

# Vicklands, Day, Tucker, Middleswarth Take Owned Heifer Show Honors

Sarah, Vada, Hannah and Emma Vickland, Longmont, Colo., and their heifer Churchill Lady 008X ET won the polled show at the 12th annual VitaFerm® Junior National Hereford Expo in Kansas City, Mo., July 16. Kirbie Day, Waxahachie, Texas, topped the 185-head horned owned heifer show.

The grand champion horned female, KLD RW 0031 Mindy D108, was bred-and-owned by Day. The reserve grand champion horned, DeLHawk Purple Bliss 1027, was shown by Jessica Middleswarth, Torrington, Wyo.



**Judge Brandon Callis**

The reserve grand champion owned polled heifer banner went to Blake Tucker, North Platte, Neb., with TCC MS Diana 01.

Judge Brandon Callis, Brenham, Texas, said as he studied the champion lineup selected from 561 owned

polled females, “This ain’t fair. But this is what makes it fun. It’s been an honor, and one of the best shows I’ve ever gotten to judge.”

Judge Callis said during the horned female championship, “As soon as she (Day’s heifer) hit the ring, I knew it would take a good one to get around her.”

The Vicklands’ heifer is a January 2010 daughter of Golden Oak Outcross 18U and was bred by Churchill Cattle Co., Manhattan, Mont. She showed with expected progeny differences (EPDs) of birth weight (BW) 5.4, weaning weight (WW) 65, yearling weight (YW) 98, milk (MM) 16 and milk and growth (M&G) 48.

Earlier in the week, Tucker’s heifer was named champion bred-and-owned female. She is a March 2010 daughter of CRR About Time 743 and showed with EPDs of BW 3.0, WW 51, YW 78, MM 18 and M&G 43.

Day’s “Bouncy” is a July 2010 daughter of RW Dakota 19D 0031 and



BW	5.4
WW	65
YW	98
MM	16
M&G	48

## Churchill Lady 008X ET

**Grand and division XII champion owned polled female**, by Sarah, Vada, Hannah and Emma Vickland, Longmont, Colo., with a Jan. 6, 2010, daughter of Golden Oak Outcross 18U.



BW	4.0
WW	42
YW	68
MM	20
M&G	40

## KLD RW 0031 Mindy D108

**Grand and division IV champion horned female**, by Kirbie Day, Waxahachie, Texas, with a July 9, 2010, daughter of RW Dakota 19D 0031.



BW	3.0
WW	51
YW	78
MM	18
M&G	43

## TCC MS Diana 01

**Reserve grand and division IX champion owned polled female**, by Blake Tucker, North Platte, Neb., with a March 1, 2010, daughter of CRR About Time 743.



BW	3.1
WW	47
YW	76
MM	17
M&G	40

## DeLHawk Purple Bliss 1027

**Reserve grand and division VI champion horned female**, by Jessica Middleswarth, Torrington, Wyo., with a Feb. 15, 2010, daughter of NLC 146 Pistol Pete 717 ET.

showed with EPDs of BW 4.0, WW 42, YW 68, MM 20 and M&G 40.

Middleswarth's reserve champion horned heifer was bred by DeLHawk Cattle, Earlville, Ill., and also won division VI. The February 2010 daughter of NLC 146 Pistol Pete 717 ET showed with EPDs of BW 3.1, WW 47, YW 76, MM 17 and M&G 40.

Day was also named the junior premier breeder. Kari Brumley, Orovada, Nev., and Carlee Meeks, Taylor, Neb., were named junior premier exhibitors. Adult premier breeder honors went to Star Lake Cattle Ranch, Skiatook, Okla.

Winning the female get-of-sire award was a group by CH Enuff

Prophet 2913. The champion breeder group was presented to Tyler Allan, Schulenburg, Texas, showing a group of three females bred by Sullivan Ranch, Hillsboro, Texas. Texas juniors took the top state group of five honors.

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