

## Esk breeder in ribbon trifecta

**T**HE Yarrayne Stud prefix was heard many times in the Simmental ring with stock from Robbie Shaw's Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk, winning an impressive trifecta of three championship ribbons.

Progeny of the sire Barana Xtreme, Yarrayne Bourbon, exhibited with a three-month-old calf at foot, and Yarrayne Bacardi, won senior champion female and bull ribbons.

Judge John Burnett, Bendemeer, Clermont, Associate Judge: William Drury, Condabri, Condamine.

Another Barana Xtreme calf, Yarrayne Doncaster, snagged reserve champion bull. Yarrayne also won junior female and reserve junior with Yarrayne Chastity and Yarrayne Candice – both sired by Yarrayne UFO.

After experiencing only one showing before Beef 2009, young Simmental bull Clay Gully Cicero thrilled owners, Rob and Viv Laycock, when he won both junior champion and grand champion titles.

The Laycocks, who own Clay

### SIMMENTAL

**Judge:** John Burnett, Bendemeer, Clermont. **Associate Judge:** William Drury, Condabri, Condamine.

**Exhibits:** 32.

**Calf ch female:** Ellendale K57 Lady In Red, Ellendale Red Simmentals, Lowood. **Res:** Ellendale K57 Red Hot Rebel, Ellendale Red Simmentals, Lowood.

**Calf ch bull:** Clay Gully Danehill, Rob and Viv Laycock, Clay Gully Simmentals, Esk. **Res:** Yarrayne Doncaster, Robbie Shaw, Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk.

**Jr ch female:** Yarrayne Chastity,

Robbie Shaw, Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk. **Res:** Yarrayne Candice, Robbie Shaw, Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk.

**Jr ch bull:** Clay Gully Cicero, Rob and Viv Laycock, Clay Gully Simmentals, Esk. **Res:** Star Haped C012, Star Genetics, Gympie.

**Snr ch female:** Yarrayne Bourbon, Robbie Shaw, Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk. **Res:** Brewers Xceptional C073, KBV Simmentals, Murphy's Creek.

**Snr ch bull:** Yarrayne Bacardi, Robbie Shaw, Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk. **Res:** Ellendale Red Prodigal Son, Ellendale Red Simmentals, Lowood.

**Gr ch female:** Yarrayne Bourbon. **Gr ch bull:** Clay Gully Cicero.

Gully Simmentals, Esk, thought the 19-month-old, 832kg bull might catch the judge's eye at Beef 2009, but were thrilled when he snagged the broad ribbon.

By Barana Xchange and out of Clay Gully Xtwo, Clay Gully Cicero will be for sale at the BCM Simmental and Simbrah sale at Gracemere on August 31.

Another young Clay Gully bull sired by Barana Xchange, Clay Gully Danehill, won calf

champion for the Laycocks.

Also in the winners circle was the Pocock family Ellendale's Red Simmentals, Lowood (calf champion female and reserve) with Ellendale K57 Lady In Red and Ellendale K57 Red Hot Rebel, respectively.

Ellendale also won reserve senior bull with Ellendale Red Prodigal Son, following on from the bull's grand champion win at the 2008 Ekka.



Junior champion Simmental Female, Yarrayne Chastity, owned by Robbie Shaw, Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk, and held by Hannah Dellaway.

## Stud stock 'exceptional'

### SIMBRAH

**Judge:** John Burnett, Bendemeer, Clermont.

**Exhibits:** 6.

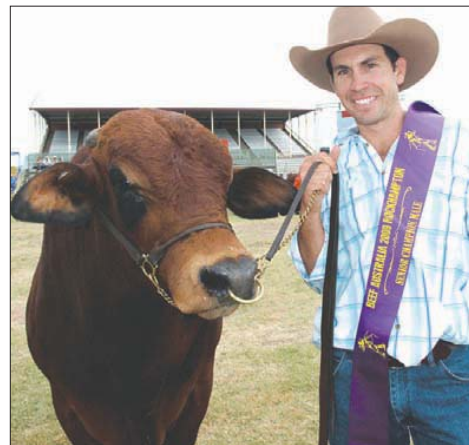
**Jr ch female:** Yarrayne Cocktail, Robbie Shaw, Yarrayne Simmentals, Esk.

