

North Dakota Hereford Association

November 2016

North Star Classic

Saturday, December 3, 2016 • 3:00 pm CST • Sale on DV Auction



2016 Donation Heifer

Tickets are available by contacting
Steve Wolff or Joana Friesz.



New Royalty and Recipients of the Heifer Grants. Left to right: Anna Lemm, Hillsboro, ND —2016 NDHA Queen. Kasi Holm, Ashley, ND —\$250 heifer grant recipient. Jake Cargo, Towner, ND —\$250 heifer grant recipient. Mikanna Christl, Fingal, ND —\$250 heifer grant recipient. Jaime Lundquist, Hampden, ND —\$500 Klein Memorial heifer grant recipient. LaMae Turk, Jamestown, ND —2016 NDHA Princess.

The NSC Hereford Sale catalog is available to view at
www.NorthDakotaHerefords.com



Lot 1 Donation Heifer is donated by Topp Herefords, Grace City, ND. We have 26 head of fancy heifer calves, 3 steers, and 2 embryo packages consigned to the sale. We encourage any juniors purchasing a heifer calf to complete the NDHA Junior Grant Application – (3) \$250 grants will be awarded by the NDHA and the Klein Family (Bruce and Cody Klein and Pat Weber), who will once again award a \$500 heifer grant in honor of their parents. *Applications are due to Friesz by December 1st.*

NEW: The NSC has added the “Cattleman’s Ball and Sale” which will be a formal attire event held on Friday evening, December 2nd, at 7:30 at the Valley City Eagles Club. This will feature a prime rib supper, a sale of 10 elite lots, and a raffle drawing. This sale will be 10 lots from all breeds – there will be 2 Hereford lots in the sale – info will be in the NSC catalog. Tickets are \$100 which includes the prime rib supper and a chance in winning a \$5000 buyers credit to be used in the Friday evening sale – there will be a cash option if you are not interested in the sale credit and drawings for many other prizes. This event was implemented as a fundraiser to help with the electricity costs in maintaining future NSC events. This is their 17th year and is the largest cattle show in North Dakota. We need to support this event as it is also the venue of our annual meeting, banquet and sale. 270 tickets will be available and you can contact Steve Wolff for tickets 701-710-1574.

Also, our annual banquet is moved from Friday evening to Saturday evening after the sale at the VFW, with the social at 6:00 pm followed by the banquet at 6:30 pm. Please contact Joana and let her know if attending and how many to plan for the meal count.

Dear Hereford Breeders,

The North Star Classic is near and so it is time for our annual meeting, sale, and heifer raffle fundraiser. This year, the heifer was donated by Topp Herefords. Thank you to the Topp family for this donation!

This year has seen a lot of extremes and volatility in the markets and the weather. North Dakota has always been witness to these extremes and this year was no exception, with a drought in the southwest and too much moisture in the northeast.

Commodity prices have stabilized, but are still lower than previous years. We all need to take stock in our genetics and truly put a pencil to our breeding programs and keep our animals efficient and profitable. The Hereford breed has made great strides in performance and carcass merit but we still have a lot of work to accomplish. We still have a large potential market to capture! The Certified Hereford Beef program continues to grow and we need to tap into that momentum to keep our sales strong.

Please join us in Valley City for the North Star Classic and annual meeting.

-Gary F. Friedt, President



NEWS

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Leon Seefeld of Harvey, ND was the recipient of the 2015 NDHA Breeder of the Year.



2015 Donation Heifer

Winners of the donation heifer provided by Duane and Dana Stuber, Stuber Ranch, Bowman, ND was Larry and Logan Behm, Beulah, ND.



Providing entertainment during the NDHA annual banquet was Randy, Elli, and Anna Lemm.



NEW DEADLINE for 2017/2018 NDHA Directory is December 15th – please email your ad info to Jill Hotchkiss at Hereford America by then – the prime pages will be auctioned at the NDHA annual banquet on Saturday, December 3rd. See the enclosure with the cost of the pages and you can select what you want and mail your payment to NDHA.

Queen/Princess Candidates –Any young female interested in running for Queen/Princess in promoting the Hereford breed, please Contact Elli or Anna Lemm. Selection will be made at the annual banquet.

