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Cattle on Display at the Wisconsin and Iowa State Fairs



Jill Messmer, Messmer-izing Farms, Rock Springs, WI

Belted Galloway cattle were on display at the Wisconsin State Fair in Milwaukee, Wisconsin during August. Based on the number of photos snapped during the three-day exhibit, hundreds — if not thousands — of photos of both children and adults posing with Belted Galloway cattle must have been posted to Facebook and Instagram pages across the country. All the exposure gave us a fantastic opportunity to evangelize the benefits of Belted Galloway cattle and Beltie beef! And trust me -- we had a lot to say, but let me back up a bit.

During the month of July, Matt and I were contacted by GLBGA about exhibiting Belted Galloway during the Wisconsin State Fair in early August. We were honored to be asked, but because we had no experience, we were unfamiliar with what this exhibit was all about and so we were a bit hesitant. Karlyn and Terry Etheridge (WI), as well as Kathi Jurkowski (IL), talked us through it and we bit the bullet and committed to go.

The GLBGA and the Belted Galloway Society, Inc. supplied a large tri-fold display and plenty of printed materials and handouts. The State Fair gave us free fair passes, hay, bedding, and stall gate panels. All we had to supply were animals to exhibit and people to man the booth.

Matt and I decided to invite two of the boys that had shown our cattle at our county fair. We thought this would give them an invaluable experience. They were charged with the basic

care of the cattle: feeding, watering, and keeping the bedding clean. My husband Matt and I were freed up to answer questions and to promote the Belties.

We decided there was power in numbers so we took two animals: a two-year-old bred heifer and a yearling steer. The animals had been shown successfully and were well mannered and familiar with a fair environment.

The "wow" factor of the Belties drew people to our exhibit plus the fact that we let people touch them! Matt and I decided that in addition to the education of our exhibit, it would be nice for the public to put their hands onto that luxurious fur to make the Belties just that much more memorable. I think we might have had the only cattle on exhibit at the fair where people were being allowed to get close and personal with the animals.

While Matt handled the human/animal interactions, I stayed closer to the information table and became the educator. I used every opportunity I could to expound on the virtues of the breed. The new Society Beltie Beef promotional card was invaluable. I used the chart on the back to show the dramatic difference in fat content from different meat sources. There were a lot of people that were interested in healthier meat and they were excited about the prospect of purchasing Beltie beef. GLBGA literature includes a map and breeder's directory. Fairgoers used their phones to snap a shot of the map page. Obviously, most of the fair-goers that I spoke with were from

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Cattle on Display (continued)

the Milwaukee area, but there were also people from many other areas of the state and even the country. Some people wish that grass-fed Beltie beef were available in grocery stores, but there were just as many that like the idea of skipping the middle man and knowing exactly where their food is coming from.

It was an exhausting experience, but one I wouldn't want to change. It was wonderful to be able to go out into the public to talk about and show off what we love the most --Belted Galloway cattle! You may want to consider doing an exhibition at your state fair. I know Matt and I would do it again in a heart-beat!

Iowa State Fair's Avenue of Breeds

Bob Boardman, Bit of Bliss Farm, Peru, Iowa



Each year fairgoers at the Iowa State Fair look forward to seeing its many traditional exhibits. One of those traditions has included the Avenue of Breeds. While the Avenue of Breeds started as an exhibit

of different cattle breeds within the cattle barn, it was moved to its present location in the northeast corner of the swine barn in 1985 with an expansion to feature other farm animals to include horses, chickens, sheep, goats and hogs. The Avenue of Breeds allows visitors the opportunity to see many different breeds of farm animals, in one location. The purpose of the Avenue of Breeds is twofold: to provide information, and to exhibit living examples of the farm animals that can be found

in Iowa. The Iowa State Fair was an 11-day event from August 7 -17, 2014.