**Jr ch bull:** Meldon Park Cobber, Meldon Park Simmentals, Cecil Plains.

**Snr ch bull:** Auscan Bledisloe, VPC Cattle Services, Lobethal, SA.

**Gr ch female:** Yarrayne Cocktail.

**Gr ch bull:** Meldon Park Cobber.



Senior Champion Simbrah Bull, Auscan Bledisloe, exhibited by VPC Cattle Services, Lobethal, SA, and held by Scott Dull.

**D**ESPITE only six exhibits contesting the Simbrah judging, the quality of stud stock on show was of an exceptional standard according to judge, John Burnett, Bendemeer, Clermont.

The impressive muscle development of young bull, Meldon Park Cobber, caught the eye of Mr Burnett, who awarded the bull both junior and grand champion ribbons.

Exhibited by Meldon Park Simmentals, Cecil Plains, he was by Meldon Park Zoom and out of Meldon Park Alberta.

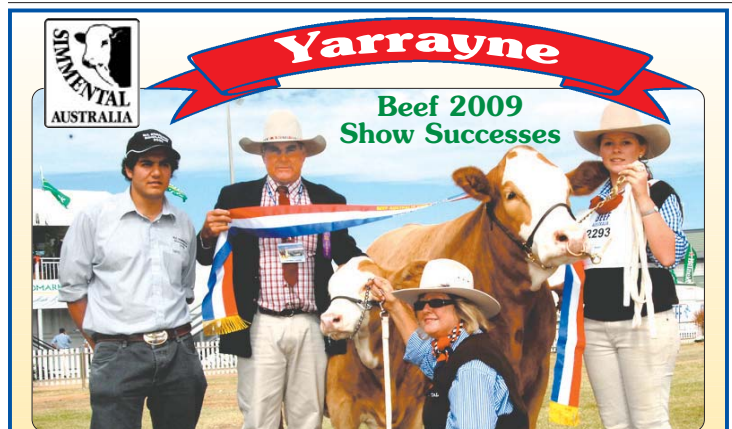
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Shaw, Yarrayne Simbrah stud, Esk, carried on with her success following the Simmental judging, with another of sire Barana Xtreme's progeny, Yarrayne Cocktail, winning junior and grand champion female ribbons.

The heifer was out of Yarrayne Zany.

The only other broad ribbon in Simbrah judging, that of senior champion bull, was awarded to Auscan Bledisloe, who won his class for bulls, 30 and under 36 months.

Exhibited by VPC Cattle Services, Lobethal, SA, Auscan Bledisloe was by Bizzy Redman and out of Auscan Yella.



Yarrayne Bourbon, Grand & Senior Champion Simmental female.

Also showed:

**SIMMENTALS** • Reserve champion bull calf Yarrayne Doncaster • Junior champion heifer Yarrayne Chastity  
• Reserve junior champion heifer Yarrayne Candice • Senior champion bull Yarrayne Bacardi  
• Also first in exhibitors group, sire's progeny, dam's progeny.

**SIMBRAH** • Junior champion heifer Yarrayne Cocktail.

Bulls and females for sale.

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## Clay Gully Champions at Beef 09



Clay Gully Carter (P) – 2nd to Grand Champion Simmental bull  
19mths 835kg

Selling at Ag-Grow Emerald, July



Clay Gully Danehill (P) – Calf Champion bull  
14mths 665kg

Selling at BCM Rockhampton August 31



Clay Gully Cicero – Junior & Grand Champion bull  
19mth 835kg

Selling at BCM Rockhampton August 31

Paddock sales welcome

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2 bulls - 6 reg females

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