Check out the website and advertise your upcoming sales or promote your herd in a banner ad – see the enclosure for cost. Ads will be designed by Hereford America – great exposure at a reasonable price for a year.

Annual dues are due by December 15, 2016 to be included in the membership section of the Hereford directory and NDHA website. Dues for purebred breeder is \$40 and commercial breeder is \$20.

2016 Donation Heifer is being provided by Topp Herefords, Grace City, ND for the annual heifer raffle to be held at the NSC Hereford Sale – December 3rd. If you are unable to make it to the sale and want to purchase tickets please contact Joana Friesz at 701-400-8744 or Steve Wolff at 701-710-1574. Thank you Ryan and Prairie.

Junior Heifer Grant Applications are due to Joana Friesz by November 28, 2016 – application is enclosed and also can be found on the NDHA website. Past juniors receiving a heifer grant are eligible to apply again. Junior must be present during the sale – 3 - \$250 grants will be given by the NDHA and the Klein Family Memorial grant of \$500 by Bruce and Cody Klein and Pat Weber.

North Star Classic Hereford Sale December 5, 2015 Valley City, ND Auctioneer: Andy Mrnak 16 heifer calves – avg \$3359 - 4 Bred Heifers avg — \$3262- 6 Steers avg— \$1,650 Lot 1 heifer, SR Debbie 5100C by SR Sustain 942Z, donated by Stuber Herefords, Bowman, ND, \$6,840 in tickets and went to Larry J. Behm and Family, Beulah, ND. Top Selling Heifers: Lot 11, SR DS Senita 503C, 3/6/15 by Churchill Sensation 028X from Stuber Herefords, Bowman, ND to Pete Loehr, Peoria, IL, \$6,750. Lot 9, TTFL 1231 0924 Dance 1524, 2/27/15 by CKP About Time 0924 from Friesz Livestock, New Salem, ND to Jaime Lundquist, Hampden, ND, \$5,500. Lot 14, Behm OT Maddy 518C, 3/13/15 by R On Target 4673 from Larry J. Behm Family, Beulah, ND to Aaseth Farm and Ranch, Velva, ND, \$4,250. Lot 15, Friesz Livestock, to Kaleb Neshem, Berthold, ND, \$4,000. Top Steers: Lot 26, from Friesz Livestock to Cole Voorhees, Benson, MN, \$2,200.

Programs and Events that the NDHA provides sponsorship:

Midwest Classic Hereford Show, Pipestone, MN; ND Junior Beef Expo, Minot, ND; Jr Natl Hereford Expo – ND Jrs Participating; CHB lunch, NSC, Valley City, ND; Great Plains Regional Jr Hereford Show, West Fargo, ND; ND Military Appreciation Days, NDSF, Minot, ND; ND Jr Hereford Field Day, NDSF, Minot, ND; Tomorrows Tops Hands Leadership Summit, Bismarck, ND; Junior Hereford Heifer Grants, NSC, Valley City, ND; County Fair Champions for Juniors in 4-H/FFA; ND Cattlewomens Beefwalk

NDHA ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

Friday, December 4, 2015 • Valley City, ND

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Levi Landers called the meeting to order. The Secretary's Report from the 2014 Annual Meeting was in the newsletter. Mark Rockeman made a motion to dispense the reading of the minutes and 2nd by Steve Wolff. Joana Friesz handed out Treasurer's Report and reviewed with the members. Motion to accept by Steve Wolff and 2nd by Jimmy Carter.

Old Business: The 2015 NSC donation heifer is provided by Stuber Ranch, Bowman, ND. Steve Wolff indicated that Topp Herefords offered to donate the 2016 donation heifer— Thank you to the generous breeders. Talked about the booth and Hereford promotion – we will again be serving our free CHB beef sandwiches on sale day in the Frontier Building pen area where the sale cattle will be displayed along with silent auction. We will continue with that for 2016 along with donuts Friday and Saturday morning in the trailer booth.

NDHA web site is up and running – the banner ads are available on the website – cost is \$240 for a year's ad if you are a NDHA member – please contact Joana about placing an ad – the ad material goes to Hereford America to place on website. Also, contact Joana to place your sale on the website calendar and on the NDHA FB page. The ads are very reasonable and the revenue is used for NDHA promotion.

