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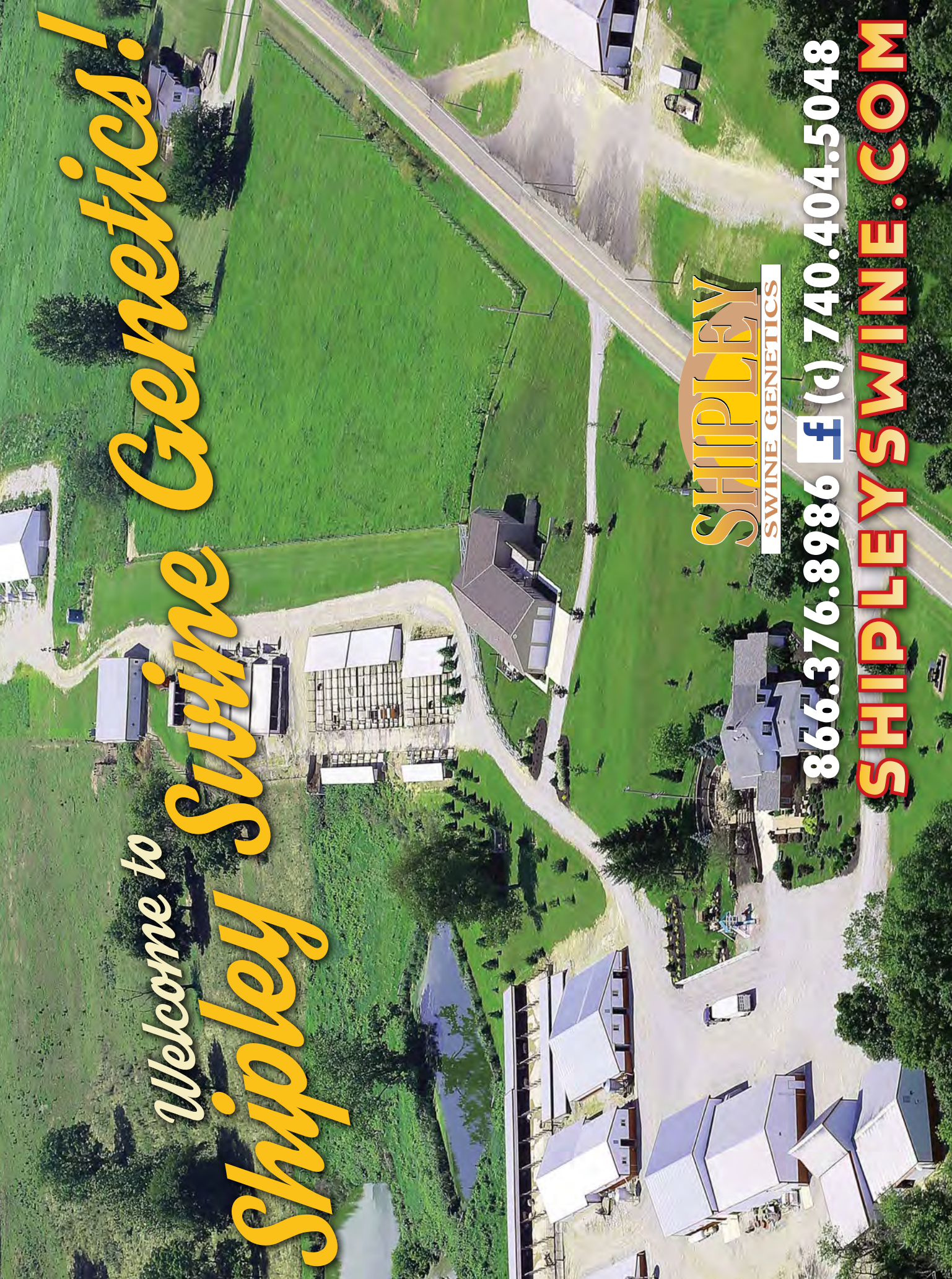
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Open Mike

Touchdown makers

While attending high school in a small town in north-central Iowa (almost Minnesota), I was fortunate to participate in several sports. Our school suffered several losing seasons, but before my sophomore year, we got a new football coach, Bill Gallipo. The first thing Coach Gallipo incorporated was a list of 10 items that needed to happen to win the game.

While I don't remember them all, two stick out in my mind: "Don't let the other team score," and "The touchdown makers need to do their job." Each play Coach sketched into our playbook had two players that were designated as the touchdown makers. These touchdown makers did not take the handoff or make the pass downfield. They were not really involved in the main flow of the play, but their role was imperative to the success of our team. Their job was to get downfield, after completing their assignment at the line of play, and throw that last block to spring the backs or the wide receiver to allow them to score the touchdown.

Coach stressed the importance of these to us continuously. In fact, during our film sessions, Coach was more complementary to these touchdown makers than to the back or wide receiver that scored the touchdown. He knew the little things made the difference between winning and losing.

Last week during the World Pork Expo (WPX), I was proud to be on the team with several touchdown makers. In fact, these touchdown makers were running their assignments from the playbook long before exhibitors arrived in Des Moines. Adam Dian created the online entries; the Marketing & Communications Team, Katie Maupin, Ann Fry and Steve Weintraut, sent e-blasts and information about the WPX in the *Seedstock EDGE*; the pedigree staff, Robin Lucas, Lisa Kennedy, Rhonda Eller, Jessica Goyette-Blankenship and Whitney Hosier, processed pedigrees and entries; and Brian Arnold, Kaley Bontrager and Whitney Hendricks made plans on how to get the record number of entries in the barn. Brian Arnold along with Blaine Evans, Michael Lackey and interns, Tyler Johnson and David Korb, were in Des Moines on Friday to receive and set up the additional pens to accommodate the number of entries. I would be remiss if I did not mention former NJSA Board member Greg Krahn, at this point. Greg, you were a touchdown maker with your efforts in getting pens delivered to Des Moines. Thank you!

Trailers were lined up Monday morning, and with assistance from Dr. Shawn Nicholson, along with Brian Anderson, Blaine Evans and John Paul, health certificates and animals were processed for unloading. Thanks to the NJSA Board of Directors, Team Purebred Board of Directors and Amy Smith for their efforts assisting with the unloading process. Check-in was held in the Cattle Barn and a new format was used this year. Kaley Bontrager did herself proud and made the gigantic task run smoothly and efficiently. Thanks to Lisa Kennedy for checking-in Open Show entries, and to Robin Lucas and Whitney Hendricks for preparing junior and open show catalogs.

Junior Show judges Willie Kirkpatrick, Kade Hummel and Justin Rodibaugh worked through the large number of classes in a professional and efficient manner. Dr.

"It was the touchdown makers that did their job and made the 2014 WPX a winner."

Jodi Sterle, Bryn Jossen, Erin Dorsey and James Bachman manned the microphone and did a great job. Open Show judges Wayne Huinker assisted by John Quinn, Dan Burzlaff, Jim McCoy and Kirk Swanson assisted by Jesse Heimer, all did a great job. Thanks, guys, I appreciate it. Lake Land College students assisted in the show rings and sale rings all week. Ryan Orrick and Jon Althaus, thanks for the great students. We couldn't do it without them.

Katie Maupin, Ann Fry and intern Holly Hopkins shot some amazing photos and got all the show and sale results up online promptly. Dr. Doug Newcom manned the America's Best Genetics booth in the Agricultural Building and represented purebred genetics to the commercial industry in the U.S. and worldwide. Auctioneers Dan Baker, Ron Kreis and Kevin Wendt were on their A-game Saturday. Thanks, guys, for your efforts.

As you can see, it was the touchdown makers that did their job and made the 2014 WPX a winner.



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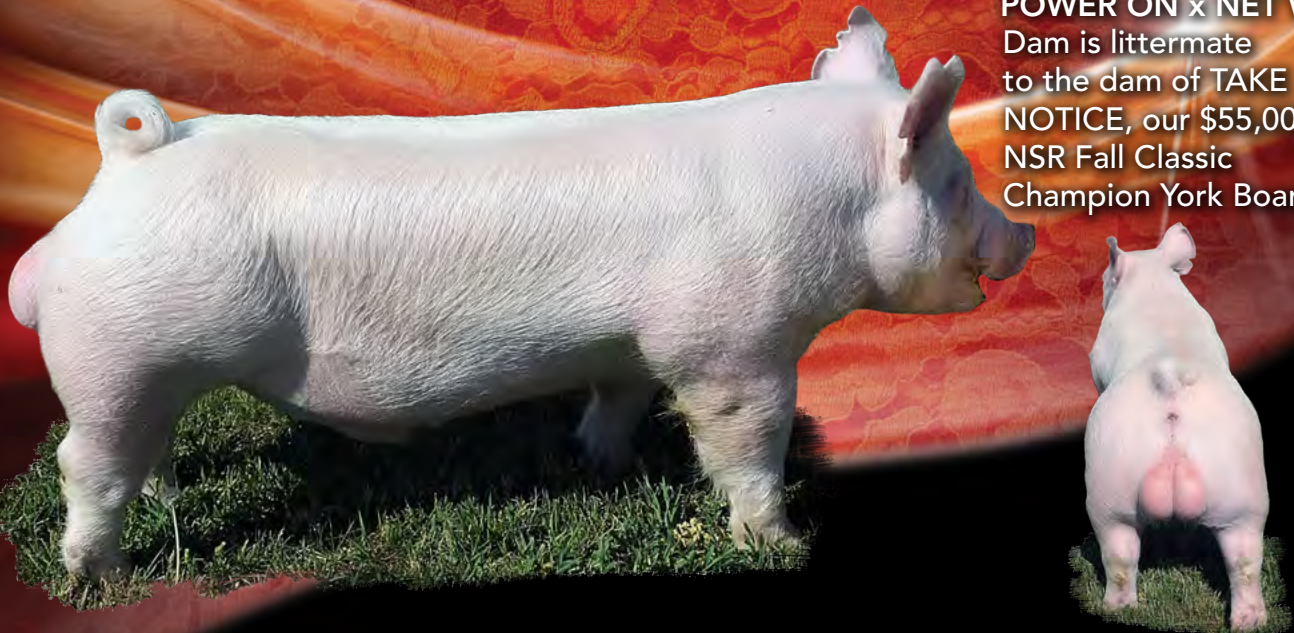
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Youth View

It's the people

The first time I showed at the World Pork Expo was in 2010, and it didn't take long for it to become my family's favorite show. Between the golf cart rides, free food and quality livestock, it's hard to find a show that is more fun to attend. As only an attendee, I never thought about what went into getting ready for an event of that scale. But now, just a few years later, I know exactly what went into preparing for the largest World Pork Expo in history.

Weeks before Expo, we were in the office trying to figure out how we were going to fit the record number of entries into the Swine and Sheep Barns on the Iowa State Fairgrounds. After making a visit to the fairgrounds and creating a detailed map of where everyone would be penned, it seemed we would still be a few hundred pens short. Thanks to Iowa State University, Boone County Fairgrounds and Dallas County Fairgrounds, we were able to round up enough pens to hold all of the exhibitors. Once the pens were set up and the pen cards hung, the rest of the week seemed to fly by.

When I sat down to reflect afterward, I realized I couldn't think of a single thing that went great or that needed fixed for next year. Between getting there a few days early to get set up, pushing everyone through the check-in line and showing for three days, I think it's safe to say it was a pretty busy week. And, if I am being honest, the whole show was a blur. I know there are things to improve on and do better for next year, but instead of remembering those things, I remember the friends I got to see, the show families I got to work with and the amazing staff that was by my side.

Although it's hard for me to admit this, I have come to realize that the show will never be perfect. We can only plan for so much and learn from our mistakes for the following year. The real purpose is continuing old relationships and seeing friends that we made over the years. I remember a few years ago at the National Junior Summer Spectacular, when I was showing in Senior Showmanship, we had to get on the microphone and introduce ourselves and then answer the following question: "Why do we continue

to do what we do with the costs increasing? Why do we keep coming back to shows?" I think my answer now is the same as it was back then – because of the people.

When the showmanship judge grabbed the microphone and told us that we would all have our turn on it, I tensed up. It would be the first time I would have to get on the mic in front of a large crowd of people I didn't know, and that terrified me. However, when I heard the question I breathed a sigh of relief because the answer was so simple. Of course, we come to these shows for more than just to show pigs. We come because not only are our best friends here, but our family friends are here as well. In high

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school, the show season would fly by and I would have to go back to school hoping maybe my friends would come to the same fall and winter shows as my family. Now, in all the traveling I do and all the shows I go to, I know when I get there I will get to see these people I have grown to love over the years, and there is no better feeling.

As I reflect on the Expo, I can't help but be incredibly grateful for the people I work with and the friends I have in this industry. They are all incredibly modest and would like to say they didn't do much, but the show couldn't have gone on without them. Whether they helped me in the office or showed up a few days early to help get set up, they were just as much of a key role to the success of the World Pork Expo as I was.



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When Yimmi Fontenot drove her good, blue, heavy-weight barrow into the Champion Drive, there was no doubt that Willie K. liked that one a great deal.

"You'd better cover your ears, when Yimmi's barrow wins," someone whispered to me.

Now, this may seem like strange ringside commentary, unless you've met Yimmi's mom, Joanna, and for those of you who have, I guarantee you won't forget her.

I like to think of Joanna as one of NJSA's biggest cheerleaders. She can always be found in the stands at Expo, and most times she has a video camera in one hand and camera in the other, filming and picturing the show simultaneously, all while yelling for the kids.

"Whoooooooooooo. Way to go, Maxie! You're doing great."

"Good job, Gar'-Bear!"

"Come on, Baby Girl!"

So when Yimmi drove that good cross barrow, all eyes (and ears) were on Joanna, when Willie stepped forward to shake Yimmi's hand. The whole barn took a collective breath and waited for the shouts and celebration. Instead, Joanna clapped. There was

no yelling, screaming or shouts. By anyone's standard, it was a very reserved reaction to grabbing the banner at one of the toughest barrow shows in the nation.

As friends and family made their way down to the ring, a teary-eyed Joanna embraced Yimmi, and everyone was wondering the same thing – why didn't she yell?

As I congratulated the Fontenot family, I overheard someone ask Joanna just that. At first she laughed saying she honestly thought there was one more division drive before anyone was named champion, but what she said next left an impression on me.

"I always cheer louder for the other kids, than for Yimmi," she said. "Yimmi already knows how proud we are of her, but I want those other kids to know that we're rooting for them."

How many people at a show actually cheer louder for other folks than themselves? How many parents can say they yelled louder when a competitor took the blue instead of their own child? And even the best showman would be hard pressed to say they were genuinely happy for their peer when they were beat in class. Sure we shake hands, but it's hard to get over our own tinge of disappointment.

I know this because I am fiercely competitive. Anyone who knows me can attest to that. The current running joke is that if I ever have children, I would be one of "those moms" – you know, the "drive him at the judge, get his head up, show 'em like you stole him" moms.

But Joanna got me thinking, what if the stands were full

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of more cheerleaders? What if everyone standing ringside was just happy to have the opportunity to participate, regardless of who takes home the purple? What if exhibitors shook hands with the winner with hardly a tinge of disappointment?

Now, I don't know about you, but I think that whole idea sounds like a lot of fun, and that's what it is all about. There's a lot that goes into these projects – time, money, blood, sweat and tears. Each and every exhibitor and their family has spent countless time getting ready, so let's remember that when we're ringside. Let's try to cheer each other on, rather than muttering about the placing. You never know how a little cheerleading can make someone's day.



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YEARS ON THE EDGE

A look back at the past 20 years of Seedstock EDGE magazine

1998

1998 was the first year the Summer Type Conference was held alongside the National Junior Show. Both were held at the Tippecanoe County fairgrounds in Lafayette, Indiana. Steve Nichols of Delphi, Indiana, evaluated the Open Show Durocs. The top-selling Duroc boar was shown by Huinker Durocs and sold for \$8,700 to Triple B Farms.

