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Feed Prices Favor Limit-Feeding Stockers High-Energy Diet

By Erin Laborie, Extension educator for the University of Nebraska Lincoln Beef-watch website.



- Reduced mixing time and loads of feed due to less forage in the diet.
- Less feed falling out of bunks and being wasted, reducing rodent issues.
- More efficient use of bunk space.
- If time, labor and pen design allow, consider leveraging the amount of bunk space in a pen by feeding one group of calves in the morning and then rotating in a second group in the evening.
- Improved health management of calves: healthy calves will be eager to approach the bunk at feeding time, making lethargic, sick calves easier to spot.
- Improved pen conditions and maintenance due to less manure: research from Kansas State University has shown a 40-45% reduction in manure output when limit feeding stockers.

Tips

When getting calves started on feed, place long stemmed hay in bunks prior to calves arriving. For the first day's feed delivery of the limit-fed diet, start calves at an intake of approximately 0.75% of body weight (dry matter basis) and work up to 2.2% of body weight within about 14 days.

As calves grow, be sure to adjust the amount of feed delivered so that target gains can be maintained. Feeding at a consistent time each day and providing adequate bunk space (at least 15 inches per head) can help prevent digestive upsets and set calves up for success.

For assistance with evaluating cost differences of feedstuffs, consider using the University of Nebraska's Feed Cost Cow-Q-Later. Extension beef teams are also available to help producers evaluate feeding options and develop rations to meet cattle nutrient needs.



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For cattle producers that are set up to feed calves in a bunk, limit-feeding a high energy diet may be a cost-effective option for growing calves this fall and winter.

While limit-feeding is not a new concept, current forage prices relative to grain/co-products may make it an attractive alternative to finding high roughage growing diets. For instance, hay priced at \$200/ton with a total digestible nutrient value of 52% equates to approximately 22 cents per pound of TDN. However, \$4.80/bu. corn (88% TDN) and wet distillers grains priced at \$75/ton (108% TDN) each come out to about 11 cents per pound of TDN.

Research at Kansas State University has looked at limit-feeding calves a high-energy diet at 2.2% of body weight compared to a full-fed high roughage diet (2.8% of body weight) for a 90-day backgrounding period. Both diets included 40% wet corn gluten feed (dry matter basis) and varying amounts of corn, alfalfa, prairie hay and a supplement.

Stockers limit-fed the high-energy diet were more efficient and gained 2.5 lbs./day, whereas stockers full-fed the high-roughage diet gained 2.9 lbs./day.

Advantages

There are several advantages to a limited feed approach for growing calves:

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HEARTLAND CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

- 11 Iowa Limousin Association Annual Meeting, Banquet, Benefit Auction, Iowa Cattlemen's Club – Ames, IA
- 17 Edwards Limousin Online Sale – L365Auctions.com
- 27 Boyce-Dill Cyber Monday Online Sale – L365Auctions.com

DECEMBER

- 9 "A Night on the Town VI" Limousin, Lim-Flex and All-Breeds Sale – Las Vegas, NV
- 14 Glendenning J Bar J Holiday Classic Sale – L365Auctions.com

JANUARY

- 1 NALF Annual Meeting – Oklahoma City, OK
- 1 National Sale and "Ken Holloway Genetics on Ice Benefit Auction", Embassy Suites – Oklahoma City, OK
- 2 Junior Limousin/Lim-Flex Heifer Show and Limousin/Lim-Flex Bull Pen Show – Oklahoma City, OK
- 3 National Limousin/Lim-Flex Level I MOE Open Show – Oklahoma City, OK
- 9 NWSS Pen and Carload Shows – Denver, CO
- 10 NWSS Open Level II MOE and Junior Limousin Shows – Denver, CO
- 13 Hunt Limousin "Heritage Ranch Online" Sale – L365Auctions.com
- 23 Bullis Creek Annual Production Sale, at the farm – Wood Lake, NE
- 27 ATAK Limousin "New Year's Resolution Sale of 2024" – Avon, IL

FEBRUARY

- 1 South Dakota Limousin Association Annual Meeting, Banquet/Benefit Auction – Rapid City, SD
- 2 Black Hills Limousin Stock Show & Sale, Convention Center – Rapid City, SD
- 10 Treftz "Where Muscle Still Matters" Sale, at the farm – Wetonka, SD
- 11 Iowa Beef Expo Limousin Sale – Iowa State Fairgrounds, Des Moines, IA
- 14 Vaughn Limousin "Future Generations" Bull Sale – Napoleon, ND
- 17 GV Limousin Annual Production Sale – Garnett, KS
- 18 Spring Creeks Cattle Co. Annual Sale – Fennimore, WI
- 21 Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic Limousin Show – Kearney, NE
- 22 Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic Limousin Sale – Kearney, NE
- 22 Symens Brothers Annual Production Sale, at the farm – Amherst, SD
- 23 Wiczorek Limousin Annual Bull Sale, at the farm – Mt. Vernon, SD
- 24 Lonely Valley "Keepin' Kind" Bull Sale, at the farm – Creston, NE

Mission Statement of the Heartland Limousin Association



The purpose for which the HLA is organized is to serve as a service organization designed to promote and further enhance the Limousin breed of cattle in the seven state area comprised of IA, KS, MN, MO, NE and SD.

The goals for the Association shall include promotion, strengthening state and junior associations within the region; development of a regional publication; improvement of communication and a unified attitude of breeders; to provide market information and expertise; to serve as a coordinator of events between the Association and the industry; to increase breeder involvement; and to strengthen ties between the NALF and the Heartland Limousin Association.

Tucker Parkinson – In Memoriam



Tucker James Parkinson, 15, tragically passed away October 1, 2023. Services were held October 5, 2023, at the Mallet Expo Hall in Levelland, Texas.

He was born October 29, 2007, grew up, and attended school in the Levelland area. Tucker was an active member in various cattle organizations including the Texas Junior Limousin Association and the North American Limousin Junior Association. He enjoyed helping with the family's cattle and farming operation.

Tucker also took part in a variety of sports including football, basketball, track and golf. He was active in school activities; but his greatest joy came from being in the barn and the pasture working with his show string or studying new genetics to incorporate into his herd. Tucker's work ethic was evident in all his activities.

He is survived by his parents, Jonny and Amber Parkinson; brother, Colt, of Levelland; grandparents, Bruce and Paula Lawrence of Anton, Texas; and many other friends and relatives. A memorial fund has been established at all First Bank & Trust locations. The funds will be used to support youth programs and scholarships in the future to honor Tucker.



"BACK IN TIME"

Do You Know the Answer?

I was looking at the book "The History of Limousin in North America" written by Richard Goff and edited by Dale & June Runnion. It details the early history of the North American Limousin Foundation, from its beginning in 1968 up through 1987. I picked out a few of the interesting details from some of the very early years.

Can you answer these questions?

1. 1969 – Can you name the four popular "D" bulls?
2. 1971 – What state formed a Limousin Association, becoming the 8th state or region to organize?
3. 1972 – Who was appointed to serve as the NALF Executive Secretary after Dick Goff resigned?
4. 1974 – A movie was produced by NALF and narrated by Ben Johnson, movie actor, Academy Award winner and Limousin breeder. Do you know the name of the movie?
5. 1977 – Who was appointed editorial assistant at the Limousin Journal after his internship at the Journal?
6. 1979 – A first in the Limousin breed happened at the National Western Stock Show in Denver. Can you guess what it was?

Answers on page 16

COVERING GROUND ...

By Dean Summerbell



The Heartland Board of Directors: Front row, L-R: Beverly Summerbell, Heart Beat editor; Dean Summerbell, Executive Secretary; Randy Corns, President; Emmett Edwards, Vice President; TJ Callahan, Treasurer; Jason Boyer, Secretary; Back row - Directors: Jeff Keyes, Matt Duff, Julie Montagne, Rob Brawner, William Long, Andy Schmalshof.

Dear Limousin friends,

We have been honored to have served the members of the Heartland Limousin Association (HLA) for 23 years. After much consideration, I have decided to resign from my position as HLA Executive Secretary as of March 2, 2024.

My plan is to continue to attend all the Limousin sales, shows and other events from now until the annual Heartland Limousin Association Annual Meeting on March 2, 2024. It will be held at the Linhart Sale Facility near Leon, Iowa. We invite everyone to attend this meeting, banquet and benefit auction. The meal will be at 5:00 p.m. followed by the HLA Annual Meeting and Benefit Auction.

Over the past 23 years, Beverly and I have had the opportunity to meet many Limousin breeders and commercial cattlemen. We've enjoyed going to all the sales, shows and activities at the local, state, regional and national levels. We have not only traveled across the United States to attend Limousin events, but we have also had the pleasure attending a variety of events including three Heartland sponsored cruises, the "Night on the Town" Sale in conjunction with the National Finals Rodeo, weddings, graduations and other social activities.

We hope you've enjoyed reading the Limousin Heart Beat magazine. There have been many changes to the paper over the years, and more will probably need to be made as we deal with the high cost of printing and mailing the paper.

One of the best parts of the job is being a part of the "Limousin family". We have made many life-long friends, and we look forward to our continued friendships.

Although we will no longer be attending every Limousin event after March 2, we hope to travel to some of the activities throughout the upcoming months. We want to keep in contact with you, even though we will no longer be working for the Heartland Limousin Association.

Thanks, again, for your support and all the memories!

Sincerely,

Dean Summerbell, HLA Executive Secretary



Dean Summerbell thanked Casey Fanta of Starbuck, MN for serving six years on the Heartland Limousin Association Board of Directors. Job well done!



Heartland Vice President Emmett Edwards and Dean Summerbell talk business on a very hot day at the Missouri State Fair.

Heartland Executive Secretary Job Description

The Heartland Limousin Association has the position of Executive Secretary available, and applications are being accepted until filled. The job begins on March 3, 2024.

The Heartland Limousin Association is looking for a motivated individual who believes in the Limousin breed. This person should have the ability to promote and enhance Limousin cattle within the Heartland Region.

