



Iowa Hereford Breeders
Association
every calf deserves a white face

May 2015 Newsletter

Show Season Kicks Off June 14

Iowa Junior Hereford Association members have a full slate of activities planned for the weekend of June 12-14 at the Hardin County Fairgrounds in Eldora. Entry deadline (postmark) for the annual IJHA show was May 15. It is being held a week earlier than usual due to the earlier dates for Junior National Hereford Expo (JNHE).

Cattle may arrive after noon on Friday and must be in place by 10 a.m. on Saturday. After the cattle are checked in, juniors will have a busy afternoon, beginning with the speech contest at 3:30 p.m. They can also enter a photo contest and poster contest. Following the speech contest, which is a preliminary to the national competition, the IJHA will hold a membership meeting, where officers and directors will be elected. Those exhibitors planning to participate in the JNHE will meet to discuss the trip to Grand Island.

The show begins Sunday morning, June 14, at 9 a.m. preceded by crowning of the new Iowa Hereford Queen and Princess. The IHBA is again reimbursing the entry fee for any heifer purchased at the 2015 Iowa Select Hereford Sale and shown by its original buyer at the preview show.

All Hereford enthusiasts are encouraged to come to Eldora to support the juniors.

Hereford Record Price Set at Expo

The highest price ever paid at the Iowa Beef Expo for a Hereford heifer was recorded Feb. 12, when Casteel Polled Herefords, Perry, IA, sold CPH Rosemary 403B ET for \$23,000. Allison Bueltel of Estherville, IA, purchased the May 17, 2014, daughter of TH 75J 243R Bailout 144U ET.

Wiese & Sons, Manning, IA, consigned the top-selling bull, WS Battle 7191 308. The February 2013 son of WS Battle 0161 7191 went to Jeremiah Jones of Illinois for \$10,500.



High-Selling Female -- \$23,000
CPH Rosemary 403B ET
Consigned by Casteel Polled Herefords



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WS Battle 0161 7191
Consigned by Wiese & Sons

Additional Expo Results

Hereford Averages

37 Bulls – \$5,123
32 Females – \$5,666
69 Lots – \$5,375

Other high-selling bulls:

LPH McGraw 22A ET, by CRR About Time 743. Lietzau Hereford Farm, Sparta, WI, to Daniel Gerhold, Shellsburg, IA, \$7,700

NP 108 Angle 303, by DP 902 Angle 108. Petersen Herefords, DeWitt, IA, to Brett Waterbeck, Hartwick, IA, \$7,000

GLTY Prime Time 28A ET, by CRR About Time 743. Silver Bullet Herefords, Van Meter, IA, to Joe Conner, Cumming, IA, \$7,000

BG X48 Outcross 12B, by GO Outcross X48. Bill Goehring, Libertyville, IA, to Frank Binning, Van Wert, IA, \$7,000

Other high-selling females:

BG 48X Mindy Sue 15A, by GO Outcross X48, and heifer calf. Goehring to Hoffman Ranch, Thedford, NE, \$9,000

BG 0124 Amanda 34B, by RST Times A Wastin 0124. Goehring to Robert Black, Batavia, IA, \$8,600

LPH Ms G Deal 64Z ET, by H Easy Deal 609 ET, and heifer calf. Lietzau to Michael Roddey, Landrum, SC, \$8,300

WS Grand Marketta 644 432, by WS Grand Mark 644. Wiese & Sons to Scott Klemp, Iowa City, IA, \$8,100

MDF Miss Abbie 30A, by MSU TCF Revolution 4R, and heifer calf. MDF Polled Herefords, Northwood, IA, to Aaron Johnson, Duncan, OK, \$8,000

Junior Beef Expo Results

Champion Horned Heifer: Cassidy Hanson, Linn Grove, on Purple RRO Cally 638

Reserve Horned Heifer: Macy Macke, Lake City, on CHRY Janice 4B

Champion Polled Heifer: T.R., Colby & Dax Putz, Otley, on SULL Keyshona 4003B ET

Reserve Polled Heifer: Chesney Steenhoek, Maxwell, on SULL TCC Harley 4085B ET

Champion Steer: Jarrett & Jacey Orman, Bouton, on VCR 205Z Cracker 432B

Reserve Steer: Mackenzie Trowbridge, Tabor, on ABRA 18U Rex 41B ET



May 31 – IHBA Board Meeting, Ames

June 13-14 – Iowa Junior Hereford Association Preview Show, Eldora

June 27-July 3 – Junior National Hereford Expo, Grand Island, NE

July 15 – Newsletter Deadline

July 25-28 – PRIDE Convention, Estes Park, CO

Aug. 1 – Christenson & Harms Scholarship Deadlines

Aug. 15 – Governor's Charity Steer Show, Iowa State Fair

Aug. 18 – Iowa State Fair 4-H Heifer Show

Aug. 19 – Iowa State Fair 4-H Steer Show

Aug. 20 – Iowa State Fair Hereford Show

Welcome, New Members!

