

“JX Harris {4}” Daughter High Seller at Northeast Classic

Dairy producers looking to add quality Registered Jersey genetics to their herds got their money’s worth at this year’s Northeast Jersey Classic and Breeders Sale and proved that timing is everything. Selling on April 28 were 205 lots for an average of \$988.78. More than half the lots were short-bred or open heifers. For the fourth time, the format featured a small group of special-pedigreed animals sold in tie-up fashion and a large group of commercial cattle sold in volume. For the third time, the sale was hosted by Gerald and Diane Colvin at Dusty Creek Farm, in Wallingford, Vt.

Sale Analysis

Number	Avg. Price	Total Value
3 Cows, two years and over	\$2,516.67	\$7,550
109 Bred heifers	1,134.40	123,650
24 1 st Trimester	926.04	22,225
42 2 nd Trimester	1,188.10	49,900
43 3 rd Trimester	1,198.26	51,525
35 Open yearlings	662.14	23,175
58 Heifer calves	833.19	48,325
205 Lots	\$988.78	\$202,700
Median price	\$925.00	

*Sale Management:
Jersey Marketing Service
Auctioneer: Lynn Lee*

Sheldon S. Sawyer, Walpole, N.H., purchased the high seller, JX Holmesland Harris Bargain {5}, for \$4,000. One of just three cows in the day’s offering, the daughter of JX Schultz Volcano Harris {4}, GJPI +181, was fresh in late January and sold served to Dutch Hollow Oliver-P, GJPI +103. She gave 80 lbs. milk on her second test and has a projected m.e. of 23,255–1,086–805 at 2-10. She ranked among the top 1.5% for genetic merit on sale day and has a current GJPI of +117 and GPTAs of +1,089M, +41F and +42P.

Her dam is an Excellent-91% daughter



JX Holmesland Harris Bargain {5} was the high seller of the Northeast Jersey Classic and Breeders Sale, purchased by Tom Sawyer, front left, for \$4,000. She was consigned by Steve Holmes, center. Dutch Hollow Farm, represented by Donna Chittenden, front right, was contending bidder. Also pictured are AJCA-NAJ Executive Secretary Neal Smith and Lynn Lee, auctioneer.

of Tollenaars Impuls Legal 233-ET, GJPI +67, with 19,990 lbs. milk, 954 lbs. fat and 736 lbs. protein at 4-10. Her Very Good-83% grandam, sired by Forest Glen Meccas Jevon-ET, GJPI +25, has a six lactation m.e. average of 19,511–925–695. Her Very Good-87% third dam has a best record of 4-2 305 21,500 3.9% 836 3.7% 797 98DCR. Her fourth dam is appraised Excellent-90% and has 20,250 lbs. milk, 763 lbs. fat and 717 lbs. protein at 3-2. The next dam is Very Good-85%.

“Bargain {5}” was consigned by fellow New Hampshire Jersey breeders, Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes of Langdon.

Scott and Heidi Mason, North Stratford, N.H., purchased the second-high seller, Lucky Hill Whatchamacallit-ET, for \$3,500. The genetic standout is sired by Steinhauers Samson Lemonhead, GJPI +166. She has GPTAs of +356M, +66F and +29P and is +1.8 for Type, +3.7 for Productive Life (PL) and +2.1 for Livability. She ranks among the top 1.5% for GJPI with an index of +156. She is due to Lucky Hill Lemonhead Whiplash, GJPI +133, in early June.

She has a maternal brother in A.I. and several maternal sisters ranked on the top genetic lists, including JX Lucky Hill Wildflower {6}-ET, the third-high selling female of the 2018 All American Jersey Sale at \$24,700.

“Whatchamacallit’s” dam, Lucky Hill Ballistic Winnie-ET, is a Very Good-83% daughter of DP Ballistic, GJPI +110, with an m.e. of 20,598–1,133–824 on her first lactation. She ranks among the top 1.5% for genetic merit with a GJPI of +138. She has three maternal brothers in A.I.

The grandam, Lucky Hill Joker Waborita, Very Good-87%, has four lactations—all over 20,000 lbs. milk—and a best record of 4-5 305 22,880 5.0% 1,134 3.6% 820 102DCR. Her third dam is a Very Good-86% daughter of Jenks Paramount Summit-ET, GJPI +68, with an m.e. of 22,964–1,138–819 on her first record. Her fourth dam is appraised Very Good-85% and has a two lactation m.e. average of 21,385–980–751.

“Whatchamacallit” was consigned by Lucky Hill Farm, Danville, Vt.

A pair of heifer calves from the tie-up portion sold for the third high price of the day, \$3,100 each. Gary and Debbie Moore, Greenwich, N.Y., chose one of them, JX Lucky Hill Phiddle {6}-ET, another Lucky Hill Farm consignment. The August 2017 daughter of JX Ahlem Harris Baltazar {5}-ET, GJPI +161, ranks among the top 1.5% for GJPI with an index of +168. She has GPTAs of +936M, +55F and +43P and is +4.0 for PL.

