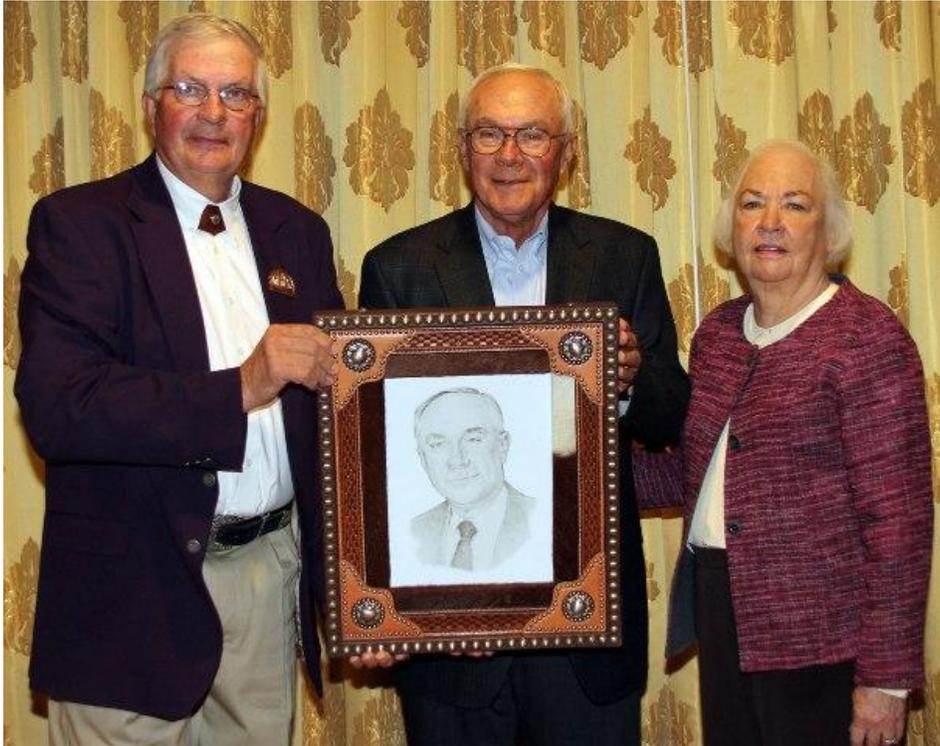




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Wiese Inducted into AHA Hall of Fame



Pictured (from left): 2012 AHA President Dave Breiner, Gene and Jean Wiese

Gene Wiese of Manning was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Fame Nov. 3 in Kansas City during the American Hereford Association's (AHA) annual meeting. The Hall of Fame honor annually recognizes breeders who've dynamically influenced the direction and advancement of the Hereford breed.

Wiese represents the third generation of Hereford cattlemen and farmers on the gently rolling hills of west central Iowa. Since 1912 the Wiese family has been building and sustaining a reputation for top-quality, efficient and profitable beef cattle.

Nowadays, Wiese is joined by his wife, Jean; their son and daughter-in-law, David and Diana; and the Wieses' daughter Helen working on the farm. Also, Dave and Diana's three boys - Chance, Shayne and Trey - represent the fifth generation of Wieses in the Hereford and farming operations. Another daughter, Kathryn, and her son, Kieran, live in Hawaii.

Wiese & Sons, as it is called and has been for generations, offers commercial cattlemen Hereford and Angus bulls. The headquarters operation includes 350 registered cows, but generally 175 yearling and 2-year-old bulls are sold each year by private treaty, thanks in part to additional cooperator herds. Wiese & Sons is a progressive herd with extensive use of artificial insemination, embryo transfer and ultrasound; and in-depth records are kept.

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A 1951 animal science graduate of Iowa State University, Wiese was an American Hereford Association director from 1966-1972, serving as president in 1970-71. He has also served as director and president of the Iowa Cattlemen's Association and Iowa Hereford Association. Because of his dedication and commitment through the years, he was named an Iowa Master Farmer, received the AGR Century Award and was recognized as an ISU distinguished alumnus. Gene and Jean were Iowa Hereford Hall of Fame inductees in 2005.