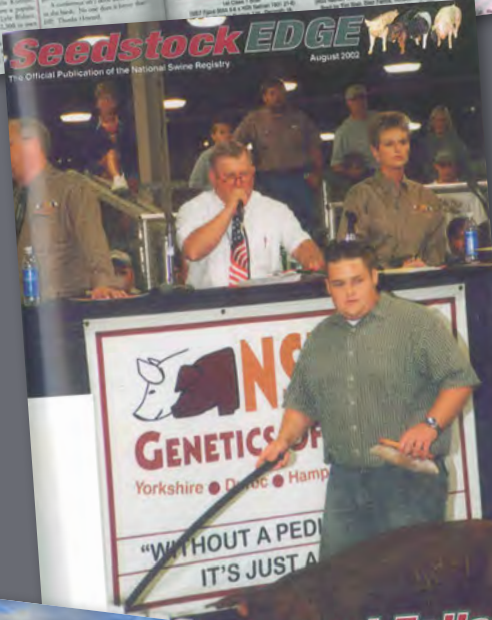


1998

2002

The cover of the August 2002 issue features Kyle Riggs, Anderson, Indiana, and his Grand Champion Boar at the Summer Type Conference. Not only was he the top-selling boar of the entire sale, but he also set a new Duroc boar record that remains unbroken. He sold for \$145,000 to Top Cut Showpig Sires, Hollansburg, Ohio.

2002



2009

The July feature, "Leaving a Legacy," written by Christy Couch Lee, was dedicated to NSR Field Representative Sam Howell upon entering his retirement. He spent 15 years on the road serving the Western region, assisting breeders and attending shows and sales. Colleagues noted that his passion for purebred hogs touched the lives of those he helped.



2009

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Industry News

America's Best Genetics represented at the China Animal Husbandry Expo

Representatives of America's Best Genetics (ABG), the commercially-oriented membership of the National Swine Registry (NSR) offering the most progressive purebred genetic systems both domestically and abroad, attended the China Animal Husbandry Expo (CAHE) in Qingdao, China, on May 18-20. Twelve members participated in booth activities.

Dr. Doug Newcom, NSR Vice President of Global Technical Service, was joined by Yvette Zhou from Wise-Harmon; Jake Cluver of Ag World International; Tony Clayton of Clayton Agri Marketing; Valerie Duttlinger of Tempel Genetics; Paul Flint of Cedar Ridge Genetics; Eddie Tang of Shaffer Genetics-China; Linda Gibbs and Yuxin Chen of Waldo Genetics; Dr. Mike Lemmon and Charlie Lemmon of Whiteshire-Hamroc; and four representatives from Beijing-Whiteshire. Newcom met with several groups, including Sunsing, a 1,500 sow joint-venture partner of Cedar Ridge and Shaffer Genetics. They're excited to utilize the NSR program and the STAGES™ genetic evaluation system.

Pei Zhiyong, from the U.S. Embassy in Beijing, introduced the group to Hoa Van Huynh, Director of the Agriculture Trade Office in Guangzhou. Newcom, Duttlinger, Qiang and Zhou met with Mr. Tian and Ms. Xu from the Shan dong Rong chang Breeding Company, a joint-venture partner of Whiteshire-Hamroc, to discuss recording litters with the NSR.

Newcom also had the opportunity to meet with Ralph Bean, Director of the Agriculture Trade Office at the U.S. Embassy in Beijing. They discussed the opportunities that exist for swine in the Chinese agricultural market and how NSR can capitalize in the future.

This year-to-date, ABG members and partners have recorded more than 1,200 litters abroad.



Twelve commercially-oriented members of NSR's America's Best Genetics attended the China Animal Husbandry Expo to promote the use of purebred genetics abroad.

Waldo Genetics Scholarships awarded



Waldo Genetics offered two \$1,000 scholarships to youth involved in the swine industry at the 2014 World Pork Expo. Bailey Farrer of Indiana and Amanda Outhouse of Iowa were honored to receive the awards.

“Our industry prospers when the next generation of pork producers is prepared to handle the challenges and opportunities of the industry’s future,” Waldo Genetics’ representative says. “We’re so pleased to recognize the efforts of students whose studies, aptitude and interests will guide them to a career in the swine industry.”



Linda Gibbs and Max Waldo present Amanda Outhouse (l) and Bailey Farrer (r) with \$1,000 scholarships to further their education.

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Obituaries



Dallas R. Grenawalt
1940-2014

Dallas R. Grenawalt

Dallas R. Grenawalt, 74, of rural Beloit, Wisconsin, died on April 5, at Mercy Hospital, Janesville. Grenawalt was born March 3, 1940, the son of Robert D. and Vivian M. (Benjamin) Grenawalt in Beloit, Wisconsin, and graduated with the class of 1957, from Orfordville High School.

After graduation, he joined his father on the family farm, raising registered Hampshire pigs. Grenawalt was active in 4-H, showing at the county and state fairs, and later at the Illinois and Minnesota State Fairs.

Grenawalt was on the Board of Directors of Green Rock FS for many years, named Wisconsin Pork All American in 1975, was on the National Hampshire Board of Directors from 1985-1990, and was named Wisconsin Master Agriculturist in 2005. The Grenawalt family hosted the second Porkfest in June 1974, at their farm, and were again the hosts in 2002, when it was held at the fairgrounds. The Grenawalt Farm held annual purebred breeding stock sales, selling pigs to many states and foreign countries.

Grenawalt was a lifetime member of Luther Valley Lutheran Church, Beloit, served as Vice President of the congregation, a church trustee, President of the Cemetery Board and an usher for many years.

On June 20, 1964, Grenawalt was married to Mary J. Warn, who preceded him in death on June 11, 1992. They were the parents of Lisa K. and Michael R. Grenawalt. Grenawalt married Linda F. (Earleywine) Brown on Oct. 1, 1994.

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Grenawalt is survived by his wife, Linda F; his mother, Vivian; his children: Lisa (Tim) McDonald of Janesville, and Michael (Beth) Grenawalt of Beloit; and step-daughter, Cherie L. Brown of Clinton, New Jersey. He is further survived by his grandchildren: Rachel and Olivia McDonald, and Benjamin and Jacob Grenawalt; brothers, Richard (Nancy) and Thomas (Linda L.) Grenawalt; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, Robert; and his wife, Mary.

Funeral services were held at Luther Valley Church on April 8, with Pastor Mae Jean Zelle officiating. Burial was in Luther Valley Cemetery.

A special thank you to the staff of ICU at Mercy Hospital for their wonderful care.



James Lee Nash
1946-2014

James Lee Nash

James Lee Nash, 67, Sharpsville, Indiana, passed away on June 3, at Community Heart and Vascular Hospital, Indianapolis. He was born June 5, 1946 in Tipton, Indiana, the son of William G. and Maxine (Quakenbush) Nash. On Jan. 6, 1968, in Honolulu, Hawaii, he married Maile L. Awo, who preceded him in death on March 15, 2012.

Nash was a graduate of Sharpsville Prairie Township High School. He served in the Army National Guard. He was a farmer for Nash & Nash Farms. He was the former president of the Indiana Dorset Association. His memberships included the Indiana Hampshire Sheep Association, the Indiana Sheep Association, county and state Pork Producers, Indiana Yorkshire Association, Indiana Hampshire Hog Association and 4-H, where he was active for 40 years.

Nash is survived by two sons, Billy (Tracy) Nash of Aurora, Illinois, and Kimo Lee Nash of Sharpsville; companion, Jill Harless of Anderson; three grandchildren, Tia and Trena Nash, and Erin Nash; brother, Dick (Nan) Nash of Sharpsville; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and wife.

Funeral services were held June 9 at Liberty Baptist Church in Tipton, Indiana. Burial was private at Liberty Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Jim Nash Scholarship for 4-H.



Kirk S. Peter
1952-2014

Kirk S. Peter

Kirk S. Peter, 62, of Mendon, Illinois, passed away on May 23, in his home.

Peter was born on April 14, 1952, in Santa Maria, California. He was the son of Don and Lenora (Parker) Peter. He married Pam Zenke on Sept. 6, 1985, in Ursa. Pam survives.

Peter graduated from Unity High School, in 1970. He was a partner with his dad and brother on Peter Farms, until his retirement. He was a past Unit 4 School Board member, past township supervisor, treasurer for the Mendon Fire Protection District and a current Township Trustee. He enjoyed going to his kids' and granddaughters' sporting events, spending winters in Florida and visiting with neighbors and friends.

Survivors include: his wife, Pam Peter, of Mendon; parents, Don and Lenora Peter, of Quincy; two children, Tori Nichols of Mendon, Karl Peter of Mendon; two granddaughters, Kaylee and Taylor Nichols; one brother, Mark (Jill) Peter of Mendon; and one sister, Trish (Buddy) Andrews of Chicago.

He was preceded in death by two sons, Andrew and Matthew Peter.

Services were held May 29, at the Hunter Funeral Home in Mendon with Pastor Dennis Gartung officiating. Interment was in the Mendon Cemetery in Mendon. Memorials have been suggested to the Ronald McDonald House or the donor's choice. Friends are invited to share memories of Peter and leave condolences at hunterfh.com.

Upcoming Show Dates & Deadlines

Southwest Regional



Join us in Chickasha, Oklahoma, for the NJSA Southwest Regional show on Aug. 29-31. The ownership deadline is July 7, and all entries need to be made online at nationalswine.com no later than Aug. 1. For a complete schedule see page 92.

Eastern Regional



The NJSA Eastern Regional will take place at the Erie County Fairgrounds Showplex in Hamburg, New York, on Oct. 9-11. The ownership deadline is Aug. 18, and entries are due on Sept. 11. Look for information about the event and enter online at nationalswine.com. For a complete schedule turn to page 94.

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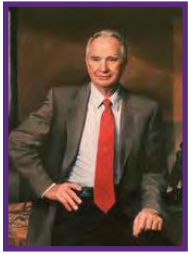
The National Barrow Show® (NBS®), will be held in Austin, Minnesota, from Sept. 6-10. All entries are due by Aug. 8. Turn to page 87 to see an entry form, and page 93 for a complete schedule.

NBS® Junior Barrow Classic



The NBS® Junior Barrow Classic is scheduled for Sept. 6-7 in Austin, Minnesota. The ownership deadline for junior entries is Aug. 8, and all entries must be made online at nationalswine.com by that date. For a full schedule see page 93.

To submit announcements for FYI, contact Katie Maupin at katie@nationalswine.com



Robert "Bob"
Totusek
1927-2014

Robert "Bob" Totusek

Robert "Bob" Totusek, 87, died peacefully in his sleep on June 6, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. A Christian memorial service was held, June 23, at the First United Methodist Church in Stillwater, following a private graveside service. A public Celebration of Life was held at the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum on June 23, in Oklahoma City.

Born on a farm between Kingfisher and Garber, Oklahoma, he was the son of Aloise Karbusicky Totusek and Emil Totusek.

Both of his parents' families immigrated from Czechoslovakia and were active in the local Czech communities. Growing up during the Dust Bowl and Great Depression, he recalled that his parents were poor but had a large garden and plenty of milk, meat and eggs, and delivered food to a number of families in need in Garber, every Saturday. These early experiences impacted his life's direction to become an advocate for the power of agriculture.

Totusek attended Oklahoma A&M College and was actively involved in the A&M Meats and Livestock Judging Teams. He then obtained his Ph.D. at Purdue University, before joining the Animal Husbandry faculty at Oklahoma A&M College in 1952.

He married his Garber High School sweetheart and the love of his life, Nellie Lieu Maynard, on Dec. 21, 1947, and they had three children, Don, Diane and Darla. Totusek and Nell celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary, last December. One of the highlights of their marriage had been celebrating their anniversary with three other couples from Stillwater that were married at the same time of year. Totusek and Nell celebrated more than 50 anniversaries with Jim and Louise Bellatti, Richard and Marilyn Heath, and Owen and Ann Thomas.

While at Oklahoma State University, Totusek, affectionately known as "Dr. Tot," enjoyed teaching, research, coaching livestock judging teams, administration and mentoring students and colleagues. He served as Animal Science Department Head from 1976 until retiring in 1990. He was passionate about his work, and was often referred to as "Mr. Animal Science." While he achieved many honors and accomplishments, nothing surpassed the rewarding relationships he developed with students, farmers and ranchers across the state. As he once said, "It's a privilege for every faculty member to work for the people in Oklahoma, and to know what the problems are ... and have a hand in solving those problems."

Totusek was an exemplary family man. He was a loving husband and father, he valued his heritage and his relationships with extended family. In the last decade of his life, Totusek prioritized bringing happiness to his wife, Nell, and teaching all generations the importance of familial relationships and patriotism.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, Emilie Carter and Betty Sonnenfeld, and a brother, George Totusek.

In addition to his wife, Nell, he is survived by his son, Don Totusek and wife, Patsy, of Richardson, Texas; daughter Diane Stearman and husband, David, of Simpsonville, Kentucky; and daughter, Darla Flanagan and husband, Patrick, of Kentfield, California. He is also survived by eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren: Sommer Stearman Liste and husband, Luis, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and their sons Jackson and Wyatt; Ryan Stearman of Portland, Oregon; Nathan Totusek, Joseph Totusek, and Samuel Totusek of Dallas and Denton, Texas; and Mackenzie Flanagan, Kylie Flanagan, and Delaney Flanagan of Kentfield, California.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions be made in memory of Totusek to Oklahoma State University, c/o OSU Foundation, P.O. Box 1749, Stillwater, OK 74076.

Condolences may be emailed to the family and an online obituary may be viewed by visiting www.strodefb.com.

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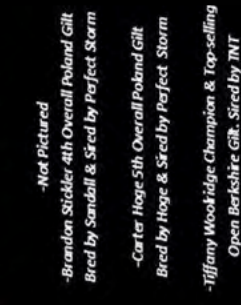
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BIG

by Ann Fry

WHEN MOST OF HIS CLASSMATES WERE SEARCHING FOR WINGS, SETH SWENSON WANTED TO STICK TO HIS ROOTS. HIS GOAL IN HIGH SCHOOL WASN'T TO GET DRAFTED TO THE NFL ONE DAY OR DATE THE HEAD CHEERLEADER. INSTEAD, THE NEWARK NATIVE DREAMT OF THE DAY HE COULD RETURN HOME TO THE FAMILY FARM, AND HE KNEW THE ROAD HOME WAS PAVED BY RAISING LIVESTOCK. OUT OF THAT DREAM, SHOWTIME SIREN WAS BORN.



As a freshman in high school, Swenson, along with some family members, began raising purebred hogs. The next year, they started collecting their own boars, Aling their own sows and selling a little semen on the side. As Swenson went through high school and college, returning to the farm remained in the forefront of his mind. Since their acreage wouldn't support his dad, two brothers and himself, he decided continuing the breeding stock, showpig and boar stud business was his ticket home.

As Swenson says, Showtime Sires escalated from that little dream. After graduating college, he rented a farm an hour south of the family farm. There, he ran about 100 sows and officially started his boar stud, Showtime Sires. He stayed there for three years, until he was able to fix up some buildings at the Newark farm and move everything home.

Today, the scope of Swenson's sow operation hasn't changed much. He still runs 80 to 100 sows with his brother, Caleb. The boar side of things is a different story. Within the last ten years, the boar capacity has doubled to now include 40 boars, and the business and customer base has grown right along with it.

"His is one of those deals that he built from the ground up, from a 4-H project with just a couple Hampshires, to one of the leading boar studs in the country," says Michael Lackey, National Swine Registry (NSR) Northwest Field Representative.

Of those 40 boars, you won't find a single one Swenson wouldn't use on his own sows. When it comes to selecting boars to buy, his philosophy is simple.

"If they aren't good enough, or I don't want to use them myself, I don't add them to my lineup," Swenson says.

He isn't in the business to buy boars solely to sell semen on. Most of the boars purchased for Showtime Sires are calculated into a plan for the sow herd long before they are loaded on the trailer. One of the first things Lackey noticed about Swenson was how he could put together a set of good hogs, for his sows or other peoples', and didn't have to spend a ton of money doing it. Swenson is so satisfied with the boars he puts on stud, he doesn't buy outside semen, period.

To him, choosing the boars to purchase is the most challenging part of the business. He says in the boar stud arena, you constantly have to stay fresh and find the next piece of the puzzle people want to use to make changes or improvements. Sometimes that's easy, sometimes it's harder.

In the 20 years Swenson has been raising hogs, his most memorable moments are when he finds that boar, the one that really hits and does well for a lot of his customers. His first boar like that was Play It Again, a private-treaty Yorkshire boar purchase with Joe Coyne from Brad Eddie. Play It Again was the boar that put Showtime Sires on the map.

