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SIRED BY GLENLEES AXA EVOLVE ET 112J SELL AT

GENETIC DESIGNS XXII

SEPTEMBER 18, 2026 - NEWBURGH, ON

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C03132042 | ICF 130P | 01/30/26 | BW: 84

D: HAROLDSON'S LASSIE 425X 14G

2 - ICF WILMA 112J 223P

C03132043 | ICF 223P | 02/23/26 | BW: 96

D: ICF WILMA 475Z 115G

3 - ICF BETH 112J 129P

C03132046 | ICF 129P | 01/29/26 | BW: 85

D: ICF TANSY 100W 204B



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Calf at side - MHPH 521X Action 106A // Both bred by Medonte Highlands



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Mat. Sire - MHPH 101S Umpire 118U / Calf Sire - MHPH 521X Action 106A
Sold in Autumn Alliance XXX



2018 WORLD CHAMPION

RVP 106A CAMEO GIRL 45C

Sire - MHPH 521X Action 106A / Calf Sire - Haroldson's Totem 200Z 5D
Both bred by Medonte Highlands / Sold in Autumn Alliance XXXV



2023 WORLD CHAMPION

GLENLEES JC 27C DAISY 40F

Calf Sire - KJ MHPH RW 364C Media 240J ET / Sold in Autumn Alliance XLI



2025 WORLD CHAMPION

CHULA-VISTA KRISTA 113K

Calf Sire - Churchill Smokey 3128L ET
Sold in Autumn Alliance XLIII

Autumn Alliance XLIV

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AUGUST

29 West Zone MOE Show Barrie Fair

SEPTEMBER

5 West Zone Banner Show Paris Fair
18 Genetic Designs XXII - River Valley
19 Source for Success XXV - Elm Lodge
19 Stonewood Grange & Guest
20 Autumn Alliance XLIV- Medonte Highlands Polled Herefords
27 Ottawa Valley Hereford Club MOE Show Carp Fair

OCTOBER

3 Fall Round Up Sale - Hoards Station
4 ECOHZ Futurity Show - Roseneath
10 MOE Show Norwood Fair
15 OHA Futurity 3rd Round Due

NOVEMBER

6-15 Royal Agricultural Winter Fair
5 OHA Futurity - OJHA RAWF Showmanship
7 Eastern National Hereford Show - RAWF
7 Building The Hereford Dream Draw
14 ECOHZ AGM - Douro Community Centre - Douro, ON

DECEMBER

01 ECOHZ 2026 Futurity Nominations & 1st Round Due
15 OHA 2026 Futurity Nominations & 1st Round Due



REPORT | OHA PRESIDENT

First off I would like to thank everyone who has been supportive and encouraging as I step into the role as President, along with the rest of the Ontario Board for making it an easy transition. I have some big boots to fill. That being said myself and the rest of the board would like to thank Scott Cornish for all he has done as President over the past few years to better our association. I would also like to thank Don Hess for his time working with the board as Vice President, and a warm welcome to Sarah Bean and Nadine Hilts-Avery to our board of directors.

It's hard to believe we are almost done with summer and heading into the fall months. To start our summer off, the Juniors put on a fantastic Beef-A-Rama in July. I encourage all adults and fellow junior members to continue on supporting each other as more events and planning take place in the coming months. Also, congratulations to the juniors who took part in Bonanza in Quebec. Another positive presence from our Ontario junior members.

As we get into August and September, there are many upcoming Hereford events in all zones across the province. Make sure you mark your calendars for the MOE shows and upcoming sale weekend in mid-September. With a new sale added for 2026, it's sure to be a weekend you won't want to miss. With the cattle market staying steady on an upper level, the weather is sure not to be the only thing hot that weekend.

Please take note of the award we are bringing back for 2026. The Commercial Hereford Breeder of the Year will be making its comeback. We have set some guidelines for nominations, as I know there are many deserving breeders out there. Please make sure you nominate who you think should be recognized for their involvement with the Hereford breed in a commercial aspect.

It's a great time to be part of Hereford business. As we continue to grow and take on a deeper market, we have steadily been stamping our mark across the beef industry.

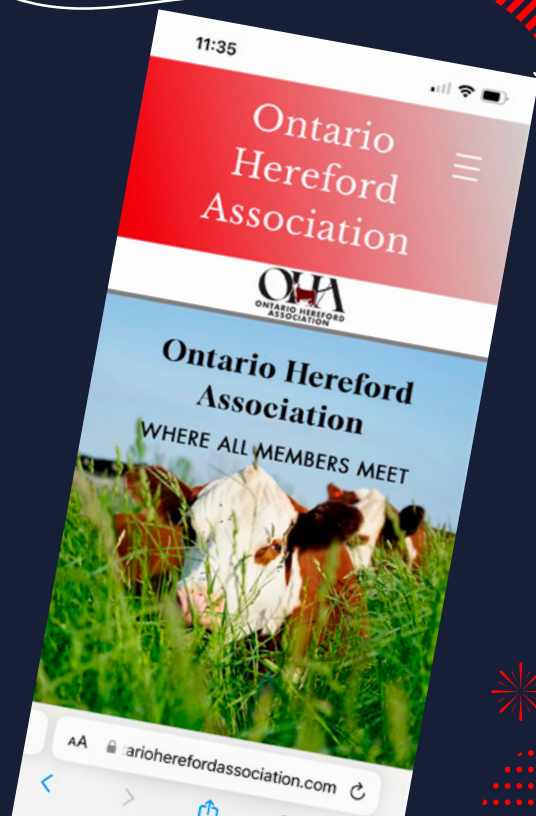
Wishing everyone the best during the rest of Summer and Fall.



WHITNEY BALL OHA President

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REPORT |

Secretary Manager

The Ontario Hereford Association hosted our Annual General Meeting in conjunction with the Ontario Junior Hereford Association - Beef A Rama. The membership met for a hybrid meeting, meeting both in person and via Zoom. We have welcomed back Will Briscoe and new board member Nadine Hilts-Avery to the board for a one-year term. I would like to extend the sincerest thank you on behalf of myself and the board to Scott Cornish and Don Hess. Their dedication to the board showed at every meeting, every show and every sale they attended. Scott and Don connected with the membership and were a great team leading the association. We welcome President, Whitney Ball, Vice President, Karen Paszternak and Executive Director, Josh Lasby.

The Ontario Hereford Association hosts five MOE shows for the members to collect points at in tabulation for the Ontario Show Bull and Show Female of the Year. The 2025 MOE shows were held at Beef-A-Rama, Ontario West Zone – Barrie Fair, East Central Zone- Norwood Fair, Ottawa Valley Club - Carp Fair and the Royal Winter Fair. At the Annual General Meeting, Vice President Don Hess presented the Show Bull and Show Female of the Year. Congratulations to OSC 701 Oshoto 316 for winning Show Bull of the Year, and Show Female of the Year to MLPH Carla 308F 122M. The 2026 point shows for Ontario are Beef-A-Rama, Barrie Fair, Norwood Fair, Carp Fair and the Royal Winter Fair. I look forward to seeing everyone out at shows.

The Ontario Juniors have just wrapped up the 2026 Beef-A-Rama. The junior board, led by President Olivia Avery, has been meeting for a big part of the year planning and organizing. The juniors hosted a spectacular event with 40 juniors and 80 head. The juniors had a fun filled weekend! Olivia Avery was awarded Champion Showperson and Hannah Cameron was awarded Reserve Champion Showperson. Makayla Green had Grand Champion Female with Ella Prada 501 and Grant Moodie had Reserve Grand Champion Female with Spin Pumpkin 17N. Grand Champion Bull was presented to Kaylee Wells with Neptune 7N and Reserve Champion Bull was presented to Kaylee Wells with KMW Pistol 1P. Congratulations to all the members who participated and to all the juniors on the board for the countless hours put into planning.

As we move into the fall, we are excited to start off with a bang with Hereford sale weekend in Ontario. We look forward to starting the weekend off at River Valley Polled Herefords, moving on to Elmlodge Polled Herefords, new sale hosted by Stonewood Grange and ending the weekend at Medonte Highlands Polled Herefords. We are excited to see all time high cattle prices and enjoy the community the members have created.

Further into the fall, I look forward to having our Annual Building the Hereford Dream draw. With overwhelming response from the breeders in 2025, I am excited to start to get the catalogue of entries together and get it in mailboxes.

Its going to be another exciting summer and fall in Ontario and the board can't wait to see everyone out and about!

