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Fellow Holstein Members,

It is an exciting time for the Virginia Holstein Association----the much anticipated year of celebrations in 2016! For the past several years we have had several ongoing projects preparing for the 100th Anniversary Celebrations. Now it is time to complete our list of nominations for the "Cows of the Century".

A panel of six knowledgeable persons working independently have nominated the enclosed list of cows found on the back of this page. However, you as a Virginia Holstein member, can also nominate one more cow that is not currently listed. All nominations are due March 1, 2015!

Once we have these additional nominations, we will send out and/or post on the website a bio sketch of each cow and you will have the opportunity to vote for the cows you deem worthy of this prestigious honor.

In the end, only one cow per prefix/farm will be allowed. In this way, we can recognize the accomplishments of more breeders. After the final vote for has been tallied the top group of cows will be honored at the fall celebration in 2016!

I would like to share a few comments for the selection panel:

"I am honored to be asked to participate in the selection process for the "Cows of the Century"

"Thanks for the opportunity to relive the glory days"

"Quite a few (cows) have compelling stories"

"What wonderful memories this caused me to relive"

I look forward to see how this all plays out! Don't forget nominations are due March 1, 2015.

Sincerely,

Barbara Wagner Chair, 100th Anniversary Committee

| Additional Nomination (one per member) |
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| Cow Name: |
| Registration # (if known): |
| Breeder: |

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Cows nominated for the Cow of the Century:

Brookfield Elevation Pretty

Eastview Matt Lucky Gill

Eastview Blackstar Mattie G2

Eastview Mark Bell Mattie G

Gloryland Lana Rae

Gloryland Liberty Rae

Green Hilltop Duchess Ann

Harvue Roy Frosty

Harvue Chesapeake Raven

Hiddendale April Mattie

Horse Pen Hill Elevation Queenie

Johanna Korndyke Pride Eva

JPG Standout Kandy

LJC Mars Noble

Marshfield Admiral Tonia

Rilara Mars Las Ravena

Rilara Haven Charming Las

Rotherwood Ivanhoe Valentine

Round Oak Ivanhoe Eve

Round Oak Ivanhoe Lady

Walkup Astronaut Lou Ann

Walnut-S Luke Rock Nita-ET

Whipledale Fond Lucy Queen

Willowlyn Elevation Lou

VPI Matt Halona