"He's as memorable as any because he gave us as much notoriety and start as any," Swenson says, about Play It Again. "He was one of those boars you could breed lots of different kinds of sows to and have success."

Play It Again went on to sire the Champion Yorkshire Gilt, Reserve Champion Yorkshire Boar and Top-

Selling Yorkshire Boar at the 2004 SWTC and the boar Four Corners. Most recently, his name was listed in the pedigree of Footprint, the 2013 \$70,000 WPX Champion Yorkshire Boar, raised by Brinning Genetics and housed at A Cut Above.

"It's times like that, when customers have success, that I'm the most proud of the business," Swenson says.

It's also times like that Swenson tries to keep in mind, when things aren't going so well.

If there is one thing he has learned from owning a boar stud, it's that it's not as easy as everybody thinks it is.

"There are a lot of challenges," he laughs. "Sometimes this business can be frustrating, whether it's from something out of your control or you're just having failures. You wonder why you're struggling, when other people are having successes, why they are getting along that way and you're not. But you've got to keep your head up and keep going."

"It's times like that, when customers have success, that I'm the most proud of the business."

— Seth Swenson



Showtime Sires got its start from a dream Seth Swenson had to return to the farm. Today, the operation has nearly 100 sows and houses 40 boars in one of the leading boar studs in the country. Swenson doesn't see the operation changing much in the future, other than continually increasing the quality of stock they produce.

Pictured l to r: Dustin Bauer, Seth Swenson, Caleb Swenson

Advice he received years ago has helped him keep his head up through all the challenges. As he was growing up, his dad would tell them to always do what's right and good things will come to those that do. Swenson has taken that advice to heart and applied it to his boar stud operation. One of the reasons he is able to continue to sell semen is because he is upfront and honest with his customers, developing relationships with them and earning their trust.

"There are several customers I have now that will call me up and say 'Hey, this is what I've got; tell me what I need.' Ten years ago, when we were still fresh in the boar stud business, that didn't happen," he says.

When people put that much trust and faith in him, it makes Swenson feel like he's doing something right. In Lackey's opinion, this is what makes Swenson successful as a boar stud owner – his integrity and his honest, straightforward dealings with everyone. Swenson encourages others to do business this way.

"My best advice to young people is to do what's right, always be honest with customers and have some

integrity. If you do that you'll be able to last in the business," he advises.

Working with his customers and people in the industry is what Swenson enjoys so much about his business and the reason he's glad he chose the showpig path.

"There are so many people I consider close friends of mine that I never would have met, if I hadn't gone down this route," he says.

As a young guy starting a boar stud, Swenson appreciated meeting

other breeders at all the NSR events throughout the years. Being able to talk to some of the breeders that have been in the business a long time and hearing how they see things, what their ideas are or just visiting with them gave Swenson more of an education than he got in school.

"There are a lot of guys that I truly respect and appreciate how they run their business or operation, their breeding ideas and philosophies they have," he says. "If you pay attention, you can really learn a lot from them."

Gathering bits and pieces of advice from several breeders and learning from trial and error have helped get Swenson where he is today. But, the biggest push has come from his father.

"My biggest influence is my father, especially from a support and encouragement standpoint. There have been other people that tried to hold me back, but Dad gave me the opportunity to build buildings on his farm and be able to make the operation go," Swenson says.

As important as returning to his roots was to Swenson, it's no surprise that Showtime Sires is a family operation. Swenson, along with employee Dustin Bauer, actively manages the day-to-day business of the boar stud. His wife, Erika, helps with bookkeeping, errands and cleaning the offices, when she isn't running after their sons Nathan, 5, and Eli, 3. In addition to partnering with his brother, Caleb, on the sow herd, Swenson also helps



The 2013 STC Grand Champion Crossbred Boar, Grand Mentality, stands at Showtime Sires.

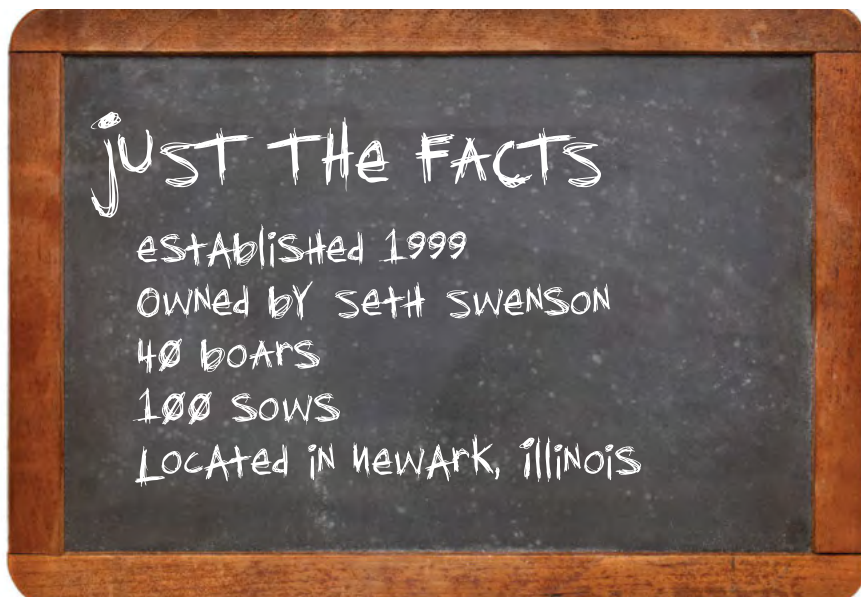
his dad and brother with the grain part of the farm, when he can.

Swenson doesn't see the industry being much different for his sons than it was for him.

"As long as our youth program can continue, we're still going to have a thriving showpig business," he says.

Even though he thinks the industry will continue to thrive, he does see one persistent challenge: health concerns. A lot of people, especially the showpig industry, have learned a lot about biosecurity over the years, and Swenson is no different. Their operation tightened their biosecurity down a few years ago, but there is always something new to watch out for.

With all of the challenges of raising hogs and working with family, Swenson is able to keep his sense of humor. He jokingly calls his brother "Flash" due to his speed and energy at accomplishing tasks, and a '95 beat-up Dodge with a missing back window has been dubbed the farm mascot. Every time Lackey talks to him, Swenson always has some story to tell or something



crazy going on, like part of the Superman movie being filmed near his farm.

All jokes aside, this is exactly why he wanted to return to the farm. He wanted to raise his own family in the same environment he grew up in. He wanted to be his own boss and have the flexibility to set his own schedule. He wanted to be able to work with his brothers on a daily basis, get advice from his dad and interact

with people who have the same passion for purebred livestock he has.

When it is all said and done, that's why he does what he does - his deep passion for raising livestock.

"What we do isn't an easy or a part-time thing," he says. "We just enjoy what we do."



"My best advice to young people is to do what's right, always be honest with customers and have some integrity. If you do that you'll be able to last in the business." — Seth Swenson



Super Monster and his clones now reside at Showtime Sires. Pictured l to r: Seth Swenson with a clone; Caleb Swenson with Super Monster.

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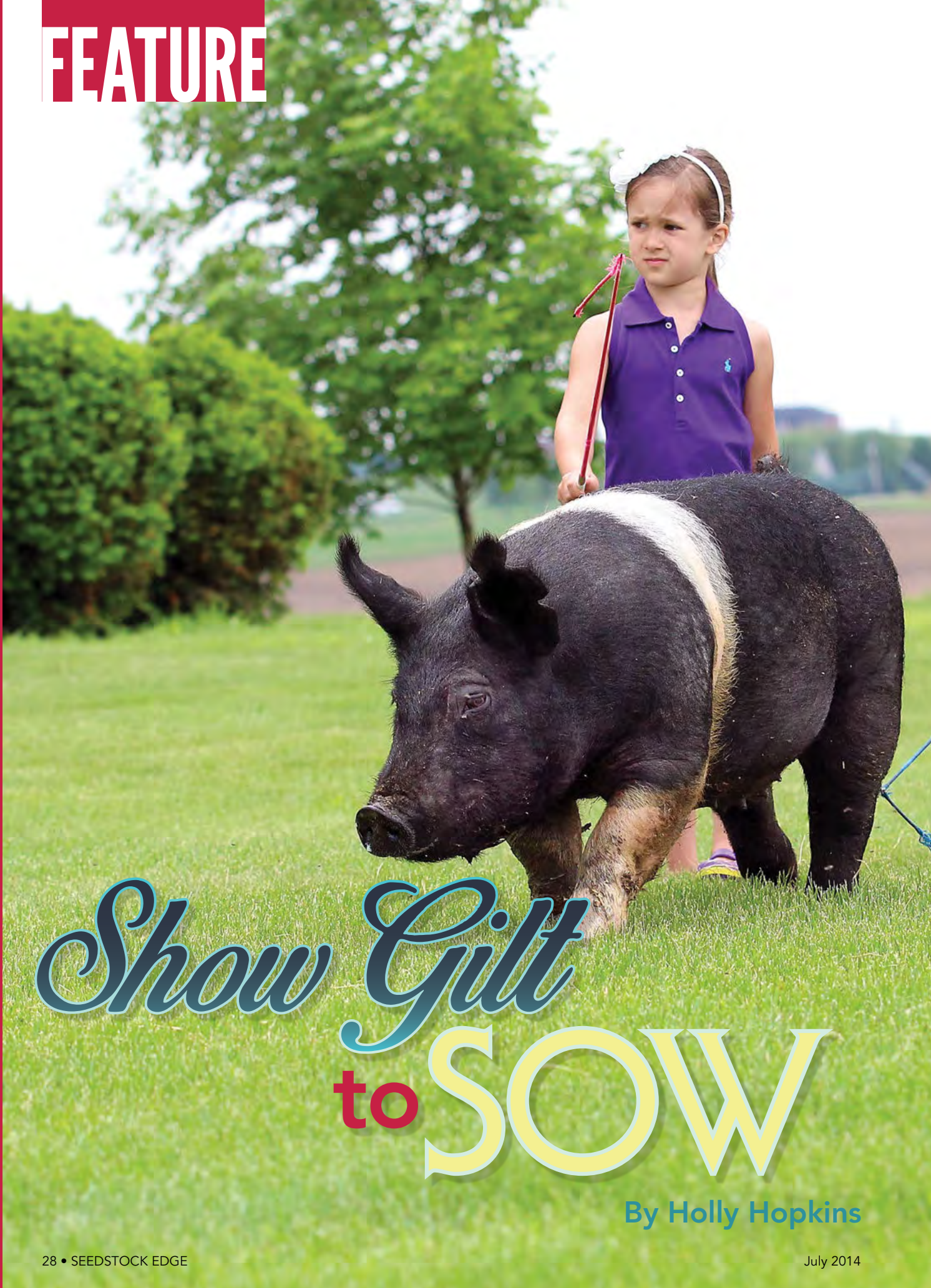
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Show Gilt
to **SOW**

By Holly Hopkins



Standing ringside at a national show, you notice a gilt with a busted-open chest. One that drives with ease, is flawless on the profile and her front one-third couldn't be better. You want her to be your next breeding female, but she has you asking yourself a handful of questions: *How will she adjust to my sows at home? What medications should I be administering? How long until I can expose her to other pigs? When can I start breeding her?*

By preparing yourself beforehand and keeping a close eye on the females, this process soon becomes second nature. Before you know it, the show gilt you just fell in love with will start transitioning into your next foundation female.

Choosing the Right Females

When selecting your next great female, start with the basics. The characteristics of a gilt are some of the most important signs you, as a breeder, will want to evaluate. The more natural a gilt appears, the easier she will transition from a show gilt to sow. Starting from the ground, the gilt needs to be functional and good on her feet and legs. Structural integrity and soundness will help avoid problems in the crate.

“Look for a gilt with extra length of body, extension and plenty of length of hip and pelvis. There are gilts out there who don't have these characteristics and have to have C-sections because their small frame size,” Dr. Daniel Hendrickson, swine veterinarian and co-owner of Top Cut Genetics, says.

Before attending a show or sale, make your long-term goals and objectives clear, so you can purchase a gilt to fit your mold and help move your breeding operation forward. When buying from junior exhibitors, take the extra time to evaluate the gilt for what she truly is. Extra definition, fat and muscle may be enhanced by diet. Bone work, structure and flexibility come naturally and will be passed on through genetics. Other key factors you should consider are the vulva size and the quality of the female's underline, which are attributes that can get overlooked.

Utilize the Pedigrees

Pedigrees are important. Whether you are just getting your sow herd started or are an experienced breeder, you should always take time to study pedigrees. From the age of the gilt, to the litter size and genetics, a pedigree is full of useful information. Nathan Weisinger, owner of Weisinger Farms, will tell you, when it comes to evaluating purebred hogs, a number of questions run through his head. To answer these, all he needs is a pedigree to help sort his next breeding female to the top. If he

Three months ago, this gilt was in the show ring. Now, with the help of their father, Kolby and Knox Causemaker have transitioned her into a breeding female.

hasn't seen problems with their genetic lines in the past, or knows their genetics will benefit his herd, the decision is quite simple. The same is true for crossbred gilts, but because they aren't required to have a pedigree when they are exhibited, take the initiative to find out the information. Most importantly, find out the true age of the female. Slower-growing, younger females are going to need more time to develop into ideal breeding condition. Studying the pedigree of a female upfront will help eliminate breeding problems or complications down the road.

Proper Health and Vaccinations

The most critical stage of transitioning a show gilt into your sow herd is the time they are in isolation. Every breeder has their own go-to system, but common ground is found with a minimum of 30 days in quarantine and administering the proper vaccinations. When bringing a gilt home from a show or sale, take precaution by giving her an antibiotic such as Draxxin® or Baytril® 100. These will boost their immune system and fight off any bacterial diseases they may have picked up. While administering the antibiotics, you should also start a deworming program to minimize the internal parasites that could cause a setback in the transition phase. It can be top-dressed on feed, injected or even added to water.

The first test Hendrickson recommends is the PRRS Enzyme Linked Immuno Sorbent Assay (ELISA). PRRS ELISA will test positive if the gilt has ever been exposed to the virus. If these results come back positive, the next step is to test for PRRS Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR). From here, you will be able to determine if the hog is shedding the virus at that given time, and if it is still in their system. After two weeks, you should test again to verify that nothing was contracted at the show. Once all tests come back PRRS negative, they are safe to move out of quarantine and in with the rest of the herd.

The vaccines continue even after they are moved out of isolation. Three vaccinations are suggested by Hendrickson. Give Leptospirosis (Lepto), Parvovirus (Parvo) and Erysipelas in two dose regimens at three and five

vaccinations are given to protect the baby pigs by passing on the antibodies and building their immunity.

Diet and Nutrition

Their feed and nutritional programs

“It’s important to realize the gilts have been in environments where they have been on nutritional programs, preparing them for exhibition, with extreme amounts of energy in their diets.” — David Mullins

“We give Ivomec® in two week intervals to combat the life cycle of any internal and external parasites such as mange and worms. If it doesn't get rid of it during the first treatment, it will the second time around,” Hendrickson states.

Within the first few days of taking ownership, test for Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome (PRRS) to get a baseline of their current health

weeks prior to breeding. They will prevent problems from arising later on in breeding by helping to prevent abortions, sporadic heat cycles and reproductive problems. They also boost the hog's immune system.

Once bred, vaccinations for E Coli, bordetella, pasteurilla and Erysipelas are to be administered at both five and three weeks pre-farrowing. These

will also be adjusted, once you take ownership of the female. Because they are no longer being shown and will become sows in the near future, they need to have a 30-day transition from show feed to sow feed.

“It's important to realize the gilts have been in environments where they have been on nutritional programs, preparing them for exhibition,



Junior exhibitors strive for top honors in the show ring, while breeders hope for success in the crate. Colby Oliver drove the Champion Jr. Gilt at the 2014 World Pork Expo and hopes she will drive genetic change.

with extreme amounts of energy in their diets,” David Mullins, Lindner United Feed specialist, notes.

They are going to experience a lot of change when it comes to their diets — less fat, protein and energy but more vitamins, calcium and minerals. Be prepared for your gilt to change in appearance, because many areas may be enhanced during their show career due to their complex diets. Although the additional energy in their diets comes from added feed supplements, there is no direct correlation that they cause breeding problems. A slow transition is important, so gilts can adjust to a new diet.