Very conservation minded, Wiese believes in making an effort to improve the land for the next generation. He was honored in 1996 with the National Cattlemen's Beef Association's Region III Environmental Stewardship Award for his commitment.

PLANNING AHEAD

- Jan. 3 - Greater Midwest Hereford-Influenced Calf Sale, Carthage, IL
- Jan. 17-19 - National Western Stock Show Hereford Shows, Denver
- Jan. 18 - National Western Stock Show Hereford Sale, Denver
- Jan. 19 - Hereford-Influence Feeder Calf Sale, Anita
- Jan. 19 - Cornbelt Cow-Calf Conference, Ottumwa
- Jan. 28 - Newsletter Deadline
- Feb. 13 - Open Forum with Jack Ward, Gammon Barn, State Fairgrounds, Des Moines, 5:30 p.m.
- Feb. 14 - Iowa Select Hereford Sale, State Fairgrounds, Des Moines
- June 28-29 - Iowa Junior Hereford Preview Show, Osceola
- July 14-21 - Junior National Hereford Expo, Kansas City

Welcome, New Members!

- E² Show Cattle - Jon, Shannon, Evan & Ethan Espenscheid, Marshalltown, IA
- Israel Cattle Co. - Carl Israel, Lenox, IA
- J&J Polled Herefords - Kim, Herb & Jennifer Johnson, Hartford, WI
- Lonesome Goose Ranch - William Timm & Vickie Cooper, Laurel, IA
- North Fork Herefords - Ernie & Pat Burroughs, Waukon, IA
- Perks Ranch - Doug & Wade Perks, Tom & Tammy Boatman, Rockford, IL
- Perry Farms - Corey, Emily, Mackenzie, Caden & Corbin Perry, Tower Hill, IL
- Sayre Hereford Farm - Tim, Tracie, Seely, Kendi & Kira Sayre, Arenzville, IL
- SML Acres - Roger, Kyle & Matthew Smith, Runnells, IA
- Sweatman Hereford Farm - Glenn & Kathy Sweatman, Bill & Brenda Sweatman-Park, Virginia, IL
- Yankee Hereford Farms - Allen Yankee, Warrensburg, MO

AHA ANNUAL MEETING REPORTS

Jim Kuhlman, Mason City; Steve Landt, Union; and David Trowbridge, Tabor, served as Iowa's voting delegates at the American Hereford Association's annual meeting Nov. 3 in Kansas City. Trowbridge did double duty, as he is also a member of the AHA board of directors. Below each man gives their perspective on the weekend's activities:

Jim Kuhlman

Indeed it was a privilege and honor to once again represent Iowa at the annual meeting of the American Hereford Association in Kansas City on November 3, 2012. Craig Huffhines and the board of directors' reports indicated this was one of the most successful years in a very long time, closing the year with a profit of \$354,923, due to the income from the Certified Hereford Beef program, which increased 17.5%.

Hereford registrations were up 8% from a cow herd inventory of 102,020. The data from Iowa indicates that there were 1,577 registrations and 597 transfers from a cow inventory of 2,379, which ranks Iowa 15th. The average prices paid for Hereford bulls was \$4,761, an increase of \$732, and females were up almost \$300 at \$3,329. Needless to say, breeders were excited about the sales of their cattle this past year.

Three new board members were elected: Sam Shaw, a young, articulate breeder from Idaho; Curtis Curry, an experienced rancher actively involved in a number of Hereford associations in Oklahoma; and Jonny Harris, owner of the oldest herd in Georgia, who will keep the board entertained. David Breiner of Kansas did a great job in conducting the meeting and Craig Huffhines and his staff are so well organized that much business was conducted in a limited time.

The highlight of the morning was the distribution of awards, with the top recognition going to our own Gene Wiese, who was named to the AHA Hall of Fame. A most deserving

award to Gene, this being the 100th year the Wiese family has raised Herefords.