Her dam is a Very Good-83% “Ballis-

tic” daughter with a first-lactation m.e. of 22,285–1,228–876. Her grandam, Lucky Hill Joker Phlopsie, Excellent-90%, has six lactations—four of them over 20,000 lbs. milk—and made her best record of 23,450 lbs. milk, 1,324 lbs. fat and 933 lbs. protein at 5-0.

Kevin Mansfield, Amsterdam, N.Y., purchased the other \$3,100-priced heifer, Hartwell Casino Charity. The six-month-old daughter of Elliotts Regency Casino-ET, GJPI +126, is a potential seventh-generation Excellent consigned by Sterling Richardson of Craftsbury Common, Vt.

“Charity” has a Very Good-88% maternal sister with 19,690 lbs. milk, 877 lbs. fat and 660 lbs. protein at 2-11. Their dam is an Excellent-92% daughter of Schultz Rescue Headline, GJPI +61, with a five lactation m.e. average of 19,829–784–648. The next dam is an Excellent-90% daughter of BHF-SSF Parade Louie-ET, GJPI -19, with five lactations and a best record of 5-7 305 18,130 5.0% 907 3.5% 629 98DCR. The next dam, Pearlmount Hallmark L. Classy, Excellent-92%, has nine lactations. The fourth dam is Pearlmount Choice Camille, Excellent-95%, with eight records—half over 20,000 lbs. milk—and a best record of 4-0 305 22,930 4.5% 1,029 3.2% 741 100DCR. The next two dams both have actual 305-day records over 18,000 lbs. milk.

In all, 32 Jersey breeders from nine states border-to-border and coast-to-coast made purchases. The volume buyer was Adrie Vanderjagt of Sulphur Springs, Texas, who purchased 56 lots for \$54,725. Sexing Technologies, Navasota, Texas, chose 26 lots for \$16,850.

Sales \$1,200 and Over

(Consignors in Parentheses)

Sheldon Scott Sawyer, Walpole, N.H.	
JX Holmesland Harris Bargain {5}, cow 3 yrs.....	\$4,000
<i>(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes, Langdon, N.H.)</i>	
Scott and Heidi Mason, North Stratford, N.H.	
Lucky Hill Whatchamacallit-ET, cow 2 yrs.....	3,500
<i>(Lucky Hill Farm, Danville, Vt.)</i>	
JX Holmesland Avon Ramona {3}, bred heifer 21 mos.	1,550
<i>(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)</i>	
JX Holmesland Harris Macbeth {5}, bred heifer 17 mos.	1,300
<i>(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)</i>	
Kevin Mansfield, Amsterdam, N.Y.	
Hartwell Casino Charity, heifer calf 6 mos.....	3,100
<i>(Sterling Richardson, Craftsbury Common, Vt.)</i>	
Gary and Debbie Moore, Greenwich, N.Y.	
JX Lucky Hill Phiddle {6}-ET, heifer calf 8 mos.....	3,100
<i>(Lucky Hill Farm)</i>	
Vierra Dairy Farms, Hilmar, Calif.	
Billings Applejack Daisy-ET, bred heifer 22 mos.....	2,500
<i>(Billings Farm and Museum, Woodstock, Vt.)</i>	
Stuart Corlew, Fort Edward, N.Y.	
DGM Oliver Headway Harrow-P, heifer calf 5 mos.....	2,400
<i>(Gary and Debbie Moore, Greenwich, N.Y.)</i>	
Medallion Jerseys, Shoreham, Vt.	
DGM Joel Jean, heifer calf 7 mos.....	2,100
<i>(Jacob Moore, Greenwich, N.Y.)</i>	
John Tiffany and Cassie Westcom, Enosburg Falls, Vt.	
DBW News Lida, heifer calf 3 mos.....	2,050
<i>(Derrick or Beverly Wright, Randolph, Vt.)</i>	
JX Paul-Lin A-Team Swaggar {5}, heifer calf 7 mos.....	1,250
<i>(Paul-Lin Dairy LLC, East Fairfield, Vt.)</i>	
Gerald and Diane Colvin, Wallingford, Vt.	
SBF Valid Action Nike, cow 2 yrs.....	1,950
<i>(Spring Brook Foundation, Reading, Vt.)</i>	
Anthony and Thomas Enneking, Centralia, Kan.	

