1275 | 3.2 | 980 |
| HAMMERAND DEREK | DUBUQUE | 6 | 243 | 33853 | 4.2 | 1277 | 3.2 | 966 |
| DOUG FAIRBANKS | ANAMOSA | 12 | 266 | 33813 | 4.2 | 1271 | 3.2 | 965 |
| HILLSIDE DAIRY | ROCKVALLEY | 12 | 2941 | 33808 | 4.1 | 1254 | 3.3 | 997 |
| COONRIDGE HOLSTEINS | ANAMOSA | 9 | 162 | 33738 | 4.3 | 1297 | 3 | 916 |
| BERGAN DAIRY LLC | ELKADER | 6 | 243 | 33695 | 3.6 | 1184 | 3.1 | 1010 |
| DEREK BRIMEYER | SHERRILL | 10 | 164 | 33688 | 3.9 | 1220 | 3.1 | 991 |
| BERGAN DAIRY LLC | ELKADER | 6 | 256 | 33524 | 3.7 | 1179 | 3.1 | 1006 |
| WESSELCREST | GREELEY | 6 | 303 | 33500 | 4.6 | 1302 | 3.5 | 977 |
| WEMARKDAIRY | RIDGEWAY | 4 | 665 | 33360 | 3.7 | 1178 | 3.2 | 1020 |
| FORESIGHT FARMS, LLC | DECORAH | 12 | 1157 | 33213 | 4.2 | 1243 | 3.2 | 961 |
| ENYART FARMS LLC | POSTVILLE | 9 | 317 | 33075 | 4.1 | 1236 | 3.1 | 936 |
| VAGTS DAIRY LLC | WEST UNION | 3 | 538 | 33008 | 4.4 | 1282 | 3 | 885 |
| GREG & JENNY CONWAY | LANSING | 9 | 184 | 32993 | 4.5 | 1281 | 3.2 | 922 |
| ALVIN & SYLVIA SAUDER | CHARLES CITY | 11 | 63 | 32958 | 4.3 | 1252 | 3.3 | 946 |
| DOUG ROTH | MT. PLEASANT | 11 | 169 | 32898 | 4.3 | 1250 | 3.3 | 952 |
| GOEBEL, JOSEPH | GUTTENBURG | 3 | 147 | 32829 | 5.3 | 1375 | 3.3 | 852 |
| RO-LINDA ACRES | WATERVILLE | 6 | 1059 | 32808 | 4.3 | 1239 | 3.3 | 960 |
| BRUCE & JULIE BUDDENBERG | DECORAH | 8 | 327 | 32714 | 4.1 | 1220 | 3.2 | 941 |
| REUBEN NOLT | ALTA VISTA | 11 | 80 | 32473 | 4.5 | 1259 | 3.3 | 924 |
| TERRY DEUTMEYER | DYERSVILLE | 11 | 109 | 32273 | 4.3 | 1235 | 3.2 | 906 |
| JAMES & MARLENE DECKER | BERNARD | 10 | 546 | 32268 | 4.2 | 1216 | 3.1 | 911 |
| JEFF AND MELINDA WALZ | WEST UNION | 11 | 128 | 32134 | 4.1 | 1205 | 3 | 896 |
| BURKHOLDER, HARLAN | CHARLES CITY | 6 | 66 | 32125 | 4.3 | 1217 | 3.2 | 921 |
| ELVIN W SHIRK | ELMA | 12 | 74 | 32094 | 4 | 1192 | 3.1 | 918 |
| KANDY-BAHR HOLSTEINS | WAUKON | 11 | 67 | 32091 | 3.8 | 1148 | 3.2 | 971 |
| STEINER, KEVIN | MONTICELLO | 12 | 43 | 32061 | 5.5 | 1375 | 3.2 | 797 |
| JIM GOLDSMITH | EARLVILLE | 12 | 172 | 31972 | 4.5 | 1247 | 3.2 | 887 |
| FERTIG, DALE/SHARON | WALL LAKE | 11 | 230 | 31971 | 4.2 | 1200 | 3.2 | 927 |
| BURKLE, DENNIS | EARLVILLE | 11 | 148 | 31908 | 4.5 | 1248 | 3.2 | 880 |
| BURKLE, DENNIS | EARLVILLE | 11 | 158 | 31809 | 4.6 | 1247 | 3.2 | 877 |