On the previous day, a number of educational presentations were given to bring new information to the breeders. Randy Blach of Cattle Fax was loaded with good information on cattle numbers across the world and where the growth will come in the future. He commented that four head of beef cattle now produce as much beef as five did 20 years ago, and that we need to be on top of all the new information coming out that enhances our beef production. We got reports on some of the projects that AHA is conducting to get some new EPD's on fertility and longevity. Dr. Dorian Garrick of Iowa State University gave an update on Hereford genomics, the coming thing. Elisa Marques from GeneSeek went through the techniques of doing DNA sampling and sending them in. Jack Ward stressed that we need to get another 1,000 Hereford herd bulls tested by the end of the year to increase the knowledge base of the breed. So if you have not tested the bulls you want to use, call Jack right away and he will help you get that information. It does take a while so if you are having a sale and you want animals tested be sure to do it way in advance so you have the results by sale time.

The American Royal Hereford Show was outstanding! There was a large increase in numbers from last year. Iowans did a great job in being at or near the top in many of the classes. Congratulations to all the Iowa exhibitors. The Ladies of the Royal Sale was again very successful. For Ann and me to have a chance to visit with 95-year-old Bud Snidow at the Royal was a wonderful highlight. The stories he tells are so special to the history of the breed.

Ann and I thoroughly enjoyed the time with Hereford friends in KC. To the person or persons who nominated me the past two years I will be humbly grateful, and to the members who voted for me I am most appreciative, but the time has come for others to have this wonderful opportunity, so I do not wish to be nominated again. Thanks so much for the opportunity.

Steve Landt

The annual meeting at Kansas City was interesting again this year. We learned that Greater Omaha came to AHA and wanted more CHB. Genomics was discussed again and work that is being done, a little over my head. National sale averages are way up for bulls and

females. Registrations are up, so it was announced at the annual meeting that they had some surplus of money that they were able to put some away.

At the show, numbers were over 400 head, biggest show that I've seen since we have been attending.

Also, at the annual meeting it was great to see Gene Wiese inducted into the Hall of Fame. I've seen Gene at meetings and other events and he is a great Hereford spokesman and promoter for the Hereford breed. Congratulations, Mr. Wiese!

Thanks again for having me as your Iowa delegate. I think every breeder should be a delegate once to see what AHA staff and our association is doing to help promote our "great Hereford breed".

David Trowbridge

First, let me say that it has been an honor and a pleasure to serve the members of the American Hereford Association over the last year. It was exciting to see fellow Iowan and Hereford enthusiast Gene Wiese honored by his induction into the Hall of Fame. Congratulations to the entire Wiese family for this great accomplishment.

We do have a call to action by the AHA: we need to add at least 1,000 bulls to our new DNA records by the first of the year. These will double the accuracy levels of the new 50K genetic test. We need any and all bulls. High accuracy bulls are the best and Jack Ward has a list of bull with at least 50% accuracy on WW that the AHA will share the cost of testing on. If you have old bulls that you have sent in a hair sample in the past, more than likely that sample can be used again. Young bulls will help also, so call the office and order a 50K test kit. This is a very important need that will propel breed improvement to the next level. We are behind some other breeds in this area and must maintain our advantage in genetic data.

Your Board of Directors addressed several areas of needs during the three days of meetings. A few of the highlights were:

- Improvements in turnaround time of submitted data. This has been a huge issue with members and the staff has gone through an extensive and thorough reevaluation of personnel and procedures to make some much-needed changes. There will continue to be some

issues with the new computer program and the board wants members to contact directors with these issues so we can address them.

- New Genetic Trends report. This new herd level report is available to Whole Herd TPR members twice a year. It compares the genetic trend of your herd to the breed averages. It has graphs and lots of useful information to evaluate your herd.
- CHB growth. The CHB program set a new sales record with 47 million lb. sold. The program is set to grow again this year. Whiteface cattle are in great demand as cattle numbers decline. Greater Omaha Pack is interested in doubling their production of CHB product. They are offering a premium for whiteface cattle and offering contracts for future delivery. The AHA needs your help in tracking the sales of Hereford bulls and movements of whiteface feeder cattle. The association is going to form a network to track the supply chain of CHB eligible cattle. The CHB program has created a value-added product that will pull through Hereford genetics.