Mullins suggests plenty of fresh water and no more than 6 pounds of 14-16 percent protein sow feed. The amount of feed is limited to maintain an ideal body condition for these females. An over-conditioned gilt can be less efficient when breeding.

“Excessive body condition can cause a negative impact on the number of eggs during ovulation, conception rates can decrease, and after they are bred, they may struggle in terms of lactation and milk production,” Mullins says.

Over conditioning can also cause problems in the farrowing barn. “When farrowing, they will experience complications because they have too much fat in their pelvis or too much internal fat, and that causes the pelvic canal to be very small. It is best to eliminate all problems up front by having them on the proper feed intake,” Hendrickson says.

Transitioning from show feed to sow feed takes extra time and close inspection, but it allows gilts time to adjust to their new environments.

The “Heat” of Breeding

With proper vaccinations in place, a correct diet and sufficient amount of time, the gilt should be going through her heat cycle naturally. Boar exposure helps induce standing heat.

“A consistent heat cycle is important, and every gilt is different. Exposing them to a boar helps get their estrus cycle back in-sync for a natural standing heat,” says Nathan Peters, co-owner

of Mullins and Peters Showpigs.

These gilts should be at least 8 months old to allow for full development internally and in their reproductive tracts. Mature gilts allow for more breeding options because of the additional reproductive development. Weisinger believes there is no point in rushing a gilt to get her bred, unless you have a lot of faith in her. As for other breeders, the time of year is most influential in their breeding decisions.

“Our business is all about timing. A January hog is worth more to us than a February hog. When I know one is ready, I won’t necessarily breed her because the timing needs to be right,” explains Peters.

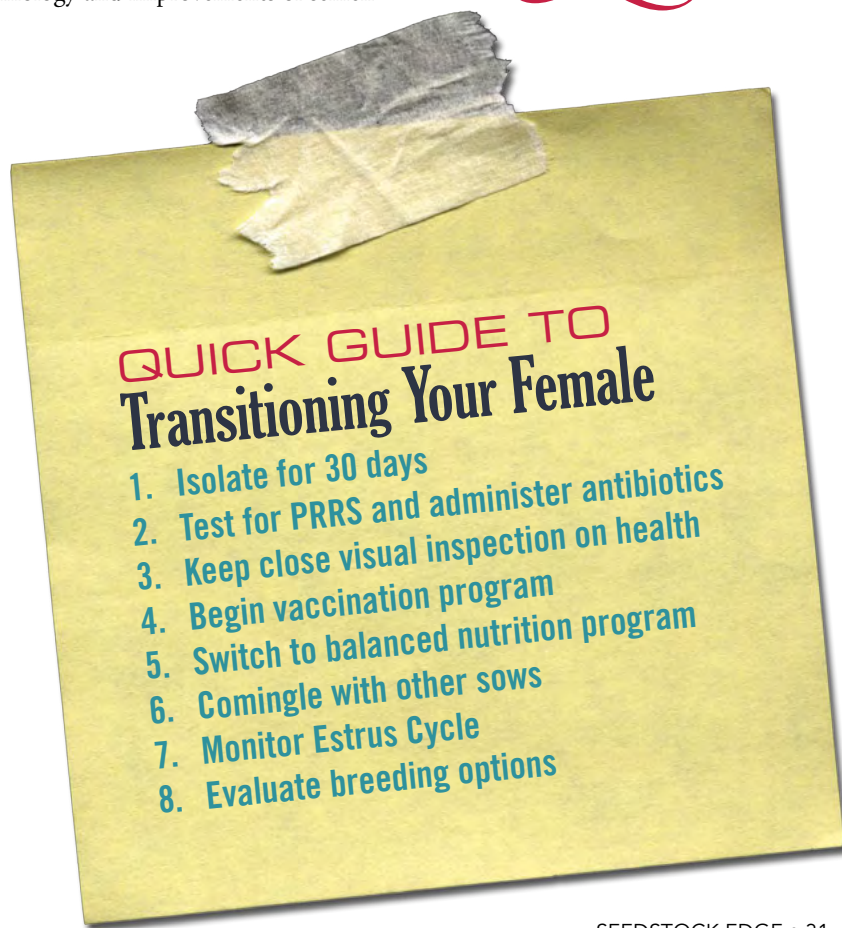
But when the timing is right, and the gilt is in a standing, regular heat, the next step is to breed her. You can go the traditional route of using a boar on the farm, which may have higher conception rates, according to Hendrickson. On the other hand, Mullins encourages the use of artificial insemination (AI) due to the tremendous advancements in technology and improvements of semen

quality. Peters agrees that AI allows you to match up your genetic lines better because you can use a boar from anywhere in the country. If everything is done correctly, and you have quality semen, it is an affordable alternative for any showpig breeder to depend on.

Always Ask Questions

That gilt that caught your eye in class — she’s a littermate to the Grand Champion Barrow, her pedigree has a history of maternal longevity and her genetics are unique to your herd. You can’t let one this good pass by, and now it’s your turn to transition this junior gilt into a breeding sow. When you catch yourself asking questions and don’t know the answer, use your resources and turn to experienced breeders and industry leader.

Just as Mullins says, “Don’t ever be afraid to call and ask questions. There are more resources out there today than ever before. We’re all in this business together.”



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FEATURE

meat Candy

By Katie Maupin





When it comes to good barbecue, these boys aren't just blowin' smoke. Mark Lambert and Allen Smith, members of champion barbecue teams, will tell you, if you want to win, you need to go whole hog. Red genetics helped them win blue and cash in some green.

Mark Lambert is the head pork shoulder cook for Sweet Swine O' Mine barbecue team. Sweet Swine O' Mine moved past notable and straight to notorious after the team has captured not one, not two, but four shoulder wins at the Memphis in May World Barbecue Championship. In Lambert's words, if you win once people will notice, and if you win twice those people are scared. Sweet Swine O' Mine's success comes from attention to the finest details, but it all starts with Compart Family Farms™ Premium Duroc Pork.

Allen Smith says Boars Night Out barbecue team started as a pastime for him and a few divorced buddies, but after a few years of fun, the boys decided to get serious. And that they did. Today, Boars Night Out Champion Barbecue Team holds the 2012 and 2013 Memphis Barbecue Network (MBN) Team of the Year title in three different categories: hog, shoulder and rib. While clawing their way from 147th-place team ranking to winning multiple categories is impressive, no team has defended championships in so many categories back-to-back. Like Lambert and the rest of the Sweet Swine O' Mine crew, when Smith and Boars Night Out fire up their cooker it's only Compart Family Farms™ Premium Duroc Pork that hits the grill.

With such steep competition, preparations start well in advance of the contest, and both teams know that their preparations start with the Compart family and the care the family and their partners provide their hogs.



Boars Night Out Championship Barbecue team started as a group of divorcees that enjoyed cooking with the boys. Today, the team is the only team in history to defend Memphis Barbecue Network Team of the Year titles in multiple categories two years in a row.



Sweet Swine O' Mine Championship Barbecue team went from notable to notorious when they garnered top honors with their Pork Shoulder, not once, not twice, but four times.

"It just goes back to the beginning and how they raise and prepare their product," Smith says. "They look for a product with the right fat content and marbling."

The Compart family has more than a half a century of experience in finding the best Duroc genetics, and they use that know-how to identify individuals that excel in meat quality and terminal characteristics to build their branded meat program.

Compart Family Farms™ Premium Duroc Pork is referred to as the "Black Angus of Pork" because their product excels most commodity cuts with its large amount of marbling, or intramuscular fat, and naturally higher pH, which translates into a more tender, juicy and flavorful dining experience. For these barbecue teams that also translates into more wins.

"It's hard to take a product that isn't high quality in the beginning and make it the best," Smith says. "But, it's easy to take a great product and make it better at the end."

A high-quality pork cut is easy to prep and even easier to enhance with the flavors of sauces, seasonings and rubs, and it all goes back to that extra marbling.

"The meat has very high marbling content, which helps with flavoring and rendering," Smith says. "Rather than

having marbling pockets here and there, it is spread out through the entire product and that gives you a lot of penetration for sauces and rubs to make it through the meat.”

Besides allowing flavoring to really sink in and make those cuts extra-savory, marbling provides its own flavor to meat, and perhaps just as importantly, it makes it more forgivable.

“If that product happens to be in a hotter or cooler spot in the smoker, and one of those particular cuts doesn’t happen to get the right amount of heat, it’s still forgivable. Even a little over or a little under, there is more margin for error,” Lambert says. “Especially compared to commodity cuts, it gives you more flavor and flexibility – just more margin for error.”

While neither team plans on making an error during the heat of the competition, the forgivable nature of Compart cuts isn’t a luxury they’ve always had. Before forging a relationship with Jim Compart and his brothers, Dean

“Freshness is a key ingredient,” Smith says. “It’s kind of like the tomato you pick in your garden, there’s just nothing like it. It’s an ingredient that you can’t buy, it’s just extra flavor from freshness, and when you have it, it’s something to be proud of especially in a whole hog, shoulder and rib.”

While Sweet Swine O’ Mine’s and Boars Night Out’s success may start with Compart Family Farms™



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rubs or injections have been used yet and that all meat is being handled in a safe manner and is no warmer than 40 degrees. As soon as the meat inspection is over, the teams get to work making their final trims to the cuts, seasoning, rubbing and injecting the meat, while their cookers heat up with their signature combinations of wood and charcoal for optimum flavor. Every team has their own set of tricks and tips, but

most teams will start their whole hog somewhere between noon and 3 p.m., and Lambert prefers to get his eight to ten shoulders on the heat around 3 p.m. Once the shoulders are on, it’s time to prep the ribs, before placing them back in the cooler to start Saturday morning. Then, it’s off to organize their area and start preparing their stations for the judging. With so many details to attend to – carpets, tents, signs, banners, table cloths, plates, napkins and decorations – it’s all hands on deck.

How many hands? Both Sweet Swine O’ Mine and Boars

“The consistency of trim, weight and quality separates Compart Family Farms™ Premium Duroc Pork from competitors, as well as their superior service.”

— Mark Lambert

and Chris, Sweet Swine O’ Mine cooked Smithfield brand shoulders, like most competitors, because they offered both a consistent trim and weight. Then, Lambert met Compart.

“Jim was wide open. He said, ‘Tell us what you want, and we’ll make it.’ We’ve never had anyone do that for us,” Lambert says. “We were able to tell the company – from the packing side, when they actually cut the carcass – what average weights we want, what trim we wanted and that we needed the shank on and trotters off.”

The consistency of trim, weight and quality separates Compart Family Farms™ Premium Duroc Pork from competitors, as well as their superior service. Compart’s overnight fresh cuts to Boars Night Out for competitions.

Premium Duroc Pork it ends with a lot of hard work and know-how. A national barbecue contest is hardly your backyard gathering. Each competition takes hours of work and preparation, and a fair amount of cash. According to Lambert, competing in Memphis in May can take upwards of \$15,000 to cover the equipment, meat, accommodations, decorations and displays.

Typically, if the judging is on a Saturday, the teams will show up with their trailers on site no later than Thursday evening. Thursday evening is devoted to organization and set-up. Everything is unloaded, arranged and prepared for the work to start on Friday.

Friday starts with a meat inspection. All cuts entered in the contest must be looked over to ensure that no seasoning,

Night Out teams travel with around a dozen people, and all of them have their own role in the success of their team. Some team members cook, others clean and organize and others take care of logistics like entries, lodging and other accommodations.

Once everything is organized, the teams head out to mingle. Smith and Lambert agree that the people are one of the best parts of the barbecue business, and Friday night is often spent socializing with other teams.

“The people that compete week in and week out are like a barbecue family,” Smith says. “Anybody there would give you anything.”

Around midnight, the whole hog and shoulders are ‘put to bed,’ according to Lambert. This means the cuts are



Since the members of Boars Night Out buckled down, in 2010, and got serious about competing with their barbecue, the team has climbed from 147th-place team to number 1 in multiple categories, as their trophies attest.



Sweet Swine O' Mine is familiar with smokin' the competition. The team uses Compart Family Farms™ Premium Duroc Pork, backed by solid red genetics, to grab the blue and cash in some green.

covered with foil to preserve the bark, color and flavoring as it continues to cook overnight. Team members won't be put to bed for long though. Saturday is judgment day, and it starts early.

The rib cooks will have their cookers fired up at 5 or 6 a.m. to make sure the meat makes it on around 7 a.m. The people in charge of the whole hog and shoulder entries remove the foil and put the finishing touches on the meat, adding additional seasoning, sometimes increasing the temperature and always glazing the outside so the smoky bark will have a nice sheen.

While the cooks are pulling out their final tricks, as they head down the backstretch, it's other team members' turn to shine. Sweet Swine O' Mines' 'Garnish Queen' Malou Culver, spends hours making garnishes for the grill and presentation platters. From crafting flames from peppers to pigs from lemons, Culver ensures that when a judge sees a piece of meat it is surrounded by beauty.

Memphis in May and the MBN are unique to other barbecue circuits because a large portion of the contest is judged based upon a presentation that the team makes to judges at their station. This subjective people element can be a challenge, but both Lambert and Smith enjoy interacting with the judges.

"I think one of my favorite things about competitive barbecue is being in front of a judge and seeing their reactions when you present your product to them," Lambert says.

The presentation is very impressive. Team members explain their techniques, showcase their sauces and spices and

even remove bones from cuts to show how perfectly the product is cooked. The pork shoulder contains seven different types of muscles, according to Lambert, and during the presentation he will let judges taste a little of each one. His favorite is a piece of blade meat on the top of the shoulder.

"It's like barbecue pig candy," he says. "It's so good because it is soft because there is a lot of fat under it, and it's tasty because it has all that sauce, seasoning and smoke in it."

Some barbecue competitions only have blind judging. This means that each team sends a to-go box full of their product and don't meet with the judges. Regardless of the style of judging, it all comes down to about two bites. It's those two bites that will determine who walks away with the trophies, the titles and the cash. And it's those two bites that have Lambert and Smith hooked on smokin' their competition in the barbecue circuit.

"In a restaurant, you can impress customers with the whole plate – the meat, the sides, the service and the whole experience," Lambert explains. "But, in competition barbecue, you need to impress the judges with two bites. It has to be beautiful, moist, tender and over the top – full of sauces, spices, seasonings and, most importantly, full of flavor."



FROM BACKYARD BURGER FLIPPER TO SMOKIN' PRO

Don't overcook meat, especially if it is already tender cut

Purchase an insta-read meat thermometer and cook meat at the proper temperature

If you're cooking a large cut of meat, understand the theory of the "stall," or the period of time which the temperature increase begins to slow and the meat cooks more slowly than before.

Know the cooker that you're using – be familiar with your grill or smoker

Only change one thing at a time, then you'll be able to see what your adjustment did for the overall results

Take a class – even Smith admits his competitor, Lambert, puts on a great barbecue school

If you're going to compete, learn to judge barbecue



SHOW MOM

Monthly

By Holly Hopkins

Megan Wendt

Irwin, Ohio

Husband: Kevin

Children: Riley-11, Ethan-8

Proudest "Show Mom" moment:

My proudest moment was at the 2012 Ohio State Fair, when both kids were in the final drive of the Junior Crossbred Gilt Showmanship. We had just come through a rough summer with our grandma fighting cancer, and she was able to be there to see them both win their age divisions and show against each other for champion.



Favorite part of being a "Show Mom": There are two things I love more than words - being able to spend time together as a family, with each of us having a new challenge to conquer at each show, and raising our kids alongside other families who share our values, have become great friends and are role models for our children.

Activities that your family enjoys outside of the show ring: We all love spending time with our extended families, while taking care of our parents. The kids keep us busy between football, baseball, basketball, volleyball and softball. We are beyond obsessed with all things Ohio State Football and attend games any chance we get. We also love to travel with our non-profit organization, World Changers, because it combines our love of adventure, our mission to give back and our quest for learning about the world.

Your official "Show Mom" show day duties include: I am the official photographer and kid wrangler, and I also keep everyone focused on what our true purpose is in doing this, which is to be together, learn about ourselves as people and, most importantly, have fun. It's easy to lose sight of that in the heat of competition, at times.