The Executive Secretary's responsibilities will include:

- Developing relationships with Heartland members, the commercial cattle industry by networking with state cattleman's organizations, farm and ranch trade shows, and regional feedyards.
- Travel as necessary within the Heartland region doing herd visits, attending breeder events, state fairs, field days and state association meetings.
- Be responsible for planning and organizing the Heartland Regional Junior Show and any other opportunities that may arise within the organization.
- Be able to maintain contact with NALF, L365 and other beef industry leaders.
- Oversee member recruitment, dues collection, maintenance and retention of membership.
- Be responsible for office management, association correspondence and assist with billing.
- Assist in maintaining the Heartland Regional newspaper (the Heart Beat), including selling advertising and in the development of editorial material, its general management and editorial policy.
- Perform all other job duties as assigned by the HLA Board of Directors.

This is a part-time position to be filled prior to 03/01/24. For information, reach out to Julie Montagne at 605/310-0791. Please submit resumes to Julie Montagne, 31179 477th Ave., West Akron, South Dakota 51001.



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The undersigned herein applies for membership in the HLA with all rights and privileges outlined in the HLA constitution and bylaws.

Please make checks payable to the HLA,
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 Dean Summerbell, HLA, 619 139th Lane NW,
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Signature _____

"On the Road Again"



By Bev Summerbell

Life always brings changes, some expected and others quite unexpected. Dean and I are now in our 23rd year working for the Heartland Limousin Association (HLA). It has been a long journey, filled with exciting events, challenges and many hours behind the wheel. After much thought, prayer and consideration, Dean has decided to resign from his position as Executive Secretary as of March 2, 2024.

We plan to attend all the sales, shows and other events from now until the HLA Annual Meeting, Banquet and Benefit Auction at the Linhart Sale Facility in Leon, Iowa, on March 2, 2024. We want to continue to support the Limousin breed by attending a few events after we officially retire.

Dean and I have many fond memories of our years working for the HLA. We've had the pleasure of meeting many wonderful people, we've seen changes take place in the cattle industry, and the cattle have improved over the years.

The Heart Beat has undergone many changes. It started as a black and white

newspaper. We then changed to glossy paper, but we were still using black and white print for part of the paper. Eventually, the paper went to an all color, glossy publication. We are proud of the paper and hope that you've enjoyed reading it.

We've put our "spin" on the Heart Beat with the inclusion of the recipe of the month, wedding and baby pictures, obituaries, Back in Time, "Covering Ground", "On the Road Again", Junior Beat and Heartland Highlights. In addition, we've also included other interesting features such as stories on breeders who have raised Limousin cattle for 50 years as well as state news, shows and sale reports.

I should have kept a diary about all the unique and interesting adventures we've had since starting the job in August of 2001. We want to express our THANKS to all the members who have supported us over the years!

As I close, I found this saying that I thought was appropriate for my "On the Road Again" column.

Recipe of the Month

Spaghetti Pie

There are many good cooks in the Heartland. Several years ago, the Heartland Limousin Association put out a cookbook called "Heartland Home Cookin". It was filled with a lot of delicious recipes. One of them was submitted by Pam Callahan of Centerview, Missouri.

Bev Summerbell

Ingredients

Spaghetti Crust

- 6 oz. spaghetti
- 2 T. butter or margarine
- 2 eggs, well beaten.
- 1/3 cup Parmesan cheese

Cheese Layer

- 1 cup cottage cheese or ricotta cheese
- 2 T. parsley
- 1/2 t. dried basil or 1 T fresh

Meat Sauce

- 1 lb. hamburger, browned.
- 1/2 small onion, diced (optional)
- 1 jar spaghetti sauce
- *14 oz. diced tomatoes (optional)

Instructions

1. Preheat oven to 350 F.
2. Cook spaghetti, toss with butter, stir in eggs and parmesan cheese.
3. Place in greased deep-dish pie or 9x13 pan.
4. Put cheese mixture on top of the spaghetti.
5. Simmer meat mixture for about 10 minutes and spread over cheese mixture.
6. Bake 25 minutes, top with 1/2 cup shredded mozzarella cheese and bake an additional 5 minutes or until cheese is melted.
7. Cool 10 minutes before serving.



On This Road Called Life
Remember to begin, continue and end with:

- A smile on your face,
- Love in your heart,
- Good thoughts on your mind,
- Peace in your soul,
- Happiness in your life,
- Take the good with the bad,
- Remember what you had,

And know,
The ride goes on.





Congratulations to the Church sisters of Hastings, MN. Laura (left) and Eric Otto were married November 5, 2022, at St. John's in Vermillion, MN. Becky (right) and Adam Josephson exchanged vows at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in Hastings.



Nolan William, son of Evan & Rachel Summers of Marshall, MO, was born on October 8, 2023, weighing 5 lbs. 11 oz. Proud grandparents are C.K. "Sonny" and Mary Booth of Miami, OK.



Oliver, the pup, enjoyed watching the American Royal shows.



River Ellis, son of Garrett and Cassandra Butler of Olathe, KS, was born July 28, 2023. He weighed 5 lbs. 13 oz. and was 19.5 inches. He is the great-grandson of Chet & Pat Butler of Lacona, IA.




Ava Grace, daughter of Bryce and Emily (Puck) Lightner of Davenport, IA, was born on August 14, 2023. She weighed 6 lbs. 10 oz. and was 19 inches. Proud grandpa is Limousin Breeder Kraig Puck of Durant, IA.




Courtney Dohrmann & Drew Folie exchanged vows on September 16, 2023, in Ellendale, MN. Courtney is the daughter of Brad & Sheryl Dohrmann of Dodge Center, MN.



Hallie Linhart & Ryan Banks were united in marriage September 23, 2023, in Leon, IA. Hallie is the daughter of John & Melissa Linhart and the granddaughter of David & Lana Linhart.




SEEE Lucy Loud
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Junior Beat



Jillian Mudd of Knob Noster, MO, received the "Beef Cattle Herdsman" Award at the Missouri State Fair in Sedalia.



Ava Miller of Treynor, IA, was selected Reserve Grand Champion Junior Showman Overall Breeds at the American Royal. She was also the Showmanship winner at the Iowa "All State Showdown". Congratulations!



Congratulations to Bre Engler of Carbondale, KS, for being named 3rd Overall in the Junior Showmanship competition at the American Royal.



Memphis Peterson of Pukwana, SD, was a top 3 finisher at the "U Fit It" competition at the South Dakota State Fair in Huron.



NALJA Board member Lily Mitchell of Boscobel, WI, worked the ring for both the Junior and Open Shows at the American Royal.



Congratulations Kaelyn Schilling, daughter of Cash & Amanda Schilling of Edson, KS, for exhibiting the 4th Overall Breeds Female in the **Supreme Drive** at the Kansas State Fair Junior Show with Schilling Khloe, a 4/2/22, 50% Lim-Flex daughter of Gateway Follow Me out of Schilling Yashaswini.



Judge Ryan Rash slapped the Grand Champion Female, shown by Ava Miller of Treynor, IA, in the Limi-Lady Classic.



Jillian Mudd, Kharis and Roux Wilson, and Karlee Favor relax just before the Open Show at the Missouri State Fair.



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Memphis Peterson of Pukwana, SD, and his sister, Rory, exhibited the Division I Champion and Reserve Champion Females in both the Junior and Open Shows at the American Royal.



Harley Edwards, daughter of Scott & Elizabeth Edwards of Mayview, MO, was crowned princess in the 5/6 age division at the Higginsville Co. Fair on September 14, 2023.

Congratulations to McKenna Richardson, daughter of Troy & Jennifer Richardson of Eureka, KS, on being selected Grand Champion Showman Overall Breeds at the American Royal.



Aliston & Adysin McCarley of Girard, KS, were busy working to get their cattle ready at the Kansas State Fair.



Congratulations to Paige Baier of Griswold, IA, for exhibiting the Division II Champion Bull at the American Royal.



Missouri Juniors lined up in the staging area to show their 4-H projects at the Missouri State Fair.

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Iowa News...

Annual Meeting, Banquet/ Benefit Auction

The Iowa Limousin Association (ILA) will hold its annual meeting, banquet and benefit auction at the Iowa Cattlemen's Building in Ames on November 11, 2023.

The activities begin in the afternoon with the ILA senior board meeting followed by the annual membership meeting and the junior meeting. The social hour will take place about an hour before the meal. Watch for more details to be sent to the members by email, on Facebook, and posted on the ILA website.

The day will conclude with the benefit auction. Members are encouraged to donate items for the auction. If you are unable to attend, please leave a bid with any board member. The money goes to support the senior and junior associations throughout the year.

Junior awards, scholarships and other honors will also be presented at the meeting, so it is important that you attend. Please contact a board member to let them know how many are coming and what you are bringing for the auction.

Wanted

Now is the time to start thinking about your consignments for the Iowa Beef Expo Limousin Sale, which will take place on Sunday, February 11, 2024. The Expo, held at the state fairgrounds in Des Moines, is one of the Midwest's premier breed sale offerings. This year's Expo runs from February 10-18th.

The deadline for entering is December 10, 2023. Please contact Ann Vorthmann at 402/981-1093 or send an email to ann-roger@cattleplanet.com.

Limi Lady Classic Show Held at State Fair

A large crowd gathered to watch the Limi Lady Classic Show on Sunday, August 13, 2023, at the Iowa State Fair. Famed judge Ryan Rash of Crockett, Texas, evaluated the females and placed the top three. Ryan is known for his "glitter slap".

Ryan is a graduate of Texas A&M University where he was a member of the National Champion Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Team. He has shown every species of livestock in his career all over the United States. He now owns and operates SBCC Cattle Co. and Consulting Firm, and he has judged in 45 states at the local, regional and national levels as well as in Canada and Mexico.



Ava Miller of Treynor won the Grand Champion title in the Limi Lady Classic with SC Kora 521K, a 6/8/22 daughter of SSTO SKLS Frank 8879F out of SCAS Flicka 952F.