Complete contact information on these new members can be found on the IHBA website: www.iowahereford.org

Chapman Herefords – Bill & Jacob Chapman, Seneca, IL

Circle F Registered Polled Herefords – Curt & Cole Fischer, Jefferson City, MO

Hereford HQ – Daniel & Jentry Graham, Diagonal, IA

Hoffman Ranch, Thedford, NE

Lone Oak Herefords – Mike & Connie Bream, Gilman

Tweed Croft Herefords – Jay Franzen & Camille Telleen; August, Henry & Natasha Franzen, Indianola

IHBA membership now stands at 160, an all-time high!

More County Champions

Due to some late reporting, the following exhibitors of county fair champion Herefords were not listed previously:

Johnson County

Claire Riggan, heifer

Ben Hodgden, steer

Marshall County

Ethan Espenscheid, polled heifer

IHBA Sponsors JNHE Awards

The IHBA board of directors again voted to support the Junior National Hereford Expo by sponsoring two division champion awards at the 2015 event in Grand Island, Nebraska.

IMPORTANT CHANGES FOR 2016 BEEF EXPO SALE!!!

At its March meeting, the IHBA board adopted several changes to the rules for the 2016 Iowa Select Hereford Sale at the Iowa Beef Expo:

Out of state consignments: Effective for the 2016 sale, no nominations/consignments will be accepted from new out-of-state consignors. Only previous non-resident consignors will be allowed to nominate/consign cattle. *(This rule applies to out-of-state herds only; cattle from Iowa members may be nominated/consigned regardless of previous participation.)*

Fall-age (August-December) yearling bulls must have a minimum 2.8 lb. weight per day of age (calculated at weigh-in).

Complete rules and regulations as well as nomination forms will be available on the IHBA website.

Ernst, Mohwinkles Reunite



Iowa Senator Joni Ernst (second from right) was reunited with the distaff side of the Mohwinkle clan when she visited Aplington-Parkersburg schools this spring. From left are Kasidy, Kaitlyn & Kinsey Mohwinkle; Sen. Ernst and Kerri Mohwinkle.

Kaitlyn got to introduce the senator, who talked about how much fun she had showing "Morris", the Mohwinkles' steer, in last year's Governor's Charity Steer Show. In fact, she enjoyed it and the Hereford people she met so much that she has already committed to an encore as the celebrity showperson for the Hereford entry in this year's event!

First Bull Sale Held

The IHBA sponsored its first spring bull sale on April 24 at the Knoxville Sale Barn. The consignment was comprised of registered bulls of varying ages. Five consignors brought 14 head, who averaged \$2,811.

Steer Needed

John Hardy is again on the hunt for a high-quality Hereford steer to be the IHBA's entry in this year's Governor's Charity Steer Show at the Iowa State Fair. As noted, the calf will be shown by U.S. Senator Joni Ernst.

The IHBA board voted to provide funds to purchase the calf, but sponsors are also needed to help buy the steer at the auction that follows the show. It is important to note that, per board action, the steer must be registered (not simply have a steer certificate). Also, juniors cannot show the calf in the 4-H show at the State Fair if it is entered in the Governor's Steer Show.

If you have a calf that meets the criteria and would like to have it considered, contact John Hardy at 712-830-2855; e-mail jjmhardy@gmail.com.

Smith Named Foundation Heifer Award Recipient

IJHA member Jenna Smith of Newton has been chosen as the 2015 recipient of three bred heifers awarded by the Iowa Cattlemen's Foundation and the Iowa Beef Breeds Council, through the Iowa Foundation Heifer program. She selected Herefords as her "breed of choice" and ICF and IBBC purchased the bred heifers from Mike and Joan Dierenfeld of MDF Polled Herefords in Northwood. Smith's 5-year commitment calls for her to keep records on the cattle, report progress to the sponsoring groups and at the end of that time repay \$6,000 earned from the herd. The money is used to expand the program to more youth.

IHBA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The IHBA is looking to involve more members in its projects and activities. If you are willing/able to assist with any of the following, contact the people listed.

Preview Show ring help – Contact Tim & Melinda Anderlik, 515-474-2246; Anderlik@lvcta.com

Gammon Barn/Poll-ettes Scholarship promotion – help develop a “business plan” to solicit funds and decide what proceeds will be used for. Contact Sara Casteel, 515-443-1009; cphcattle@gmail.com

Governor’s Charity Steer Show – financial support for steer at auction. Contact John Hardy, 712-830-2855; jjmhardy@gmail.com

Gammon Barn hosts – take a 4-hour shift during the State Fair to welcome visitors to the Gammon Barn Museum. Admission ticket and parking provided by IHBA. Contact Ray Dittmer, 641-340-2456

Banquet Co-Chair – help plan and coordinate IHBA banquet during the Iowa Beef Expo. Contact Sara Casteel, 515-443-1009; cphcattle@gmail.com

IHBA Board Member – run for election for a 3-year term on the IHBA board of directors. Contact Mark Ohrt, 641-328-4533; mbohrt1@hotmail.com; or Rande Seuferer, 515-971-5135

60 Iowa Cows Named “Dams of Distinction”

Twenty-nine Iowa breeders placed a total of 60 animals on the American Hereford Association’s list of 2,499 elite cows attaining “Dam of Distinction” status, ranking the state 14th overall.