Items that you would never leave a show without: This might sound crazy, but I never leave without at least two packs of Pull 'N' Peel Twizzlers for Riley and Kevin, and a football for Ethan. I should probably have a comprehensive list, but that is really all we need to get by with smiles on everyone's face!

Best tip you can give to other "Show Moms": Reach out and make friends in the barn because these are the ones who will drop everything for you, when you need them, and they understand this crazy obsession of ours. Also, keep a sense of humor and balance, remember the real reason we do this, and take pictures because you can go back in time and see how far you've come as a family.

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SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2 x MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6
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Premier Sire – SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2
Owned by Crossroads Genetics & Robin Ridge, Ind.
Jason Corya and Adam Beck accept the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Blaine Evans (m).



Res. Premier Sire – NWEI3 ICONIC 13-5
Owned by A Cut Above, Neb. Jason Hirschfeld accepts the Reserve Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Michael Lackey (r).



From the Field

Brian Anderson, NSR Field Representative

Duroc hogs continue to be a hot commodity, and this year's World Pork Expo (WPX) was no different. It is sure to set the tone for the rest of the summer. If you have never been to the WPX, you need to get it on your radar and make plans to get there next year. This event continues to grow in popularity and has proven to be the place to be the early part of June.

A huge thank you to Dan Burzlaff for his professionalism and expertise in sorting an awesome set of red hogs. Dan's advice and breeding philosophies were well received. Thanks, also, to the crew from Lake Land College for all their assistance in the show ring and help to keep the show moving smoothly. Col. Kevin Wendt always does a very professional job of selling red ones, and we appreciate his time, once again. Congratulations to the crew at Crossroads Genetics and Robin Ridge Farms, as their herd sire SDF3 Light 'Em Up 3-2 was named Premier Sire. A congratulations is also in order for the crew at A Cut Above for receiving the Reserve Premier Sire award on their boar NWEI3 Iconic 13-5.

We started the Duroc show with an awesome set of females. As has become the tradition, many of the junior gilts that participate the day before roll over to the open show and add nothing but quality to an already deep set of breeding hogs. Many of the upper-end gilts were shown both ways.

Class 1 of the gilt show was led off by junior exhibitor Raeleigh Wilborn of Texas. Her daughter of Double Shift was a great place to start and set the precedence for the rest of the day for Judge Burzlaff. This female had great length off of both ends and was impeccable from a feet and leg standpoint. She looked like a red female needs to look. Heidi Benner of Pennsylvania will put this one to work and have fun working with one that has so many fundamental pieces already in place.

Class 2 was led off by a pair of littermates from Billy and Benjamin Outhouse from Wisconsin, sired by King. We all know the impact this boar has had over the last year, and this pair of females was no different. Great build and fundamentals from a female perspective. The class winner and eventual Reserve Champion Duroc Gilt was good built and designed. She will be an easy one to mate and make great junior hogs for

Inez and Kasper Friddle of Indiana. Her littermate was maybe even bolder and more shapely, but still had the same look and build. She was purchased by 4D Farms of Louisiana.

Class 3 is where we found our Champion Duroc Gilt and top-seller. Junior exhibitor Cheylee Lucas from Texas drove a daughter of Off Label into this prestigious slot. This lady was heavy duty and stout, and she could handle it. She had a monster top and could walk all day long. I am sure we will hear from this outstanding lady. Look to Baade Genetics, Nebraska, next spring for her powerful progeny as they are her new owners at \$6,500.

Class 4 was loaded from top to bottom with good females and every gilt in this oldest class made the sale and will have a chance to be heard from. Clayton Boyert, from Illinois, drove his very popular junior gilt to class-winning status in the open show. This daughter of Conviction was a little more extended and balanced than the others and maintained an excellent presence, when on the go. She went on to be the third top-selling female of the sale and got a great home at Sites Livestock in Oklahoma. Look for her to kick out barrows that make some noise.

Strane Schilling, Texas, had another I want to discuss. This Bold Ruler daughter was square and stout. She had great center body

and was one of the heavier-boned females in the lineup. Hines Hog Farm of Nebraska will give her a chance. Young Kinley Meadors of Texas was in third in this class with the eventual second top-selling female at \$6,250. Reynolds Farms of Ohio will feature this great-designed and really good-legged female at the top of their already solid set.

The popular Duroc boars from last summer made themselves famous with their first progeny at the first big show of the summer. Class 1 was led off with a very good son of Light 'Em Up. He ended up being the Reserve Champion Boar and top-seller of the day at \$90,000. This guy was really opened up and built great from every angle. Like so many of the Light 'Em Up progeny, this hog had a huge chest floor and power from one end to the other. Upperhand Genetics and Rodibaugh's tied into this rascal and will give him a fair chance.

Second in this very strong class was the boar from Stookey



Nathan Weisinger drove the Champion Duroc Boar at the World Pork Expo. He was the son of last year's champion, Iconic, also driven by Weisinger.

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Farms, Indiana. Every one of us hope to drive a barrow as good as this one from a balance and feet and leg standpoint, one day. This one was absolutely incredible in many areas and is sure to cross very well on many of the already heavy-boned, stout females that have surfaced the last few years. Crossroads Genetics made him the second top-seller at \$57,000.

Peyton Hill, Nevada, Texas, was third with one of the biggest-bladed, chested and centered hogs that I have seen in a long time. This rascal can change one fast and still keep them right in so many other areas. He kept his head high and was very flexible for having so much mass. Cain Super Sires, Chariton, Iowa, are sure to give this one a fair chance.

Kurtis Kolb, Illinois, was in next with the last boar I will discuss from this class. This Off Label son was monster footed with heavy, heavy bone. He still had great head carriage and design with lots of muscle shape. He is sure to be a barrow-sire supreme for Triple B Sires of Oklahoma.

Class 2 was led off with a really complete and solid son of Royal Flush shown by Ben Gleason of Gleason Family Livestock in Kansas. This young man is doing a very good job of slowly putting together a solid set of females and brought a good one for all to see. Gleason's boar had a great look and build, and looked like competitive red hogs should. Mid-Atlantic Semen Supply will give all a chance to use.

Mike and Debbie Bond, from Kansas were in next with a really good-designed son of Triple Rock 2-2, the Reserve Champion Boar two years ago from Mappes. This guy had the look and muscle shape from end to end that all red barrows need to have. Kelly Sheets and Nilson Durocs also had a pair of boars in this class that you should take the time to research

and follow up on. I promise it would be worth your time and effort.



Ben Gleason & Family brought this stylish class-winner to Des Moines. He's sired by Royal Flush.

Class 3 was where we found our Champion Duroc Boar from Weisinger. A son of the Reserve Premier Sire, Iconic, this dude was square and powerful. He had a massive top and could handle himself really well. Upperhand Genetics and Rodibaugh's purchased this one as well and will put the pair of Weisinger hogs to work to complement their already strong programs.

Bill Range of Waterloo, Illinois, was second to the impressive champion with a son of Light 'Em Up that was one of the better-designed and heavier-structured hogs of the whole show. This guy was really tall fronted and handled his design and mass very well. Shipley Swine Genetics made a very valuable addition with this one.

Doug Albright, Michigan, continued his successful run with red boars at national shows. This program has put a large number of boars in boar studs across the country over the last year, and the one he brought this year was not much different than the others. You can count on Doug to bring you one that is big footed, good legged and has the right kind of attitude. His Class 4 winner is sure to breed on and will make Jon Geisige of Ohio very happy. This was one of the real breeding hogs in the show.

Doug Stewart of Waverly, Iowa, was second in Class 4 with another Iconic son. This dude was really tall fronted, great designed and looked like he could make a great set of females that would last forever. He got a great home at Drew and Lauren Tucker's in Kansas.

Red hogs proved to be solid again, and I can't wait to see what Louisville has to offer.



Duroc Boar Show Results

BOARS CLASS 1 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	197-4	Nathan Weisinger, IA	15-10	SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	Upperhand Genetics & Rodibaugh, IN	\$90,000
2	186-2	Stookey Family & Sons Hog Farm, IN	4-1	MWAT3 STKY SUBLIME 4-3	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	Crossroads Genetics, IN	\$57,000
3	4347-1	Peyton Hill, TX	1-6	SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2	RTBF1 PSSS BUCK CHERRY 1-6	Earl L. Cain & Family, IA	\$4,000
4	145-2	Kurtis Kolb, IL	2-1	TYAG2 OFF LABEL 1-1	CAIN2 KING 1-1	Randal & Terrell Buck, OK	\$5,000
5	86-1	David K. Arp, IA	3-7	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1		No Sale
6	145-1	Kurtis Kolb, IL	1-1	PWA2 PSSS RED BARON 13-6	CAIN2 KING 1-1	Chad Hill Durocs, TX	\$1,200
7	133-2	Wade & Whitney Hendricks, IN	3-3	HD2 DE FREEZE 50-3	RWG1 PIPELINE 51-3	Drake Purebred Farms, IN	\$900

BOARS CLASS 2 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	126-1	Ben Gleason & Family, KS	10-5	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	RWG1 PIPELINE 51-3	Mid Atlantic Semen Supply, MD	\$400
2	37-1	Mike & Debra Bond, KS	21-4	MM2 TRIPLE ROCK 2-5	VBG0 TORPEDO JUSTIFIED 1-2		No Sale
3	74-1	Kelly Sheets, IA	52-1	CAIN2 APOLLO 2-1	CAIN2 KING 1-1	Tim Marek & Kelly Sheets, IA	\$1,250
4	3-1	Meeker Show Team, IL	35-4	NWEI3 ICONIC 13-5	CDO9 PSSS MEGA WATT 266-11	Duane Lathim, WA	\$500
5	181-1	Sievers & Herum Showpigs, IA	1-2	CAIN2 KING 1-1	NBD9 PSSS ATTA BOY 217-4		No Sale
7	165-2	Nilson Durocs, MN	19-3	WLLH3 KNIGHT RIDER 4-3	CNS0 BUCKY 2-5	Purple Power Boar Stud, IN	\$400

BOARS CLASS 3 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	197-3	Nathan Weisinger, IA	90-9	NWEI3 ICONIC 13-5	SMIB1 FULL HOUSE 2-1	Upperhand Genetics & Rodibaugh, IN	\$40,000
2	19-4	Bill & Jana Range, IL	102-2	SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2	RBD1 BODY CAVITY 49-6	Shiple Swine Genetics, OH	\$1,500
3	19-6	Bill & Jana Range, IL	103-3	SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2	OGL1 PSSS CHERRY BOMB 15-2	Inselman Farms, OK	\$400
4	15-2	David Martin, IA	36-5	GSSG2 GRUS ROCK CANDY 6-2	NBD1 GRUS BIG TEN 174-7	Steven Resler, MN & North Iowa Boar Stud, IA	\$2,000
5	19-5	Bill & Jana Range, IL	103-4	SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2	OGL1 PSSS CHERRY BOMB 15-2	3B MMA Show Pigs, MO	\$400

BOARS CLASS 4 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	83-1	Albright Swine Farms, MI	8-1	JG2 WISE GUY 32-5	JLMO RIB CRIB 26-8	Jon Giesige, OH	\$600
2	12-3	Stewart's Duroc Farm, IA	54-4	NWEI3 ICONIC 13-5	SDF9 SECRETARIAT 54-12	Drew & Lauren Tucker, KS	\$1,100
3	19-2	Bill & Jana Range, IL	94-4	RUP2 DK ITS ABOUT TIME 10-4	RBD1 TRAFFIC JAM 52-2	Robison Genetics, MO	\$400
4	164-2	Nelson Bros, SD	176-5	RWG3 BIG WHEELS 8-2	NBD0 HENNESY 114-1		No Sale
5	12-2	Stewart's Duroc Farm, IA	48-1	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1	RWG1 PIPELINE 51-3	Andrew & Katie Johnson, IA	\$400

Duroc Gilt Show Results

OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4887-1	Raeleigh Willborn, TX	3-5	RWG9 DOUBLE SHIFT 169-1	GCKR1 EQUATION 1-7	Heidi Benner, PA	\$2,100
2	4635-2	Taylor Norris, TX	1-3	SDF3 LIGHT EM UP 3-2	RTBF1 PSSS BUCK CHERRY 1-6	Long's Livestock, MI	\$1,200
3	4901-2	David Wion, OK	7-5	TYAG2 OFF LABEL 1-1	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	David Wion, OK	\$500
4	4643-1	Braden Olson, IL	3-6	PWA2 PSSS RED BARON 13-6	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	Ben Cooley, CO	\$1,200
5	4700-1	Jacob Reznicek, TX	1-8	RWG3 MISSING LINK 17-3	OAB8 PSSS BUCK CHERRY 1-1	Aiyana Frantz, KS	\$450
6	4497-1	Logan Lloyd, TX	3-6	RWG9 DOUBLE SHIFT 169-1	GCKR1 EQUATION 1-7	Gayle Martin, KS	\$400

OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4647-2	Billy/Benjamin Outhouse, WI	1-3	CAIN2 KING 1-1	RWG8 FULL SHIFT 145-1	Inez Kuser Friddle, IN	\$1,800
2	4647-1	Billy/Benjamin Outhouse, WI	1-2	CAIN2 KING 1-1	RWG8 FULL SHIFT 145-1	4D Farms, LA	\$1,600
3	4287-1	Jacob R Gossett, IN	2-6	CAIN3 WITHOUT A DOUBT 4-1	CAIN2 KING 1-1	Spence Show Pigs, IN	\$550
4	4399-2	Bryce Jipping, MI	18-9	CAIN2 KING 1-1	RWG0 TRIBUTE 26-3	Fawn River Genetics, MI	\$2,700
5	4891-1	Madison Williams, GA	18-5	NWEI2 ROYAL PALACE 111-2	BMFIO GRUS BIG BUCK 15-1	Edward Golden, WI	\$400
6	4355-1	Blake Hodges, TX	18-7	1PST2 HEADS UP 13-1	FUNK9 STEP AHEAD 2-3	Edward Golden, WI	\$450
7	165-1	Nilson Durocs, MN	19-5	WLLH3 KNIGHT RIDER 4-3	CNS0 BUCKY 2-5	Edward Golden, WI	\$300

OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4516-2	Cheylee Lucas, TX	164-7	TYAG2 OFF LABEL 1-1	RWG1 JC 72-1	Kyle & Laura Baade, NE	\$6,500
2	4410-1	Jackson Johnson, IN	27-6	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	BRJLO GRUS BULL RIDER 50-7	DS&K Farms, The Preston Girls, IL	\$425
3	192-1	Torpedo Farms Swine Genetics, CO	84-4	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	VBGO TORPEDO JUSTIFIED 1-2	Aiyana Frantz, KS	\$500
4	4411-1	Jada Johnson, IN	27-5	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	BRJLO GRUS BULL RIDER 50-7	3B MMA Show Pigs, MO	\$650
5	3-2	Meeker Show Team, IL	29-4	CAIN2 KING 1-1	1WLH9 HUXLEY 26-5	Edward Golden, WI	\$400
6	3-4	Meeker Show Team, IL	31-5	NWEI3 ICONIC 13-5	CAIN2 KING 1-1	4D Farms, LA	\$700
7	4285-1	Marlee Ginn, TX	76-4	MIC2 THE ANSWER 4-1	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	Nathan Ray, IL	\$500
8	169-3	Park Place Genetics, IN	12-5	NWEI2 ROYAL PALACE 111-2	JLMO RIB CRIB 26-8	Drew & Lauren Tucker, KS	\$300

OPEN GILTS CLASS 4 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4092-1	Clayton Boyert, IL	1-4	3FSF2 CONVICTION 38-3	BEB1 RED LIGHT 1-1	Ryan Sites, OK	\$4,250
2	4737-1	Strane Schilling, TX	48-13	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1	RWG1 PIPELINE 51-3	Hines Hog Farm, NE	\$900
3	4566-3	Kinley Meadors, TX	54-8	NWEI3 ICONIC 13-5	SDF9 SECRETARIAT 54-12	Reynolds Farms, OH	\$6,250
4	4269-1	Kelsey Garrison, KS	94-6	RUP2 DK ITS ABOUT TIME 10-4	RBD1 TRAFFIC JAM 52-2	Dennis Garrison, KS	\$525
5	113-1	DS&K Farms, The Preston Girls, IL	97-6	NWEI2 ROYAL PALACE 111-2	HURD9 BUCK WILD 29-4	Edward Golden, WI	\$450
6	4904-1	Dusty Wolf, KS	34-3	NWEI2 REDNECK ROMEO 93-10	NBD1 G2 56-3	Paul & Lance Martin, MO	\$625
7	4911-3	Delaney G Young, MO	48-12	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1	RWG1 PIPELINE 51-3	Drew & Lauren Tucker, KS	\$300
8	35-1	Patrick Arkfeld, NE	18-1	PWA2 LIL DIRT 21-9	JSJ9 4 X 4 13-2	Kent Brattain & Family, IN	\$1,800
9	4660-2	Robby Perkins, TX	28-4	NBD1 VULCAN 42-2	CMF9 BEAST 4-3	Drew & Lauren Tucker, KS	\$625
10	4931-1	Ashley Huls, IL	19-4	SMIB2 ROLLING ROCK 4-1	MM1 TRIPLE ROCK 1-6	Ed May, TX	\$325
11	4660-1	Robby Perkins, TX	28-5	NBD1 VULCAN 42-2	CMF9 BEAST 4-3	Drew & Lauren Tucker, KS	\$300
12	54-2	Jerry Huffington, IL	117-5	QSF2 SILO 151-7	NBD0 THROTTLE 41-1	Gayle Martin, KS	\$300



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Champion Hampshire Boar & Class 2 Winner
EC2 WOODSTOCK 101-3 x EC0 MY TURN 74-5
Shown by Earl Cain & Family, Iowa.
Sold to Warrick & Iverson, Iowa, for \$2,500.