JESSICA LASBY Ontario Hereford Secretary Manager

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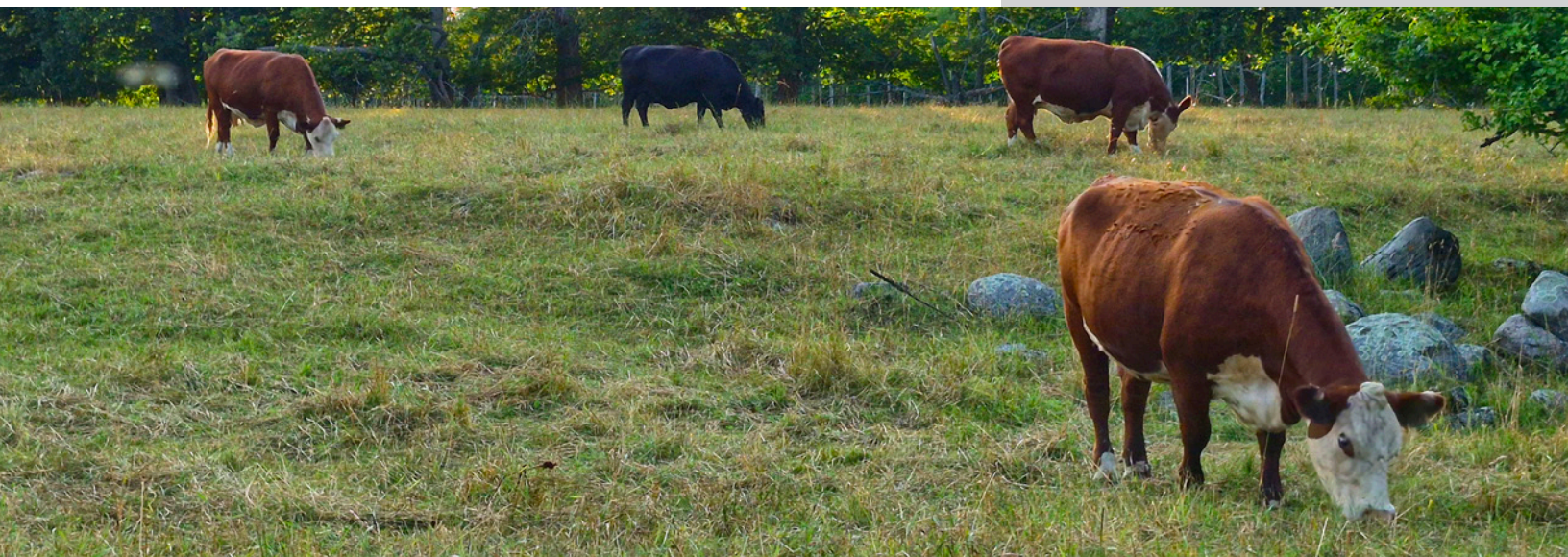
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REPORT | Ottawa Valley Hereford Club

I hope hay season is coming along for everyone!

First, I want to introduce myself! My name is Phyllis MacCallum and I have recently been appointed President of the Ottawa Valley Hereford Club.

Ottawa Valley held their AGM in March, welcoming new members to executive roles. Most recently Beef-a-Rama was held in our district this summer and was a great success! Congratulations to everyone who joined us in Metcalfe for the event! Now, we are getting ready for the upcoming MOE show in Carp with planning and banner designs. As a fundraiser, OVHC will be promoting advertising space on the OVHC facebook page to general businesses, showcase to Hereford producers the local businesses in their area.

Hope everyone has a safe rest of their summer and successful rest of their show season.

PHYLLIS MACCALLUM OVHC President



REPORT | Rainy River

Rainy River Hereford Update

July 2026

As I write this update, many of our friends, neighbours and fellow farmers are going through a very scary situation with dry conditions and forest fires. The radar looks like rain, and it seems to stop when it gets to our area. Things really intensified last week when we were in high 30-degree temperatures. It is nerve wracking baling hay because it wouldn't take much from a hot bearing to start something. My tractor was running a little warm, but it was amazing the difference when it dropped to 30 degrees. We are roughly at half the normal rainfall and the lawns and pastures really show it. Hay yields are down but it varies across the District as the rainfall has varied so much. It is hard on your mental health when you are worried about having enough feed and I don't wish that feeling on anyone.

We are just a month away from the Emo Fair and 4-H kids are busy getting their animals in tip top shape. We have 32 4-H steers that will be sold to some of the great businesses in the Rainy River District. We are fortunate to have very good support! We are very proud of the fact our 4-H heifer class has increased so much. In Rainy River, we have a local policy that in your first year in 4-H, you must show a heifer. This has really been a beneficial policy though not everyone agrees. It seems the kids with a lot of interest end up bringing a heifer and a steer the following year. We always have strong open cattle show at our fair and this is where you will see a bunch of good Hereford cattle. Aaron Bujold will have some of the cattle that he will display at Manitoba Ag Ex and Canadian Western Agribition. We usually have some friends from Manitoba that trailer over some cattle to join in our show! It is a great weekend.

I work at the Ontario Crops Research Centre in Emo, and we are hosting a Crop Diagnostic Day on July 28th. We have some cropping specialists coming in and we are looking forward to a great day of learning and sharing. We will have something for everyone – whether you are growing beef or grain! Since we've had a good run of hay making, I am hoping that everyone will give themselves a day off and attend. The day will end with a crop tour and BBQ so it is going to be a great time.

I wish everyone a great rest of the season, and I hope my next report will have less about extreme weather and more about the great cattle and people you will find in the North.

The Fall Cattle Sale dates are September 26th, October 17th and November 7th. If you follow me on X, I will try to post (or have someone post using my account) throughout the sale. You can always find our sale reports on the Beef Farmers of Ontario website as well.

Thank you for including us in your updates!

KIM JO BLISS Emo – Rainy River District



REPORT | East Central Ontario Hereford Zone

Hello Everyone,

I hope you are all enjoying the arrival of summer. With the recent heat wave, it certainly feels like the season is finally here! I'm pleased to keep everyone up to date on the exciting activities taking place throughout our zone.

We are looking forward to the upcoming Junior Bonanza, which will be held in Richmond, Quebec, from July 20–25, 2026. We wish all participants the very best and hope everyone enjoys a successful and memorable event. Our East Central Ontario Hereford Zone picnic will be held on August 9th and graciously hosted by Travis and Paula Corp and family in Omemee. The picnic is open to all of our Hereford friends from the East Central Zone and surrounding, and we encourage everyone to join us for a great day of excellent food, and the opportunity to visit and enjoy some outstanding Hereford cattle. The Zone Futurity will once again be held at the Roseneath Fair on October 4th. Following the success of last year's event, we are excited to host the MOE Show again at the Norwood Fall Fair on October 10th. We look forward to another strong turnout and a great day of competition.

As haying and show season gets underway, we wish everyone a safe, productive, and successful summer. We look forward to seeing many familiar faces at upcoming Hereford events throughout the season.

Please also mark your calendars for our Zone Annual General Meeting on November 14th. It promises to be an enjoyable evening

of great food, friendship, and plenty of laughter. Tickets will be available closer to the event, and we encourage everyone to attend. Please contact any member of the board for ticket information.

Finally, we encourage our 4-H members to continue choosing Hereford and Hereford-influenced cattle for their 2026–2027 projects. We appreciate your enthusiasm and commitment to promoting the Hereford breed, and we look forward to seeing another outstanding year of youth participation.

NADINE HILTS-AVERY ECOHZ President



REPORT | Ontario West Zone

And another summer has come and wow it's almost gone! Mother Nature, as always, has had her ups and downs as always, unlike the beef business, that has been very strong and steady. From what I'm hearing and seeing, this will continue for sometime.

Our annual zone meeting at Pebbles Restaurant I thought was well attended, considering the fog we had that day only being able to see two feet in front of you at times. Thanks to all that made the trip, especially Will Briscoe, OHA Director, from Renfrew way. I'd also like to thank Spencer Dunsmore for his time as our past secretary and thank Lisa Downey for taking on a position as secretary and Adam Smith, our new director.

I didn't make it down to Beef-A-Rama or Bonanza but heard nothing but good so I'll take a moment and congratulate the juniors on a job well done at both shows. The future of the Hereford breed is in great hands.

Our first zone banner show was again at Schomburg Fair this year and Herefords were well represented. Thanks goes out to Emma Hulse for her dedication in organizing this show. Our next show will be the M.O.E show at the Barrie Fair 3rd weekend in August and then our second banner show Labor Day weekend in Paris. Let's get out and support these two great shows - both Royal supreme qualifiers.

Even if you don't show cattle, be sure to come out and check out some of the best Herefords around. The 3rd weekend in September is Hereford weekend in Ontario with four prestigious sales happening. River Valley, Elmlodge, Stonewood Grange and Medonte Highlands all great programs and new exciting genetics moving the Hereford breed forward.

Herefords are on the move with commercial breeders in Ontario. They've started to realize there's more profit using the new Hereford genetics, whether it's a black or white bull on Hereford cows or a Hereford bull on those black or white females, the efficiency, fertility, longevity and gain are excelling the breed to the top.

Hope y'all have a great fall.

Hereford proud!

GREG HILL West Zone President



Welcome New Directors

Director | PROFILE



My name is Nadine Hilts-Avery, and I am proud to co-own and operate Lifford Hills Farm alongside my family in Bethany, Ontario. Our operation focuses primarily on raising purebred Hereford cattle, along with a select group of Hereford-Angus cross cattle. For nearly 50 years, our family has maintained a cow-calf operation consisting of approximately 20 to 30 cows.

For more than 10 years, I have been actively involved as a 4-H volunteer and show mom, giving me the opportunity to experience the cattle industry through the eyes of junior exhibitors. Supporting youth and encouraging the next generation of cattle producers has become one of the most rewarding aspects of my involvement in the beef industry.

Over the past several years, I have served on the East Central Ontario Hereford Association board in a variety of roles and currently have the privilege of serving as President.

I am honoured to have recently been elected as a Director-at-Large with the Ontario Hereford Association. I look forward to contributing to the board, supporting our membership, and helping promote the Hereford breed across Ontario.