The Coalition to Support Iowa's Farmers (CSIF) sponsors the "Avenue of Breeds." The CSIF is a non-partisan and non-profit organization started in 2004 to help livestock farmers responsibly and successfully choose operational sites to protect air and water quality and enhance neighbor and community relations.

The Avenue of Breeds has grown, and now exhibits 125 animals, representing 100 breeds. For several years, the North Polk FFA Chapter has been responsible for the daily care of the exhibit's livestock. North Polk FFA members are also on hand to answer livestock-related questions during the hours of 9 am to 9 pm when the exhibit is open to the public. Many North Polk FFA members stay at the fairgrounds around the clock during the 11 days of the Iowa State Fair. Their hard work has contributed greatly to the continued growth of the Avenue of Breeds.

The Belted Galloway first appeared as part of Iowa State Fair's Avenue of Breeds in 1995 sponsored by Malabar Farm, owned by Loren Olson and managed by Douglas Mortimer. Malabar Farm sponsored the Beltie representative at the Avenue of Breeds each year through the 2012 Iowa State Fair.

When my family moved from Illinois to their acreage near Peru, Iowa in 2003, they attended their very first Iowa State Fair. My wife, Bethene, and daughter, Stephanie, visited the Avenue of Breeds and were most impressed with the Belted Galloway on exhibit. As a result, we contacted Malabar Farm in near-by St. Charles and in December 2003 purchased our first Beltie. Our farm continues to use Malabar Farm herd-development principles for raising Belted Galloway cattle. This was the second year that we sponsored the Beltie representative at the Iowa State Fair's Avenue of Breeds.

We used two females for the exhibit —a five-year-old cow for the first half of the eleven days exhibit followed by two-year-old cow for the remainder of the exhibit.

BGJA Youth Continue to Exhibit at Illinois and Indiana State Fairs



Illinois. Krystina Short, Jakob Donovan, Lane Rahe and Ryan Fogle showed seven heifers at the 2014 Illinois State Fair. They are making progress toward the requirement of 10 head for a Belted Galloway breed show.



Indiana. Top row Brook Sands, Addy Bishop, Lily Ford, Izzy Bishop, Angela Abney, Allie Abney, Abby Booe, Hannah Maggiore, and Morgan Bales. Bottom row: Sawyer Bales, Dayton Siebert, Alexia Finke, Marshal Finke and Doug Abney. The group showed five heifers and five steers.

Belted Galloway Producer Adds Value to a Small-Scale Venture

Leanne Fogle, *US Beltie News*

Belted Galloway breeder Eric Marshall of Heyworth, Illinois was notified in August 2014 that he is the first approved USDA Grass-Fed Certified Small Producer in the State of Illinois. The USDA Grass-Fed Program for Small and Very Small (SVS) Producers was designed as a verification tool for small and very small producers to certify that animals meet the requirements of the AMS Grass (Forage) Fed Marketing Claim Standard. The program targets producers who market 49 cattle or fewer each year and/or lambs produced from 99 ewes or fewer. As part of USDA-



wide efforts to create more opportunities for small-scale livestock producers, AMS designed an economical application process for SVS producers, using the USDA Certified Grass-Fed claim as its first example.

Eric Marshall founded Homestead Harvests LLC in 2007 and he began raising Belted Galloway cattle exclusively in 2011. He was introduced to the Belted Galloway breed when he began researching an ideal grass-fed breed for his operation at the American Livestock Breeders Conservancy.

Homestead Harvests LLC is a small-scale venture with 12 Belted Galloway cattle in the herd.

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Fryeburg Fair — Maine



Grand Champion Heifer, PCSC Step Aside. Bred & owned by Matt Thurston (ME).

Aldermere Farm (ME), Boulder Cattle Co (ME), Breezy Knoll Farm (ME), Bumpus Farm (ME), Casa Cattle Co. (ME), Colby Woods Cattle (ME), Ferry Ridge Farm (ME), Holbrook Hill Farm (ME), Journey's End Farm (ME), Meadowlark Homestead Farms (ME), Mitchell Ledge Farm (ME), Moonshadow Farm (ME), Pine Creek Show Cattle (ME), Pine View Farm (ME), Ponderosa Farm (ME), Rota-Spring Farm (MA).