The Klein Family Memorial Heifer Grant will be offered again and the family has committed to do it for 10 years – 2015 is the 6th year. We have 4 junior grant applications.

The directory deadline was discussed – Hereford America needs the ad material more timely to get the directory done if we want them done by Denver or go back to the deadline of mid December and then the directories would be done by mid January. Looks like we will auction the prime pages at the annual banquet and then make sure the ad info deadline is December 15th to have enough time for ad info to get to Hereford America and directory assembled and to print. Directory year will be 2016/17.

Joana read the junior association's report provided by Ashley Giedd. Currently have 24 members , 3 juniors attended JNHE in Grand Island in July. Their annual meeting and election of officers was held at the NDJHA field day at NDSF. Junior field day was attended by 14 juniors showing 15 heifers, 3 steers, 2 pairs and 2 bulls.

New Business: The future of the NSC was discussed. Steve Wolff reported that this year the NSC needs to at least break even to continue. The electricity demand charge is the expense that puts the event in the red. A NSC livestock meeting will be held after the NSC to determine the outcome.

The 2015/2016 proposed budget was reviewed - Motion to accept by Leon Seefeld and 2nd by Carl Olson.

Friesz handed out the semen list for the donated semen for the auction at the banquet – 10 lots donated by 7 breeders.

The board and membership extends Congratulations to Marlene and the late Jim Mrnak and their family on being the 2015 AHA Breeder of the Year.

Carl Olson made motion to give \$200 to each junior that participates in any event at the JNHE and is a paid member of the NDJHA. Gary Friedt 2nd motion carried.

The board and membership sends their prayers to Bruce Klein for continued recovery for dealing with some health issues.

Director Elections – terms up are Andy Mrnak, Steve Wolff and Larry Behm – (all finished their 2nd term) and replacing the late Troy Perman.

New Director nominations – Randy Lemm to fill Troy Perman term – up in 2016, Other directors nominated and elected Duane Keller, Zach Tessier, and Carl Olson.

Election of Officers as follows:

Gary Friedt – president – motion by Randy Lemm – 2nd by Carl Olson

Carl Olson – Vpres – motion by Randy Lemm – 2nd by Zac Tessier

Joana Friesz – sec/treas. Motion by Mark Rockeman and 2nd by Craig Pelton.

Motion to adjourn by Gary Friedt and 2nd by Larry Behm.

Submitted by Joana Friesz – secretary.

JUNIOR EVENTS

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Junior National Hereford Expo

The Junior National Hereford Expo (JNHE) is the highlight of most Hereford youths' summer activities. It is held each July, and is co-sponsored by the AHA and affiliated junior and state Hereford associations.

Known to many as the ultimate family vacation, the JNHE provides an opportunity for competition of both junior members and their cattle projects. A hands-on type of program for youth provides educational, leadership and motivational forums. During the event youth can participate in more than 20-skill based contests.

The 2017 show is scheduled for July 15-21 in Louisville, KY, at:
Kentucky Exposition Center
937 Phillips Ln., Louisville, KY 40209

2016 JNHE

The 4 Juniors that represented North Dakota at the JNHE in Madison, WI in July are pictured below.



Jaime Lundquist, placed 5th in Owned



Thomas Friesz, placed 2nd in Owned
and Bred and Owned



Rylee Lodoen, placed 3rd in Owned



Kadey Holm showed her steer

County Achievement Days

The NDHA pays \$50 for Grand and \$25 for Reserve to juniors that win supreme with their Hereford heifer or steer. Please email photo to joana@northlandinsuranceagency.com by December 15th if you qualify.



Kasi Holm, Grand Champion
Heifer, Dickey Co. Fair



Mac Stuber, Grand Champion
Heifer, Slope Co. Fair



Mace Stuber, Reserve Heifer,
Slope Co. Fair



Mitch Stuber, Reserve Steer,
Slope Co. Fair

Upcoming Regional/Local Junior Hereford Events

2017 Midwest Classic Show, Pipestone, MN—June 23-25

2017 Great Plains Regional Hereford Show—July, during the Red River Valley Fair, West Fargo, ND

2017 Junior Hereford Field Day- NDSF, Minot, ND—July 25

***Contact Joana Friesz or Steve Wolff with any questions.

2016 ND JUNIOR FIELD DAY

July 26, 2016 • NDSF, Minot ND

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North Dakota Junior Hereford Field Day Results:

Champion Steer — Kadey Holm, Forbes, ND with a steer sired by NJW 78P Twentytwelve 190Z ET. **Reserve Champion Steer** — LaMae Turk, Jamestown, ND with a steer sired by Rafter T L1 2019. **Champion Bull** — Shane Giedd, Washburn, ND with GHR 028 Sensation 505. **Reserve Champion Bull** — Riley Thom, Spiritwood, ND with Rafter T L1 5005. **Champion Bred & Owned Heifer** — Thomas Friesz, New Salem, ND with TTFL 13U 0924 Lady Belle 1537 sired by CKP About Time 0924, March 5, 2015. **Reserve Bred & Owned Heifer** — Bridget Kunz, New Salem with February 2016 heifer calf by Red Baron. **Champion Owned Heifer & Overall Champion Heifer** — Lynsey Schmitz, Oakes, ND with SOCF MS Reba 521, April 1, 2015 sired by KJ HVN 33N Redeem 485T. **Reserve Champion Owned Heifer** — Braden Bailey, Towner, ND with GF Jenny C64, February 27, 2015 sired by RST Times A Wastin 0124.

Champion North Star Classic Comeback Heifer & Champion Sr. Showman — Jaime Lundquist, Hampden, ND with TTFL 1231 0924 Dance 1524 a February 27, 2015 heifer sired by CKP About Time 0924. **Reserve NSC Comeback Heifer & Jr. Champion Showman** — Kasi Holm, Forbes, ND with TTFL 010Y 338 MS Baron 1507 a February 15, 2015 heifer sired by VIN MAR TCC BPF Red Baron 338. **Champion Junior Showman** — Kasi Holm, Forbes and Reserve Bridget Kunz, New Salem. **Champion Intermediate** — Lynsey Schmitz, Oakes and Reserve LaMae Turk, Jamestown. **Champion Senior** — Jaime Lundquist, Hampden and **Reserve Senior** Shane Giedd, Washburn. **Champion Pee Wee Showman** — Kaleb Neshem, Berthold, ND and Reserve Bailey Kunz, New Salem, ND

Champion Cow/Calf Pair — Bridget Kunz, New Salem, ND with TTFL 707 0924 MS Time 1440 and a February heifer calf sired by VIN MAR TCC BPF Red Baron 338. **Reserve Cow/Calf Pair** — Shane Giedd, Washburn, ND with CKP Starline 1071 with March bull calf by HH Advance 1173Y E.

Photos by Bailey Hawbaker.



Bridget Kunz
Reserve Champion B&O Heifer



Thomas Friesz



Anna Lemm
Queen and Photographer



Shane Giedd—Reserve Pair



Lynsey Schmitz



Kasi Holm



Riley Thom



Kadey Holm



Kaleb Neshem

2016 NORTH STAR CLASSIC SCHEDULE

December 2nd – Open Class Hereford Show

December 2nd – Annual Meeting – approximately 3 pm in the NDWS board meeting room

December 2nd – Cattleman’s Ball and Sale — Eagles — 7:30 pm

December 3rd – NSC Pen show 9:30 am — beginning with heifers

December 3rd – NDHA and Vitaferm sponsored CHB sandwich lunch at 11 am in the Frontier Building (sale area) along with viewing of the sale cattle. ND Junior Hereford Assn. will hold a silent auction — proceeds used for field day.

3:00 pm Hereford Sale

6:00 pm Annual Banquet (6 pm Social, 6:30 Supper) — VFW — Crowning new Hereford Royalty and Hereford Breeder of the Year. Auction of the prime pages of the new 2017/2018 directory will be done at the banquet and also a silent auction with proceeds going to the ND Junior Hereford Assn.

****Please bring an item for the silent auctions in support of our Juniors.*

December 4th – Junior Hereford Show

Board of Directors

- Gary Friedt - President
- Carl Olson - Vice President
- Joana Friesz - Sec/Treas
- Mark Rockeman
- Rollie Baumgarten
- Todd Kuelbs
- Randy Lemm
- Zach Tessier
- Duane Keller
- Craig Pelton



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2016 North Dakota Field Day



Jaime Lundquist



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Bridget Kunz

...See more inside!

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