This board and the staff are committed to moving this breed forward to be the best choice for the commercial producer. The new DNA testing program, improving accuracies of EPDs, collecting more performance and carcass data, National Reference Sire program and a growing list of breed Improvement projects all are part of a comprehensive program to maintain and improve our position in the seed stock and commercial market.

AHA had a profitable year in all divisions, but what is more important is growth in Hereford numbers, improvements in the breed and a profitable, secure year for all of our members.

Iowa Well Represented at the Royal

Several Iowa exhibitors placed at or near the top of the class at the American Royal in Kansas City.

Deppe Brothers, Maquoketa, claimed reserve junior bull calf champion in the open show with DEP Platinum 122 ET, while Peyton and Logan Schmitt, Nichols, won their class of intermediate heifers in the open show and stood second in a junior heifer class in the

junior show. Landt Herefords claimed a second place fall heifer calf among their string and a junior bull calf from K7 Herefords, Lockridge, was also a second place winner. Max Cherry, Winthrop, showed an intermediate heifer that came in second in her class in the open show.

Other Iowa exhibitors were Amos Hereford Farm, Indianola; Colton Black, Chariton; Weston Brandt, Corning; and Kirby Goetsch, Holstein.

American Royal Champions

249 head

Judge: Murray Andrews, Moosejaw, Sask.

Grand Champion Bull: BPH 262 Chism 515Y, by KJ 068J Manhattan 262S. Joel Butler, Republic, MO

Reserve Grand Champion Bull: WORR Owen Tankeray Y79D ET, by NJW FHF 9710 Tank 45P. Jarrett Worrell, Mason, TX; Rylee Owen, Mason, TX; and Miller Cattle Co., Douglas, WY

Grand Champion Heifer: C&M New Mexico Lady 2008, by Remitall Online 122L. Michael Perez, Nara Visa, NM

Reserve Grand Champion Heifer - LCC Patton Kiwi 116 ET, by SR CG Hard Rock 5073. Rhett Lowderman, Macomb, IL

Vogel, Schmitts & Deppes Do Well in Louisville

Payton Vogel, Hartley, exhibited the champion spring heifer calf in the junior show at the North American International Livestock Exposition in Louisville, KY. His bred-and-owned heifer, MAV Cotton's Blessing 221Z, is by BH MR Kutter 3011 ET. He also had another spring heifer calf that stood second in class in the junior show.

In the open show, Deppe Brothers, Maquoketa, were co-owners of the reserve junior bull calf champion, DEP Generation X 122 ET, by Golden Oak Outcross 18U.

Peyton and Logan Schmitt, Nichols, had a first-place yearling heifer in the junior show that stood second in the open show.

New E-Mail Address

Please note that IHBA administrative secretary Becky Simpson has a new e-mail for Hereford- and association-related business: becky@iowahereford.org.

COUNTY FAIR CHAMPIONS

Each year, the Iowa Hereford Breeders Association recognizes juniors who exhibited a champion Hereford heifer or steer at their county fair, as reported by their county Extension office. Congratulations to the following 36 County Fair Champion exhibitors, who each received a specially designed plaque:

Benton County

Carl Gerhold IV, polled heifer

Buchanan County

Philip Dudley, polled heifer

Braydon Nunemaker, polled steer

Cedar County

Delaney Rife, horned heifer

Jada Rock, polled heifer

Logan Hoffman, steer

Cherokee County

Emily Schlenger, heifer

Clay County

Payton Vogel, polled heifer

Clayton County

Madalyn Kerns, heifer

Des Moines County

Brock Stover, polled heifer

Kendra Keitzer, polled steer

Dickinson County

Tyler Krebs, polled steer

Fayette County

Derek Thoms, polled heifer

Hardin County

Colin Johnson, polled heifer

Dylan Johnson, polled steer

Iowa County

Cheyenne Neal, horned steer

Ella Meyer, polled heifer & polled steer

Jackson County

Cambrie Lane, heifer

Johnson County

Tanner Cochran, polled heifer

Ben Hodgden, polled steer

Kossuth County

Jared Burdick, polled heifer

Lucas County

Colton Black, horned heifer

Lindsay Black, polled heifer

Madison County

Lacey Lauterbach, polled heifer

Marion County

Dalton Garcia, heifer & steer

Marshall County

Evan Espenscheid, polled heifer & polled steer

Muscatine County

Karly Biddle, polled heifer

O'Brien County

Blake Solsma, horned heifer

Plymouth County

Mariah Miller, heifer

Scott County

Taylor Duckett, polled heifer

Evan Dietz, polled steer

Tama County

Blayne Koster, polled heifer

Warren County

Regan Bishop, heifer

Katie Cheers, steer

Washington County

Macy Marek, polled heifer

Cole Dallmeyer, polled steer

Thank You...

Thank you for the plaque I received in 2011.

Mikaella Koester, Gladbrook

Thank you so much for the special plaque you sent me. It was a lot of fun exhibiting a champion Hereford at the 2012 Johnson County Fair. I hope to show more champion Herefords in the future. Thanks again for the beautiful plaque.

Sincerely,

Tanner Cochran, Oxford

Thank you for the nice plaque I received for having the Johnson County champion Hereford steer.

Ben Hodgden, Oxford



ATTENTION JUNIORS: 2013 DUES ARE "DUE"!

To keep your membership in the Iowa Junior Hereford Association current, please send \$20 to Tena Biddle, 6487 New Liberty Rd., Walcott, IA 52773.

Seeking Royalty

The search is already on for the next Iowa Hereford Queen and Princess. If you are between the ages of 16-22, contact queen coordinator Alecia Knapp at 319-404-8192; e-mail knapp.alecia@gmail.com for more information.

Directory in Final Stages

The 2013-14 Iowa Hereford Breeders Association directory is nearing completion and will be sent to Creative Services shortly. The 4-color book will be direct-mailed to some 5,400 cow-calf producers in Iowa as well as all county Extension offices and major sale barns. It will also be available to attendees at the Iowa Beef Expo.

Thank you to all who supported the directory with advertising and who paid their 2013 dues in time to be included in the membership listings. A special thank you to those breeders who purchased "prime pages":

Back cover: Webcows/Deppe Brothers

Inside front cover: Bill Goehring

Inside back cover: Wiese & Sons

Opposite inside front cover: Jackson Hereford Farms

Opposite inside back cover: Stream Cattle Company

Center page spread: County Line Cattle Farms

Beef Expo Offering Expanded

Due to increased interest from consignors, the offering for the Feb. 14 Iowa Select Hereford Sale at the Iowa Beef Expo has been expanded to 70 lots. To accommodate the larger consignment, the schedule has been moved up - the parade will be held at 8:30 a.m. in Pioneer Pavilion and the sale will start at 11:30 a.m. in the North Annex of the Cattle Barn.

Joe Rickabaugh has put in a lot of time and a lot of miles on his car screening and selecting the offering from breeders in Iowa and three surrounding states. He reports that the over-all quality is the best he's ever encountered in his years of evaluating potential consignments.

Again this year, the IHBA will be offering an open forum with Jack Ward of the American Hereford Association on Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 5:30 p.m. in the lower level of the Gammon Barn. You are invited to submit questions you would like him to address - e-mail them to becky@iowahereford.org.

Catalogs will be available in late January. IHBA and IJHA members and past buyers do not need to request them as they will be automatically mailed to you.

Plan Now for Spring Advertising

The IHBA board will again sponsor co-op advertising in *Midwest Marketer*, to begin in late February or early March.