Congratulations to these breeders:
Asmus Herefords, Audubon
Laura Beaver, Clarinda
Ron Beaver Herefords, Clarinda
Beef Resources Partnership, Tabor
Bill Goehring, Libertyville

David Boldt, Traer
Buell Jackson & Sons, Mechanicsville
Cortney Cooper, Mondamin
Sarah Debour, Latimer
Mike Dierenfeld, Northwood
Dier Family Herefords, Grundy Center
Marvin Fisher, Riceville
Graham Bros., Benton
Charles Johnson, Belle Plaine
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K7 Herefords, Lockridge
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Lenth Herefords, Postville
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John Pitt, Nevada
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Kelcy Schroder, Princeton
Sheriff Polled Herefords, Orient
Simpson Polled Herefords, Redfield
Stickley & Sons, Parkersburg
Mitchell Stief, Cherokee
Sunrise Polled Herefords, Sperry
Tiernan Polled Herefords, Stuart
Wiese & Sons, Manning

IHBA Scholarships Available

Harms Scholarship

Who: Graduating high school senior or college student

Criteria: IJHA member; must have shown purebred (horned) Herefords for at least 3 years

Deadline: August 1

Christenson Scholarship

Who: Son or daughter of IHBA member who raises Polled Herefords; in at least second year of study at a college, university or community/junior college

Criteria: Must be enrolled in and studying in an agricultural field

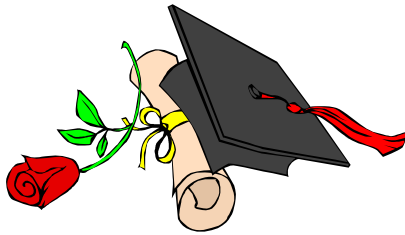
Deadline: August 1

Applications for both scholarships are available on “Juniors” page of the IHBA website

Buell F. Jackson Memorial Junior Hereford Achievement Award

Criteria: IJHA member who exemplifies the qualities most admired in Buell Jackson – honesty, fairness, hard work, enthusiasm and dedication to the Hereford breed

Finalists for this award are nominated by the IJHA advisors.



CONGRATULATIONS!

The Class of 2015:

Abigail Marie Anderlik of Dayton, reigning Iowa Hereford Queen and IJHA secretary, is graduating from Southeast Webster-Grand High School. She will be attending Kirkwood Community College in the Ag Transfer program. After two years at Kirkwood, Abby plans on attending Iowa State University to major in ag business.

Lindsay Black, Chariton, an IJHA director, is graduating from Chariton High School. She will attend either Iowa State or the University of Northern Iowa, with a major yet to be determined.



Cassidy Hanson, Linn Grove, is graduating from Sioux Central Community School District. She will major in ag business at Iowa Lakes Community College and plans to transfer to Iowa State in 2017.



Alecia Knapp, Waverly, former Iowa Hereford Queen and now the announcer for the State Fair Hereford Show and the Expo Sale parade, graduated summa cum laude from the University of Wisconsin-Platteville, with a bachelor's degree in animal science and biology. She will be moving back to Waverly to explore multiple career options.



Jonathon Mohwinkle, Aplington, is graduating from Aplington-Parkersburg High School. He will be majoring in communication arts at Wartburg College, with a minor in music. He currently works for KLMJ/KQCR radio station in Hampton and will continue to do so while attending college.

Nicole Petersen, DeWitt, is graduating from Central Community Schools. She will study accounting at the University of Iowa in the fall.

Grant Seuferer, Milo, received his masters of accounting degree from Iowa State and is in the process of taking the 4-part CPA test. In June, he will begin training in Texas for his new position with Deloitte Tax.

Luke Streit, Hartley, is graduating from Hartley Melvin Sanborn High School. He will attend either Iowa Lakes Community College or Des Moines Area Community College for ag production.

"Win A Heifer" Award

Juniors planning to exhibit at the State Fair are urged to apply for the Iowa Beef Heifer Award to win up to \$800 to apply toward the purchase of a Hereford heifer from an IHBA member. Contact your Extension office or the Iowa Cattlemen's Association for details.

Thank You...

Thank you so much for sponsoring two division championships for our upcoming JNHE. Your support means so much to us! With support like yours, it helps to make the JNHE the best event of the year!

Elise Hackett
NJHA Communications Chair

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