| SPARRGROVE, JOHN AND RYAN | CASTALIA | 10 | 204 | 31788 | 4.2 | 1190 | 3.2 | 922 |
| DEMMER, RICK | PEOSTA | 7 | 82 | 31743 | 4.3 | 1200 | 3.3 | 925 |
| KAUFFMANN,JERRY&STEPHANIE | FARLEY | 9 | 259 | 31556 | 3.8 | 1134 | 3.2 | 941 |
| TERRY LENTH | LUANA | 9 | 108 | 31499 | 4.2 | 1185 | 3.1 | 895 |
| KEVIN AND JULIE FOSSUM | WATERVILLE | 7 | 246 | 31450 | 4.1 | 1162 | 3.2 | 919 |
| SAMUEL NOLT | FLOYD | 11 | 58 | 31358 | 4.2 | 1190 | 3.1 | 880 |
| JOHN ZEWEN | NEW VIENNA | 9 | 68 | 31309 | 4 | 1148 | 3.2 | 926 |
| MEYER, TROY & DON | MAYNARD | 12 | 97 | 31298 | 4.3 | 1185 | 3.3 | 903 |
| ERVIN LAMBRIGHT | BLOOMFIELD | 9 | 66 | 31180 | 4.4 | 1183 | 3.4 | 914 |
| ALAN & RUTH HAGEMAN | DECORAH | 8 | 121 | 31168 | 3.8 | 1118 | 3.2 | 931 |
| GREG & ROSIE PIGGOTT | WAUKON | 11 | 98 | 31113 | 4.1 | 1150 | 3.3 | 929 |
| LANCE & JONNA SCHUTTE | MONONA | 4 | 115 | 31080 | 4.1 | 1151 | 3.2 | 902 |
| MICHAEL MARTIN | CHARLES CITY | 11 | 78 | 30948 | 4.3 | 1179 | 3.2 | 874 |
| DEAN DUITSCHER | ROLFE | 9 | 85 | 30925 | 4.5 | 1197 | 3.4 | 890 |
| NOLT, ISAAC | ORCHARD | 11 | 62 | 30805 | 4.2 | 1168 | 3.1 | 863 |
| WHITFORD DAIRY, LLC | VOLGA | 6 | 202 | 30790 | 4.8 | 1239 | 3.2 | 826 |
| REGANCREST FARM | WAUKON | 9 | 1036 | 30749 | 4.4 | 1183 | 3.2 | 861 |
| JEFF AND MELINDA WALZ | WEST UNION | 11 | 162 | 30727 | 4.2 | 1162 | 3.1 | 858 |
| BRIAN & MONICA ENYART | POSTVILLE | 8 | 134 | 30723 | 4.1 | 1152 | 3.1 | 866 |
| CIRCLE RIDGE HOLSTEINS | SHERRILL | 3 | 450 | 30691 | 4 | 1118 | 3.2 | 915 |
| WILWERT BROS | HOLY CROSS | 12 | 229 | 30680 | 4.1 | 1149 | 3.2 | 880 |
| WHITE GOLD DAIRY LLC | PLAINFIELD | 11 | 63 | 30584 | 3.9 | 1112 | 3.2 | 910 |
| MATT SCHELLING | ORANGE CITY | 7 | 126 | 30570 | 4.4 | 1166 | 3.4 | 898 |
| WILCOX, MARK | MARCUS | 9 | 82 | 30569 | 4.2 | 1144 | 3.3 | 898 |
| VERNON REIFF | RICEVILLE | 12 | 66 | 30566 | 4.2 | 1154 | 3.1 | 858 |
| DEAN DUITSCHER | ROLFE | 9 | 13 | 30491 | 4.6 | 1191 | 3.3 | 858 |
| STOLL FARMS, INC. | CASCADE | 5 | 283 | 30484 | 3.9 | 1102 | 3.2 | 908 |
| MATT & MICHELLE BYRNES | DORCHESTER | 3 | 193 | 30439 | 3.6 | 1081 | 2.9 | 867 |
| I O STATE DAIRY | AMES | 12 | 422 | 30438 | 4.4 | 1162 | 3.3 | 879 |
| LANCE & JONNA SCHUTTE | MONONA | 4 | 131 | 30415 | 4.1 | 1126 | 3.2 | 884 |
| NE IOWA DAIRY FOUNDATION | CALMAR | 8 | 239 | 30406 | 4.7 | 1199 | 3.4 | 861 |