Champion Hampshire Gilt & Class 3 Winner
HH1 WALK THIS WAY 95-3 x CDO0 POINT TAKEN 257-3
Shown by Makenzie Standlee, Texas.
Sold to Lambright Show Pigs, Ind., & Hi Point Genetics, Ill., for \$31,500.



Res. Champion Hampshire Boar & 2nd Class 2
BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3 x RSY9 PACKAGE 1-6
Shown by Murphy Farms, Ill.
Sold to Lean Value Sires, Ohio, for \$1,000.



Res. Champion Gilt Hampshire Gilt & 2nd Class 3
HH1 WALK THIS WAY 95-3 x CDO0 POINT TAKEN 257-3
Shown by Payton Rodgers, Calif.
Sold to Lambright Show Pigs, Ind., & Hi Point Genetics, Ill., for \$21,000.



Premier Sire – WMF2 LVS CONSENSUS 85-8
Owned by Lean Value Sires, Ohio. Mary Pavelko accepts the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Blaine Evans (r).

Res. Premier Sire – BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3
Owned by Hi Point Genetics, Ill. Mike Miller accepts the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Blaine Evans (l).



From the Field

David Korb, NSR Field Representative Intern

What the Hampshire show lacked in numbers, it made up for in quality. While we may not have set any new records like the Yorkshires or the crossbreds, I will be quick to remind you that the Hampshire breed still holds the record for high-selling purebred gilt and boar. Hampshire hogs are the reason these crossbred boars have belts, and that's something we should all be proud of. Things are looking up for this breed. The Junior Champion Barrow got things started off, beating all other breeds to hoist that purple banner, not a minor feat by any means.

A special thanks to Jim McCoy for sorting through this year's Hampshire swine show. I'm not sure there is anyone as qualified to do the job as Jim. As usual, he did a stellar job of working efficiently and effectively to not only place the classes, but accurately describe and discuss the differences. Thanks for a job well done!

Col. Kevin Wendt took the stand to dictate new ownership, and as always, did a first-class job.

Before we could get rolling selling the Hampshires, we needed to name the Premier Sires. WMF2 LVS Consensus 85-8 captures his first, of what could be many, Premier Sire awards. Last year's Summer Type Conference Champion looks to really be stamping them. Congratulations to Lean Value Sires for owning this great sire! The Reserve Premier Sire Award went to the ever popular, BOLN1 Point Maker 118-3, owned by Hi Point Genetics, Illinois. Congratulations to all involved.

Earl L. Cain and Family, Chariton, Iowa, are no strangers to the winner's circle, and this year's Champion Hampshire Boar proves, once again, why. This son of EC2 Woodstock 101-3 was a stout, rugged, great-designed boar whose added flexibility and correctness of skeleton only added to his value toward the Hampshire breed. Warrick and Iverson take this one home to put him to good use.

Murphy Farms of Illinois drove their son of our Reserve Premier sire to Reserve Champion Hampshire Boar honors. This hog was so attractive about his head and neck, packed full of lean muscle, and yet, this boar was square at the ground off both ends of his skeleton. Everyone will get the chance to sample this one, as he's headed to Ohio and will be housed at Lean Value Sires.

Bill and Jana Range, Waterloo, Illinois, exhibited the class-winning boar in Class 1. This son of DMP3 Now's the Time 11-9 was as square as they come. This boar had a big hip and hind leg, and he certainly didn't lack rib shape or body. Clay Liesman takes this one back home to Mason City, Illinois.



Makenzie Standlee drives her Walk This Way daughter to Champion honors. Her gilt's littermate, driven by Payton Rodgers, takes the Reserve Champion banner.

The Champion Hampshire Gilt was exhibited by Makenzie Standlee of Quitigue, Texas, and in the words of Judge McCoy this one, "just walks the dog." This daughter of HH1 Walk This Way 95-3, the Champion Boar from this show a couple years ago, was big legged and heavy structured, all the while, remaining correct and clean in her joints. This gilt was fresh bodied, clean headed and about as unique as you can make a Hampshire female. It took Lambright Show Pigs and Hi Point Genetics \$31,500 to take this girl home, and they weren't done yet.

We sold choice on the littermate Grand and Reserve Gilt and after the hammer dropped and the Champion was chosen, we still had the Reserve in the ring to sell. Payton Rodgers brought her gilt all the way from Sanger, California. Many ringside would admit there was very little difference between these two littermate females, and it really made for a challenging sort. Lambright Show Pigs and Hi Point Genetics couldn't help but

keep the pair together and at, \$21,000, this gilt will also head east to Shipshewana, Indiana.

Payton Norris of Honey Grove, Texas, was next in the ring with her daughter of our Premier Sire. This gilt wins Class 2 and does some of the things our Champion and Reserve do so well. This gilt was a true power hog. She had a big hip and a flexible, square hind leg. This gilt's big rib cage, great body shape and look awarded her a big price tag of \$15,000. Fecke Livestock of Bonfield, Illinois, takes this gilt home to add her to the sow herd.

Jake and Kaylee Keppy's DMP3 Time Machine 39-2 daughter was next up in the ring. This gilt wins the youngest class of the day and for good reason. Here was a really sharp-fronted gilt that had a great show presence about her. Meeker Show Team will get a bargain on this female and take her home to Illinois for just \$1,250.

One of the more interesting gilts came into the ring next. This daughter of our Reserve Premier Sire was exhibited by

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Bryan Bennett of Illinois. Here's a female that ran into a really tough class, in Class 3, and ended up third, but possesses so many of the same qualities as the gilts above her. This gilt just had the look of a future brood sow. She had a huge forearm, big feet, yet she was square at the ground. Pink Genetics take this progressive female back home to Iowa at the price of \$3,250.

The 2014 World Pork Expo will be one to remember for a lifetime! Thanks to all the exhibitors that brought hogs out and the buyers that made this year special. Let's continue to push forward and keep making them better!



Hampshire Boar Show Results

BOARS CLASS 1 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	19-1	Bill & Jana Range, IL	111-5	DMP3 NOWS THE TIME 11-9	JLM9 HENRY FORD 5-3	Clay Liesman, IL	\$1,600
2	155-1	Scott Marker & Family, IN	1-8	EC2 7 UP 7-2	MVLSO ABOVE ALL 9-5	North Iowa Boar Semen, IA	\$500
3	177-1	Jay & Alexis Scollard, CA	69-3	DMP2 PSSS TIME MACHINE 39-2	JLM9 AFFIRMITIVE 4-1	Awesome Genetics, CA	\$2,500
4	4031-1	Braelyn Baloun, SD	73-6	EC2 FIRST TURN 16-3	RASMO GREETER 21-8		No Sale
5	198-1	Wendel/Peterson Hampshires, IA	5-1	1ARK2 MCRIB 18-6	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3		No Sale

BOARS CLASS 2 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	5-1	Earl L Cain & Family, IA	85-1	EC2 WOODSTOCK 101-3	ECO MY TURN 84-5	Warrick & Iverson, IA	\$2,500
2	162-2	Murphy Farms, IL	1-4	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	RSY9 PACKAGE 1-6	Lean Value Sires, OH	\$1,000
3	5-2	Earl L Cain & Family, IA	91-2	EC2 WOODSTOCK 101-3	ECO MY TURN 84-5	Robison Genetics, MO	\$900
4	61-1	David Mitchem & Family, OH	33-1	JM3 LUMBERYARD 7-4	JLM9 TCG AUGUSTA 18-1		No Sale
5	162-3	Murphy Farms, IL	2-2	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	ARTDO UNREAL 12-2	Farrer Stock Farm, IN	\$900
6	22-1	Peter Farms, IL	52-4	JLM2 THRIFT SHOP 24-2	EBMO BLACK BEAR 2-3	Suddeth Farms, IL	\$1,000

Hampshire Gilt Show Results

OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	142-2	Jake & Kaylee Keppy, IA	29-5	DMP2 PSSS TIME MACHINE 39-2	JLM1 PIVOT POINT 13-2	Meeker Show Team, IL	\$1,250
2	4031-2	Braelyn Baloun, SD	73-8	EC2 FIRST TURN 16-3	RASMO GREETER 21-8	Bob Collings, IN	\$300
3	4565-3	Hadley Meadors, TX	70-4	DMP0 FROZEN IN TIME 31-2	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3	Joe Coyne, IL	\$650
4	4566-2	Kinley Meadors, TX	13-2	TSOB3 SOCK EM 1-7	GMWO PSSS DATELINE 7-3	Wolf Brothers, MO	\$400
5	4031-3	Braelyn Baloun, SD	73-3	EC2 FIRST TURN 16-3	RASMO GREETER 21-8	Robison Genetics, MO	\$450
6	4765-1	Katie Seigel, OH	7-8	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	ECO TOP SHELF 27-2	Hunter McKinnon, OK	\$950

OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4636-2	Payton Norris, TX	205-6	WMF52 LVS CONSENSUS 85-8	APLS8 JUDGEMENT DAY 3-4	Trey &/or Cade Fecke, IL	\$15,000
2	4381-1	Cole Igo, MO	9-5	WMF52 LVS CONSENSUS 85-8	MVLSO LONG TIME COMING 12-1	South Platte Genetics, CO	\$1,100
3	4380-1	Ashlyn Igo, MO	9-1	WMF52 LVS CONSENSUS 85-8	MVLSO LONG TIME COMING 12-1	Cole & Ashlyn Igo, MO	\$900
4	4636-1	Payton Norris, TX	209-8	WMF52 LVS CONSENSUS 85-8	HHO HOME BOY 100-3	Paige & Jayce Zimprich, ND	\$950
5	4457-1	Riley Klingenberg, MI	9-1	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3	Hunter McKinnon, OK	\$300
6	96-2	Bowen Hamps & Yorks, IL	38-1	JLM1 TCG AUGUSTA 7-1	WTX9 GRUS DREAM MAKER 14-3	Jeff Hansen, IA	\$550
7	4527-1	Kendall Madison, KS	9-3	WMF52 LVS CONSENSUS 85-8	MVLSO LONG TIME COMING 12-1	Tom Madison, KS	\$300
8	4911-2	Delaney G Young, MO	64-1	1ARK2 MCRIB 18-6	BOLN1 HOMEMADE 17-4	Brammer Farms, MO	\$300

OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4791-1	Makenzie Standlee, TX	147-5	HH1 WALK THIS WAY 95-3	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3	Lambright Show Pigs, IN & Hi Point, IL	\$31,500
2	4719-1	Payton Rodgers, CA	147-4	HH1 WALK THIS WAY 95-3	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3	Lambright Show Pigs, IN & Hi Point, IL	\$21,000
3	91-1	Bryan Bennett, IL	9-5	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	ABRC8 UNREAL 2-1	Pink Genetics, IA	\$3,250
4	202-1	Randy Wirt & Family, SD	61-1	RASMO GREETER 21-8	RWF8 IN CUSTODY 52-1		No Sale
5	131-1	Elizabeth Gunner, CA	16-2	EEE2 ABOVE ALL 13-8	MVLSO LONG TIME COMING 12-1		No Sale
6	4635-1	Taylor Norris, TX	201-12	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3	HHO HOME BOY 100-3	Heimer Hampshires, MO	\$2,500
7	96-1	Bowen Hamps & Yorks, IL	25-1	JLM1 TCG AUGUSTA 7-1	WTX9 GRUS DREAM MAKER 14-3	Pink Genetics, IA	\$675
8	202-2	Randy Wirt & Family, SD	61-6	RASMO GREETER 21-8	RWF8 IN CUSTODY 52-1	Drew & Lauren Tucker, KS	\$300
9	41-1	Roger Fujan, NE	4-6	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	RASM8 MOMENTUM 81-4	Hunter McKinnon, OK	\$375

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2nd CLASS 3 CROSSBRED GILT, '14 WPX (Trash Talk x Rehab)

Thanks to everyone for the positive comments on this gilt, and thanks to Joel Forsyth for his \$2,600 purchase. The mother produced our Champion Overall at the 2012 Extravaganza sired by Far Out. She is bred back to Far Out for late September.



4th CLASS 3 DUROC BOAR, '14 WPX (Rock Candy x Big Ten x Hippo)

Thanks to Steven Resler, Minnesota, and North Iowa Boar Stud, Iowa, for their \$2,000 purchase. He will be housed at North Iowa Boar Stud. Look for a littermate boar and gilt at Louisville.

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Champion Landrace Boar & Class 1 Winner
DOVS1 PSSS APOLLO 12-1 x CRSH9 SHORT STACK 8-3
Shown by Kelton & Owen Rozeboom, Wis.



Champion Landrace Gilt & Class 1 Winner
KORB2 REVOLUTION 12-2 x JMG0 FALKEN 4-7
Shown by Ashley Huls, Ill.
Sold to Heidi Benner, Pa., for \$300.



Res. Champion Landrace Boar & 2nd Class 1
KORB2 REVOLUTION 12-2 x JMG0 FALKEN 4-7
Shown by Russell Whewell, Ill.



Res. Champion Gilt Landrace Gilt & 2nd Class 1
WCMP3 SHARK TANK 2-2 x SNSS1 SLINGBLADE 256-2
Shown by Billie Ann Jervis, Okla.
Sold to Generation X Farms, Calif., for \$1,400.



Premier Sire – DOVS2 BAD CAT 9-8
Owned by Laird's Premium Blend Genetics, Ind. Jake Laird accepts the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Blaine Evans (r).

Not pictured:
Res. Premier Sire –
DOVS1 PSSS APOLLO 12-1
Owned by Prairie State Semen, Ill.



From the Field

David Korb, NSR Field Representative Intern

The Landrace numbers at this year's World Pork Expo may not have been overwhelming; however, I was very pleased to find breeders making steps in the right direction to make these hogs better. While we may not have broken any records or sent a great buzz throughout the barn, this spring's pig sales show there is plenty of interest in this breed and there truly is a great opportunity for anyone interested to capitalize on.

If you happened to catch the Landrace junior show, it should come as no surprise that this year's Premier Landrace Sire award went to DOVS2 Bad Cat 9-8 at Laird's Premium Blend Genetics, Arlington, Indiana. This boar has been doing an incredible job for that firm, so far this year. The Reserve Premier Sire was DOVS1 PSSS Apollo 12-1 at Prairie State Semen, Champaign, Illinois. This boar keeps them consistent and basic, with enough power to get it done in the ring.

As always, Jim McCoy of Bloomingburg, Ohio, did a great job of sorting through the Landrace in an efficient and productive manner. Thanks, Jim, for a job well done.