Director | PROFILE



Hello everyone, my name is Sara Bean and I'm very excited to be a new director on the Ontario Hereford Association board. I am also the secretary of the Ottawa Valley Hereford Club. My father and I operate Forlorn River Polled Herefords in Pakenham, consisting of about 25 animals. My background is actually in horses, of which I have four, not cattle but the cows have quickly warmed their way into my heart and I'm now enjoying raising and showing them. If you're ever in the valley, feel free to stop in for a chat! I love showing off my cattle and learning new tricks of the trade

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Double H Cattle Company, ON

Double Knot Polled Herefords, ON

Elm-Lodge Polled Herefords, ON

Hiddenvew Herefords, ON

Iris Creek Farms, ON

Medonte Highlands Polled Herefords, ON

O'Shea Farms, ON

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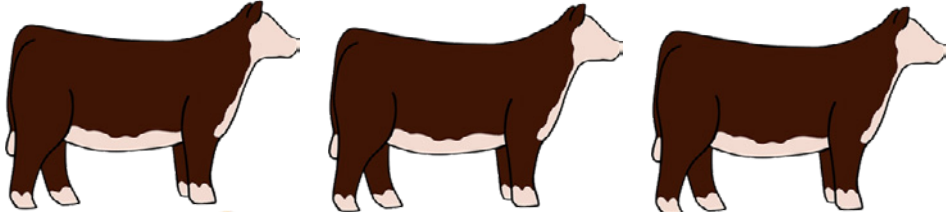
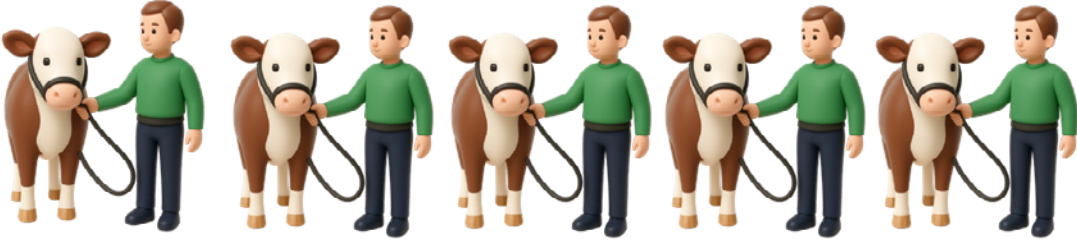
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WORD SEARCH

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MEDONTE HIGHLANDS
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CHARSHA
OSHEA

CONCORDIA
ABBY HILL
SHADY VILLA
RIVER VALLEY
LIAN MOR
CRYSTAL BROOK

TWELVE OAKS
STONEWOOD GRANGE
MAPLE STONE
HIDDENVIEW
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BEEF-A-RAMA

2026 POEMS

MINI HEREFORD

SUPPLIED BY JOLENE FULFORD
PRETTY

Pretty is my Hereford
I show Pretty
I comb Pretty
I lead Pretty
I scratch her on the brisket
with a show stick under my arm pit
If her hair is long... we clip it
If her hair is not long... we don't clip it
I love Pretty,
she is my best heifer

MINI HEREFORD

SUPPLIED BY JAYDEN LASBY
NITRO

My favourite bull is Nitro
Because sometimes he eats the grain and sometimes he doesn't
Nitro keeps the cows safe like the donkey
He can show and be quiet
When we go to a show he is sometimes yappy
And he's going to be a dad next year
And he's super long

OJHA | REPORT

As President of the Ontario Junior Hereford Association, I am incredibly proud of everything our junior members, board of directors, adult advisors, and volunteers have accomplished over the past year. It has been another exciting year filled with successful events, leadership opportunities, and continued growth for our association.

Our year began with our AGM being held via Zoom on Wednesday, January 21, 2026. We welcomed around 40 juniors and selected our 2026 board of directors.

2026 BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Adult Advisors: Amy Pugh and Jennifer Hess

Beef-A-Rama 2026 was held in Metcalfe, Ontario, where we welcomed approximately 42 junior exhibitors from across the province. Thanks to months of planning by our dedicated board and countless volunteers, the weekend was another tremendous success. It was great to see so many juniors enjoying the weekend while continuing to develop their skills and friendships within the Hereford breed.

SHOW RESULTS:

Grand Champion Female: Ella Prada 501

Exhibited by: Makayla Green

Reserve Grand Champion Female: AHF 5J 1136J Supermodel 47N

Exhibited by: Keagan Buchanan

Grand Champion Male: KMW Neptune 7N

Exhibited by: Kaylee Wells

Reserve Grand Champion Male: KMW Pistol 1P

Exhibited by: Kaylee Wells

Supreme Animal: Ella Prada 501

Exhibited by: Makayla Green

Grand Champion Showperson: Olivia Avery

Reserve Grand Champion Showperson: Hannah Cameron

A sincere thank you goes to every board member, our adult advisors, the Ontario Hereford Association, our volunteers, sponsors, exhibitors, and families who contributed their time and support to make Beef-A-Rama possible. Events like these would not happen without your commitment to our junior program.

I would also like to give a big thank you to Jessica Lasby, who has sat in on every meeting and is always willing to help wherever needed. Your support does not go unnoticed, and on behalf of the OJHA, we appreciate you tremendously.

Following Beef-A-Rama, 61 Ontario juniors travelled to Bonanza 2026 in Richmond, Quebec, where Team Ontario had an outstanding week both in and out of the show ring. Beyond the many accomplishments in competition, it was incredible to see our juniors supporting one another and proudly representing Ontario throughout the week.

One initiative that made Bonanza especially memorable was our daily Silly Chicken Award, recognizing juniors who went above and beyond to help fellow exhibitors. Congratulations to Duncan Larmer, Kendall Reavie, Kaylee Wells, Rachel Hayes, Hannah Cameron, and Gavin Bradley for being recognized for their outstanding sportsmanship and willingness to lend a helping hand. These moments truly reflect what the junior program is all about.

Looking ahead, planning for the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair Junior Show is already well underway, and we are excited to continue bringing another outstanding event for our juniors this fall.

Thank you to everyone who continues to support our juniors and invest in the future of the Hereford breed. We look forward to seeing everyone at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair this fall and at Beef-A-Rama 2027 in East Central Ontario!

OLIVIA AVERY President Ontario Junior Hereford Association

As Ontario Delegate for the Canadian Junior Hereford Association, it has been an honour to represent our province on the National Council. It has been another exciting year filled with leadership opportunities, new initiatives, and memorable experiences.

Bonanza 2026, held in Richmond, Quebec, was a tremendous success, welcoming 145 junior members from across Canada who exhibited an impressive 202 head of cattle throughout the week. Ontario had an outstanding presence, with 61 junior members making the trip to represent our province. Our juniors achieved great success both in and out of the show ring, earning championships and awards while demonstrating exceptional sportsmanship, teamwork, and dedication throughout the week. It was incredible to see so many Ontario juniors proudly representing our province while supporting one another and building friendships with juniors from across Canada.

During Bonanza, I was also excited to announce that the Canadian Junior Hereford Association is working toward introducing a Genotype vs. Phenotype Competition at next year's Bonanza. We look forward to

sharing more details as planning continues and are excited to provide juniors with another educational opportunity to further develop their knowledge of cattle evaluation and genetics.

Looking ahead, Bonanza 2027 will be hosted in Barriere, British Columbia, from July 19–24. I encourage all Ontario juniors and their families to join us for what promises to be another incredible week of competition, education, leadership development, and lifelong friendships.

Thank you to our Ontario juniors, parents, volunteers, sponsors, breeders, provincial advisors, and the Canadian Junior Hereford Association for your continued support and dedication to our junior program.

I look forward to another exciting year representing Ontario and continuing to help strengthen the future of the Hereford breed through our junior members.

OLIVIA AVERY Ontario Delegate, Canadian Junior Hereford Association



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Junior | PROFILES



I am currently 16 years old and going into Grade 12. I was born and raised on a farm, where my passion for agriculture and the cattle industry began at a young age. Growing up around livestock has taught me the value of hard work, responsibility, and dedication, and I hope to pursue a career in Agricultural Management after high school.

I have been showing Hereford cattle for the past five years and I am also on the board of the Ontario Junior Hereford Association. I am a director and I've been on the board for 2 years. I am incredibly thankful for the opportunities the breed has given me. Attending events such as Beef-A-Rama, Bonanza, and other shows across Canada has allowed me to improve my skills in the show ring while meeting many great people who share the same passion for the Hereford breed. These experiences have helped me build friendships, develop confidence, and learn from some of the best breeders in the industry.

Being involved in the Hereford community has strengthened my love for agriculture and inspired me to continue learning and growing within the cattle industry. I look forward to staying involved for many years to come, giving back to the breed that has provided me with so many unforgettable experiences and opportunities.

KEAGAN BUCHANAN

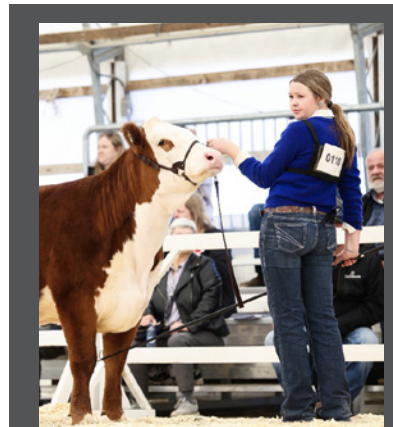
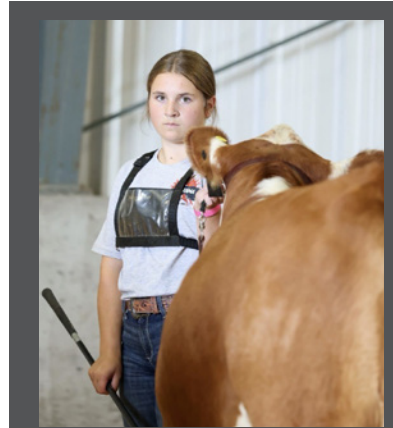
I am currently 16 years old and heading into Grade 11 in Peterborough, Ontario, and I hope to attend the University of Guelph for Agricultural Business after high school. Alongside school, I enjoy helping my family raise quality Hereford and Angus cattle. I have been fortunate enough to attend multiple Beef-A-Ramas and Bonanzas, as well as many other shows and fairs across Ontario, which have allowed me to meet people from across Canada. For the 2026 season, I have taken on the role of Director on the Ontario Junior Hereford Board, helping to plan events such as Beef-A-Rama and the Junior Hereford Show at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair. If I'm not in the barn, you'll find me working on a few different farms in the area or pitching on the softball diamond. Being involved in my family farm and the cattle industry has given me so many opportunities to learn and grow. Beef-A-Rama 2026 was an incredible experience, from the way the show was run to the outcomes of the weekend, and it made me even more excited for the Royal Junior Show. I look forward to the rest of the show season and the years ahead in the Hereford industry!