| TUKKER DAIRIES | ROLFE | 9 | 818 | 30344 | 4.2 | 1130 | 3.3 | 892 |
| LEROY MAASSEN | MAURICE | 7 | 2102 | 30324 | 4.2 | 1139 | 3.3 | 885 |
| LAMAR Z BURKHOLDER | CHARLES CITY | 11 | 76 | 30292 | 4.1 | 1131 | 3.2 | 871 |
| R A SCHANBACHER INC | NEWHALL | 9 | 140 | 30259 | 4 | 1109 | 3.2 | 891 |
| ALAN & RUTH HAGEMAN | DECORAH | 8 | 136 | 30130 | 3.9 | 1087 | 3.2 | 897 |
| BOOGERD DAIRY | HULL | 5 | 612 | 30096 | 4.2 | 1125 | 3.2 | 875 |
| JON KOTEK | OSAGE | 12 | 158 | 30079 | 4.4 | 1154 | 3.2 | 845 |
| JOSEPH & ANNA MARY NOLT | ALTA VISTA | 12 | 57 | 30039 | 4.3 | 1147 | 3.2 | 849 |
| I O STATE DAIRY | AMES | 12 | 472 | 29973 | 4.4 | 1149 | 3.4 | 867 |
| KOPPES, GARY | MONMOUTH | 6 | 291 | 29882 | 4.1 | 1113 | 3.2 | 867 |
| HIGH, LAVON | CANTRIL | 9 | 83 | 29848 | 4.2 | 1112 | 3.3 | 877 |
| ANDEREGG FARMS LLC | GUTTENBERG | 9 | 177 | 29840 | 3.9 | 1089 | 3.1 | 864 |
| JOHN W NOLT | ORCHARD | 7 | 62 | 29638 | 4.3 | 1131 | 3.1 | 824 |
| LANGRECK, WILLIAM &KATHY | WEST UNION | 7 | 134 | 29592 | 3.9 | 1071 | 3.2 | 886 |
| PALMER JOHN & MEGHAN | WAUKON | 8 | 177 | 29561 | 4 | 1084 | 3.2 | 870 |
| TIM GOEDKEN | HOPKINTON | 11 | 166 | 29386 | 4.4 | 1117 | 3.3 | 853 |
| HUITINK DAIRY, LLC | HOSPERS | 7 | 85 | 29362 | 4.2 | 1088 | 3.4 | 881 |
| REIFF, IVAN | RICEVILLE | 12 | 46 | 29334 | 4.6 | 1167 | 3.1 | 776 |
| LUKE OBERHOLTZER | ALTA VISTA | 11 | 52 | 29239 | 4.8 | 1157 | 3.4 | 824 |
| MIKE RICHARDS | FAIRBANK | 9 | 150 | 29228 | 4 | 1079 | 3.1 | 835 |
| NOLT, JOHN & MARLENE | ORCHARD | 12 | 56 | 29154 | 4 | 1068 | 3.2 | 855 |
| MERVIN R BRUBAKER | MILTON | 11 | 109 | 29128 | 4 | 1079 | 3.1 | 838 |
| DARRYL HUMPAL | RIDGEWAY | 4 | 416 | 29125 | 4.1 | 1087 | 3.2 | 841 |
| HUITINK DAIRY, LLC | HOSPERS | 7 | 96 | 29109 | 4.1 | 1074 | 3.4 | 875 |
| ROBERT NOSBISCH | HOLY CROSS | 10 | 170 | 29029 | 4 | 1069 | 3.2 | 844 |
| LEERHOFF, KURT | CLARKSVILLE | 6 | 74 | 28921 | 4.3 | 1093 | 3.3 | 838 |
| CROSSROADS DAIRY LLC. | POSTVILLE | 7 | 553 | 28802 | 4.1 | 1071 | 3.2 | 837 |
| HEFEL, MARK/RHONDA | EPWORTH | 12 | 60 | 28793 | 3.9 | 1036 | 3.3 | 879 |
| MENSEN, CARL/LISA | GUTTENBERG | 12 | 87 | 28735 | 4.2 | 1082 | 3.1 | 815 |
| TIM GOEDKEN | HOPKINTON | 11 | 180 | 28731 | 4.4 | 1096 | 3.4 | 836 |
| NIELSEN JON | WALKER | 11 | 84 | 28679 | 4 | 1054 | 3.2 | 834 |
| WEBER, RONALD | FARLEY | 8 | 218 | 28631 | 3.8 | 1031 | 3.1 | 843 |