Kylie Anderson of Garner took home the Reserve Grand Champion banner with RGMA Kim K 569K, a 1/20/22 daughter of SSTO Guns N Roses out of RGMA Cover Girls 375C.



Dawson Book of Logan exhibited the 3rd Overall Female with SL Just A Dream, a 10/15/21 daughter of MAGS Gusto 187G out of SL First in Line.

The committee would like to thank the sponsors of the Limi Lady Classic: Elite Sponsor – Matt Lautner Cattle; Platinum – Brady Edge, Linhart Limousin, MC Marketing Management, Mill Road Limousin, Purina (Joel Edge), ShowTimes Magazine, Stone Limousin, Straight Limousin; Gold – Anderson Limousin, Dean & Bev Summerbell, Hawkeye Breeders, Julie Montagne.

Fifteen Iowa Breeders Take Part in State Fair Open Show

The Iowa State Fair Open Limousin Show was held on Monday, August 14, 2023. Fifteen breeders from across the state brought their Limousin and Lim-Flex bulls and females to be evaluated by judge Bryan Williams of Princeton, Missouri. After some hot days at the fair, the weather changed, and the large crowd of spectators and exhibitors enjoyed the cool temperatures.



The Reserve Grand Champion Limousin Bull was DEBV Little Jake 303L, a 1/3/23 son of SLTM Jake Brake 118J out of DEBV Jaida 126J, exhibited by Deb Miller of Treynor. He was the Division I Champion.

Lim-Flex Bulls



The Grand Champion Lim-Flex Bull was DLTM Kwik Start 240K ET, a 3/22/22 son of STAG Good Times 201 ET out of DEBV Grace 930G ET, exhibited by Dalton Miller of Treynor.



Paige Baier of Griswold took home the Reserve Grand Champion Lim-Flex Bull banner with BAIP Lancelot 351L, a 1/11/23 son of DEBV Footloose 828F ET out of VL Jewel 151J ET.

Limousin Bulls



Jim and Becky Venner, Venner Limousin of Breda exhibited the Grand Champion Limousin Bull. JBV Stonehenge 214K, an 8/10/22 son of JBV Nite Watchman 402B out of JBV Valarie 020H was the Division III Champion and the Champion Iowa Bull (born and raised in Iowa).

Division Winners:

Division I Reserve Champion – CLNC Lariat 314L, a 1/28/23 son of CLNC Jet Pack out of CLNC 907G, exhibited by Clanton Creek Cattle of Peru.

Division II Champion – CLNC Lead Off 240K, a 12/30/22 son of AHC Heartland 901F ET out of RMRK Bee Bop 414B, exhibited by Clanton Creek Cattle of Peru.

Division II Reserve Champion – JBV Aces & Eight 301K, a 12/21/22 son of CELL History Buff 0245H ET out of JBV Jessica 002H, exhibited by Venner Limousin of Breda.

Lim-Flex Females



The Grand Champion Lim-Flex Female was RGMA Kim K 569K, a 1/20/22 daughter of SSTO Guns N Roses out of RGMA Cover Girls 375C, exhibited by Anderson Limousin of Garner. She was the Division IV Champion and the Iowa Champion Lim-Flex Female.



Dawson Book of Logan took home the Reserve Grand Champion Female title with SL Just A Dream, a 10/15/21 daughter of MAGS Gusto 187G out of SL First in Line. She was the Division V Champion.

Iowa News...

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – DLTM Lisa Kudrow 347L, a 4/15/23 daughter of Alter Ego out of DEBV Jennier Anniston 145J ET, exhibited by DEBV of Treynor.

Division III Champion – SC Kora 521K, a 6/8/22 daughter of SSTO Frank 8879F out of SCAS Flicka 952E, exhibited by DEBV of Treynor.

Division III Reserve Champion – BCMP 229K, a 5/3/22 daughter of VCCKLL Proven Profit out of MYA, exhibited by Olivia Martins of Monona.

Division IV Reserve Champion – STLX Kit 251K, a 2/12/22 daughter of CJSL Dauntless 6257D out of STLX Cora 513C, exhibited by Wicke Cattle of Buffalo Center.

Division V Reserve Champion – DEBV Jennifer Aniston, a 3/8/21 daughter of Colburn Primo out of WLR Prada, exhibited by DEBV of Treynor.



Anderson Limousin of Garner exhibited the Reserve Grand Champion Female and the Reserve Division IV Champion with RGMA Kelly 121K, a 3/20/22 daughter of AUTO Black Dakota 129J out of RGMA MYA 841G.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – JBV Tilly, a 2/11/23 daughter of ROMN Floyd Mudhenkey out of JBV Salra 008H, exhibited by Venner Limousin of Breda.

Division I Reserve Champion – AVAM Lima Bean 302L, a 1/2/23 daughter of CYWD Jack Frost 38J out of AVAM Jelly Belly 104J, exhibited by DEBV of Treynor.

Division III Champion – EMPK Carley's Pebbles, a 5/18/22 daughter of KCBO Franklin 49F out of RMKR Carley 572C, exhibited by Mason Peeters of Davenport.

Division V Champion – BAIP Juliette 195J ET, a 9/5/21 daughter of TASF Crown Royal 960C ET out of VL Beauty Queen 433B, exhibited by Baier Limousin of Griswold.

Division V Reserve Champion – VL Jewel 151J ET, a 1/1/21 daughter of CELL Envision 7023E out of WLR Heart of Glass, exhibited by Baier Limousin of Griswold.

Group Class Winners

Baier Limousin of Griswold exhibited the Champion Produce of Dam and DEBV of Treynor exhibited the Breeders Best Five Head.

Limousin Females



SL Kool Kat, a 3/23/22 daughter of SSTO Guns N Roses 9408G ET out of SL Ferrari was selected as the Grand Champion Limousin Female, exhibited by Dawson Book of Logan. She was the Division IV and the Iowa Champion Female.



Congratulations to the Long family of Afton, IA, for being awarded the Limousin "Herdsmen at the Year" plaque at the Iowa State Fair.



Ben & Sarah Smith and her dad, Paul Millhollin, Clanton Creek Cattle of Peru, IA, were named Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor at the Clay Co. Fair in Spencer, IA.



Ben Roberts, right, of Morengo, IA, and his family visited Treftz Limousin of Wetonka, SD, this fall. Ben has been buying cattle from Treftz since he was 15 years old, and he bought several fall pairs on his latest visit.



C5 Guns & Roses 736, a 3/18/23, purebred son of SATO Guns N Roses 9408G ET out of ELCX Charmer 566C ET, exhibited by Clever 5 Farms of Alton, IA, was selected as **Supreme Grand Champion Bull Overall Breeds** at the Clay Co. Fair in Spencer, IA, September 16, 2023.



The annual state fair lunch, hosted by the Iowa Limousin Association after the Open Limousin Show, is always a big hit.



Cheyenne, 5, and Mackinze, 8, Schultz of Eddyville, IA, had a great time passing out ribbons and banners at the Iowa State Fair Open Limousin Show. They are Tom & Charlene Doyle's granddaughters.

Kansas News...

Thank You

Thanks to George Fisher of Chipley, Florida, for purchasing our Fullblood heifers in the Foundation 9 Sale.

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Kansas Limousin Exhibitors Travel to the State Fair in Hutchinson

Twelve breeders from across Kansas brought their Limousin entries to the Kansas State Fair in Hutchinson on September 16, 2023. They exhibited 27 head of females and bulls before Judge Brian Barragree of Absarokee, Montana.

Female Show



The Grand Champion Purebred Limousin Female was SC Kiara 522K, a 5/3/22 daughter of Legacy's Hercules out of SCAS Designer 922D exhibited by Super C Limousin of Altoona. She was the Intermediate Champion Heifer.



The Reserve Grand Champion Purebred Limousin Female was ALRM Kourtney, a 12/1/22 daughter of TASSF Hold My Beer out of ALRM First Rose, exhibited by Aliston McCarley of Girard. She was the Champion Senior Heifer.



The Grand Champion Lim-Flex Female was TUBB MKNA Kamikaze 230K ET, a 5/13/22 daughter of TASF Crown Royal 960C ET out of Ratliff Gabby 901GET, exhibited by McKenna Richardson of Eureka. She was the Intermediate Champion Female.



The Reserve Grand Champion Lim-Flex Female was Richardson's Kiki 207K, a 4/6/22 daughter of TASF Guinness 315G ET out of MKNA 409H, exhibited by Molly McCurry of Hutchinson. She was the Junior Female Champion.

Division Winners:

Purebred:

Champion Junior Heifer Calf – SC Londyn 545L, a 4/3/23 daughter of SSTO SKLS Frank 8879F out of SC 415G, exhibited by Super C Limousin of Altoona.

Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Calf – Old 24 Lollipop, a 4/24/23

Aksarben

Trace Falkenstien of Oswego took part in the Aksarben Show in Grand Island, Nebraska, September 23, 2023. He took home the Grand Champion Limousin banner in that prestigious show.

Thank You

The Heartland Limousin Association would like to extend our sincere thanks to Natalie Snyder, Pampered Chef consultant. She assisted with the Heartland party, which raised money to help defray the costs of the Heartland "Showdown" in Council Bluffs, Iowa. It was a very successful party, and we appreciate Natalie's help organizing and coordinating the party.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Ron and Marsha Schilling on being inducted into the Kansas State Fair "Wall of Honor". They were the ones who planned and organized the Supreme Drive competition. This was made possible once the Prairie Pavilion was built and there was room for a show of this size to be held. The article about this prestigious award is printed in this issue of the Heart Beat.

Top Five Female

Kaelyn Schilling of Edson exhibited the Grand Champion Lim-Flex Female at the Kansas State Fair Junior Show. She was selected as the 4th Overall Breeds Female with her heifer in the Supreme Drive line-up. Congratulations!

daughter of Shilling Halas out of Schilling Journey, exhibited by Old 24 Cattle of Goodland.