Spring Bull Calf, Moonshadow Lucky. *Junior Bull Calf*, Aldermere Blast Off. *Winter Bull Calf*, Holbrook Hill Augustus Maximus. *Senior Bull Calf*, Mitchell Ledge Ibsen.

Calf Champion Bull, Aldermere Blast Off.

Late Summer Yearling Bull, MHF PVF Absolute, Pineview Farm. *Spring Yearling Bull*, Moonshadow Kahlua.

Junior Champion Bull, Moonshadow Kahlua.

Senior Yearling Bull, Pine View Zues. *Two-Year-Old Bull*, MHF Willy, Breezy Knoll Farm.

Senior Champion Bull, Pine View Zues.

Grand Champion Bull, Moonshadow Kahlua. *Reserve*, Aldermere Arlington.

Spring Heifer Calf, Holbrook Hill Bella Vita. *Junior Heifer Calf*,



Grand Champion Bull, Moonshadow Kahlua. Bred & owned by Chris & Scot Adams (ME).

Pine View Dixie. *Winter Heifer Calf*, Moonshadow Krimson. *Senior Heifer Calf*, Aldermere Amazement.

Calf Champion Female, Aldermere Amazement.

Late Summer Yearling, Rota-Spring Ainsley. *Early Summer Yearling Heifer*, Holbrook Hill Aphrodite. *Spring Yearling Heifer*, PCSC Step Aside.

Junior Champion Female, PCSC Step Aside.

Junior Yearling Heifer, Magnolia Trace Whippoorwill Auri, Pine View Farm. *Senior Yearling Heifer*, Holbrook Hill Zelda. *Two-Year-Old*, Mitchell Ledge Heliodor.

Senior Champion Female, Holbrook Hill Zelda.

Grand Champion Female, PCSC Step Aside. *Reserve*, Holbrook Hill Zelda.

Two Bulls, Aldermere Farm. *Two Females*, Holbrook Hill Farm. *Pair of Calves*, Aldermere Farm. *Pair of Yearlings*, Moonshadow Farm. *Get of Sire*, Moonshadow Farm with Holbrook Hill Sir Isaac Newton. *Produce of Dam*, Aldermere farm with Aldermere Xanderlee. *Best Six Head*, Moonshadow Farm.

Supreme Champion Bull Over All Breeds, Moonshadow Kahlua.

Under a Harvest Moon ~ A Farm-to-Table Dinner



Leanne Fogle, US Beltie News



BMP Farm, LLC, located in Rolla, Missouri is owned and operated by Myra Soete. Myra (pictured at left) acquired the 14-acre farm in 1994 with a desire to live a simple country life. With no practical background in agriculture or the cattle industry she began the adventure.

Initially, while Myra worked full-time as an administrator in a local public school under contract twelve months of the year, she rented her pastures to local farmers. This allowed Myra to observe and learn a bit about raising cattle. The first cattle purchased for the farm were traditional commercial breeds.

After Myra had spent years reading about Belted Galloway cattle and observing them on farms in the United States and Holland, her first registered Belties arrived at BMP Farm in 2007 replacing other breeds. They are at home in the green pastures of BMP Farm where they are 100% grass-fed and finished.

Myra retired from public education in 2010 to live and work the farm on a full-time basis, blessed to have secure retirement income to subsidize this small farming venture. A kitchen garden, five turkeys, 32 Belties, four dogs and a

cat now keep her occupied.

Husband and wife chefs, Linda Duerr and Leon Bahlmann, (below) teamed up to cook the Under a Harvest Moon Dinner at Powell Gardens in Kansas City. With more than sixty years of cooking experience between them, a degree from the Culinary Institute of America, a "Best Chef of The Year" accolade from Kansas City magazine, and a nomination for "Best Chef of The Midwest" from the James Beard Foundation, they set out to prepare this farm-to-table dinner for 150 people with a true commitment to keeping it local and keeping it "green". Thus a relationship with Myra Soete and BMP Farm was formed.



