

Excellence on show in Rocky

CHARBRAY breeders, buyers, and selling agents gathered at the Sun Palms Function Centre on the eve of the 36th annual National Charbray sale in Rockhampton to reflect on some of the breed's achievements since inception.

A highlight of the evening was the presentation of the inaugural Hec Maynard Memorial Trophy of Excellence, which was awarded to the Welsh family, Huntington Charbray Stud, Taroom.

The late Hec Maynard is remembered for being one of the early pioneers and staunchest supporters of the Charbray breed, and his delighted wife, Ruth, was on hand to present the inaugural award to the Welsh family, Huntington Charbray Stud, Taroom.

Mrs Maynard, now of Biloela, but formerly of Greenfields, Jambin, gave the crowd a very vivid and interesting narration of the early Charbray years.

As part of the evening four elite heifers were auctioned to average \$1350.

Selling agent Brad Mulvihill, SBB, Rockhampton, kindly donated his services to



conduct the auction on the night.
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Life's Helen Walker was on hand to capture the faces of the evening.



Ruth Maynard, Biloela, took great pride in presenting the inaugural Hec Maynard Memorial Trophy of Excellence to Rachel, Matt, and Luke Welsh, Huntington Charbrays, Taroom.