| SCOTT & BARB MELCHER | HARPERS FERRY | 10 | 170 | 28603 | 4.1 | 1060 | 3.3 | 842 |
| ARTHUR, ALDEN | SUMNER | 8 | 131 | 28575 | 3.9 | 1033 | 3.2 | 850 |
| BLASBERG, DOUG | TRIPOLI | 12 | 97 | 28550 | 4.2 | 1074 | 3.3 | 829 |
| BLASBERG, DOUG | TRIPOLI | 12 | 99 | 28548 | 4.2 | 1073 | 3.3 | 829 |
| SCHANBACHER, BRIAN | NEWHALL | 4 | 102 | 28496 | 4 | 1043 | 3.2 | 841 |
| JEFF & TED DOMEYER | HOLY CROSS | 9 | 272 | 28465 | 4.2 | 1053 | 3.4 | 854 |
| CHRIS MANTERNACH | HOPKINTON | 11 | 158 | 28453 | 4.7 | 1124 | 3.4 | 799 |
| BENJAMIN AND MALINDA MARTIN | CHARLES CITY | 7 | 52 | 28366 | 4.1 | 1049 | 3.3 | 835 |
| VANDE GRIEND DAIRY | HULL | 5 | 293 | 28205 | 4.4 | 1079 | 3.3 | 812 |
| PETERSEN, DAVID A | BLUE GRASS | 8 | 104 | 28097 | 4.1 | 1039 | 3.3 | 834 |
| SCHULTE, AUSTIN | NORWAY | 6 | 149 | 28087 | 3.9 | 1016 | 3.3 | 847 |
| TOM & JENI MELCHER | CASTALIA | 6 | 91 | 28041 | 4.1 | 1040 | 3.2 | 822 |
| MCCORMICK DAIRY | WATERVILLE | 5 | 146 | 28007 | 4.3 | 1058 | 3.2 | 807 |
| OSTWINKLE, JAMES-DENISE | WORTHINGTON | 11 | 153 | 27954 | 4 | 1033 | 3.1 | 802 |
| SHODEL HOLSTEINS | DELHI | 10 | 94 | 27923 | 4.6 | 1093 | 3.3 | 780 |
| SCHANBACHER ALLAN | ATKINS | 8 | 298 | 27874 | 3.9 | 1012 | 3.2 | 832 |
| FRIEDMANN, DAN/RON | PEOSTA | 12 | 63 | 27856 | 4.3 | 1061 | 3.3 | 802 |
| SHAKER FARMS, L.L.C. | ELGIN | 4 | 106 | 27800 | 4 | 1030 | 3.1 | 799 |
| MC NALLY DAIRY | MONONA | 5 | 224 | 27767 | 4 | 1022 | 3.2 | 810 |
| CHAD & ERIN HUNT | ELKADER | 6 | 72 | 27682 | 4 | 1014 | 3.2 | 808 |
| VOLKER, JASON | MAYNARD | 5 | 176 | 27672 | 4.3 | 1052 | 3.3 | 794 |
| DELTURN INC | HOPKINTON | 12 | 159 | 27604 | 4.5 | 1072 | 3.2 | 772 |
| MCCORMICK DAIRY | WATERVILLE | 5 | 187 | 27454 | 4.3 | 1039 | 3.3 | 793 |
| DIRKSEN FARMS | PLYMOUTH | 7 | 111 | 27396 | 4.3 | 1037 | 3.2 | 787 |
| HUITINK DAIRY, LLC | HOSPERS | 7 | 12 | 27214 | 3.8 | 965 | 3.3 | 832 |
| MURPHY DAIRY LLC | FARLEY | 11 | 226 | 27144 | 4.2 | 1012 | 3.3 | 801 |
| ZIMMERMAN, NELSON | CHARLES CITY | 11 | 63 | 27060 | 3.9 | 990 | 3 | 773 |
| CHRIS KLOSTERMANN | DYERSVILLE | 12 | 145 | 27058 | 3.9 | 985 | 3.1 | 789 |
| HILGERSON, SCOTT & SUZY | ELKADER | 6 | 61 | 27045 | 3.7 | 963 | 3 | 792 |
| SHEMA HOLSTEINS | KALONA | 11 | 74 | 26973 | 4.1 | 1002 | 3.2 | 786 |
| TRENT & MATT HENKES | LUANA | 12 | 61 | 26967 | 4.1 | 1008 | 3.1 | 764 |

