

# Outstanding Quality at Warrnambool Simmental Feature Show

## Report by Peter Speers

Ex Hamelin Park Simmental stud breeder, Mr Peter Vincent, Sydney, was very impressed with the consistent quality throughout the 39 entries in the Victorian Simmental Feature Show at Warrnambool in October.

Simmental breeders from western Victoria and South East South Australia presented the outstanding display of Simmentals which captured the attention of everyone at the Warrnambool Show.

Simmentals almost scooped the pool in the Interbreed Competitions.

Exhibitors included:

Peter and Agnes Schembri, Maverick Simmentals, Inverleigh, Vic

Don Mathieson, Brenair Park Simmentals, Drysdale, Vic

Garry & Kay Gillett, Lara Leigh Simmentals, Lara Lake, Vic

Terry Coolahan, Coolaroy Simmentals, Terang, Vic

Grantley & Vicki Muller, Rellum Farms Simmentals, Mt Gambier, SA

Mark & Julie Peucker, Corinda Downs Simmentals, Mt Gambier, SA

Gary & Joy Allen, Tugulawa Simmentals, Mt Gambier, SA

Mark & Julie Peucker, Corinda Downs Simmentals, Mt Gambier, SA, had an excellent showing, clear winners of the Most Successful Exhibitor award.

Among their broadribbons were:

**Supreme Interbreed Champion, Interbreed Senior Champion Female, Grand and Senior Champion Simmental Female ~ Corinda Downs Valentine**, by Tusmore Mr Enforcer 75out of Wondenia Norma.

Her 18 month old daughter, Corinda Downs Brandy, by Shawacres Jahari 50L, was judged **Junior Champion Female**, and her heifer calf at foot, Corinda Downs Carmel, was Reserve Junior Champion Female.

Her 18 month old son, Corinda Downs Bosley, was judged **Junior Champion Bull**, and another 18 month old son, Corinda Downs Branson was Reserve Junior Champion Bull, both sired by Shawacres Jahari 50L.

Then came their 25 month old bull, Corinda Downs Archer, by Wondenia Severeign out of a Gorm daughter, Corindadowns Wilhelmina (p), who won **Senior and Grand Champion Simmental** awards before being selected as **Supreme Champion Simmental exhibit**. He then went on to be judged **Interbreed Senior Champion Bull**.

The 19 month old Corinda Downs Alexander, by Bar 5 SA Optimal 447L out of Palini Que 2 (P), was selected as Reserve Senior Champion Bull.

Corinda Downs were clear winners of the Interbreed Champion Group of Three.

Reserve Senior Champion Female was awarded to Grantley & Vicki Muller's, Rellum Farms Tabatha 5 (P), by Rellum Farms Xyolphone out of Rellum Farms Tabatha 2 (P).

Peter Schembri, Maverick Simmentals, Inverleigh was selected for the judged Open Handler Award.

The Simmental Showing received strong sponsorship support from Eprinex, the Vic Branch of ASBA and many Association members.



Judge, Peter Vincent, displays the Grand Champion ribbon, presented by Nick Shortt, Wespac, (centre) to Corinda Downs Valentine paraded by Mark Peucker, with the calf paraded by Julie Peucker.



A true Champion ~ Corinda Downs Valentine



Corinda Downs Archer, Sen Champ Bull, paraded by Mark Peucker, is sashed by Susan Coolahan, Coolaroy stud, with Reserve Senior Champ Bull Corinda Downs Alexander, paraded by Rebecca Peucker.



Interbreed Senior Champion  
and Supreme Simmental  
Champion bull,  
Corinda Downs Archer,  
paraded by Mark Peucker.