Lim-Flex:

Champion Junior Heifer Calf – Richardson's Lulu, a 1/25/23 female, exhibited by McKenna Richardson of Eureka.

Reserve Champion Junior Heifer Calf – SC Libby 544L, a 4/2/23 daughter of Silveiras Forbes 8088 out of SCAS Swen 982G ET, exhibited by Super C Limousin of Altoona.

Champion Senior Heifer Calf – ASBK Kit Kat, a 9/8/22 female, exhibited by Ashley Schrag of Moundridge.

Reserve Champion Senior Heifer Calf – SC Kellee Sue 533K, an 11/5/22 daughter of Silveiras Forbes 8088 out of SCRN Blaier 126B, exhibited by Super C Limousin of Altoona.

Reserve Champion Intermediate Heifer – Schilling Kandie, a 5/19/22 daughter of STLX Double Down out of Schilling Goldie, exhibited by Old 24 Cattle of Goodland.

Reserve Champion Junior Female – Ratliff Keep Up The Charm ET, a 1/25/22 daughter of Gateway Follow Me F163 out of Riverstone Charmed, exhibited by Trace Falkenstien of Oswego.

Bull Show



The Grand Champion Lim-Flex Bull was Hidden Treasure, a 6/10/22 son of MAYC Gold Buckle 624G out of Ratliff Hookedem 005H ET, exhibited by Trace Falkenstien of Oswego. He was the Champion Intermediate Bull.



The Reserve Grand Champion Lim-Flex Bull was SC Loki 78L, a 3/22/23 son of SSTO SKLS Frank 89879F out of Schillings Daydream ET, exhibited by Super C Limousin of Altoona. He was the Champion Junior Bull Calf.

Division Winners:

Reserve Champion Junior Bull Calf – FHSU Lanaster 006L ET, a 3/4/23 son of Fort Hays State University out of Kings Landing, exhibited by Fort Hays State University of Hays.

Reserve Champion Senior Bull Calf – Zzzs Kodak, a 10/28/22 son of Legal out of CELL 5048, exhibited by Ella Snyder of Fort Scott.



Kansas News...

Ron & Marsha Schilling Inducted into Kansas State Fair “Wall of Honor”



Ron and Marsha Schilling of Edson, Kansas, life-long supporters of the Kansas State Fair and the Kansas Beef Cattle Industry, were inducted into the Kansas Fairgrounds Foundation “Wall of Honor” during the 2023 “Boots and Bling” event at the Meadowlark Building on the state fairgrounds in Hutchinson, Kansas, on August 12th. They were also honored during the Kansas State Fair **Supreme Drive** on September 16th.

The “Wall of Honor” was initiated in 2005 by the Kansas Fairgrounds Foundation as a way of recognizing and honoring those individuals, businesses and organizations who have made or are making a significant difference in the livestock shows at the Kansas State Fair and in agriculture in Kansas.

Ron and Marsha developed a passion for agriculture and livestock from their parents and their early involvement in 4-H. They each started their own herd of registered Limousin cattle while they were actively involved in livestock projects in Sherman County. In 2024, they will mark their 50th year raising Limousin cattle.

They got married in 1979, Ron received his Animal Science degree from Kansas State University in 1981, and they made their home in Sherman County where they raised three sons: Cash, Chance, and Clay. The Schilling family has been selling registered seedstock for more than 40 years. They hold two production sales a year as well as selling private treaty.

In the early 2000’s, the Schillings had an idea to hold a **Supreme Drive** for the Open Beef Show cattle. The idea gained momentum and in 2007, with the help of Ron Holland and Anne Lampe, the first Supreme Drive was held. According to the Schillings, it was a labor of love by many in the purebred beef industry to pull off this show. The show allows one Grand Champion Female and Bull from each breed to compete for the title of Supreme Champion.

Ron designed the trophy after hockey’s “Stanley Cup” Trophy, where the names of the winners are added every year, making the trophy bigger and more prestigious to win each year in succession. Marsha organizes the Supreme Drive reception for exhibitors and speculators.

They are also actively involved in their community, the Goodland Church of Christ, the Water Board, and the Sherman County Community Foundation as well as the various local, state, and national cattle associations.

Congratulations, Ron and Marsha, on this prestigious honor!

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Minnesota News...

Minnesota Beef Expo

The results of the 2023 Minnesota Beef Expo will be printed in the January/February Heart Beat. This issue of the paper had already gone to print by the time the 2023 Minnesota Beef Expo was held October 19-22nd.

North Star Point Series

The final show for the North Star Point Series was the Minnesota Beef Expo Junior Show on October 22, 2023. Points will be tallied, and awards for the Top 10 Exhibitors, Top 5 Breeding heifers and the Top 5 Market Animals as

well as the Top 2 winners in each breed will be presented at the banquet on November 5, 2023. The banquet will be held at The Mill in Waseca.

For more information about this event, contact Paul Bartsh, one of the founders of the North Star Point Series.

Minnesota & Wisconsin Limousin Breeders Take Part in Minnesota State Fair Limousin Show

The Minnesota State Fair Limousin Open Show was held on Saturday, September 2, 2023, at the state fairgrounds in St. Paul. Twelve exhibitors from Minnesota and Wisconsin took part in the show held at the Lee & Rose Warner Coliseum. Following the show, everyone was treated to root beer floats. Lynn Ewald of Waldorf, Minnesota, evaluated the Females and Bulls in the show.

The weather over the Labor Day weekend was extremely hot, reaching into the upper 90s every day. The fair officials made the difficult decision to release the livestock early due to the high temperatures. The original schedule for animals to leave the state fair was 1:00 p.m. on September 4; however, the change was made so that all livestock could travel home when it was cooler, leaving the fair at 11:00 p.m. on September 3.

Female Show



The Grand Champion Limousin Female was SSUL Eden's Looker 2408K, a 5/5/22 daughter of RLBH Air

Force One out of WLR Eden, exhibited by Mary Grace O'Sullivan of Maple Lake, Minnesota. She was the Junior Champion Female.



The Reserve Grand Champion was EDLE Judge Judy 115J, a 3/25/21 daughter of MAGS Firestone 218F out of Wulfs Ablaze 3012A, shown with her 2/26/23 bull calf, CWCL 115J LoKi 304J, sired by ROMN Floyd Mudhenkey 101F at side. The cow/calf pair was exhibited by Crazy Women Creek of Rushford, Minnesota. This cow/calf was the Senior Champion Female.

Division Winners:

Junior Heifer Calf Champion – Herman's Lollipop 304L, a 2/21/23 daughter of Ratliff Jump Start 34QJ out of CHHF Fiona 802F, exhibited by Herman Farms of Hastings, Minnesota.

Junior Heifer Calf Reserve Champion – SNYC Jolene 309L, a 3/24/23 daughter of Ratliff Jump Start 340J out of SNYC Harper 045H, exhibited by Snyder Cattle Company of Hastings, Minnesota.

Calf Champion – MRL All Kindness 281K, a 9/6/22 daughter of ROMN Floyd Mudhenkey 101F out of MRL Her Self 067H, exhibited by Mill Road Cattle of Knapp, Wisconsin.

Junior Reserve Champion – Wulfs Kallima 2089K, a 2/5/22 daughter of Wulfs Holliday 4841K out of Wulfs Favianna 8066F, exhibited by Wulf Cattle of Morris, Minnesota.

Bull Show



Wulf Cattle of Morris, Minnesota, exhibited the Grand Champion Bull, Royal Knight RBGL 204K, a 2/20/22 son of Hunts Credentials 37C out of Boss Lake Ms Molly 812F. He was the Junior Champion Bull.



Reserve Grand Champion honors went to CHHF King of the Ring 802K, a 4/12/22 son of Gateway Follow



Annabelle Evavold of Fergus Falls, MN, took home the Minnesota State Fair Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Breeding Heifer award with ELFS Kingsley 192K, a 3/12/22 daughter of Heavy Hitter out of SEEE Hermoune 102.



Courtney Dohrmann of Dodge Center passed out ribbons at the Minnesota State Fair Limousin Open Show September 2, 2023.

Me F163 out of CHHF Fiona 802F, exhibited by Herman Farms of Hastings, Minnesota. He was the Junior Reserve Champion Bull.

In Memoriam



Lyle M. Biscoe, 102, of Old Cottage Grove, Minnesota, passed away September 30, 2023. He is the father of Limousin breeder Don (Kathy) Biscoe, Green Acres Limousin of Cottage Grove. Services were held October 7, 2023, at Cottage Grove United Church of Christ.

He grew up in the Cottage Grove area and helped his dad on the family

farm. He went on to become a meat cutter, a mail carrier, and he worked at 3M for 19 years. He eventually went back to his roots, farming in Old Cottage Grove, which is still proudly run by his family today.

Lyle and his wife, Agnes, were blessed with six children. Agnes passed away in 1986 and Lyle married a longtime friend from his school days, Emily Hunter. Lyle enjoyed water skiing, wood working and fishing as well as playing cards and

spending time with family and friends. He also enjoyed his time on the family farm.

He is survived by his second wife, Emily; five sons, a daughter, thirteen grandchildren, twenty-six great-grandchildren, and one great-great granddaughter.





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Missouri News...

Ozark Fall Farmfest

Several Limousin Breeders took part in the 44th annual Ozark Fall Farmfest at the Ozark Empire Fairgrounds in Springfield, Missouri the weekend of October 6-8, 2023. Farmfest, with free admission and parking, has grown

over the years and now has over 1,200 exhibits including commercial vendors and more than 600 head of registered livestock on display. There are now between 50,000-60,000 people who attend Farmfest, becoming the Ozarks' largest agricultural event.

The Ozark Fall Farmfest was the first show to take place in the new Wilson Logistic Arena. The new location showcased over 350 booths.

Missouri Limousin breeders Rick and Susan Little, Little Limousin of Eldon, Gina Kuda of Russellville, and

Buck Ridge from Seymour took part as well as Joe Smith from Arkansas and Arnett Limousin from Illinois.