Kelton and Owen Rozeboom drove their son of our Reserve Premier Sire to champion honors. This boar was as opened up underneath as anything I have seen in a long time, within the Landrace breed. Yet, he was unique in the fact that not only was he extra wide, but he still maintained a stout framework with even bigger topside power.

Russell Whewell of Carthage, Illinois, had a good day in the Landrace ring, and his son of KORB2 Revolution 12-2 possessed many of the same characteristics as his sire. This boar had a great big center body cavity, and from the side, this one blended and balanced into a smooth, functional frame that suggests he should generate replacement females.

Ashley Huls, also of Carthage, Illinois, drove her littermate to the Reserve Landrace Boar to purple banner honors. This gilt possessed a lot of the same characteristics as her littermate, only she was a shade more moderate in her build. This allowed for her extra width and power. I could certainly appreciate her added breed character. This sure-footed female will go to work in Pennsylvania for Heidi Benner.

Billie Ann Jervis of Oklahoma, captured the Reserve Champion trophy with her daughter of WCMP3 Shark Tank 2-2. This gilt's tremendously big rib cage, barrow look and power garnered a \$1,400 price tag. Generation X Farms of Allan Rios, California, will put this gilt to good use.

Brayden Bowers' really cool-looking, smooth-made gilt, out of our Premier Sire, won Class 2. I found this gilt to be so unique for her breed, having that extra extension and height to her shoulder. Michael Leoni will take this one back to California with him, with a smile on his face.

The Isler Genetics' gilt was second in Class 2. This daughter of KORB2 LVS Look Ahead 23-7 possessed a lot of similar traits as her sire. She too was different for her breed. A heavy-muscled female that still had plenty of body and width, yet was so sound on her feet and legs. Heidi Benner picks up another good buy of the day.

Thanks to all exhibitors who brought hogs out to the show. With a lot of hard work and dedication, I see a very bright future within this breed, and it's up to us, breeders, to make that happen!



Landrace Boar Show Results

BOARS CLASS 1 Landrace

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	175-1	Kelton &/or Owen Rozeboom, WI	1-3	DOVS1 PSSS APOLLO 12-1	CRSH9 SHORT STACK 8-3		No Sale
2	80-1	Russell Whewell, IL	4-1	KORB2 REVOLUTION 12-2	JMGO FALKEN 4-7		No Sale

Landrace Gilt Show Results

OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Landrace

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4931-2	Ashley Huls, IL	4-5	KORB2 REVOLUTION 12-2	JMGO FALKEN 4-7	Heidi Benner, PA	\$300
2	4394-1	Billie Ann Jervis, OK	10-1	WCMP3 SHARK TANK 2-2	SNS51 SLINGBLADE 256-2	Generation X Farms, CA	\$1,400
3	4700-2	Jacob Reznicek, TX	6-12	DOVS2 BAD CAT 9-8	CRSH9 OLYMPUS 8-8	Brian Reznicek, TX	\$275

OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Landrace

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4089-1	Brayden Bowers, WI	63-16	DOVS2 BAD CAT 9-8	SNS51 SLINGBLADE 256-2	Michael Leoni, CA	\$450
2	138-1	Isler Genetics, OH	332-12	KORB2 LVS LOOK AHEAD 23-7	DOVS1 QUICK CHANGE 1-2	Heidi Benner, PA	\$400
3	175-2	Kelton &/or Owen Rozeboom, WI	1-8	DOVS1 PSSS APOLLO 12-1	CRSH9 SHORT STACK 8-3	Edward Golden, WI	\$300



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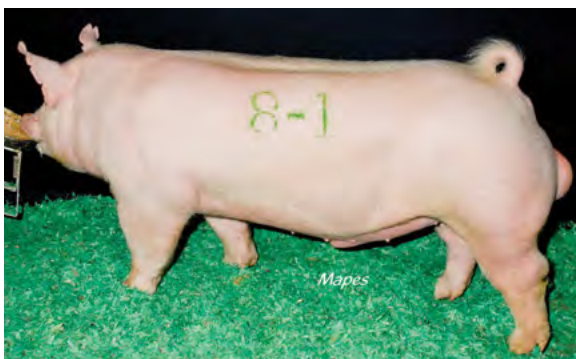
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AUCTIONEER: Dan Baker, Indiana



Champion Yorkshire Boar & Class 3 Winner
DJDS2 SKULL 7-2 x JGR0 BOOTLEGGER 210-6
Shown by Grimm Purebreds, Iowa.
Sold to Lean Value Sires, Ohio, for \$7,000.



Champion Yorkshire Gilt & Class 7 Winner
DPK2 OVERLOOKED 19-4 x CDO9 PHOTO SHOOT 257-5
Shown by Tana Simmons, Ind.
Sold to Rich Murphy, Calif., for \$5,000.



Res. Champion Yorkshire Boar & Class 2 Winner
HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 15 x CDO0 MIGHTY MACK
Shown by Ricker Yorkshires, Ohio.
Sold to Top Cut Genetics, Ind., for \$6,000.



Res. Champion Gilt Yorkshire Gilt & 2nd Class 7
RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6 x JLM9 GANGSTER 12-5
Shown by Sydney Rivers, La.
Sold to Desert Showpigs, Calif., for \$7,000.



Premier Sire –
HACO2 UNTOUCHABLE 153-6
Owned by Top Cut Genetics and Cobb Farms. Jeremy Lipps (l) and Dr. Daniel Hendrickson (r) accept the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Michael Lackey (m).

Not pictured:
Res. Premier Sire –
BRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7
Owned by Moyer's Genetic Edge, Reynolds and Rohrs.



From the Field

Michael Lackey, NSR Field Representative

“Wow,” is all I can say about the 2014 World Pork Expo (WPX). With all the herd health concerns and scares facing our industry, we had the largest and most profitable Expo in history. My hat is off to all the exhibitors and breeders that made this show a record breaker! The Yorkshire show at the WPX got off to a great start with a strong set of purebreds in the Junior Show. For the second year in a row, a Yorkshire gilt captured the championship honors in the Junior Gilt Ring.

When Friday morning rolled around, Yorkshires were the first to hit the shavings. What a show we had; this was the deepest set of Yorkshire females this fieldman has seen in years! Wayne Huinker of Decorah, Iowa, stepped in the ring, this year, to sort the stock. He was assisted by John Quinn of Elk Grove, California. This pair handled the task of sorting through this incredible set of Yorkshire hogs with ease. The Premier Yorkshire Sire went to HACO2 TCG Untouchable 153-6, owned by Top Cut Genetics of Indiana, and Steve Cobb and Family of Arkansas. The Reserve Premier Yorkshire Sire was awarded to BRRS2 Grand Drive 1-7, owned by Moyer’s Genetic Edge, Reynolds and Rohrs, all of Ohio. There was a great set of hogs out of both of these sires!

Grimm Purebreds of Maynard, Iowa, drove the Champion Yorkshire Boar that started the sale. This son of DJDS2 Skull 7-2 has an awesome skeleton. The way he handles his hip and hind leg was a sight to see. This guy can flat float across the ring. Combine this with a showing look and huge rib and center body, he should be able to sire some great barrows and breeding gilts. He will make his way to New Carlisle, Ohio, with Lean Value Sires for the price of \$7,000.

The Reserve Champion Boar was driven by Kevin Ricker of Ricker Yorkshires, Fort Jennings, Ohio, with his entry sired by HACO2 Untouchable 153-6. This boar is wide and square in his chest floor, opens into a great rib cage and leaves you square and wide from behind. He is tall fronted, level designed and looks like a breeding hog. Plus, he is thick topped and heavy muscled. He will make his new home in Farmland, Indiana, with Top Cut Genetics for the price of \$6,000.

Greg Thompson of Thompson and Son, Hutchinson, Kansas, drove the next boar into the sale ring; his boar won the youngest class of the day. This son of TBRO2 White Hot 106-6 is sound as a cat, correct in his angles, and boy, can he handle his rear leg with authority. This guy is tall fronted and good in all the places that Yorkshires can use help. He will go to work for Mike Clark of Ramona, South Dakota, for a value of \$550.

Kevin Wynn of Top Choice Genetics, Ashland, Ohio, drove the boar that won the oldest class. This one is square built, big centered and heavy muscled. This heavy-structured breeding hog is sired by BRRS Grand Drive 1-7. He sold to Edward Dutton of Holland, New York, for the price of \$600.

The last boar I am going to discuss was exhibited by Adam Conover of Holt, Michigan. He is a son of CDO1 Razzle 62-10 and placed second in the oldest class of the day. Guys, this one had a lot of friends in the barn. I hear some of the veteran breeders talking about breeding hogs, when I make herd visits. This is the type I envision when I hear the words “breeding hog.” He’s rugged in his skeleton, perfect on his pasterns and has great toe shape. This one is monster ribbed, deep flanked and looks like he has an appetite. He is big nosed, stout headed and has a huge root to his tail. He looks like a female-sire deluxe. Guys, I am way in on this one. Call SGI of Cambridge, Iowa, soon to book semen, if you are serious about making Yorkshires better. He was the high-selling Yorkshire boar of the 2014 WPX for the price of \$20,000.

Guys, the gilt show was loaded with great Yorkshire females. We kicked off the sale with Tana Simmons’ Champion Yorkshire Gilt entry from Idaville, Indiana. Tana brought us a truly special female! She is sired by DPK2 Overlooked 19-4. This female is sound – she can float around the ring. She is wide skeletoned and has great shape to her rib and depth of flank. Plus, she is ideal in her frame size, long bodied, huge legged and has a great underline. This foundation female will make her new home with Rich Murphy, Bodega Bay, California. He paid \$5,000 for this lady.

Sydney Rivers of Amite, Louisiana, drove her Reserve Champion Gilt to the ring next. She placed second behind the champion in the oldest class of the day. This daughter of RIY2 Cloud 9 76-6 is a stout-made, tall-fronted gilt who is wide from front to rear. She has an up-headed attitude and a killer look on the profile. Desert Showpigs of El Centro, California, decided to add this lady to their herd at the price of \$7,000.

Cash Lehrman of Spencer, South Dakota, exhibited the gilt that won Class 6. His daughter of HERB2 Bruno 27-5 has the same mother as the champion and top-selling boar from the 2013 Fall Classic that Chuck and Ben Olsen showed. If you were looking for power, this was the gilt for you. She is wide in her skeleton, tall fronted, level designed, has tons of muscle and sets her hind leg out on the corners. This moderate-framed female will make her way to Chrisman, Illinois, with Brent Bolen. He paid \$3,500 to own this female.

Next in the ring was the consignment from Bailey Cox of Spiro, Oklahoma. I had been hearing about this gilt all week, and when she stepped into the ring, there was no question why the barn was buzzing. This daughter of HACO2 TCG Untouchable 153-6 is a killer! If you like your gilts feminine in their build, tall fronted, level designed and perfect in her length of body, then this one is for you. She is the perfect blend of showing appeal and production. She set a new record Saturday, at the sale. Premium Blend Genetics and Sandall Family Showpigs paid \$36,000 to load this special lady on

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their trailer.

Hunter Smith of Jacksboro, Texas, drove the Class 3 winning gilt to the ring next. Hunter's gilt is sired by HAF3 Shine On 4-9. This lady looks like a barrow maker – tall at the point of her shoulder, level down her top line and wide underneath with tons of power. She will go home with Nathan Weisinger of Fort Madison, Iowa, for the price of \$1,000.

Torpedo Farms of Pueblo, Colorado, drove the Class 5 winning entry to the ring next. Sired by ILL2 Torpedo Private Drive, this brood sow prospect is feminine featured, big centered and really complete, when studied on the profile. Plus, she has a great underline. This female will go to work for C&L Showpigs of Rossville, Kansas, for the price of \$600.

Up next was the entry from Kale Boysen with a daughter of LMML2 Shooting Star 10-3 that won the youngest class. This tall-fronted, level-designed gilt is really correct in her build. I think this little lady has a bright future. She will head

to Jeanerette, Louisiana, with Jared Landry for \$1,500.

Next to the ring was an entry from Seth and Derek Warren of Iowa, with a daughter of SRF1 Doc Holliday 2-8 that won Class 2. This tall-fronted, level-designed gilt is fancy on the profile. She goes to Edward Dutton of Holland, New York, for the price of \$600.

This was a tremendous Yorkshire show! The breeders and exhibitors need to be commended on a job well done! Thank you to the Lake Land crew for your help in the ring. Special thanks to Col. Dan Baker of West Lafayette, Indiana, for serving as the auctioneer of the Yorkshire sale. I would also like to thank David Mullins for his assistance in taking bids; it is always a pleasure to work with an experienced and talented crew. Thanks to everyone who helped to make this record-setting WPX run smoothly. I will see you all down the road!



Yorkshire Boar Show Results

BOARS CLASS 1 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	191-2	Thompson & Son, KS	2-2	TBRO2 WHITE HOT 106-6	ARK6 SUPER POWER 14-1	Mike Clark Family, SD	\$550
2	180-1	Scott & Jayme Sieren, IA	20-10	SJF3 BIG BROTHER 5-2	SDH0 BUCKEYE 9-2	James Riffel,	\$500
3	127-2	Goff Select Swine Genetics, IN	4-7	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERE	TBRO0 WOW 53-4	H & H Sires,	\$2,300
4	48-1	Git R Done Showpigs, AZ	76-2	RIY2 BEST YET 74-12	TDC1 TRUE COLORS 77-6	Top Cut Genetics, IN	\$2,600
5	171-2	Justin Peterson, IL	1-9	SS3 BREAKING AMISH 11-3	CRSH9 PSSS COLT 45 9-6		No Sale
6	151-1	Jennifer Livermore, IL	8-3	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT	TBRO0 CANNON BALL 11-3	Jennifer Livermore, IL	\$1,600

BOARS CLASS 2 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	67-1	Ricker Yorkshires, OH	83-3	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	CDO0 MIGHTY MACK 74-1	Top Cut Genetics, IN	\$6,000
2	197-1	Nathan Weisinger, IA	112-7	HAF2 SHOOT THE MOON 15-5	HAF0 TCG WANNA PLAY 6-11	Wooden Swine Farms, MI	\$4,100
3	30-1	Isla Grande Farms, OH	30-1	WGW2 FIRE WALL 43-4	WGW9 EF HUTTON 83-7	Edward Golden, WI	\$400
4	197-2	Nathan Weisinger, IA	108-4	HAF2 SHOOT THE MOON 15-5	MCLE9 DRIVE BY 1-1	DS&K Farms, The Preston Girls, IL	\$600
5	4862-15	Seth & Derek Warren, IA	1-4	SRF1 DOC HOLLIDAY 2-8	TBRO0 STARBUCK 45-3	Southern Gold, IN	\$600
6	170-2	Peters Show Pigs, IA	2-3	NWG2 COOL CELL 4-1	ARK1 SLICK MOVE 131-1	Torpedo Farms, CO	\$400
7	1-1	Hunter Stephens, OK	19-3	6MSB3 FOOT PRINT 21-5	JJ11 SNOW PLOW 11-1	Swine Genetics Int, Ltd, IA	\$7,000
8	154-1	Lane Mai, KS	16-4	BRRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7	FLG1 QUICK FIX 27-1	Premium Blend Genetics, IN	\$1,000
9	10-1	Thompson Brothers Genetics, OH	139-1	RIY2 BEST YET 74-12	RIY9 BUCK FIFTY 136-1	Cooper Genetics, OK	\$7,000
10	10-3	Thompson Brothers Genetics, OH	132-6	RIY2 BEST YET 74-12	TBRO0 TURN ON 30-1	Hofschulte Family, OK	\$2,750

BOARS CLASS 3 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	8-1	Grimm Purebreds, IA	143-7	DJDS2 SKULL 7-2	JGR0 BOOTLEGGERS 210-6	Lean Value Sires, OH	\$7,000
2	161-1	Morgan Family, OH	5-1	SRF2 DOC LOGAN 7-5	LFC0 GATEMASTER 64-3	Wooden Swine Farms, MI	\$600
3	147-1	Kuhlow Girls Showpigs, WI	82-1	LUPI3 CARBON FOOTPRINT 7-2	JJIO CLIFFHANGER 20-7		No Sale
4	73-2	Hilman B Schroeder, WI	261-2	HSO2 DUMBO 224-13	WGWO DEL RIO 50-10		No Sale
5	147-3	Kuhlow Girls Showpigs, WI	82-3	LUPI3 CARBON FOOTPRINT 7-2	JJIO CLIFFHANGER 20-7		No Sale
6	204-3	Wynn Farms/Top Choice Genetics, OH	14-8	LFC2 CREATOR 77-7	TBRO1 TIGHTROPE 92-1	Lean Value Sires, OH	\$1,100
7	97-1	Kristin Boyum, MN	18-11	WGW2 WORTH THE WAIT 59-2	ARK8 REVOLUTION 37-3	Ron Houser, IA	\$800