**\*Above are herds tested with DRMS**

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| **Farm Name** | **City** | **Test in 365** | **Avg # Cows** | **ECM** | **RHA Fat %** | **RHA Fat lbs** | **RHA Pro %** | **RHA Pro lbs** |
| GENOSOURCE | BLAIRSTOWN | 11 | 3840.3 | 34931 | 4.3 | 1309 | 3.37 | 1036 |
| MORMANN DAIRY LLC | NEW VIENNA | 13 | 1099.6 | 35631 | 4.4 | 1350 | 3.41 | 1053 |
| FARNEAR HOLSTEINS | FARLEY | 10 | 596.2 | 34526 | 4.4 | 1297 | 3.54 | 1050 |
| STREIF FARMS | FARLEY | 2 | 682.5 | 32526 | 4.1 | 1210 | 3.25 | 952 |
| ELIZABETH ELSINGER | PEOSTA | 10 | 463.7 | 21301 | 4.7 | 831 | 3.47 | 618 |
| KEITH KOOPMANN | EPWORTH | 8 | 126 | 25705 | 4 | 942 | 3.24 | 761 |
| MALVENCREST HOLSTEINS | CRESCO | 12 | 43.2 | 32630 | 3.9 | 1186 | 3.18 | 964 |
| WESLEY NOLT | FLOYD | 6 | 66.5 | 27908 | 4 | 1023 | 3.23 | 825 |
| H&H DAIRY FARMS LLC | CRESCO | 13 | 794.8 | 29768 | 4.4 | 1138 | 3.29 | 854 |
| CROSS | CRESCO | 12 | 218.9 | 25277 | 4.4 | 967 | 3.25 | 720 |
| KASKI | CRESCO | 8 | 1.9 | 27775 | 4.3 | 1054 | 3.19 | 789 |
| ROCK BOTTOM DAIRY | ALVORD | 11 | 2793.6 | 22198 | 4.8 | 853 | 3.86 | 692 |
| VAN ESS DAIRY | SANBORN | 11 | 9952.6 | 28649 | 3.7 | 1010 | 3.25 | 879 |
| QUASS FARMS LLC | OSSIAN | 11 | 101.8 | 25561 | 4 | 937 | 3.2 | 751 |
| ELSBERND DAIRY FARMS | CALMAR | 9 | 390.6 | 32352 | 4.3 | 1229 | 3.26 | 929 |
| EINCK DAIRY | FORT ATKINSON | 8 | 716.9 | 38494 | 4.3 | 1471 | 3.2 | 1088 |
| STEVE & PATTY ELSBERND | RIDGEWAY | 13 | 123.7 | 27109 | 4.1 | 1006 | 3.21 | 789 |
| JAY ELSBERND | RIDGEWAY | 13 | 65.6 | 24808 | 4.4 | 946 | 3.32 | 717 |
| SCHMELZER DAIRY FARM | RIDGEWAY | 8 | 244.2 | 29145 | 3.9 | 1058 | 3.09 | 847 |
| BRIAN-DAVID BIGLER | DECORAH | 11 | 144.8 | 32015 | 4.6 | 1246 | 3.34 | 911 |
| WINDY HILL DAIRY | FORT ATKINSON | 9 | 167.7 | 31878 | 4.1 | 1172 | 3.27 | 946 |
| KNUTSON BROS DAIRY | OSSIAN | 7 | 425 | 35331 | 4 | 1293 | 3.19 | 1038 |

**\*Above are herds tested with AgSource**

**Top BAA Herds**

The following summary represents the highest classified herds in Iowa for 2023. This list includes all herds that were classified in the calendar year of 2023 with ten or more cows and a BAA% of 105.0 or above. If the herd was classified more than once during the year, the most recent classification was used.

