History includes Grey County Breeders' Cup, Grey-Bruce Jersey Breeders' Cup, Rockton 4-H Championship Show, Ripley 4-H Show, Harrow 4-H show, and Dorchester 4-H Achievement Day.

Alan and his wife, Penny Hawthorne own Bobmur Farms along with their children Cassie and Jordan. Their family farm is a two time Master Breeder Shield herd (1979 and 1994), where they milk 60 cows and crop 300 acres. In his judging career, Alan has judged both Holsteins and Jerseys at an abundant amount of 4-H shows, County Shows, and Breeders' Cups. Alan is no stranger to the show ring as Bobmur has had Grand Champion Red and White Holstein at the World Dairy Expo in 1996 and 1997, Intermediate Champion Jersey at the Royal Winter Fair in 1999 and many All-Ontario, All-Canadian and All-American awards. In his spare time, Alan enjoys watching his kids show in 4-H and play hockey and lacrosse.