SHELBY CORNISH

My name is Shelby Corp, I am 13 years-old and a Grade 8 student at Scott Young Public School. I am from Omemee, Ontario, where my family operates a cow-calf farm. I am a proud and active member of the Peterborough County 4-H Beef Club, where I have learned to do by doing! 4-H has taught me resilience, whether it is putting in the months of hard work for a single day in the show ring, managing projects from start to finish, or stepping up to speak in front of crowd when my hands were shaking. Through 4-H I've met a community that feels like a family! I have made lifelong friends who share the same passion.

During the summer, you can usually find me in the show barn working with my heifer, Stonewood Popstar 9N. I started showing cows when I was 8 years old and have loved every minute of it! I have had the opportunity to attend four Beef-A-Rama's as well as Bonanza 2023 in PEI and as I write this my second Bonanza 2026 in Quebec. Some of my proudest moments in the show ring have been this year in 2026 winning Reserve Grand Champion Showman at Youth Forum in Lindsay, Ontario and winning Junior Champion Showman at Bonanza in Quebec. Beyond the cattle themselves, the Hereford breed has connected me with a welcoming community of families and breeders who have taught me already so many life lessons and I can't wait to see where this journey takes me next!

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BEEF-A-RAMA

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CONFIRMATION JUDGE
FAWN JACKSON

SHOWMANSHIP	CHAMPION	RESERVE CHAMPION
MINI HERF	JOLENE FULFORD	JAYDEN LASBY
PEEWEE	JASE LASBY	
JUNIOR	SHELBY CORP	CHASE HESKA
INTERMEDIATE	HANNAH CAMERON	SHELBY CORNISH
SENIOR	OLIVIA AVERY	REBECCA HESS

SHOWMANSHIP TOP FIVE SHOWMAN				
1. OLIVA AVERY	2. HANNAH CAMERON	3. REBECCA HESS	4. SHELBY CORNISH	5. SHELBY CORP

	CHAMPION	ANIMAL	RESERVE CHAMPION	ANIMAL
COMMERCIAL SHOW	HANNAH CAMERON			
STEERS	HANNAH CAMERON		JARED HUNTER	
OPEN SHOW				
TWO YEAR OLD COW CALF PAIR	REBECCA HESS	KIDS 5F MOMMA MIA 1J 1M	NICOLE OUIMET	STONE-HEDGE MYRA 18M
MATURE COW CALF PAIR	KAYLEE WELLS	STONEWOOD SUSIE 23K	NICOLE OUIMET	STONE- HEDGE LACEY 13L
SENIOR YEARLING	MAKAYLA GREEN	ELLA PRADA 501	OLIVIA AVERY	ELM-LODGE VLE NONEBETTER ET 2N
JUNIOR YEARLINGS	GRANT MOODIE	SPIN PUMPKIN 17N	KEAGAN BUCHANAN	AHF 5J 1136J SUPER MODEL 47N
SENIOR HEIFER CALF	SHELBY STANLEY	OSG WILMA 206P	JOLENE FULFORD	GRO-JDL TEMPTATION 619K 211P
GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE	MAKAYLA GREEN	ELLA PRADA 501	GRANT MOODIE	SPIN PUMPKIN 17N
BULL CALVES	KAYLEE WELLS	KMW PISTOL 1P	REBECCA HESS	KIDS GAINING MOMENTUM
YEARLING BULL	KAYLEE WELLS	NEPTUNE 7N		
GRAND CHAMPION BULL	KAYLEE WELLS	NEPTUNE 7N	KAYLEE WELLS	KMW PISTOL 1P
SUPREME CHAMPION ANIMAL	MAKAYLA GREEN	ELLA PRADA 501		



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MINI HERF



PEEWEE



JUNIOR



INTERMEDIATE



SENIOR



TOP 5 SHOW PEOPLE



GRAND CHAMPION SHOW PERSON
OLIVIA AVERY



RESERVE CHAMPION SHOW PERSON
REBECCA HESS



CHAMPION



RESERVE CHAMPION



CHAMPION



RESERVE CHAMPION

WRITTEN BY: LOTTIE WHYTE

When people think about showing cattle, they usually think of banners, buckles and ribbons. Those things are exciting and they certainly make all the hard work worth it.

If showing Herefords has taught me anything, it's the greatest prize isn't hanging on the wall it's the people you meet along the way.

Working with the Herefords has brought so much into my life. They've taught me responsibility, patience, and the value of getting up early when most people are still asleep. They've taught me that success comes from countless small moments of hard work, not just a few minutes in the show ring. More importantly, Herefords have introduced me to an incredible community. Some of my closest friends are people I would never have met if it wasn't for those red and white faced cattle.

We've spent long days clipping cattle, countless hours on the roads and more laughs I could ever count. We've celebrated wins together, picked each other up after losses and reminded each other there's always another show.

The friendships I've made through Herefords aren't just "show friends". There the kind of friends who show up when you need them, who cheer for your success and who make every trip to the cattle show a day to look forward to.

I will never forget my first year at the Royal Winter Fair. I stayed for the whole week and I remember every late night drive to the hotel to have whatever we had for supper that night. Every morning I didn't want to get up but then I thought, this is going to be a great day. Me, Jolene and Jess would all pile in the Bronco and head to the Royal for another day. When we got there we would wash then watch the poop line and make sure everyone's happy. I got to share a hotel room with people from another country. At the start of the week they were strangers. By the end of the week, we were friends.

The highlight of my week was showing Macie. I was so nervous before I went in the show ring that I needed a pre-class pep talk from Shirley. They started to call people into line and I thought I was getting dead last. Then she called me up and I got second in my class.

The cattle are the reason we first met but friendships keep us coming back.

At the end of the day, ribbons fade, banners collect dust and trophies find a place on a shelf but the memories we make, the lessons we learn and the friendships we build through Hereford cattle will last a lifetime.

I'm proud to be part of the Hereford family and I can't wait to see where the journey takes me next.

WRITTEN BY: CALLUM BRADLEY

Have you ever wondered how your beef gets from pasture to plate? Hi, my name is Callum Bradley and I will tell you all about it.

The first step is deciding how to breed the cows. Farmers can choose artificial insemination or natural breeding. Artificial insemination gives farmers more breeding options because they can choose genetics from many different bulls, but there is less chance of a successful pregnancy each time. Natural breeding gives fewer breeding options, but it usually has a better chance of producing a calf.

Once a cow is pregnant, farmers have to take good care of her. She needs lots of good feed so she stays healthy and can produce enough milk for her calf. During calving season, farmers often stay up late or even all night to make sure cows are safe if they have trouble giving birth.

As the calves grow, farmers make more decisions. If it's a bull, they can keep it for breeding or raise it for beef. If it's a heifer, they can keep her to become part of the breeding herd or sell her through an auction.

Young calves are fed well so they can grow strong and healthy. Once the pasture reaches 6 to 8 inches, they are sent so they grow naturally.

The final step is processing the beef. The meat can be aged by hanging it, which makes it more tender and improves the flavour. This is an important part of producing high-quality beef. If it falls on the ground, that's when it's called ground beef.

All of these decisions take time, knowledge, and hard work. Farmers work long hours, care for their animals every day, and make important choices throughout the animal's life.

That's why I think we should always remember the farmer behind our food. Every steak, burger, or roast represents months of care and dedication before it ever reaches our plate.

WRITTEN BY: KAYLEE WELLS

THE IMPORTANCE OF HEREFORD CATTLE IN THE COMMERCIAL INDUSTRY

Good afternoon ladies, gentlemen, judges and fellow participants. As a young purebred Hereford breeder just starting out in the industry my main goal and passion is to not only raise high quality animals, but to also focus on improving my herd genetics. The first step to improving genetics is understanding them. Throughout my education and experiences, I have had the opportunity to learn about all the amazing traits the Hereford breed has to offer. And this got me to thinking. Why don't we focus on how Hereford cattle can help improve the commercial cattle production system? Both bulls and females in the Hereford industry have the potential to improve commercial cattle operations across the country. This is why our work as purebred breeders is so important. Hereford genetics are a great addition to commercial production system because they combine fertility, feed efficiency, adaptability and maternal traits all together to successfully reach the producers end goal.

Herefords are known to be feed efficient. This means that they are more efficient at converting feed inputs into useful energy for growth, maintenance and reproduction. This allows them to reduce feed costs and inputs for producers while utilizing marginal grazing land quickly by turning forages into useful high quality meat products. For consumers, feed is the largest operating expense for cattle producers and highly affects profitability. Hereford cattle require less feed to reach market weight and can easily convert feed to an ideal marble finish. This means when commercial producers use Hereford genetics in their cross breeding program, they can lower feeding requirements, in turn lowering production costs.

Herefords are known for their adaptability. This means that they can adapt to many environmental conditions to be produced all over the world. Their ability to adapt to hot summers and cold winters helps reduce their overall stress levels. This means they can maintain growth and maintenance in stressful environments This is beneficial to commercial production because cattle are often kept in higher stress environments during preparation for finish. Herefords adaptability will allow for increased animal welfare overall.

Herefords docile temperaments make them easier to work with and safer to handle in the production system. This promotes safety for producers and employees. Their docile temperament would be ideal for commercial breeders because not only is it safer, it is also much more enjoyable to work with quiet animals.