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JX Holmesland Avon Cherry {3}, bred heifer 19 mos... 1,650
(Jeffrey Holmes, Langdon, N.H.)
DBW Salsa Kristi-P, bred heifer 18 mos..... 1,400
(Derrick or Beverly Wright)
RFF Lemonhead Butternut, bred heifer 20 mos..... 1,400
(Richardson Family Farm, Woodstock, Vt.)
JX RFF Marlo Sassafras {3}, bred heifer 17 mos..... 1,325
(Richardson Family Farm)
RFF Monument Doris, bred heifer 20 mos..... 1,325
(Richardson Family Farm)
Catos Chrome Lavendar, bred heifer 21 mos..... 1,325
(Elizabeth Gillman, Colchester, Conn.)
JX RFF Marlo Melania {3}, bred heifer 16 mos..... 1,275
(Richardson Family Farm)
Rosella Sawyer, Harold Wright Sr. and Harold Wright Jr., Walpole, N.H.
Topline Fireman Double Trouble, heifer calf 8 mos..... 1,650
(Randi and Scott Fisher, Pittsfield, N.H.)
Dutch Hollow Farm, Schodack Landing, N.Y.
JX Holmesland Avon Patty {3}, bred heifer 21 mos..... 1,550
(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)
Hemenway Hill Spartan Tumblr, bred heifer 19 mos..... 1,250
(Rebecca Everett, Williamsburg, Mass.)
Mr. Sheldon Belanger, Boonville, N.Y.
HMC Hired Gun Louise, cow 3 yrs..... 1,600
(Haley Christie, Langdon, N.H.)
Topline Bss Apricot-Twin, bred heifer 19 mos..... 1,575
(Randi and Scott Fisher)
JX Holmesland Dividend Velma {5}, bred heifer 17 mos..... 1,350
(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)
Mapleline Valentino Cheeseburg, bred heifer 21 mos... 1,275
(John Kokoski, Hadley, Mass.)
Kempko Irwin Debbiter, bred heifer 20 mos..... 1,225
(Kempko Syndicate, Hadley, Mass.)
Martha Graff, Farmington, Maine
Mapleline Savvy Half Pint, bred heifer 21 mos..... 1,500
(John Kokoski, Hadley, Mass.)
Mapleline Marcin Half Litre, bred heifer 21 mos..... 1,300
(John Kokoski)
Jonas Minot, Bath, N.H.
Billings Velocity Lizzie, bred heifer 21 mos..... 1,400
(Billings Farm and Museum)
Adrie Vanderjagt, Sulphur Springs, Texas
AMB Dividend Podie, bred heifer 22 mos..... 1,400
(Albert M. Bassett, Woodstock, Vt.)
Billings Variety Sunflower, bred heifer 21 mos..... 1,350
(Billings Farm and Museum)
Medallion Texas Amarillo, bred heifer 23 mos..... 1,275
(Medallion Jerseys, Shoreham, Vt.)
JX Highland Mcgrath E Candy {5}, bred heifer 2 yrs... 1,275
(Highland Farms, Cornish, Maine)
Holmesland Visionary Malbec, bred heifer 2 yrs..... 1,225
(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)
Holmesland Irwin Nirvana, bred heifer 23 mos..... 1,200
(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)
JX Holmesland Eusebio Thyme {5}, bred heifer 15 mos.1,200
(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)
Holmesland Dividend Raven, bred heifer 22 mos..... 1,200
(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)
Henry W. Bostelman, Bainbridge, N.Y.
Menda Topeka Lilac, bred heifer 23 mos..... 1,350
(George R. Miller, White River Junction, Vt.)
Mapleline Irresistable Mandy {2}, bred heifer 21 mos... 1,200
(Paul J. Kokoski, Hadley, Mass.)
Glen Meadows Farm, Fultonville, N.Y.
Holmesland Visionary Moonstone, open yearling 20 mos..... 1,325
(Steven B. and Jeffrey A. Holmes)
Crescent Farm, Walpole, N.H.
Crescent Sovereign Sword, bred heifer 2 yrs..... 1,300
(Zachary Zilinski, Gill, Mass.)
Billings Applejack Daffodil-ET, bred heifer 23 mos..... 1,300
(Billings Farm and Museum)
Abigail E. McReynolds, Danville, Vt.
JX Cedar Mtn Farm Colton Bridget {5}, heifer calf 10 mos..... 1,250
(Kerry Gawalt, Hartland, Vt.)
Chandra Stanley, Enosburg, Vt.
SBF Logic Aubrey, bred heifer 16 mos..... 1,225
(Spring Brook Foundation)
Georgie Anns Dairy and Josh, Bobbielee and Elizabeth Lanpher, Chateaugay, N.Y.
Putnam Hill Dimension Wren {5}, bred heifer 2 yrs..... 1,200
(Mark and Sarah Putnam, Newbury, Vt.)
Highland Stacy M Candydrop {6}, bred heifer 20 mos. 1,200
(Highland Farms)
James Hamilton, North Chittenden, Vt.
JX Highland Prop Joe I Sara {4}, bred heifer 16 mos... 1,200
(Highland Farms)
Catos Honok Flora, bred heifer 19 mos..... 1,200
(Elizabeth Gillman)
Preston Peabody, Buskirk, N.Y.
JX Holmesland Campeone Amber {4}, heifer calf 7 mos..... 1,200
(Jeffrey Holmes)