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| **Name** | **Classificiation Date** | **BAA** | **Total** |
| Larry D. Dykstra | 08/12/2024 | 111.7 | 53 |
| Brian & Koral Harbaugh | 12/03/2024 | 111.6 | 33 |
| Dan Moon | 12/03/2024 | 111.5 | 51 |
| Doug J Lyons | 12/05/2024 | 111.4 | 47 |
| Adam Kruse | 05/10/2024 | 1112 | 10 |
| Leroy C Eggink | 08/13/24 | 110.8 | 45 |
| Dry Hollow Dairy | 12/05/24 | 110.8 | 11 |
| Marlin J Bontrager | 10/30/23 | 108.9 | 65 |
| Trent Henkes | 12/03/24 | 110.6 | 57 |
| Melanie Junk | 05/11/2024 | 109.3 | 50 |
| Nathan & Jody Nus | 12/03/2024 | 109.2 | 15 |
| Glen Ohloff | 05/14/2024 | 108.9 | 28 |
| Zach, Collin, Madelynn Costello | 12/10/2024 | 108.9 | 26 |
| Mervin R Brubaker | 12/18/2024 | 108.6 | 97 |
| Heather Brandon Moore | 05/18/2024 | 108.5 | 27 |
| Cary Jennifer Bierschenk | 05/15/2024 | 108.3 | 46 |
| Fobe-acres | 12/13/2024 | 108.2 | 48 |
| Marlin J Bontrager | 12/10/2024 | 108.1 | 67 |
| Mark D Hamlett | 03/18/2024 | 107.8 | 64 |
| Mark Rhonda Hefel | 12/06/2024 | 107.6 | 19 |
| John Meghan Palmer | 12/10/2024 | 107.5 | 40 |
| Scottmore Holsteins | 05/18/2024 | 107.5 | 111 |
| Kevin Knapp | 08/13/2024 | 107.3 | 19 |
| Douglas Fairbanks | 05/14/2024 | 107.2 | 232 |
| Jason Menne | 12/02/2024 | 107.2 | 136 |
| Coonridge Holsteins | 12/07/2024 | 106.9 | 92 |
| J & J Dairy Inc | 12/04/2024 | 106.9 | 129 |
| Leslie Shirk | 12/16/2024 | 106.8 | 29 |
| David Rhonda Bahr | 12/19/2024 | 106.7 | 57 |
| John Peggy Sparrgrove | 12/01/2024 | 106.5 | 129 |
| Matt Zuercher | 05/07/2024 | 106.5 | 35 |
| Piggott-Hill Farm | 12/11/2024 | 106.5 | 72 |
| Ted Domeyer | 12/05/2024 | 105.9 | 50 |
| Rueben Nolt | 12/02/2024 | 105.9 | 61 |
| Butler Holsteins | 05/22/2024 | 105.7 | 39 |
| Gene Dixie Wenthold | 12/08/2024 | 104.7 | 28 |
| Dan Bolin | 05/20/2024 | 104.4 | 99 |
| Todd D Johnson | 12/03/2024 | 103.9 | 98 |
| Codey Waller | 12/06/2024 | 103.7 | 59 |
| Northeast Iowa Dairy | 12/18/2024 | 103.4 | 132 |