Under a Harvest Moon ~ A Farm-to-Table Dinner



Two grass-fed Belted Galloway steers were purchased from Myra. Before the event, one steer was harvested, and the two chefs experimented. Their goal to serve a delicious entrée.

Chef Linda Duerr

‘We set out to prove that 150 people could be served an elegant and delicious entrée using the meat of one lovely, humanely and naturally raised Belted Galloway steer. Success! Everyone loved the results. We slow-cooked some of it, brined, marinated, and grilled some of it, and still had plenty to spare. In the process, we helped to raise a record amount of dollars for Powell Gardens and its educational harvest garden!’

More than 130 guests of Powell Gardens celebrated the bounty of the local autumn harvest at the sixth annual Under a Harvest Moon on Sunday, September 21, 2014. Tickets/sponsorships ranged from \$250-\$5000. At the \$5000 level a sponsor could invite five guests. Generous guests and sponsors helped us raise more than \$70,000 to benefit youth education programs at Powell Gardens, where children learn firsthand about healthy eating by planting, growing, harvesting and preparing fresh food.

The event began with a cocktail reception in the Heartland Harvest Garden. Next, guests enjoyed an elegant dinner with wine pairings served at two long tables beneath the eaves of the Missouri Barn. It was truly one of the most beautiful and unique dining expe-

riences in Kansas City. The menu featured fruits, vegetables, and herbs grown in the Heartland Harvest Garden.

Grass-fed Belted Galloway beef was cooked two ways: slowly roasted and fire-seared rosy, with savory Indian cornbread pudding, charred sweet onions, Brussels sprouts and pineapple tomatillo salsa. Myra was invited to attend and spoke about BMP Farm and her Belted Galloway cattle.

Myra Soate

‘There is a “rhythm to life on the farm” coexisting in nature with these incredible creatures. It is a rewarding commitment. One has to love the lifestyle!’

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The Belted Galloway Society Inc, 2013 Profit/Loss Statement

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
INCOME						
Registrations	\$35,720	\$35,720	\$37,010	\$27,540	\$20,860	\$21,275
Transfers	25,055	22,790	20,750	11,400	9,345	8,540
Dues	31,235	32,210	29,610	31,955	32,740	28,040
Late fees	--	--	--	3,780	10,365	8,856
Advertising (consisting of)						
News letter	2,640	2,120	3,650	3,700	3,010	1,470
Internet	1,020	760	525	705	300	10
Journal	--	--	130	--	9,968	9,215
Interest	763	315	215	243	453	1,422
Beltie merchandise	303	1,289	1,095	146	369	285
Misc. income & sales	9,678	1,730	1,390	598	570	596
DNA testing, certificates						
Special services	2,310	2,160	2,190	1915	1,757	1,074
CLRC Revenue	12,620	10,650	10,289	5,427		
Sale *				864		
TOTAL INCOME	\$121,644	\$109,744	\$106,854	\$88,273	\$89,737	\$80,793
EXPENSES						
Secretary's Office	\$18,000	\$17,600	\$16,400	\$26,176	\$41,420	\$41,425
Editor's and Website's Office	14,030	12,360	10,485	10,785	12,605	10,800
Newsletter Printing & Mailing	8,480	8,214	7,836	9,533	9,441	9,291
Journal Mailing	970	629	1,049	--	658	1,165
Meeting expenses	3,048	484	--	2,123	5,459	535
Promotion & Advertising						
Brochures, printing	160	1,471	298	2,103	325	637
Shows	5,156	2,734	716	3,479	7,252	4,015
Sales	2,930	2,321	--	--	1,170	1,000
Journal	2,579	261	--	269	9,408	9,188
Advertising (Ads)	3,604	5,960	7,836	2,606	4,205	2,643
Travel	3,042	2,193	3,491	3,458	5,009	5,600
Misc. & Internet Expenses	4,173	718	1,250	2,128	1,286	1,797
DNA & credit card Expenses	1,815	2,241	2,238	1,501	2,002	1,044
CLRC fees	32,834	33,281	32,911	21,138		
Liability Ins.	1,969	1,901	1,795			
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$102,790	\$92,368	\$86,305	\$85,299	\$100,240	\$89,140
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$18,854	\$17,376	\$20,549	\$2,974	(\$10,503)	(\$8,347)
*Income shown because some 2010 expenses not received in 2010						