As we all know, Herefords are known for their high fertility and reproduction efficiency. This allows for more calves over a cow's lifetime and fewer inputs required to meet the meat market demands. A producer's goal should always be to produce a consistent calf crop each year as cheaply and as reliably as possible. I firmly believe that Hereford genetics can help reach this goal.

Herefords are known for their maternal traits. Commercial breeders value Hereford cattle as they breed back quickly, have strong milk production and have strong mothering ability. All these traits lead to the overall health of the calf. Their longevity allows them to stay in the herd for longer periods of time and their cross breeding performance allows for better growth rates and hybrid vigor. Their calving ease reduces calf mortality, producer stress and overall veterinary costs.

These are just a few ways of many that Hereford cattle can use their natural characteristics to create beneficial improvements in the commercial cattle production system. And that is why it is so important for us as purebred Hereford producers to focus each and every day on improving our own herd genetics because it is not just beneficial for us and our family's farms but for the entire beef production system as a whole.

2026 POEMS

JUNIOR

SUPPLIED BY LOTTIE WHYTE HEREFORDS

The calmest cattle you've ever seen,
They like to stand in fields of green,
They have deep red coats and are a sight,
Often gentle giants with faces of white,
In the show ring light they stand with pride as
Champion Herefords side by side.

PEEWEE

SUPPLIED BY JASE LASBY THE HEREFORD COW

Red and white
All shiney and bright
Herefords are the best
They're better than the rest
Hereford cows eat hay and
Munch it down all day
My heifer Naomi eats grain
And will bring me fame
Before the show
We blow and go
We hit the ring
And hopefully we win some bling

HORNED & POLLED Fact Sheet

Beef producers are looking for the best management strategy for their herd. As identifying Polled cattle becomes more important for both economic and animal welfare reasons, we explain how you can better predict if your calves will be horned or Polled.

A Polled animal will not necessarily have a Polled calf, as it may be carrying a recessive horned gene. Since you can't "see" if an animal is a carrier of a horned gene, genetic testing is used to determine if the Polled animal is homozygous or heterozygous for the Polled gene. Choosing a homozygous Polled animal will ensure your calves are born Polled.

Allele - the variant form of a given gene.
Polled or horned

Dominant - masks the characteristic of the recessive allele. The Polled allele is Dominant

Recessive - this allele is completely masked if paired with a dominant allele. It is only expressed if both alleles are recessive. The horned gene is recessive, requiring two copies for the animal to have horns.

Homozygous (Homo) Polled - the animal carries two copies of the Polled Gene (one from each parent).

- Sometimes cattle are referred to as "Double Polled" to indicate the animal is descended from two Polled animals. Without a genetic test, this is not a guarantee the progeny will be homozygous Polled, or even Polled at all.

Example

A Homozygous Polled bull is mated to a heterozygous Polled cow. There are four possible outcomes, and in this example, all four outcomes will result in the animal having no horns. Two of the possible outcomes will carry the horned gene and two would be heterozygous Polled.

	Heterozygous Polled Cow (Pp)	
Homozygous Polled Bull (PP)	PP - Polled	PP - Polled
	Pp - Polled	Pp - Polled

What about Scurs?

Scurs typically do not appear until about four months of age and stop growing after a few inches if left on. Scurs do not attach to the animal's skull like a horn.

The gene for scurs is on a different chromosome than the Polled and horned gene. Horn growth makes it impossible for scurs to develop on the same spot, but horned animals can still carry the gene for scurs.

Traditionally the scurred trait has been reported as sex influenced. Male cattle only need one allele for scurs to exhibit the trait, while females need two. Therefore, all female cattle with scurs are considered to be homozygous scurred.

Contact the Canadian Hereford Association for more information on how to test your animals.



Heterozygous (Hetero) Polled - the animal carries one Polled gene (dominant) and one horned gene (recessive). Because the Polled gene is dominant, the animal has no horns.

Example

A Heterozygous Polled bull is mated to a Heterozygous Polled cow. There are four possible outcomes; three will result in the progeny having no horns. There is a 25% chance that the progeny will have horns.

	Heterozygous Polled Cow (Pp)	
Heterozygous Polled Bull (Pp)	PP - Polled	Pp - Polled
	Pp - Polled	pp - Horned



During busy periods, rest and sleep are key to managing wellness

By Agriculture Wellness Ontario



Summer can be an especially hectic time of year for farmers, which can often make taking care of your health and well-being feel difficult, if not impossible.

But it doesn't have to be this way. Little steps can make a big difference. Habits like eating balanced meals, moving your body regularly and finding time in your day for things you enjoy can make a huge difference toward staying fresh and focused

Just like eating, moving and finding joy where you can, there's another huge contributor to wellness that can sometimes get lost in the shuffle of farm life: sleep.

Amid the hustle and bustle of a beef operation, it's often not feasible to get the recommended seven-to-nine hours of sleep each night. And not getting enough sleep can impact mental and physical well-being, which can result in challenges like poor concentration, slower reactions, difficulty with memorization, higher sensitivity to pain, emotional fluctuation and slower recovery from injury or illness.

At times when workload necessitates irregular sleep, sleep hygiene can make a big difference. Sleep hygiene is all about consistency and good habits that set you up to maximize the impact of the sleep you do get.

Some sleep hygiene tips include:

- Keep a consistent routine with low lighting, cooler room temperatures, bathing, dental care and other bedtime habits.
- Take time to wind down towards the end of your day. This may include time for reflection or prayer.
- Exercise regularly. Physical activity is proven to help improve sleep.
- Link being in bed with sleeping. Avoid doing other things in bed like reading or watching TV.
- If you're having trouble falling asleep, don't stay in bed. After 20 minutes, get up and do something else that's relaxing, like reading on the couch.
- Try not to look at electronic devices right before bed, or just after waking up.

If you're having trouble sleeping due to stress or worry, having a notebook by your bed to write out your thoughts can be a helpful

exercise in easing your mind by expressing clearly what's bothering you. Sometimes the disorganization of thoughts can be overwhelming.

With some healthy habits in place that aid in sleep hygiene, facing the stressors of a busy farming season may feel less daunting.

About Agriculture Wellness Ontario: Agriculture Wellness Ontario (AgWO) is a suite of programs managed by the Canadian Mental Health Association, Ontario Division that provides mental health education, support and community to Ontario farmers, farm families and agricultural workers. Learn more about our work at AgricultureWellnessOntario.ca.

If you need more than sleep hygiene get you through the busy seasons, AgWO's here to help. Check out the Farmer Wellness Initiative, our program that offers free, unlimited counselling support to farmers, farm workers and their families. Learn more at FarmerWellnessInitiative.ca or call 1-866-267-6255 for 24-7 intake.

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A large, muscular brown and white cow stands in a grassy field, facing left. The cow has a white head and neck with brown patches, and a brown body with white patches on its underside.

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WHAT DREAMS ARE MADE OF

Thanks to the following breeders and great people for the support in keeping my dreams of owning cattle alive!

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THE WEIGHT OF THINGS

**MOST OF LIFE IS NOT LIVED IN THE HARVEST.
IT IS LIVED IN THE SEASONS BETWEEN.**

There is a quiet weight that comes with caring for something that depends on you.

Most of us hardly ever talk about it.

We talk about the weather. Markets. Feed prices. Machinery breakdowns. Calving seasons. Milk production. SNF changes. Hay yields. The things that are measurable...

But rarely do we talk about the invisible things.

The weight of wondering if you made the right decision. The weight of responsibility.

The weight of knowing that when something goes wrong, there is often nobody else to blame and nobody else to fix it.

Farming teaches this lesson better than perhaps any other profession.

A storm can destroy months of planning. A sick calf can remind us how little control we actually have. A market can move against us despite doing everything right.

And yet, every morning, farmers get up and do it again.

Not because they are guaranteed success.

Because they have accepted something many people spend their entire lives trying to avoid: uncertainty.

There is a strange freedom that comes from that acceptance.

You stop believing that hard work guarantees outcomes.

You start believing that hard work itself has value.

You realize that character is built not when things go according to plan, but when they don't.

Perhaps that is why farming communities are different.

They understand that life is not a series of victories. It is a series of responsibilities.

A field to plant.

An animal to care for.

A neighbour to help.

A family to provide for.

The work is never really finished.

It simply passes from one season to the next.

As veterinarians, we have the privilege of stepping briefly into that world. We see the challenges. We see the disappointments. We see the victories that often go uncelebrated.

And what continues to impress us is not the success itself.

It is the willingness to keep. showing. up.

Day after day.

Year after year.

Long after the excitement has faded and when only commitment remains.

The world often celebrates achievement.

But out here, character is what keeps things moving.

And character is built one ordinary day at a time.

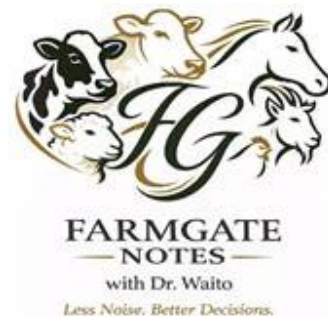
Maybe that is worth remembering as we move through another season.

Not every day needs to be extraordinary.

Sometimes the most meaningful thing we can do...

is simply carry the weight well.

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Abby MacDonald is from Orangeville, Ontario, where she has been a Canadian Junior Hereford Association member for close to a decade. Her family shows Hereford cattle, and her aunt, Amy Pugh, serves as an OJHA Adult Advisor, keeping Abby involved in organizing provincial shows like Beef-A-Rama; Abby has attended six Bonanzas, shown Hereford twice at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, and taken part in the heifer lottery and semen donation programs with her own herd. This fall, Abby is enrolling at the University of Toronto Mississauga to begin a bachelor's degree, with plans to pursue forensic science and become a forensic investigator. While her academic path is taking her outside agriculture, she has spent her high school years balancing her cattle work with a role as a piano and vocal teacher at a local music studio and performing with the Orangeville Music Theatre.

