

Grey Domination in Launceston

Murray Greys cleaned up at the 2009 Royal Launceston Show with a Murray Grey bull, Gilldon Corey C39, exhibited by T.J & R.A Harris of the Parknook Stud, Swan Bay Tas. crowned the Interbreed Supreme Champion Beef Exhibit of the Show. Corey was purchased from the Gilldon Murray Grey Stud, VIC at the 2009 Murray Grey National Show and Sale at Wodonga in April.

This result capped off an exceptional Launceston Royal for the Harris Family, whose animals dominated during the Murray Grey Feature Show and again during the Interbreed Judging. Here they won the Interbreed Sire's Progeny Group and Breeder's Group of three, placed third in both the Interbreed Junior and Senior Female Section and ultimately won the Interbreed Senior and Supreme Champion Interbreed bull before winning the Supreme Beef Exhibit of the show. Judge Stephen Peake from Bowen Poll Hereford and Angus Stud in northern New South Wales said Corey was the type of bull that would perform well no matter what type of environment he was in. 'He's a very safe type of bull. With hi structural soundness, he could walk around this ring all day without any problems'.



Supreme Murray Grey Exhibit – Gilldon Corey C39 being presented with his ribbon by Sponsor Janet Wallace of Woodbourn Murray Grey Stud.

This result was a great victory for the Murray Grey Breed in Tasmania following the success of the Murray Grey Feature Show overseen by Judge Jodie Peake also from Bowen Poll Hereford and Angus Stud in northern New South Wales. Jodie commented that, "The standard was very good; with good muscle and focus on commercial type of cattle, good feet and structure. The tops would stand out well at any show."

Royal Launceston Results

Junior Champion Bull: **Woodbourn Joker, Charles P Wallace**

Reserve Junior Champion Bull: **Wiltshire Dominik, R & C Wilson**

Senior & Grand Champion Bull: **Gilldon Corey C39, T.J & R.A Harris**

Reserve Senior Champion Bull: **Onward Sam, L.J & G.F Menegon**

Junior Champion Female: **Parknook Katie 504, T.J & R.A Harris**

Reserve Junior Champion Female: **Glenfield Wildfire D4, T & N Coad**

Senior & Grand Champion Female: **Parknook Anna C486, T.J & R.A Harris**

Reserve Senior Champion Female: **Wiltshire Symphony Rose X12, R & C Wilson**

Breeder's Group: **T.J & R.A Harris**

Sire's Progeny: **T.J & R.A Harris**

Supreme Exhibit: **Gilldon Corey C39, T.J & R.A Harris**

The Grand Champions



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