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Complimentary Memberships
During 2014, the Society will offer complimentary memberships to new members who have purchased and transferred Belted Galloway cattle.

Farmington Fair — Maine



Grand Champion Heifer, Moonshadow Krimson. Bred & owned by Chris & Scot Adams (ME).

Exhibitors. Colby Woods Cattle (ME), Folded Hills Farms (PA), Meadowlark Homestead Farms (ME), Magnolia Trace Farm (MS), Moonshadow Farm (ME), Pine View Farm (ME).

Junior Bull Calf, Moonshadow Lucky. *Summer Yearling Bull*, MHF Absolute, Pine View Farm. *Spring Yearling Bull*, Moonshadow Kahlua. *Senior Yearling Bull*, Pine View Zues.

Grand Champion Bull, Moonshadow Kahlua. *Reserve*, Pine View Zues.

Junior Heifer Calf, Pine View Destiny's Child. *Senior Heifer Calf*, Moonshadow Krimson. *Spring Yearling Heifer*, Pine View Blossom. *Summer Yearling Heifer*, Folded Hills Anna, Colby Woods Cattle.



Grand Champion Bull, Moonshadow Kahlua. Bred & owned by Chris & Scot Adams (ME).

Junior Yearling Heifer, Magnolia Trace Whippoorwill Auri, Pine View Farm. *Senior Yearling Heifer*, Pine View Delight.

Grand Champion Female, Moonshadow Krimson. *Reserve*, Pine View Destiny's Child.

Three Females, Moonshadow Farm. *Two Females*, Moonshadow Farm. *Pair of Yearlings*, Moonshadow Farm. *Pair of Calves*, Moonshadow Farm. *Get of Sire*, Pine View Farm with Highland Farm Otto. *Group of Two Bulls*, Moonshadow Farm. *Best Six Head*, Pine View Farm.

Supreme Champion Female Over all Breeds, Moonshadow Krimson.

Small Producers Adds Value (continued)

Breeding stock was purchased from Susan Brunswick, French Creek Belties in rural Bloomington, IL. Two pre-sold and SVS verified steers will be harvested this year to local clients who have purchased individual quarters. As the herd numbers continue to increase, Marshall will have more animals to harvest on a yearly basis that will meet certification requirements. Homestead Harvests LLC leases a bull each year from French Creek Belties to diversify their genetic base.

The grass-fed marketing claim standard requires that ruminant animals be fed only grass and forage, with the exception of milk consumed prior to weaning. Animals certified under this program cannot be fed grain or grain byproducts and must have continuous access to pasture during the growing season. Currently, there are only 23 SVS producers/breeders in the United States, so it would be very difficult for Eric to purchase steers from other SVS farms.

The USDA states that to become certified, the producer must undergo a two-year-process. The fee for review and approval is \$108.00. A requirement of this program is that all approved producers must be listed on the USDA website. The producer does have the option of what the listing includes, but at a minimum, the name of the location, ranch or farm plus

the approval date must be included. Eric told us that he applied in the summer of 2014 and after a lengthy interview, he was notified that he was accepted as a SVS producer. So, in his case, the anticipated two-year-process did not apply.

Producers who are certified under this new program receive a certificate that will allow them to market cattle and sheep as USDA Certified grass fed, either as calves or market-ready cattle, lambs, or market ready-lamb, increasing their market value and creating new economic opportunities for small-scale producers.