Even as she builds a career in forensic science, Abby intends to stay closely connected to the Hereford breed: she plans to remain in 4-H until she ages out, keep her CJHA membership, and continue attending Bonanza and Beef-A-Rama with her family. Longer term, she hopes to follow in her aunt's footsteps as a OJHA adult advisor and to pass the tradition on to her own children someday, keeping alive the friendships and community the breed has given her.



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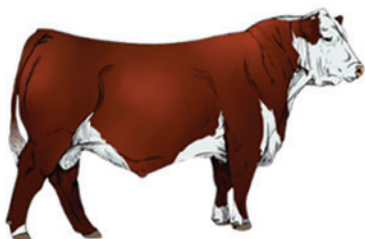
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To Nominate a deserving Commercial Hereford Breeder;
Please provide the following information:

- Nominee Name/Farm Name & Contact Information
- Your Name & Contact Information
- Describe their farm practices
- Explain how they utilize Hereford genetics within their operation and how Herefords have benefited their program.

Please include any other information about the producer that you feel would be beneficial for the selection committee.

*Submit all nominations by December 31st 2026 - This award will
be presented at the AGM in 2027*

SUBMIT TO:
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Strong cattle markets have continued through the first half of 2026. Increased consumer demand for beef along with low cattle numbers around the globe are driving the continued high prices, which analysts predict will remain for the next few years. Hereford remains one of the largest breeds in both Canada and the USA. We are seeing a resurgence in the demand for the white face on red and black cattle. The Baldy is the most popular crossbred cow and there is only one real way to have it and that is with Hereford genetics.

The new Hereford Inventory Genotyping Project (HIGP) is now available for members who participate in the THE program. This new initiative is available until December 15 and will allow for breeders to genomically test their complete female inventory at the reduced rate of \$40 per animal. The test is our regular CHA Standard Test that includes the same add-ons, just at a lower price. The add-ons include parentage, genetic conditions (except MD), horned/pollled, and genomically enhanced EPDs. By completing the testing on your female inventory, you will alleviate potential parentage issues, your herd will have increased pedigree accuracy and will be an additional attribute to differentiate your program to prospective customers. We intended to develop a program that didn't mandate additional testing through policies but encouraged additional testing through added value and price breaks. There has been a tremendous response from across Canada from herds of all sizes. If you are interested in participating contact the CHA office for more information.

The CHA is collaborating with the Canadian Angus and Canadian Charolais Associations on the Heifer Select Program. This program is designed to align the seedstock and commercial cattle sectors for the implementation of genetic services. Resulting from the project, commercial cattle producers can genetic test their animals and receive information on 23 traits on their females. To date, over 17,000 genetic tests across 56 herds have been submitted. This information is available utilizing the online portal provided by Helical, which is a respected global leader in animal genomics. The concept is that once commercial cattle producers can measure the genetic merits of their replacement heifers that they will in turn source higher quality bulls to improve their herds. The Hereford data features prominently in the data set and will promote crossbreeding and the F1 Hereford Baldy. This program includes Genomics & Technical Support Advisor who works directly with commercial cattle producers to train them on recording animal data, collecting DNA samples, analyzing the genomic information.

The Canadian Hereford Foundation's National Select Sale will be held once again at the Red Coat Reception during Agribition. Last year's sale was a success and exceeded expectations. I would like to thank the donors, buyers, service providers, and sale committee members for their support. Included in this year's sale will be two lots, with the proceeds going to the Keith Gilmore Foundation (KGF) who have supported Hereford youth through scholarships and other funding since 1987. The proceeds for this year's sale will be used for several youth development initiatives and education programs that benefit the Hereford breed and its members.

Bonanza 2026 in Quebec was a resounding success and congratulations to the Ontario delegation for their success in the competitions and overall support for the event. Next year, Bonanza will be hosted in Barriere, BC from July 20-24, 2027. The CHA and CJHA Annual General Meetings will be held during the week of Bonanza with the dates still to be confirmed. I look forward to seeing everyone there whether you bring cattle or participate in other ways.

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REPORT | Canadian Hereford Association

Greetings from the Canadian Hereford Association and your provincial directors Heather Ribey and Jamie O'Shea.

The first half of the year has been busy for the CHA, with many meetings and activities, including the recent July board meetings and Annual General Meeting in Drummondville, Quebec.

Financially, the CHA is again in a solid position. Registrations are up in 4 out of 5 age categories and up overall compared to last year. Transfers are up over last year which means there are more funds coming back to the provinces to use for promotion locally. Memberships are running steadily to last year. Income from building rent and investments will enable the association to continue to upgrade and maintain the building. Recently, the signage out front of the CHA office has been totally updated and several renovation projects are being completed inside the building as we now have a new tenant in the west wing.

The Heifer Select project continues to expand its reach with 22 traits measured and reported back to producers who submit DNA samples on crossbred females. Along with breed composition and parentage verification, traits are reported in growth, maternal, feed efficiency, health, carcass and horned/pollled. There have been some changes in staffing with Anne Larouche now working on the project and she is available to assist producers with setting up as well as evaluating results. Anne can be reached at genomics@heiferselect.ca to set up a time. Visit the webpage www.heiferselect.ca for more info and a link to a virtual presentation. Should you wish to participate in a producer meeting this fall, please contact Anne for availability.

Unfortunately, we still have not had a fully workable registry system to transition to. There have been some improvements to the current online speed with the server now being cloud based. In the meantime, the CHA staff are exploring all possibilities for an improved registry program for its members. As soon as these new registry and herd management programs are available, the CHA will provide communication to the membership.

Genetic testing – (HIGP) Hereford Inventory Genotyping Project. A good response from CHA members to take advantage of the special reduced pricing available. To participate members are to submit DNA on all the animals in their “THE” inventory who have not previously been tested. If you are interested, please contact val@hereford.ca to verify your list of animals that need testing. Get in on this program while it is still available! We are currently experiencing a regular turnaround time on all DNA samples submitted through Neogen.

Communications - Recently, our CHA webpage (along with multiple other webpages) experienced a malfunction. Efforts are being made to repopulate the Webpage and look at alternative hosting and backup procedures. The webpage is the main information resource for members, additionally the monthly email communication can keep you up to date. If you are not receiving the monthly e-newsletter, be sure to subscribe to the “Better Your Beef Bulletin – The official E-newsletter of the CHA.” Emma (emma@hereford.ca) would also welcome input from members if you have ideas or pictures that can be used for promotion in multiple social media streams. The Canadian Hereford Digest August issue is set to arrive as you read this, and October issue will be put together in September.

The CHA board also has multiple committees that meet throughout the year. The Governance committee has been working on updating the CHA Constitution & Bylaws. Once we have received feedback from Ag Canada, members will have the opportunity to review and ratify the document at the 2027 CHA AGM to be held in Barriere, British Columbia.

As we continue to develop our plan to support future generations of producers and make Hereford the breed of choice, the formation of the Canadian Hereford Foundation is almost completed. The annual fundraising sale will be held in late November at Agribition as part of the Red Coat reception. The sale catalog will be mailed with the October edition of the Digest, make plans to participate in this exciting sale full of unique donations.

Since our last Ontario Hereford News, we have had a change in staff at the CHA, We Thank Tara for her years of service to the members and wish her well in her new endeavors! Please welcome Katrina Smulan who has joined us as a member services representative in the CHA office.

If you have questions or feedback, please contact Heather icf@bmts.com or Jamie osheafarms@hotmail.com and we will be glad to expand further on the projects and happenings of the CHA.



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SHOW RESULTS

Spring Forward



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RESERVE FEMALE	JDL JJJ TEMPTATION 308F 106N	Owners JDL Cattle Co, Jase, Jayden Lasby and Jolene Fulford
CHAMPION BULL	JDL NITRO 316 125N	Owners JDL Cattle Co.
RESERVE BULL	DGS BOURBON NORTHERN RED 107N	Owned by Dunmore Farm



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JUDGE ANNOUNCEMENT

Blair resides at Brome, QC where alongside his family & partner Stacy, they operate a Millbrook Farm – a Purebred Shorthorn herd, and Highwood Land & Cattle – a Purebred Simmental herd. Combined, the herds make up 75 females. In both breeds, they strive to raise cattle with balanced, maternally oriented females with added look & eye appeal. Throughout the year, cattle are exhibited across North America, including the Toronto Royal, NAILE, FarmFair, Agribition & Expo Boeuf. In the last few years, they have exhibited numerous Champion Bulls & Females across the country in both breeds. The Shorthorn females are sold the first Wednesday of October in the Millbrook Northern Exposure Sale and the Simmental females the 2nd Tuesday in October through the Highwood's Family Affair Sale.

Blair was involved in their several breed associations growing up and look forward to the opportunity to give back to youth whenever possible. Recently, Blair has been honoured to have stepped onto the other side of the ring judging shows across Canada.