The association has designated \$1,000 for this project. For \$200, breeders may list their individual or herd name, town and phone number. To participate, contact administrative secretary Becky Simpson at 515-833-2991 (or e-mail becky@iowahereford.org) **by Feb. 15.**

Two Opportunities to Sell Calves

Depending on location and marketing plan, Iowa breeders and customers have two excellent options for selling their feeder calves. In recent years, both events have seen Hereford and black baldie calves bring a premium. Because of this, it would be worth your encouraging your bull customers to send their crossbred whiteface calves.

The Greater Midwest Feeder Calf Sale in Carthage, IL, is **Jan. 3**. For more information, contact John Meents, 419-306-7480, or Brent Lowderman, 309-221-9621.

The Hereford-Influence Calf Sale at the Anita Livestock Auction is set for **Jan. 19**. Contact Bernard Vais, 712-762-3330, or Charles Anstey, 712-779-0469, for additional information or to be included in pre-sale advertising.

North American International Livestock Exposition Champions

Grand Champion Bull: RF Endurance 1301 ET, by CRR About Time 743. Richard Watson, Shady Valley, TN; and Rogan Hereford Farm, Rogersville, TN

Reserve Grand Champion Bull: WORR Tankeray Y79D ET, by NJW FHF 9710 Tank 45P. Jarrett Worrell, Mason TX; Rylee Owen, Mason, TX; and Miller Cattle Co., Douglas, WY

Grand Champion Female: RW KLD 122L Mindy Y3078 ET, by Remital Online 122L. Kaine Warnken, Schulenberg, TX

Reserve Grand Champion Female: TC C Lexi 88Y, by TFR Cyrus 225 ET. Whitney, Mason & Catelyn Walker, Prairie Grove, AR



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Goehring to Judge in Denver

While many Iowa Hereford breeders make their way to Denver in January to exhibit in or watch the Hereford shows at the National Western Stock Show, Bill Goehring of Libertyville is going there in a more "official" capacity. He will be one of a trio of judges for the pen show.

Clay County Fair Results

by Jim Kuhlman

On a beautiful and warm fall day, breeders from three states exhibited 75 head of high quality Herefords at the Clay County Fair at Spencer, Iowa on September 15, 2012. Judging the show was Eldon Krebs from Gordon, Nebraska. Special guest was David Trowbridge, member of the American Hereford Association's board of directors.

In the female division, Troy Williamson's Star TCF Shock & Awe daughter, AH JDG Ms 158W 16Y, was named the senior and grand champion female. Jaydon Lietzau of Wisconsin exhibited the champion heifer calf, LPH Ms Drama 15Z. ABC G Miss Danielle Boom 166 was junior champion female and is owned by Rainbow Herefords from South Dakota. Champion cow-calf Pair was owned by Tyler Krebs of Iowa.

Grand champion bull of the Clay County Fair Hereford Show was LPH Right Time 67Y, by CRR About Time 743. Also champion bull calf, he is owned by Lietzau Hereford Farm of Wisconsin. Junior champion bull was JH Golden Wrangler B128, owned by Jack & Lynne Johnson of Johnson Hereford Farm of Iowa. Senior champion bull was owned by Scott and Melissa Runck from Iowa on SMR 45S Prestige 104.

Troy Williamson had the top pair of heifers in a very large class. Jamie and Jody Hanson of J&J Hanson Herefords had the top pair of bulls. Produce of dam went to Lietzau Hereford Farm. The get-of-sire and junior get-of-sire honors went to John A. Schmidt of Minnesota. The coveted best six head class was won by Lietzau Hereford Farm. Premier breeder and premier exhibitor went to Rainbow Herefords of South Dakota.

Landt Re-elected



Officers of the Iowa Hereford Breeders Association are pictured at their Dec. 2 meeting in Ames. In front, from left, are Vice President David Trowbridge, Tabor; and President Steve Landt, Union. In back are Administrative Secretary Becky Simpson, Redfield; Treasurer Tom Heidt, Lockridge; and Secretary Sara Casteel, Perry. Casteel and Mike Dierenfeld, Northwood, serve as representatives to the Iowa Beef Breeds Council.