Rick and Susan took six bulls to Farmfest and sold five on the first day of the event. Congratulations on a successful weekend!

Missouri State Fair Limousin Show Held in Sedalia

The 2023 Missouri State Fair Limousin Open Show took place on a very warm Saturday afternoon with the heat index reaching over 100 degrees, August 19th in the Coliseum. Kollin Johnson of University of Tennessee in Knoxville, TN, evaluated the 48 head of Limousin and Lim-Flex bulls and females exhibited by 31 Missouri breeders and junior members.

Female Show



The Grand Champion Female was LDIL Jovie 103J ET, a 10/19/21, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 57% Lim-Flex daughter of CJSJ Creed 5042C out of AUTO Callie 403D ET, exhibited by Ellie Dill of Marshfield. She was the Division V Champion.



Taking the Reserve Grand Champion banner and the Division V Reserve Champion title was CELL Jessi 1404J, a 9/2/21, double black, homozygous polled, 65% Lim-Flex daughter of ELCX Kings Landing 599 D ET out of LLJB Absolute Style, exhibited by Karlee Favor of Marshfield.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – AUPH SL, a 1/7/23 female exhibited by Lydia Hunt of Frohna.

Division I Reserve Champion – SEEE Lucy Loud, a 1/15/23 daughter of SEEE Huck Finn, exhibited by Harley Edwards of Mayview.

Division II Champion – CELL 2390K “Rhianna”, a 9/11/22 daughter

of CELL Heineken 405HET, exhibited by Karlee Favor of Marshfield.

Division II Reserve Champion – GBKR 233K, a 10/21/22 daughter of KLS SULL Charmer, exhibited by Gage Baker of Fulton.

Division III Champion – SHSK Millie ET, a 5/7/22 daughter of Colburn Primo 5153, exhibited by Chelsea Pinnell of Cuba.

Division III Reserve Champion – ELCX Katie, a 5/13/22 daughter of ELCX Kings Landing 599 D ET, exhibited by Saydi Hagedorn of Stover.

Division IV Champion – AUTO KLS Kindle ET, a 2/9/22 daughter of Gateway Follow Me, exhibited by Hadley Artz of Aldrich.

Division IV Reserve Champion – MIAD Kapri, a 4/12/22 daughter of ELCX Draft Day, exhibited by Mia Dobson of Fayette.

Bull Show



The Grand Champion Bull was CV Knockout 2703K, a 4/1/22, black, double polled, purebred son of CB Flint 8773F ET out of MMHH Edna 703E, exhibited by Samantha Callahan of Centerview. He was the Division IV Champion.



Ellie Dill of Marshfield exhibited the Reserve Grand Champion Bull with LDIL Kingston 185K ET, a 10/7/22, homozygous black, homozygous polled, son of CJSJ Creed 5042C out of AUTO Callie 403D ET. He was the Division II Champion.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – KRLE Langston 111, a 1/28/23 son of WFL Hennessy 011H ET, exhibited by Karlee Favor of Marshfield.

Division I Reserve Champion – ANPA 8L, a 1/9/23 bull, exhibited by Ansley Palisch of Frohna.

Division II Reserve Champion – CBHS Kingston 03K, a 10/7/22 son

of Wulfs Genius 5293G, exhibited by Corbin Brockhaus of Holden.

Division III Champion – DCSM Kaiser 252K, an 8/27/22 son of CELL Heavy Hitter, exhibited by Brooke Campbell of Dixon.

Division IV Reserve Champion – Kingston, a 2/26/22 bull, exhibited by Olivia Jacquin of Marthasville.



Ryleigh Morris of Ash Grove, MO, received the “W.D. Pipkin Memorial Scholarship” at the Ozark Empire Fair. Ryleigh is a student at Fort Scott Community College.

“BACK IN TIME”

Do You Know the Answer?

Answers:

1. The four popular “D” bulls in 1969 were Bov’s Diplomate and Dandy, ABS’s Décor, and Curtis’ Doremi.
2. Iowa formed their state Limousin Association in 1971, bringing to eight the number of states or regions that have organized.
3. Dale F. Runnion was appointed Executive Vice President of NALF in 1972.
4. NALF produced a movie titled “7000 Years New” in 1974.
5. Andy Rest, Colorado State University graduate, was appointed editorial assistant at the Limousin Journal in 1977.
6. The first time in the history of the Limousin breed, a BLACK purebred was named Reserve Champion Heifer at the NWSS in Denver in 1979. She was exhibited by Yackley Limousin Ranch of Onida, South Dakota.

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Missouri News...

Missouri State Fair 4-H & FFA Limousin Shows

The Missouri State Fair 4-H and FFA Limousin shows took place Friday, August 18, 2023, at the Donnelly Arena. Missouri juniors from across the state traveled to Sedalia to take part in the shows. Chad Holtkamp of West Point, Iowa, evaluated the bulls and females in both shows as well as the showmanship competition.

At the end of the two shows, the Grand and Reserve Grand Champion 4-H and FFA females competed for the Supreme title. The winner then competed in the "Show Me Shoot Out" on Saturday evening. The Limousin breed was honored to have the Overall Reserve **Supreme** Champion Female and the 3rd Overall Female. They were the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions in the 4-H Show.

4-H SHOW

Female Show



The Grand Champion Female was LDIL Jade 122J ET, a 12/3/21, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 57% Lim-Flex daughter of CJSJ Creed 5042C out of AUTO Callie 403D ET, exhibited by Ellie Dill of Marshfield. She went on to be selected as the Reserve **Supreme** Champion Female in the "Show Me Shoot Out" competition. She was the Division V Champion.



Mallarie Yokley of Moundville took home the Reserve Grand Champion banner with her Division II Champion title with CHHS Kingston 03K, a 10/7/22, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 71% Lim-Flex son of Wulfs Genius 5293G out of CELL 0422H.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – NAHU 24L, a 1/17/23 female exhibited by Afton Palisch of Perry County.

Division II Reserve Champion – GBKR 233K, a 10/21/22 female, exhibited by Gage Baker of Callaway County.

Division III Champion – SHSK Millie ET, a 5/7/22 daughter of Colburn Primo 5153 exhibited by Chelsea Pinnell of Crawford County.

Division III Reserve Champion – JDIL Kora 146K, a 5/11/22 female exhibited by Max Rost of Webster County.

Division IV Champion – AUTO KLS Kindle ET, a 2/9/22 daughter of Gateway Follow Me, exhibited by Hadley Artz of Polk County.

Division IV Reserve Champion – Schillings Kiki, a 4/6/22 female exhibited by Mallarie Yokley of Vernon County.

Division V Reserve Champion – LDIL Jovie, a 10/19/21 daughter of CJSJ Creed 5042C exhibited by Ellie Dill of Webster County.

Bull Show

The Grand Champion Bull, exhibited



by Ellie Dill of Marshfield, was LDIL Kingston 185K ET, a 10/7/22, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 57% Lim-Flex son of CJSJ Creed 5042C out of AUTO Callie 403D. He was the Division II Champion.

Corbin Brockhaus of Holden took home



the Reserve Grand Champion banner and the Division II Reserve Champion title with CHHS Kingston 03K, a 10/7/22, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 71% Lim-Flex son of Wulfs Genius 5293G out of CELL 0422H.

Division Winner:

Division I Champion – ANPA 8L, a 1/9/23 bull exhibited by Ansley Palisch of Perry County.

Showmanship

Showmanship was judged throughout the show by judge Chad Holtkamp.



Mallarie Yokley, left, of Moundville was selected as the Champion Showman and Ellie Dill of Marshfield took Reserve Champion honors.

FFA SHOW

Female Show



The Grand Champion Female was CELL Jessi 1404J, a 9/2/21, double black, homozygous polled, 65% Lim-Flex daughter of ELCX Kings Landing 599 D ET out of LLJ Absolute Style, exhibited by Karlee Favor of Marshfield. She was the Division V Champion.



Austin Hunt of Frohna took home the Reserve Grand Champion banner with his Division V Reserve Champion Female AUPH Jasmine 943J ET, a 9/12/21, homozygous black, polled, 50% daughter of MAGS Federal Reserve ET out of WFL Giggles ET.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – APH 5L, a 1/17/23 female exhibited by Lydia Hunt of Perry County.

Division II Champion – AUTO KLS Kyra, a 10/4/22 purebred daughter of KLS SULL Charmer ET, exhibited by Austin Hunt of Perry County.

Division II Reserve Champion – CELL 2390K "Rhianna", a 9/11/22 daughter of CELL Heineken 405H ET, exhibited by Karlee Favor of Webster County.

Division III Champion – ELCX Katie, a 5/13/22 daughter of ELCX

Kings Landing 599 D ET, exhibited by Saydi Hagedorn of Morgan County.

Division IV Champion – KGDA Style OP 226K, a 3/18/22 daughter of MRL Robin Hood 528R, exhibited by Olivia Jacquin of Warren County.

Division IV Reserve Champion – CV Kettle Korn 242K, a 2/10/22 daughter of TMCK American Made 353D, exhibited by Samantha Callahan of Johnson County.

Bull Show



The Grand Champion Bull, exhibited by Samantha Callahan of Centerville, was the Division IV Champion. CB Knockout 2703K is a 4/1/22, black, double polled, purebred son of CB Flint 8773 ET out of MMHH Edna 703E.



Brooke Campbell of Dixon exhibited the Reserve Grand Champion Bull with DCAM Kaiser 252K, an 8/27/22, double black, homozygous polled, 47% Lim-Flex son of CELL Heavy Hitter 011H out of CELL 8445F. He was the Division III Champion.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – KRLE Langston 111L, a 1/28/23 son of WFL Hennessy 011H ET, exhibited by Karlee Favor of Webster County.

Division IV Reserve Champion – Kingston, a 2/26/22 son of LFL Ferrari 8143 F, exhibited by Olivia Jacquin of Warren County.

Showmanship



Judge Chad Holtkamp of West Point, Iowa, selected Karlee Favor of Marshfield, right, as Champion and Olivia Jacquin of Marthasville as the Reserve Champion Showman.