Jack McAughey Memorial Awards (Perpetual) Presented to the Grand Champion Female, Reserve Grand Champion Female, Grand Champion Male, and the Reserve Grand Champion Male in memory of Jack McAughey. Winners will receive a silver tray and the following prize money: **Grand Champions: \$1,500 - Reserve Grand Champions: \$1,000**

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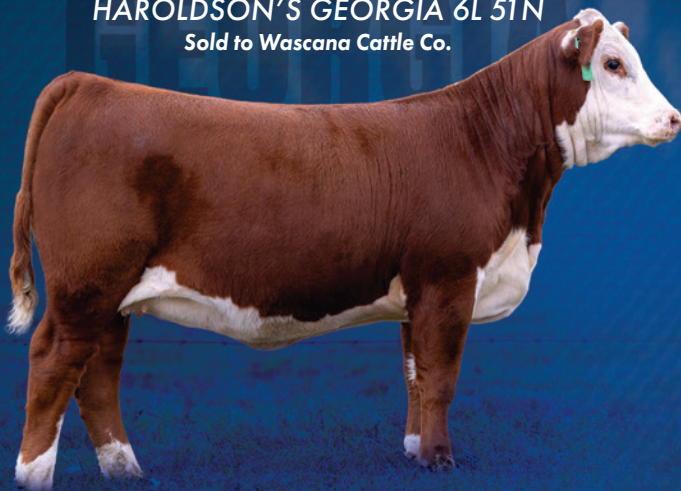


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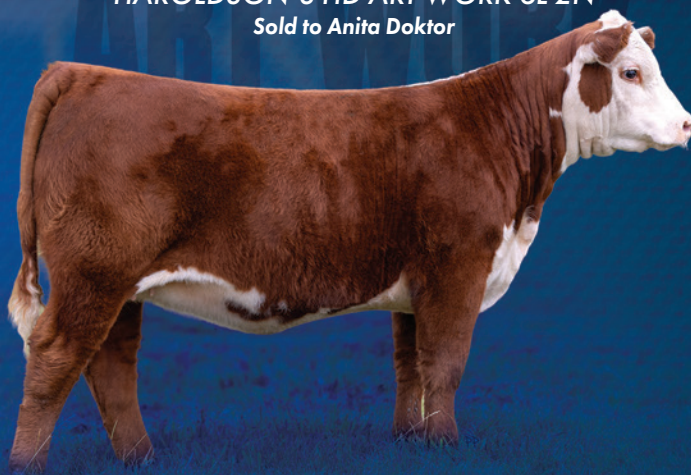
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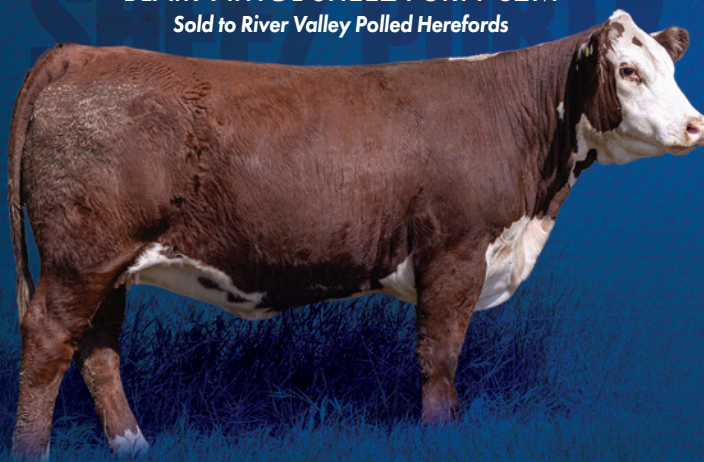
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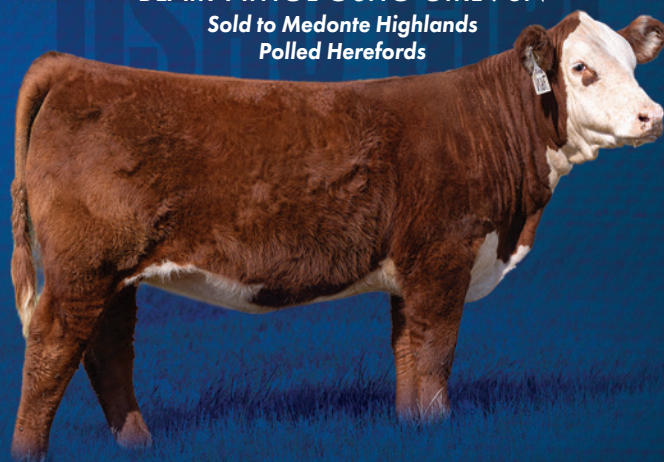
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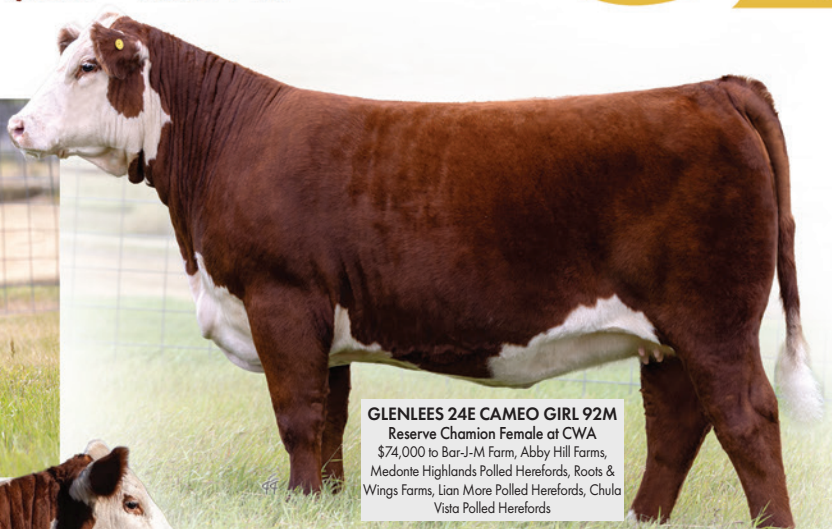
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Whiskey Lane Livestock

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Whiskey Lane Livestock started official March 15th, of 2001. That is when Scott and Paula bought a 150 acre farm located at 2295 Highway 7 in Indian River. Scott grew up with Hereford cattle and Paula Angus. They brought together approximately 20 cows.

In September of 2002, Scott and Paula were married. For the next 5 years they spent their time working, Scott at Eastgen and Paula at TD Bank, as well as travelling the show road showing cattle and attending sales.

In April of 2008, they welcomed their first of 2 children, Jason Cornish. In January of 2010, along came their daughter Shelby Cornish. The million dollar family was now complete!!!

August of 2011 saw the purchase of the neighboring 150 acre farm. At the same time, they were presented with the opportunity to lease a herd of 30 Hereford cows from Jamie O'shea while he went to Russia for a year. The herd is now up to 70 cows and split evenly between the Herefords and Angus!!!

The Royal Winter Fair has always been a show that is near and dear to the heart to both Scott and Paula. First of all, it is where Scott and Paula met! Back in the day the Royal was 14 days long and Scott worked for Billy Elmhirst and Paula worked for Juanita Benke. Both crews always came together after tie outs to watch them clip cattle and mingle!! There might have been the odd trip to the Saloon Bar!! The second reason the Royal is so special to the couple is because it was where they had their first Grand Champion Hereford Female. In 2007 WLL Sassy 1S received the slap!!! The couple was fortunate enough to have it happen again in 2009 with WLL Wish 7W. Fun Fact each time they had champion female, Paula was pregnant with one of their kids. Safe to say they will never have a Champion again!!!!

Family has been a big part to the success of Whiskey Lane Livestock. Edgar and Marie, Scott's parents, lived just over the hill and helped out through their advice, guidance and access to machinery. Brian and Jane Pasoce, Paula's parents made many trips to help cut grass, clean the house and babysit, just to name a few things! Greg Cornish is a member they could not farm without. He is always willing to help out with any task, does the chores when they are away and is a good idea sounding board.

Scott and Paula have also dedicated many hours to various boards and committees. Scott has been on the the Ontario Hereford Association and held the President position in 2006/2007 and 2025/2026. Paula has been on the Eastern Ontario Angus Association, the Ontario Angus Association, the Canadian

Association, the Peterborough County Agriculture Hall of Fame committee, Director on the Peterborough County 4-H Association, treasurer of the Otonabee Figure Skating Club. Both were also active 4-H members back in their time!!! The Cornish family was honored with the Peterborough County Farm Family of the year in 2024.

The couples greatest accomplishment is their children Jason and Shelby. Jason recently graduated high school and was voted the Valedictorian of his graduating class. He is enrolled in Trent University for the fall of 2026 with plans to become a high school math teacher. Jason loves playing sports, especially hockey. He plans to go back to High school and help coach both the high school football and hockey teams!! In his spare time, you will catch him playing U21 hockey and working a shift at the feedmill, Ernest Boyles and Sons where he has worked for the past 5 years!

Shelby is their farm girl!!! Shelby loves her cows and dog. Shelby is going into Grade 11 and will tell you she is going to the University of Guelph once she graduates high school! Shelby enjoys figure skating, baseball and has recently found a love for field Lacrosse. If you ever want to find Shelby just follow the music that will be playing while she works cattle in the barn.

Through their love of cattle, Scott and Paula have met some great people and developed some amazing friendships with people all over the world!! The one thing they like the most is visiting with people on their porch! The door is always open and the beer is always cold!!



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The Ontario Hereford Association is divided into 4 zones

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Bruce Ellis Poland May 9, 1952 - June 15, 2026

In his 75th year and a lifelong resident of Paris, Ontario, passed away June 15, 2026, at the Stedman Community Hospice in Brantford, Ontario. Throughout his journey with cancer, Bruce was surrounded by his many loved family and friends where Bruce invited all to “ride the wave” with him in positivity and happiness.

Bruce is survived by his beloved wife Denise. He is the beloved father of Deana Poland, Jennifer (Tyler) Brooks and Butch (Whitney) Poland. Dear brother to Anne Poland and Carol (Duane) Poland. Special grandfather to; Michael, Sarah, Emma (Shea), Margaret (Blake), Jason, Bryce, and Ellie; and great-grandson Kohen aka “Frank”. Denise’s children lovingly remember him: Kara (Cody), Briana (Nick) and Braden (Katie) and grandson Miles. Bruce is a Special Uncle to many nieces and nephews.