IHBA Board Action

Major action items at the IHBA December meeting included:

- Decided to check tattoos of all open show cattle at the Iowa State Fair. Not only will tattoos need to be legible, **all cattle must be tattooed prior to arrival on the fairgrounds.**
- Approved continuance of both spring and fall co-op advertising campaigns, with the fall program moved to September.
- Authorized Rande Seufferer to explore materials needed to better maintain the original Gammon Barn site at St. Marys, which is a National Historic Site.
- Initiated review of the association's constitution and bylaws.
- Discussed the possibility of sponsoring a commercial bull sale.
- Began preliminary planning on the 2013 Iowa Hereford tour, with the central part of the state as the targeted area.

Correction

New IHBA board member Anthony Monroe lives in Pleasant Hill, not Pleasantville, as was reported in the last newsletter.

Cow-Calf Conference Is January 19

The IHBA will again have a booth at the annual Cornbelt Cow-Calf Conference, set for Saturday, Jan. 19, in Ottumwa. Dave & Liz Larson of Albia will be in charge of the exhibit; if you plan to attend and would be willing to help staff the booth, contact the Larsons at 641-932-5294; e-mail LarsonLL@speednet.com.



Thank you for the wonderful honor of being inducted into the Iowa Hereford Hall of Fame. Hereford cattle have been a major part of our lives and often Hereford shows and sales have been our vacations.

It was a beautiful day for the 2012 tour and you planned a nice variety of farm visits. What better way to spend a day than looking at cattle and visiting with Hereford cattle people. The food and fellowship were great.

A special thank you for the hard work to get ready and be tour hosts goes out to the Lenth's, McFarlands, Mackens and Kirchhoffs. It all was appreciated.
Rich & Judy Frieden

Thank you so very much for awarding me with the Richard F. Harms scholarship during the state fair show! It has certainly helped me as I work towards my four year degree! Your support while I was queen was amazing and you couldn't find a better group of breeders and friends! Thank you again!

Alecia Knapp

We would like to thank all of our "Hereford friends" for all the cards, calls, e-mails and well wishes after Steve's accident this fall. They all were very special to us and we really appreciated them. Steve has healed wonderfully and amazingly only has a minor scar. We are very thankful that his eyesight was not impaired by the accident. We definitely had a lot to be thankful for this past Thanksgiving holiday!!

The Steve Landt Family

(Note: Steve suffered serious burns in a grain truck fire in October.)

Membership Update

Slightly over 100 breeders took advantage of the "early bird special" and paid their 2013 dues in time to be included in the new directory. If you weren't one of them, remember that membership is by calendar year and thus 2013 dues are payable now. Send in the \$50 fee to Becky Simpson (address on back cover) to stay current on all association happenings. A membership form can also be found on the IHBA website - www.iowahereford.org.



Just a Note ...

I was well pleased with the Hereford tour. The Lenth's certainly put on an excellent presentation and the others were certainly informative. I know you all worked very hard.

Lester Madsen, St. Ansgar

Congratulations!

...to Ray "Bubba" Sorensen of Greenfield, winner of Casey's Famous People Contest. The 3-month contest began with a community-wide call-to-action asking Facebook users to nominate local "celebrities" from their hometown and generated more than 650 nominations. Sorensen is best known as the Freedom Rock Painter for his yearly tribute to military heroes and their families.

...to IHBA member Ruth Espenscheid of Argyle, WI, who was honored as the 2012 Hereford Woman of the Year during the National Hereford Women's annual meeting in Kansas City. She served on the former National Organization of Poll-ettes board, chairing many contests and committees, and was instrumental in starting the extemporaneous speaking contest at the Junior National Hereford Expo. Ruth was advisor to the Wisconsin Junior Hereford Association for more than 20 years and served on the host committees for two junior nationals in Milwaukee.



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