Nebraska News...

Mark Your Calendars

Mark your calendars for the 32nd Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic, held at the Exposition Center, Ag Pavilion, and East Arena at the Buffalo County Fairgrounds in Kearney February 17-25, 2024. All breed shows will take place on Wednesday, February 21 and the sales for all breeds will be the following day.

The Classic has a variety of events for juniors, seedstock breeders and commercial cattlemen along with a trade show. This has become one of the premier events in the Upper Midwest.

For more information about the Cattlemen's Classic, contact Ronnette Bush-Heinrich, manager, at 308/627-6385 or send an email to rkbush@frontiernet.net.

Number 1 Cow County

Nebraska has the top three beef cow counties in the United States including the nation's Number 1 county. Cherry County, located in north-central Nebraska, has nearly 166,000 cows.

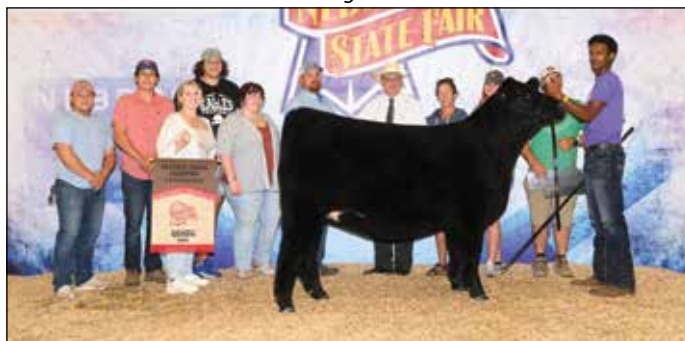
The county covers over 6,000 square miles, making it the largest county in the state. It is known for its diverse geography, which ranges from rolling prairies to rugged canyons, as well as its rich history and cultural heritage.

In the late 1800's settlers began to arrive in the area, and this led to significant changes including the introduction of ranching and agriculture. Fort Niobrara was established in 1880 and it was used as a supply depot. Today it is a National Wildlife Refuge, offering visitors a glimpse into the history of the region and the important role it played in the development of the American West.

Limousin breeders Rob and Brenda Brawner, Bullis Creek Ranch, run their cattle on their 5,000-acre ranch near Wood Lake in Cherry County. Rob says that there is an abundance of water thanks to the Ogallala Aquifer, one of the world's largest aquifers, that underlies an area of approximately 174,000 sq. mi. in portions of eight states.



*Ben Spencer's heifer, J6 Caitlyn, a 3/25/22, homozygous black, polled, 31% Lim-Flex daughter of SCC SCH 24 Karat 838 out of SSTO Caitlyn 5818C, was named Grand Champion Female in the Nebraska State Fair Open and 4-H Shows. She went on to be selected **Supreme** Champion Overall Breeds in the Open Show and Reserve **Supreme** Champion Overall Breeds in the 4-H Show. Congratulations!*



Fullblood News...

National Show

The 12th Annual National Fullblood Limousin Show was held in June in Pryor, Oklahoma. Pictures of the champions were printed in the September/October Heart Beat.

The Reserve Grand Champion Female was DWR Polled Jenny 112J, a 3/13/21, red, polled daughter of GARS Master's Touch out of DWY PLD Emmy Bel 252E, exhibited by Nancy Weems & Ron Coger, Diamond W Ranch of Chelsea, Oklahoma.

Member Meeting

Members of the Fullblood Limousin Alliance (FLA) met in Bowling Green, Kentucky, on October 15, 2023. Nominations for officers and board members were presented: Stephen Haynes, President; Ryan Reed, Vice President; Kim Kosmicke, Secretary; Joe Latendresse, Treasurer; Betty Anglani, Livie Garrison Brenly and Carter Haynes, board members.

The next FLA Show will be held in conjunction with the Missouri

Limousin Breeders Association at the state fairgrounds in Sedalia, Missouri, the weekend of June 7-9, 2024. There will be several shows that weekend including the Missouri Junior and Open Show and the Missouri Cattlemen's Show. Cattle must be in place by Thursday and can leave on Saturday, right after the show.

The NCBA Farm Show in Orlando, Florida, will be January 31-February 2, 2024. Anthony and David Goss will work in the FLA booth.

Please note that if someone purchases their first Fullblood, they will receive a free membership to the FLA. The seller needs to complete the application form for the buyer. Joe Latendresse, treasurer, will then send out a "Welcome Packet".

The next FLA meeting will be held in Branson, Missouri, on January 13, 2024. Further details will be sent out at a later date.



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South Dakota News...

Mark Your Calendars

The 2024 Black Hills Stock Show & Rodeo will be held January 27-February 4 in Rapid City, South Dakota. The Limousin portion of the event will take place February 1 and 2. The South Dakota Limousin Association Annual Meeting, Banquet and Benefit Auction

will be on Thursday, February 1. The next day, the Limousin show will begin at 9:00 a.m. followed by the sale at 1:00 p.m., auctioned by C.K. "Sonny" Booth.

Rapid City becomes a slice of the Old West during the nine days of the BHSS, with cowboys and ranchers coming to town to compete in ten different breeds

of cattle shows and sales, ranch rodeos, and 18 different horse events. There is something for everyone including great shopping, youth events and western entertainment within Rapid City.

It is the second largest event in the state of South Dakota, following the Sturgis Motorcycle Rally.

Congratulations, Bevin

Bevin Bertsche of Onida, South Dakota, exhibited the Grand Champion Overall Heifer at the Brown County Fair Junior Show. She showed SL Cinco De Mayo, a 5/5/22, black, polled, purebred daughter of SSTO Guns N Roses out of Straight 970G.

Limousin Exhibitors Inaugurate New State Fair Livestock Center

The South Dakota State Fair Limousin Open Show was held on Tuesday, August 29, 2023. The show was held two days prior to the opening of the fair due to the fire that destroyed

the livestock barn back in 2020. The new complex, DEX, was not complete at the time that the state fair schedule was announced. The finishing touches were completed in time for the cattle

shows, and the Limousin show was the inaugural event held in the north ring.

Breeders were impressed with the size and brightness of the new Dakota Events Complex, DEX, a multipurpose

livestock and equestrian complex at the South Dakota State Fairgrounds in Huron. Judge Kevin Jensen from Courtland, Kansas, evaluated the Purebred and Lim-Flex shows.

Purebred Show



The Grand Champion Purebred Bull was L7 Koko 2064K, a 4/2/22 son of AHCC Heartland out of L7 Gummy Bear 952G, exhibited by Peterson's L7 Bar Ranch of Pukwana, South Dakota.



Reserve Grand Champion honors went to LFLC Kingpin 123K, a 4/1/22 son of Greenwood Canadian out of LFLC Candyland 123C, exhibited by Ludens Family Limousin of Viborg, South Dakota. (no photo available)



Judge Jensen selected ROMN Karma 11K, a 4/4/22 daughter of AUTO Lucky Guy out of ROMN Dragon Fly 69D, as the Grand Champion Female. She was exhibited by ROM'N Limousin & Club Calves and Greyson Nielson of Arlington, South Dakota.



Reserve Grand Champion honors went to Boss Lake Klarissa 239K, a 3/12/22 daughter of Border Agent out of AUTO Olga 498K, exhibited by Peterson's L7 Bar of Pukwana, South Dakota.

Lim-Flex Show



The Grand Champion Lim-Flex Bull was LFLC Lincoln 100L, a 3/5/23 son of Silveiras Style out of LFLC Eve 203E, exhibited by Ludens Family Limousin.



The Reserve Grand Champion banner went to Big B Klink, a 2/20/22 son of JYF Genuine 354G out of Big B Suttyn's Fancy, exhibited by Big B Cattle of Peterson, Iowa.



The Grand Champion Lim-Flex Female was FSC Kora, a 1/3/22 daughter of TASF Crown Royal 960C out of SSTO Fancy 8865F, exhibited by Bertsche Cattle of Onida, South Dakota.



Reserve Grand Champion honors went to BRLU Kendra 102K, an 11/17/22 daughter of TASF Crown Royal 960C out of FC Zesty 915G, exhibited by Ludens Family Limousin of Viborg, South Dakota.



A beautiful new Livestock complex opened at the South Dakota State Fair.



Kevin Jensen of Courtland, KS, judged the first Limousin Open Show in the new Livestock Center at the South Dakota State Fair.



The new entry at the Dakota Exhibition Center, otherwise known as DEX.



American Royal Crowns Champions

The American Royal Limousin Junior and Level I MOE Open Shows were held October 9, 2023, in Kansas City, Missouri. Breeders from Arkansas, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, South Dakota, and Texas traveled to Kansas City to exhibit their Limousin and Lim-Flex cattle. The day began with the Junior Show immediately followed by the Open Show.

JUNIOR SHOW

Judge Brady Jensen of Courtland, Kansas, evaluated the 28 head of Limousin and Lim-Flex females exhibited by 24 juniors.



The Grand Champion Female was TASF Juneau 559J, an 11/3/21, homozygous black, double polled, 82% daughter of TASF Dauntless 488X out of TASF With Class 345G ET. This Division IV Champion was exhibited by Cloie Bruce of Emerson, Iowa. She was also named Grand Champion in the Open Show as well as Division VI Champion.



The Reserve Grand Champion Female, exhibited by Ben Spencer of Gibbon, Nebraska, was J6 Caitlyn 685K ET, a 3/25/22, homozygous black, polled, 31% Lim-Flex daughter of BNSP SCC SCH 24 Karat 838 out of SSTO Caitlyn 5818C ET. She was the Division III Champion. Ben also took home the Division V Champion banner and then went on to be selected as the Reserve Grand Champion in the Open Show.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – Memphis Peterson of Pukwana, South Dakota, with L7 Lady May 342L, a 5/1/23, 70% Lim-Flex daughter of L7 Just One 1061J.

