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Burn Brae tops \$6,000

Well known Gippsland Holstein Breeders Andrew and Stuart Mackie recently conducted a Select sale of deep pedigree young cows and heifers selling to a top of \$6,000.

The top lot was a fresh calved 2 year old, Murribrook Reginald Victory-ET, recently classified VG 85 and from the noted Strongbark Linjet Victory, EX, 9 SBC, she was purchased by Avonlea Holsteins. These buyers also selected the next top lot in Burn Brae Stanleycup Melinda (Imp.ET) at \$5400, this young cow is due on her 2nd lact. To Fever and is bred down from WDE Champion Hillcroft Leader Melanie, EX 96.

\$4,100 was paid for lot 1, a recently class. VG 2 year old Burn Brae Contrast Sunrise who completes 7 gens. VG, she was purchased by K & H Jones. The same buyers also selected Burn Brae Synergy Roxy, VG at 2 years at the same price.

Top selling joined heifer was Burn Brae Adonis Fandango-Red, bred to Diamondback she sold at \$4100 to Maxmount Holsteins of Warragul.

Also at \$4100 was the top selling unjoined heifer Burn Brae Unix Rose bred from the Roxy's, she sold to R & T Attenborough.

Other noted sales included Burn Brae Fever Melissa-ET, who completes 11 gens EX & VG, she sold for \$4000 to K & C Cash. Burn Brae Baltimor Ava a fresh 2 year old that also completes 11 gens VG, she sold at \$4000 to B Harris of Pound Creek.

Selling agents Dairy Livestock Services report buyers were from most parts of Victoria along with Tasmania.

28 Cows av \$2538 8 joined heifers av \$2638 8 unjoined heifers av \$2469 44 reg Holsteins av \$2543 5 grade Holsteins av \$1700