Homestead Harvests LLC harvested grass-fed steers prior to becoming certified. Typically, steers that were harvested at 24 months of age weighed 1000-1100 pounds and dressed at 60% of their live weight. Hanging weight quarters have been sold by the pound and the price-per-pound varies with market prices for beef.

Eric Marshall's SVS certification is for two years and he has promised to update us over time as his herd and business continue to grow. He encourages other small scale grass-fed Belted Galloway breeders to begin the application process to become certified and add value to their product. To learn more, log on to USDA website: www.ams.usda.gov.

World Beef Expo



Grand Champion Appendix Heifer, Wagner Belties Anastasia. Bred and owned by Audrey Wagner IA).



Grand Champion Steer, Wagner Belties Arthur. Bred and owned by Audrey Wagner (IA).



Grand Champion Cow/Calf Pair, Sunnybrook Alexis. Bred and owned by Steve & Chris Willis (IL).



Grand Champion BGJA Heifer, JAW Southern Jewel. Bred and owned by Julia Weaber (KY).

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World Beef Expo



Grand Champion Female. Meadowood Bodacious. Bred by Mark Schappell (NY). Owned by Ellen Sims (PA).

Open Exhibitors

Aavalon Farm (TX), Antietam Farm (IL), Countyline Belties (IN), Dickinson Acres (MN), Finke Farm (IN), Finholdt Farms (MN), HC Sims Farm (PA), Hiland Oaks (IA), JAW Livestock (KY), Meadowood Farms LLC (NY), Sunnybrook Farms (IL), Oreo Acres (IL), Oak Valley Farm (IL), Sutliff Belties (IA), Wagner Belties (IA), Wagner Farms (IA) Wayside Valley Farm (IL).

Junior Exhibitors

Ben Finholdt (MN), Ryan Fogle (IL), Marshall Finke (IN), Lillian Ford (IN), Jake Keller (IL), Noah Keller (IL), Killian Kirschbaum (WI), Lauren Kirschbaum (WI), Ashley Lohmann (IA), Jennifer Lohmann (IA), Adam McConnell (IL), Adam Miller (KY), Samantha Senty (MN), Kari Simpson (IL), Kaylin Simpson (IL), Kolin Simpson (IL), Kyler Simpson (IL), Anna Weaver (KY), Julia Weaver (KY).

Purebred Show

Cow/Calf Pair Over Three Years, Sunnybrook Alexis.

Grand Champion Cow/Calf Pair, Sunnybrook Alexis. *Reserve*, Oak Valley Wendy.

BGJA Grand Champion Cow/Calf Pair, Oak Valley Wendy, Jake & Noah Keller.

Spring Heifer Calf, Antietam Bluebell. *Junior Heifer Calf*, Sunnybrook Victoria. *Late Senior Heifer Calf*, Meadowood Bodacious, HC Sims Farm. *Early Senior Heifer Calf*, Meadowood Annie.

Champion Junior Heifer Calf, Meadowood Bodacious, HC Sims Farm. *Reserve*, Meadowood Annie.

Late Summer Yearling Heifer, Dickinson Acres Annie. *Early Summer Yearling Heifer*, Meadowood Abbey. *Spring Yearling Heifer*, Sunnybrook Symone, HC Sims Farm. *Junior Yearling Heifer*, Antietam Angel. Wagner Farms.

Champion Junior Heifer, Meadowood Abbey. *Reserve*, Countyline Cheryl.

Late Senior Yearling Heifer, Dickinson Acres Zester. *Early Senior Yearling Heifer*, Meadowood Zanna. *Early Two-Year-Old Heifer*, Antietam Topaz.

Champion Senior Heifer, Meadowood Zanna. *Reserve*, Antietam Topaz.

Grand Champion Heifer, Meadowood Bodacious, HC Sims Farm. *Reserve*, Meadowood Annie.