Division I Reserve Champion – Rory Peterson of Pukwana, South Dakota, with L7 Licorice 301L, a 4/5/23, purebred daughter of Wulfs Hickok 7056H.

Division II Champion – Charlie Pryor of Woodbine, Iowa, with BRDG Google 05K ET, an 11/22/22, 75% Lim-Flex daughter of Schilling Halas ET.

Division II Reserve Champion – Chesney Steenhoek of Maxwell, Iowa, with CELL Elegant Style 2465K, a 5/13/22, 50% Lim-Flex daughter of TASF Heineken 405H ET.

Division III Reserve Champion – McKenna Richardson of Eureka, Kansas, with TUBB MKNA Kamikaze 30K ET, a 5/13/22, 75% Lim-Flex daughter of TASF Crown Royal 960C ET.

Division IV Reserve Champion: Sara Sullivan of Dunlap, Iowa, with MKLN 1105J, an 11/3/21, 25% Lim-Flex daughter of PVF Blacklist 7077.

OPEN SHOW

Judge Jake Bloomberg of Berwick, Illinois, sorted through the 39 head of Limousin and Lim-Flex females and bulls shown by 30 exhibitors.

Female Show

The Grand Champion Female was TASF Juneau 559J, exhibited by Cloie Bruce of Emerson, Iowa. She was also the Grand Champion in the Junior Show.

The Reserve Grand Champion was J6 Caitlyn 685K ET, exhibited by Ben Spencer of Gibbon, Nebraska. She was also the Reserve Grand Champion in the Junior Show.

(photos printed in the Junior Show report)

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – Memphis Peterson of Pukwana, South Dakota, with L7 Lady May 342L, a 5/1/23, 70% Lim-Flex daughter of L7 Just One 1061J.

Division I Reserve Champion – Rory Peterson of Pukwana, South Dakota, with L7 Licorice 301L, a 4/5/23, purebred daughter of Wulfs Hickok 7056H.

Division III Champion – Chesney Steenhoek of Maxwell, Iowa, with CELL Elegant Style 2465K, an 11/3/22, 50% Lim-Flex daughter of TASF Heineken 405H ET.

Division III Reserve Champion – Mallarie Yokley of Moundville, Missouri, with PBRs Sisters Express 2215KI, a 10/4/22, 43% Lim-Flex daughter of Conley Express 7211.

Division IV Champion – McKenna Richardson of Eureka, Kansas, with TUBB MKNA Kamikaze 230K ET, a 5/13/22, 75% Lim-Flex daughter of TASF Crown Royal 960C ET.

Division IV Reserve Champion – Ava Miller of Treynor, Iowa, with SC Kora 521K, a 6/8/22, 58% Lim-Flex daughter of SSTO SKLS Frank 8879F.

Division V Reserve Champion – Sadie Eggers of Humboldt, Kansas, with TUBB/MKNA Kadie 245K ET, a 4/27/22, 75% Lim-Flex daughter of TASF Crown Royal 960C ET.

Division VI Reserve Champion – Minor Limousin of Strafford, Missouri, with MINO Juniper 031J, a 12/9/21, 53% Lim-Flex daughter of MAGS Federal Reserve ET.



Bull Show



The Grand Champion Bull was LRCC Hidden Treasure 117K, a 6/10/22, double black, scurred, 57% Lim-Flex son of MAYC Gold Buckle 624G out of Ratliff Hokeem 005H ET, exhibited by Trace Falkenstien of Oswego, Kansas. He was the Division IV Champion.



Minor Limousin of Strafford, Missouri, took home the Reserve Grand Champion banner with MINO King Julian 011K ET, a 4/5/22, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 60% Lim-Flex son of AUTO King David 120E ET out of MINO Fiona ET. He was the Division V Champion.

Division Winners:

Division I Champion – Memphis Peterson with L7 Luckenbach 3043L, a 4/20/23 Lim-Flex son of L7 Just One 1061J.

Division II Champion – Paige Baier of Griswold, Iowa, with BAIP Lancelot 351L, a 1/11/23, 71% Lim-Flex son DEBV Footloose 828F ET.

Division II Reserve Champion – Karlee Favor of Marshfield, Missouri, with KRLE Langston 111L, a 1/28/23, 66% Lim-Flex son of WFL Hennessy 011H ET.

Division III Champion – Andrew Wright of Chetopa, Kansas, with WB Renegade, a 12/7/22, 43% Lim-Flex son of WB Fire Power.

Division III Reserve Champion – Eliza Truel of Skiatook, Oklahoma, with Troubadour, a 12/4/22, 40% Lim-Flex son of CLK Blue Chip 801.

Division V Reserve Champion – Dalton Miller of Treynor, Iowa, with DLTM Kwik Start 240K ET, a 3/22/22, 50% Lim-Flex son of STAG Good Times 201 ET.

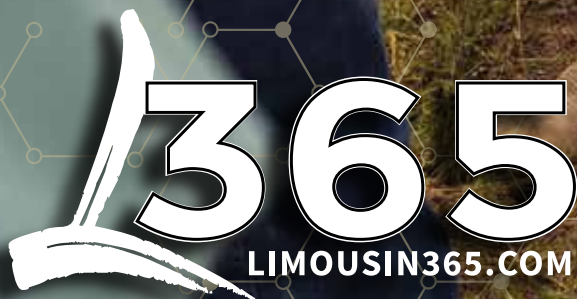
The Premier Breeder was Minor Limousin of Strafford, Missouri, and Peterson's L7 Bar Limousin of Pukwana, South Dakota, was named Premier Exhibitor.

Missouri Limousin breeders Emmett & Deb Edwards and Steve Summers watch the American Royal Show with Dean Summerbell.

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Highlights from the Heartland



Nancy Corns and her six-month-old grandson, Lawson Ruppert, had fun at the Kansas State Fair.



Brewer Farms of Dallas Center, IA, were recognized at the Iowa State Fair for their "Century Farm".



Rick & Susan Little's cattle were on display at the Ozark Fall FarmFest in Springfield, MO.



Del & Jeff Keyes, Mill Road Limousin, of Knapp, WI, hosted Kevin & Blane Council of Madisonville, TX, who hunted bear on their land.



Jerry Effertz of Velva, ND, and Glenn Treftz of Wetonka, SD, enjoyed a piece of pie while visiting Joel Franseen and viewing cattle at Shy Hawk Limousin in Marshfield, WI.



These pillows were made from the "Showing for Jordan" t-shirts in honor of the late Jordan (Straight) Muxfeldt of Logan, IA.



Brenda & Bart Brackman of Concordia, MO, had their LAG booth set up at the Clay Co. Fair in Spencer, IA.



"Limi Ladies" Kari Callahan, Nancy Corns, Sarah Long and Deb Edwards enjoyed their visit at the Harvest Barn in Osceola, IA.



Dean Summerbell enjoyed the Limousin Open Show at the Minnesota State Fair with Lori & Jon Moser, Levi & Emery Marthaler, and Cindy Grotsun.



Doug Biedenfeld, Big B Limousin Cattle of Peterson, IA, was busy working at the Clay Co. Fair in Spencer, IA. He is on the Executive Committee of the fair.



Kaycie, Clay, Kambrie & Cogan Schilling, Old 24 Cattle of Goodland, KS, gathered together to discuss the show at the Kansas State Fair.



Congratulations to Pam Callahan of Centerview, MO, for being inducted into the Missouri "4-H Hall of Fame". Corbin Brockhaus, her grandson, had the honor of presenting the award.



Matt Duff of Hampton, MN, Dakota/Washington Co. Livestock Judging Coach, was very proud of his team for taking home the Minnesota State Fair 4-H Intermediate Champion trophy. Matt is on the Heartland and Minnesota Limousin Board of Directors.



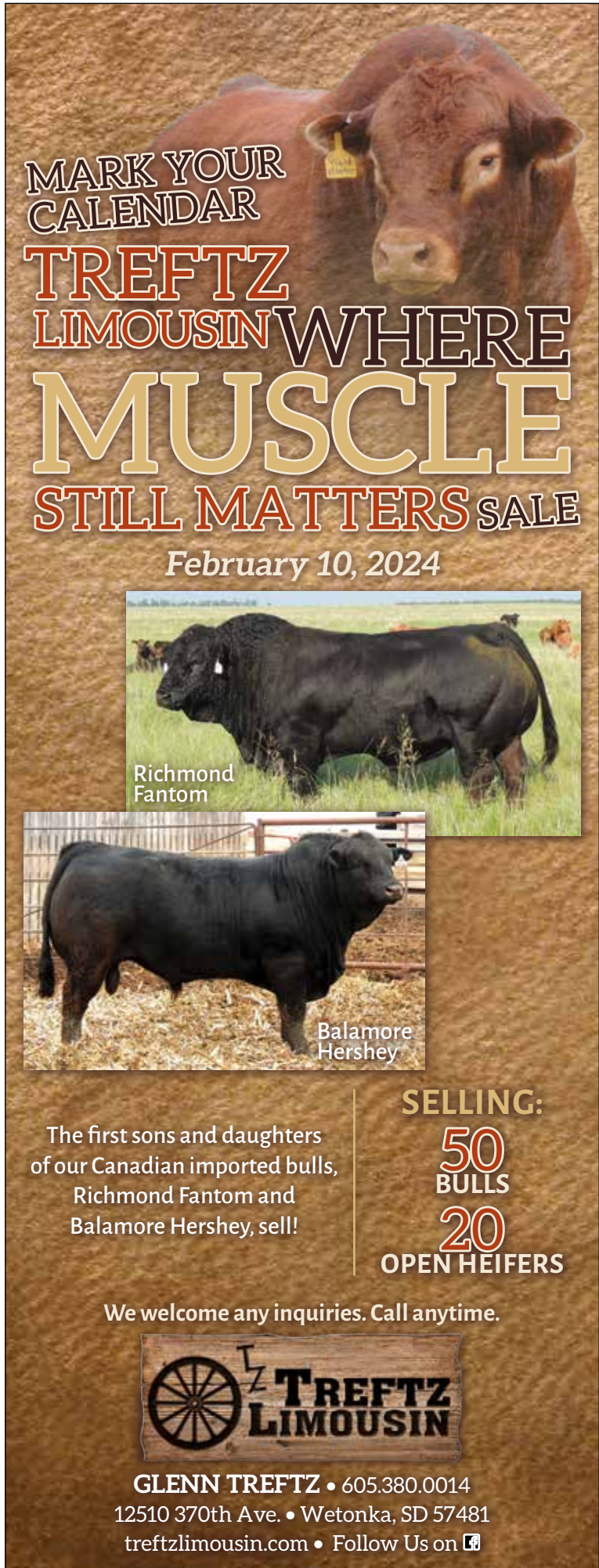
Paul Bartsh of Rushford, MN, is very active with the juniors and the North Star Points Series. He also took home the Reserve Grand Champion title with his cow/calf pair at the Minnesota State Fair.