Bruce was predeceased by his parents Dr and Mrs. Melvin and Marie Poland of Paris, ON.

Bruce lived life to the fullest. The motto “Work Hard, Play Harder” applied to him. He was a “wheels man” whether it be transport trucks, farm equipment, Sea Ray boats, Harley-Davidson motorcycles or the other countless vehicles he drove or admired over the years.

Bruce showed his passion for work and people through the time he dedicated to H.S. Knill Transport. Eventually owning and passing on the business to his son was of great pride to him. Bruce thoroughly enjoyed all the relationships he made along this journey from fellow drivers, to employees, purebred livestock customers and more. He truly felt he had built a community like family through those connections.

Bruce was involved in serving his community in various ways including the Brant County Power Board, Ayr Farmers Mutual Insurance Company, and the Paris Agricultural Society. Spending precious time with his family and his countless rural friends was extremely important to him.

Bruce’s dedication, generosity, perseverance, and the countless lives he touched are what he will be remembered for. His legacy lives on in his family, his community, and the values he carried throughout his life.

Many thanks to the staff and volunteers at the Stedman Community Hospice who treated Bruce with special care and became like family, making his final weeks a continuation of the life he loved so much.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the Paris Fairgrounds Special Events Building, 139 Silver Street, Paris, Ontario, on Sunday October 4, 2026 from 2 - 4 p.m. A Private Family Graveside service will take place at the Paris Plains Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, Bruce would like donations in his memory to the Paris Agricultural Society.



Lois James (nee McNeely) Spring Valley Farms

Peacefully at Almonte Country Haven with family by her side on Sunday, December 7, 2025, at the age of 96 years.

June 1, 2026 - MPP Jordan Members’ Statement – Accomplishments of the late Lois James of Spring Valley Farms. MPP Jordan had the opportunity to rise in the House at Queen’s Park to speak about just a few of the many accomplishments of Lois James, including her induction into the 2025 Agriculture Hall of Fame.

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Brant Ellwood Jones - December 11, 1963 – July 7, 2026

It is with great sadness that his family announces his passing on July 7, 2026 at the age of 62. Brant passed away doing what he loved most in life, on the land where he was raised and forever cherished. He was the much loved husband of Carolyn and immensely proud father of Courtney (Aaron), Eli, and Jamie Lyn (Nate) who will miss his quiet guidance and his unforgettable sense of humour. He was an incredibly proud grandfather to his cherished granddaughter, Letty and eagerly anticipated the arrival of his second grandchild.

Brant is survived by siblings Glen, Deborah (George), Philip (Laurie), sister-in-law Kathy (Allan 2017), Carolyn's siblings Valerie (Dave), Scott (Claudia), Janet and many nieces and nephews. He was the beloved son of the late Eli (2016) and Elsie (2021) Jones.

A farmer through and through, Brant found his greatest joy in the fields and among his beloved Polled Herefords. His passion for farming was evident in everything he did including showing cattle for both himself and his dad with much pride. In addition to farming, Brant had a love for trees and was an accomplished forestry technician who established a business and dedicated many years to the forestry services industry. He loved his sports, especially hockey, with baseball a close second, but above all else, Brant's greatest love and pride was his family. His quiet strength, kind heart, gentle nature and genuine interest in others made him someone people naturally gravitated towards. He will be remembered as a humble, hardworking man whose life was rooted in family, friendship and the values of honesty and perseverance.

Though his passing leaves an immeasurable void, there is comfort in knowing he spent his final moments in a place he loved, doing the work that defined so much of his life. Those who knew Brant will carry his memory in their hearts and honour him in the countless stories, lessons and moments they shared with him.

Congratulations and Welcome

We did it!

Together with their families and friends

Kevin Brown and Randi-Lynn Hawke-Leblanc, are pleased to announce their marriage on Saturday, October 4th, 2025 at their home in Severn, Ontario.

Arriving early and growing fast!

Kevin and Randi-Lynn Brown welcomed their son AJ Frederick Brown on February 15th 2026. Dixie-Lynn is so proud to be his big sister!



Shelby Stanley and Owen Grundy were engaged on May 29, 2026. Shelby, from Ottawa, Ontario, is currently pursuing a degree in Forensic Psychology and Neuroscience while staying actively involved in the cattle industry. Owen was raised on his family farm, NBG Polled Herefords, in North Gower, Ontario, where he developed his passion for agriculture and purebred cattle. Together, they enjoy exhibiting cattle across Canada and are building their own purebred Hereford herd. The couple looks forward to celebrating their wedding in Summer 2028.



CRISPY TACO EGGROLLS

INGREDIENTS

- 1 pound Ground Beef (80% lean or leaner)
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 3 tablespoons taco seasoning mix
- 1/4 cup water
- 10 eggroll wrappers
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1 cup shredded Oaxaca cheese
- 1/2 cup salsa
- Guacamole and sour cream (optional)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Heat large nonstick skillet over medium heat until hot. Add Ground Beef and onion. Cook 8 to 10 minutes, breaking into 1/4-inch crumbles, stirring occasionally. Drain, if necessary.
Cook's Tip: Cooking times are for fresh or thoroughly thawed Ground Beef. Ground Beef should be cooked to an internal temperature of 160°F. Color is not a reliable indicator of Ground Beef doneness.
- Add taco seasoning and 1/4 cup water, stir to combine. Remove from heat; keep warm.
- Preheat air fryer to 385°F. Meanwhile, place eggroll wrappers evenly on work surface, with corners facing you. Spoon about 2 tablespoons beef mixture and 1 tablespoon cheese evenly across centers of wrappers, leaving 1-inch border on right and left sides. Brush edges with egg; fold right and left sides of wrappers over filling. Fold bottom corners up over filling and roll up tightly, sealing eggroll. Spray outsides with cooking oil.
- Place seam side down, in a single layer, in air fryer basket. Cook 8 to 10 minutes, turning halfway through, or until browned and crispy.
- Serve with salsa. Top with guacamole and sour cream, as desired.



WILD WEST BEEF HASH

INGREDIENTS

- 1 pound Ground Beef (93% lean or leaner)
 - 3 cups frozen potatoes O'Brien
 - 1 jar (15 to 16 ounces) prepared thick-and-chunky salsa
 - 1 cup frozen corn
 - 1/4 cup chopped fresh cilantro
 - 1 cup shredded reduced-fat Cheddar cheese
- Toppings: Reduced-fat dairy sour cream, chopped fresh cilantro, lime wedges (optional)

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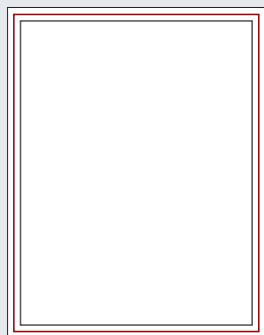
- Spray large nonstick skillet with cooking spray; heat over medium heat until hot. Add potatoes; cook 10 to 12 minutes or until lightly browned, stirring occasionally. Remove from skillet. Keep warm.
Cook's Tip: Refrigerated diced potatoes may be substituted for frozen potatoes.
- Brown Ground Beef in same skillet over medium heat 8 to 10 minutes, breaking up into 3/4-inch crumbles and stirring occasionally. Pour off drippings, as necessary. Season beef with salt and pepper, as desired. Stir in salsa, corn and 1/4 cup cilantro; cook 5 minutes or until heated through, stirring occasionally. Stir in potatoes; sprinkle with cheese. Cook 1 to 2 minutes or until heated through and cheese is melted.
Cook's Tip: You may substitute Mexican cheese blend for Cheddar cheese. Cooking times are for fresh or thoroughly thawed ground beef. Ground beef should be cooked to an internal temperature of 160°F. Color is not a reliable indicator of ground beef doneness.
- Serve with toppings, if desired.



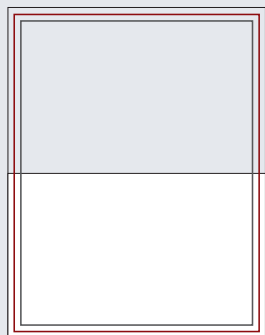
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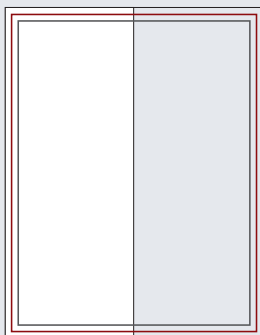
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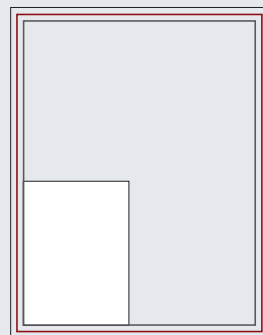
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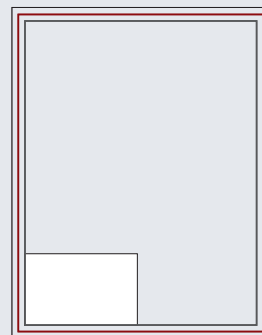
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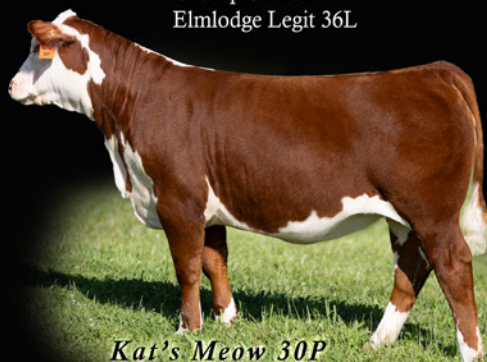
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