BGJA Grand Champion Heifer, JAW Southern Jewel, Julia Weaver. *Reserve*, Wayside Valley Nora, Ryan Fogle.

Spring Bull Calf, Antietam Bojangles. *Junior Bull Calf*, Sunny-



Grand Champion Bull. Countyline Connor. Bred by Jay & Liz Dausman (IN) and owned by Terry & Julie Willis (IL).

brook Soprano. *Late Senior Bull Calf*, Stonesthrow Contour 10A, Sunnybrook Farm. *Early Senior Bull Calf*, Meadowood Alexandre, HC Sims Farm.

Champion Bull Calf, Meadowood Alexandre, HC Sims Farm. *Reserve*, Stonesthrow Contour 10A, Sunnybrook Farm.

Late Summer Yearling Bull, Finholdt Farms Habanero. *Early Summer Yearling Bull*, Countyline Connor.

Champion Junior Bull, Countyline Connor, Sunnybrook Farm. *Reserve*, Finholdt Farms Habanero.

Early Two Year Old Bull, Oak Valley Zeus.

Champion Senior Bull, Oak Valley Zeus.

Grand Champion Bull, Countyline Connor, Sunnybrook Farm. *Reserve*, Oak Valley Zeus.

Get-of-Sire, HC Sims Farm with Meadowood X-Man. *Produce of Dam*, Antietam Farm with Antietam Pearl. *Best Pair Weanlings*, Sunnybrook Farms. *Best Pair of Yearlings*, Sunnybrook Farms. *Breeder's Herd*, Sunnybrook Farms. *Best Six Head*, Sunnybrook Farms.

Appendix Show

Appendix Cow/Calf Pair, Sunnybrook Sage, Hiland Oaks.

Grand Champion Appendix Cow/Calf Pair, Sunnybrook Sage, Hiland Oaks.

BGJA Grand Champion Appendix Cow/Calf Pair, Sunnybrook Sage, Lauren Kirschbaum.

Appendix Intermediate Heifer, Wagner Belties Anastasia. *Appendix Junior Yearling Heifer*, Oreo Acres Daytona.

Grand Champion Appendix Heifer, Wagner Belties Anastasia. *Reserve*, Sutliff's Ariel.

BGJA Grand Champion Appendix Heifer, Wagner Belties Anastasia, Audrey Wagner. *Reserve*, Oreo Acres Daytona, Kaylin Simpson.

Steer Show

Feeder Steer, Wagner Belties Arthur. *Finished Steer*, Oak Valley Armageddon.

Grand Champion Steer, Wagner Belties Arthur. *Reserve*, Oak Valley Armageddon.

BGJA Grand Champion Steer, Wagner Belties Arthur, Audrey Wagner. *Reserve*, Oak Valley Armageddon, Jake & Noah Keller.

Champion Junior Showmanship, Marshall Finke. *Reserve*, Kaylin Simpson.

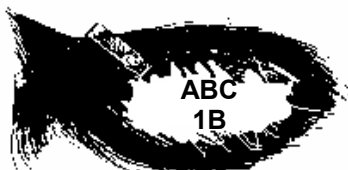
Champion Intermediate Showmanship, Adam McConnell. *Reserve*, Ryan Fogle.

Champion Senior Showmanship, Audrey Wagner. *Reserve*, Jake Keller.

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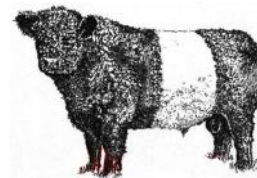
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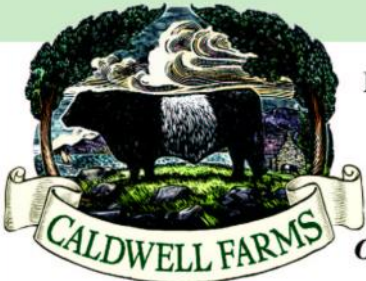
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