Wiley Fanta visited with Steve & Beckie Duff at the Minnesota State Fair Open Show.




Wisconsin Limousin exhibitors Del & Jeff Keyes, Mill Road Limousin of Knapp, look over the Minnesota State Fair Limousin Open Show program.



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Heartland Sale Reports

Vorthmann/DebV Hold Annual Private Treaty Sale

Roger and Ann Vorthmann along with Deb and George Miller held their 21st Annual Private Treaty Sale at the farm near Treynor, Iowa. The sunny sky boosted temps to near record highs for the sale September 30, 2023. A good crowd was on hand to evaluate and bid on the Purebred and Lim-Flex bulls, heifers, bred females and steers.



Iowa Limousin Association President Paul Millhollin of Peru, IA, and Dean Summerbell talked about fall harvest at the sale.

Buyers had the opportunity to view the cattle prior to the sale. Those not able to attend phoned-in their bids. The final bid-off was held at 2:00 p.m. with Roger Vorthmann serving as the auctioneer.

The high-selling heifer, DEBV Lemon Drop 318L, a 2/5/23, double black, homozygous polled, 59% Lim-Flex daughter of Alter Ego out of DEBV Flash Dancer 829F ET, was purchased by Wilder Limousin of Snook, Texas, for \$9,250.

Bradley White of Dayton, Texas, purchased DEBV Lainey Wilson 338L a 3/9/23, double black, homozygous polled, 82% Limousin daughter of DEBV Gladiator out of CELL 7124E for \$6,500.

Two bulls were purchased for \$6,000 each. Old 24 Cattle of Goodland, Kansas, purchased DLTM Kwik Start 240K ET, a 3/22/22, black, homozygous polled, 50% Lim-Flex son of STAG Good Times 201ET out of DEBV Grace 930G.

Moss & Kiser Ranches of Lufkin, Texas, purchased DEBV Gladiator 917G, a 1/31/19, black, homozygous polled, 84% Limousin son of CELL Envision 7023E out of DEBV Copper Penny.

Curtis McClellan of Guthrie Center, Iowa, had the final bid of \$5,000 on DEBV Little Jake 303L, a 1/3/23, black, homozygous polled, 79% Limousin son of DLTM Jake Brake 118J.

Reid Anderson and Art of Council Bluffs, Iowa, purchased DLTM Kisses 236K, a 4/1/22, double black, homozygous polled, 73% Lim-Flex daughter of AHCC Heartland 901F ET out of DEBV Harriet 028H, bred to Alter Ego for a February calf, for \$4,500. He also bought a bull on the sale.

Averages:

6 Bulls.....	\$5,083
4 Heifers.....	\$5,313
4 Breds.....	\$3,185
1 Steer.....	\$1,700
<u>Total:</u>	
15 Lots.....	\$4,413

Sale Management: MC Marketing Management



Deb Miller & Roger Vorthmann thanked Paul Millhollin, his daughter, Sarah, and her husband, Ben Smith of Peru, IA, for purchasing a bred female.



Deb Miller (left) and Dalton Miller along with Roger Vorthmann (right) thanked Joslynn, Fritz, & Paige Baier of Griswold, IA, for their purchase of four head at their Private Treaty Sale.



Roger Vorthmann announced the winning bids at their Private Treaty Sale held at their farm near Treynor, IA.



Deb Miller & Roger Vorthmann thanked Sarah & William Long of Afton, IA, for buying a bull at the sale.



Deb Miller (left), Dalton Miller & Roger Vorthmann (right) expressed their appreciation to Reid Anderson and Art of Council Bluffs, IA, for purchasing a bred heifer and a bull at their Private Treaty Sale.



Rodger & Patty Woodard of Calhan, CO, visited with Kiley McKinna, sale consultant, at the sale on September 30.

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Heartland Sale Reports

ACH Holdings Hosts 9th Annual Sale in Bowling Green

Stephen, Emily and Carter Haynes, ACH Holdings, LLC, hosted the 9th Annual Foundation Sale September 16, 2023, at United Producers in Bowling Green, Kentucky. Eleven consignors from Illinois, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio, Oklahoma, Tennessee and Texas brought a quality set of Fullblood, Purebred and Lim-Flex cattle to the sale on a warm fall day.

Carroll Cannon of Ty Ty, Georgia, served as the auctioneer for the buyers who came from eleven states: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio, Oklahoma, Tennessee and West Virginia. Those who were not able to attend the sale could bid on Top Shelf On-Line.

The top-selling bull was JWJL Ace High 281J, a 10/2/21, red, polled, Fullblood son of Procters Borrins out of JL Sweet Irish Rose. He was consigned by Jarnagin Limousin of Mascot, Tennessee, and was purchased by George and Stacey Fisher of Bonifay, Florida, for \$5,650. The Fishers were volume buyers, taking home seven head.

Another popular bull was BCVF Kushner 096K, a 9/28/22, double black, homozygous polled, purebred son of Wulfs Genius 5293G out of Just-A-Mere

Nadia 96X. He was consigned by B-C-V Farms of Somerset, Ohio, and purchased by Lawrence Berry of Hardinsburg, Kentucky, for \$3,600.

Jim Ramsey of Richmond, Ohio, purchased BCVF Kuhn 805K, a 10/14/22, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 73% Lim-Flex son of Wulfs Genius 5293G out of BCVF First Class 805F ET for \$3,250. He was consigned by B-C-V Farms of Somerset, Ohio.

The top-selling bred heifer was JWJL Lacey 151J, a red, polled, Fullblood daughter of JL Irish Whiskey 275C out of JL Poll Febee consigned by Jarnagin Limousin of Mascot, Tennessee. She was purchased by Jason Tabor of Princeton, West Virginia, for \$4,100.

The top-selling pair was BCVF Haasah C301H, a 3/26/20, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 78% daughter of Wulfs Compliant K687C ET out of TMCK Cover 301C, consigned by B-C-V Farms of Somerset, Ohio. She sold with her 4/3/23, double black, double polled, 78% bull calf sired by TMK Linkin Park 823J at side. The pair was purchased by Tad and Vanessa Slaten of Somerville, Alabama, for \$3,750.

Paul Hefner of Portland, Tennessee, had the final

bid of \$3,400 on BCVF Gray Wolf 903G ET, a 2/10/19, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 62% Lim-Flex daughter of Wulfs Conversion 3970C out of Wulfs Cartwheel 5209C, consigned by B-C-V Farms of Somerset, Ohio. She was sold with her 5/21/23, homozygous black, homozygous polled, 76% bull calf at side sired by Wulfs Genius 5293G.

Averages:

***Fullblood Limousin**

9 Bred Females.....	\$2,762
6 Open Heifers.....	\$2,192
7 Bulls.....	\$2,638

***Purebred, Percentage, Lim-Flex**

13 Bred Females.....	\$2,185
5 Cow/Calf Pairs.....	\$3,300
4 Open Heifers.....	\$1,975
7 Bulls.....	\$2,972

Total:

54 Lots.....	\$2,418
Semen Lots.....	\$3,620

Auctioneer: Carroll T. Cannon
Sale Consultant: Helton Consulting, LLC



Stephen, Emily & Carter Haynes, ACH Holdings of Bowling Green, KY, have been hosts of the Foundation Sale for nine years.



Long-time Limousin supporters Carroll and Patsie Cannon of Ty Ty, GA, traveled to Bowling Green where Carroll served as auctioneer for the sale.



Jason Tabor of Princeton, WV, purchased the top-selling bred heifer from Jim & Bertha Jarnagin.



Jim & Bertha Jarnagin of Mascot, TN, appreciated George & Stacey Fisher of Bonifay, FL, for their purchase of their high-selling bull. The Fishers were the volume buyers of seven head at the sale.



Paul Hefner of Portland, TN, purchased a high-selling pair at the sale.



Robert Esser of Erwin, TN, and Jammie Stricklin of Galatia, IL, were both consignors and buyers at the Foundation 9 Sale.



Noah Evans and son, Nick, of Fordsville, KY, purchased two bulls at the Foundation Sale.



Gary & Barbara Thurby and son, Heath, from Henderson, KY, purchased four head at the sale.



Auctioneer Carroll T. Cannon & Dean Summerbell watched for bids at the sale.



Ben Petre & Caleb Miller, B-C-V Farms Somerset, OH, and Ben's sons Colton, Evan and Carter were consignors.



Heartland Limousin Association members Rick & Susan Little of Eldon, MO, were consignors at the sale.

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CE: 16 BW: -1.4 WW: 75 YW: 109

MK: 37 CM: 10 SC: 0.60 DC: 18 YG: -0.12

CW: 36 RE: 0.62 MB: 0.61 \$MI: 76

Semen available through

Grassroots Genetics (515-229-5227).



SYES Easy Going 77E

Purebred • Homo Polled • Black

COLE Businessman 104B x Miss SYES Ransom 76X

CE: 19 BW: -4.3 WW: 60 YW: 92

MK: 15 CM: 13 SC: 0.70 DC: 20 YG: -0.61

CW: 22 RE: 1.35 MB: -0.44 \$MI: 37

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