BOARS CLASS 4 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	204-1	Wynn Farms/Top Choice Genetics, OH	8-10	BRRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7	AAEO MIGHTY BUCK 9-4	Edward Dutton, NY	\$600
2	106-4	Adam J Conover, MI	2-6	CDO1 RAZZLE 62-10	GAVN1 SPUD BAR 9-1	Swine Genetics Int, Ltd, IA	\$20,000
3	7-1	Chuck & Ben Olsen, SD	273-5	HERB2 BRUNO 27-5	RWGO NET WORTH 233-1	Brittany Bangert, CO	\$2,100
4	49-2	Devin Goehring, WI	14-9	ARK1 FINAL DRIVE 130-10	TBRO0 TURN ON 30-1		No Sale
5	106-3	Adam J Conover, MI	2-3	CDO1 RAZZLE 62-10	GAVN1 SPUD BAR 9-1	Drake Purebred Farms, IN	\$650
6	106-1	Adam J Conover, MI	2-2	CDO1 RAZZLE 62-10	GAVN1 SPUD BAR 9-1	4D Farms, LA	\$400

Yorkshire Gilt Show Results

OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4094-2	Kale Boysen, IA	2-1	LMM12 SHOOTING STAR 10-3	HOL1 HOLLIDAY INN 7-3	Jared Landry, LA	\$1,500
2	4179-1	Blaze Cozart, TX	15-7	LUPI3 CARBON FOOTPRINT 7-2	MCLE9 DRIVE BY 1-1	Kelsey/Bethany/Colton/Kimbire, KS	\$550
3	4662-1	Wheeler Pethel, TX	4-3	LFC2 SNOW PLOW 74-3	ARK1 FINAL SAY 111-3	Mark Pethel, TX	\$1,200
4	4709-2	Riley Rivers, LA	4-8	1NMH1 LEFT FOR DEAD 14-12	CDOO MIGHTY MACK 74-1	Charles Rivers, LA	\$600
5	4211-2	Cierra Dickerson, TX	4-4	CDNO3 SLOW RIDE 4-4	RWG0 ECLIPSE 37-4	R W Genetics, Inc, Rick, TX	\$450
6	171-3	Justin Peterson, IL	2-7	HAF3 2 SCOOPS 2-5	HAMD1 LUCKY ELEVEN 11-11	Kelsey/Bethany/Colton/Kimbire, KS	\$250
9	4524-2	Lizzie Mabry, AR	391-9	ARK2 LINE DRIVE 103-6	NBDO SEPARATOR 117-4	Jeremy Mabry, AR	\$325

OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4862-1	Seth & Derek Warren, IA	1-1	SRF1 DOC HOLLIDAY 2-8	TBROO STARBUCK 45-3	Edward Dutton, NY	\$600
2	4563-1	Jayne McMasters, OK	386-1	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	Paul McMasters, OK	\$2,000
3	4839-2	Chanleigh Underwood, GA	28-7	BUC2 TAYLOR MADE 10-3	TBROO STARBUCK 45-3	New Wave Genetics,	\$700
4	1-2	Hunter Stephens, OK	19-6	6MSB3 FOOT PRINT 21-5	JJ11 SNOW PLOW 11-1		No Sale
5	97-2	Kristin Boyum, MN	19-2	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	JGR7 BULLETPROOF 345-6	South Platte Genetics, CO	\$700
6	4322-1	Hannah Harken, AZ	70-11	TDC1 TRUE COLORS 77-6	CKJ11 MOONSHINE 17-4	Edward Golden, WI	\$300
7	104-3	Mike Clark Family, SD	19-5	OTTN2 ICE AGE 23-1	CDO1 RONDO 62-9	Edward Golden, WI	\$400
8	104-2	Mike Clark Family, SD	19-4	OTTN2 ICE AGE 23-1	CDO1 RONDO 62-9	Mike Clark Family, SD	\$300
10	104-4	Mike Clark Family, SD	20-1	HERB2 GERONIMO 27-4	RWG0 TURN TABLE 234-1	Grant Giese, WI	\$300

OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	5030-1	Hunter Smith, TX	47-7	HAF3 SHINE ON 4-9	LFC9 WAY IN 94-4	Nathan Weisinger, IA	\$1,000
2	4792-1	Paige Stahl, PA	88-5	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	CDOO MIGHTY MACK 74-1	Kelsey/Bethany/Colton/Kimbire, KS	\$600
3	4137-1	Maddie Caldwell, OH	31-9	IGF2 TORK 33-2	WGW9 EF HUTTON 83-7	Riley Caldwell, OH	\$600
4	4919-1	Kamlynn Thomas, TX	47-6	HAF3 SHINE ON 4-9	LFC9 WAY IN 94-4	Mason & Rhett Forkner, MO	\$450
5	4008-1	Brock Allen, OK	23-8	WGW2 WORTH THE WAIT 59-2	TBROO DOG KNOTT 77-4	Joe Steffensmeid, IA	\$1,100
6	4918-1	Kobe Thomas, TX	47-2	HAF3 SHINE ON 4-9	LFC9 WAY IN 94-4	Kevin Thomas, TX	\$550
7	4881-1	Grant Wilber, OK	19-11	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	WGW9 DOCTOR WATSON 42-1	Grant Wilber, OK	\$500
8	4764-1	Jenna Siegel, OH	31-3	IGF2 TORK 33-2	WGW9 EF HUTTON 83-7	Isla Grande Farms, OH	\$950

OPEN GILTS CLASS 4 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4177-1	Bailey K Cox, OK	20-1	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	MTY6 NIGHT TRIPP 11-2	Prem Blend Genetics & Sandall, IN	\$36,000
2	4095-1	Kari Boyum, MN	18-1	WGW2 WORTH THE WAIT 59-2	ARK8 REVOLUTION 37-3	Kelsey/Bethany/Colton/Kimbire, KS	\$1,300
3	14-1	Shipley Swine Genetics, OH	5-6	SRF2 DOC 100K 7-1	WGW9 THE GRIZZ 38-8	Johnson Bros Show Hogs, IN	\$1,400
4	4890-1	Briggs Williams, GA	4-3	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	BOBLO TCG CAPONE 10-2	Steve Flowers, OK	\$800
5	4680-1	Jessie Pullen, OK	128-3	MMGR2 DADDY SAYS 13-2	CDOO MIGHTY MACK 74-1	Jessie Pullen, OK	\$500
6	4566-1	Kinley Meadors, TX	276-3	HERB2 BRUNO 27-5	RWG0 NET WORTH 233-1	Bauman 4B Livestock, TX	\$1,700
7	153-2	Zach Loppnow, MN	18-8	WGW2 WORTH THE WAIT 59-2	ARK8 REVOLUTION 37-3	Rick Boyer, WA	\$650
8	4524-1	Lizzie Mabry, AR	365-2	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	ASLS9 ON THE VERGE 4-14	Wolf Brothers, MO	\$650
9	4070-1	Cheyenne Bittle, AR	367-3	ARK2 FINAL MOVE 151-7	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	Mike Thode, MN	\$400
10	73-4	Hilman B Schroeder, WI	264-8	HSO2 DUMBO 224-13	WGW9 BEEF CAKE 63-4	Lockman Genetics, KS	\$400

OPEN GILTS CLASS 5 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	192-4	Torpedo Farms Swine Genetics, CO	36-3	ILL2 TORPEDO PRIVATE DRIVE	HFYF0 TRANSMISSION 89-2	C & L Show Pigs, KS	\$600
2	44-2	Desert Showpigs, CA	28-5	CKJ11 MOONSHINE 17-4	ARK1 FINAL DRIVE 130-10	David Wion, OK	\$1,200
3	4322-2	Hannah Harken, AZ	130-5	TMF9 ICE AGE 1-4	JRSP0 TCG COMMITTED 44-1	Edward Golden, WI	\$400
4	4183-1	Lucas Craycraft, OH	12-3	DVG2 HAIR OF THE DOG 96-6	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	Edward Golden, WI	\$300
5	4751-50	Shelby Sessions, TX	17-4	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	TBROO STARBUCK 45-3	Solt Family, MN	\$900
6	61-4	David Mitchem & Family, OH	31-5	SRF1 DOC HOLLIDAY 2-8	WGW9 THE GRIZZ 38-8	Edward Golden, WI	\$250
7	4872-1	Riley Wendt, OH	362-2	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	ARK8 REVOLUTION 37-3	Cody Peugh, TX	\$700
8	4054-1	Blake Bell, IA	9-4	EC2 BIG LOG 6-3	ARK1 TRUE GRIT 119-6	Edward Golden, WI	\$250
9	4183-50	Lucas Craycraft, OH	12-5	DVG2 HAIR OF THE DOG 96-6	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	Edward Golden, WI	\$250
10	4751-40	Shelby Sessions, TX	17-3	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	TBROO STARBUCK 45-3	Mike Clark Family, SD	\$550

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OPEN GILTS CLASS 6 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4484-1	Cash Lehrman, SD	273-2	HERB2 BRUNO 27-5	RWGO NET WORTH 233-1	Brent Bolen, IL	\$3,500
2	4614-1	Cole Nasser, AZ	69-7	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	HAFO TCG WANNA PLAY 6-11	Joel Eder, KS	\$450
3	4473-2	Hallie Landry, LA	63-7	BRRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7	WGWO DIEGO 77-8	David Brigman, TX	\$1,300
4	4472-2	Keri Landry, LA	63-5	BRRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7	WGWO DIEGO 77-8	South Platte Genetics, CO	\$1,350
5	106-8	Adam J Conover, MI	2-12	CD01 RAZZLE 62-10	GAVN1 SPUD BAR 9-1	Gayle Martin, KS	\$700
6	4351-1	Payton Hines, MI	63-5	LFC2 GRUS LINCOLN 64-3	CD09 BATTLESHIP 85-6	Edward Golden, WI	\$250
7	4156-1	Zach Cline, MI	27-6	TMF1 DUMBO 35-3	WGWO UNCLE SAM 70-6	Edward Golden, WI	\$250
8	51-2	Maynard Hahn & Family, IN	66-3	HFYF3 WORK FORCE 20-3	LLG0 TRUST ME 28-5	Edward Golden, WI	\$250
9	106-7	Adam J Conover, MI	1-16	CD01 RAZZLE 62-10	GAVN1 SPUD BAR 9-1	Nathan Ray, IL	\$500
10	106-5	Adam J Conover, MI	1-13	CD01 RAZZLE 62-10	GAVN1 SPUD BAR 9-1	Valleybrook Farm, KS	\$450

OPEN GILTS CLASS 7 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4771-1	Tana Simmons, IN	22-10	DPK2 OVERLOOKED 19-4	CD09 PHOTO SHOOT 257-5	Rich Murphy, CA	\$5,000
2	4710-1	Sydney Rivers, LA	65-11	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	JLM9 GANGSTER 12-5	Desert Showpigs, CA	\$7,000
3	204-2	Wynn Farms/Top Choice Genetics, OH	7-2	BRRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7	TMF1 DUMBO 35-3	David Brigman, TX	\$900
4	204-4	Wynn Farms/Top Choice Genetics, OH	7-4	BRRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7	TMF1 DUMBO 35-3	Lockman Genetics, KS	\$600
5	4858-1	Justin Wallace, IN	65-7	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	JLM9 GANGSTER 12-5	South Platte Genetics, CO	\$1,500
6	4565-1	Hadley Meadors, TX	265-1	LMO1 MOORE POWER 5-6	CD00 MIGHTY ONE 76-2	Bauman 4B Livestock, TX	\$550
7	4037-1	DJ Bauer, IN	65-13	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	JLM9 GANGSTER 12-5	Platt Show Pigs, IN	\$2,600
8	4460-1	Brendan Knoll, NY	7-3	BRRS2 GRAND DRIVE 1-7	TMF1 DUMBO 35-3	Brendan Knoll, NY	\$500
10	4546-2	Wyatt Mazich, MI	113-7	TMF9 ICE AGE 1-4	JJ11 SNOW PLOW 11-1	Eldon Morgan, NE	\$300

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Sold to Nathan Ray, Cabery, IL
157 days/250, Adj. BF 0.71, Adj. LEA 7.68



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Shown by Katelyn Cozart, Texas.
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From the Field

Blaine Evans, NSR Field Representative

Over the years, the crossbred show at the World Pork Expo has become one of the premier events to acquire crossbred genetics. This year, the only word to describe the show and sale is “incredible.” For the second year, Kirk Swanson, Iowa, judged the show and did an excellent job of lining up the sale order. Jesse Heimer, Missouri, assisted Kirk, and I can’t say enough about the job they did. I hope everyone listened to Kirk on show day. He has such a way of relating practical production with show ring necessities. Thanks again, Kirk and Jesse, it was a pleasure. On Saturday, Col. Ron Kreis, Ohio, had the duty of selling the crossbred offering and, as always, he was professional and efficient. Thank you, Ron, for a world-class job.

The first boar in the ring was Lane Mai’s, Kansas, Champion Crossbred Boar entry, 154-2. He was a son of Bone Thug going back to an On The Verge sow. I read Lane’s boar to be one that represents where we want to head in the show ring, in terms of making hogs tall shouldered and good looking without giving up width of skeleton, muscle and heaviness of structure. I was most impressed with this blue-spotted boar’s ability to have a tremendous amount of muscle and shape put in a good built and flexible package. It took \$51,000 to get this guy bought. Check him out at Crossroads Genetics, Indiana.

Curry Allen, Texas, was in the ring next with his Reserve Champion Boar entry, 84-1. He was a son of Deuce Bigalow out of a Swagger sow. The best way I can describe the Allen boar is complete. He was a moderate, square-made type of boar who still had an awesome, high head carriage and show ring look. I see this guy having the ability to make those barrows that are good built, have an awesome look and the kind of maturity that will feed. The Allen boar heads to Ohio for \$32,000. He will call Real McCoy Genetics home.

Next in the ring was Eric Polich, Iowa, with a Bone Thug son who won Class 2. Eric’s boar hit many hard for being a stout-skulled boar that still has the design and build to make hogs that will compete in the show ring. I couldn’t get over this guy, when he drove right at me. He was wide chested, stout headed and huge ribbed. This guy opened up out of his blade with a big forerib and plenty of shape up high. It took

\$60,000 to bring this Bone Thug x Deep Threat son to Hi Point Genetics, Illinois.

Newcastle Genetics, Oklahoma, brought a son of Main Motion in next. To me, this was one of the different hogs at the show. I was most impressed with this hog’s ability to match his upper body with a stout skeleton. On the top side of his framework, he had a tremendous amount of blade shape, back and hip, but more importantly, in my eyes, this guy had great big legs and feet to go along with it. For the hammer price of \$25,000, this unique sire heads to Top Cut Genetics, Indiana.

The high-selling crossbred boar, this year, was Seth and Derek Warren’s Megatron x No Fare entry. This guy had some friends, with the idea of making barrows that are stout enough to get a pen, yet still built right to survive a long drive. Be sure to check out Top Cut’s \$63,000 purchase, when making breeding decisions.

There were several other cross boars sold on Saturday that need some consideration, when making breeding decisions. Watch for more information and feel free to call with any questions.

As the NJSA continues to grow rapidly, so does the number of gilts double-entered in the breeding stock shows and the quality of these entries. The crossbred gilt sale at Expo was not only one for the record books, but an event that many of us will not forget.

The Champion Crossbred Gilt at Expo, this year, was exhibited by W-D Swine Farm, California – a firm that needs no introduction after the past few years they have had. Their entry continues to build the reputation they have already worked so hard to form. This Big Affair x Big Sky won the heaviest class, on Friday, before being named champion. This was a gilt that simply commanded attention the whole time she was in the ring. Not only did her angles read right, but she was heavy structured and had that easy-doing, practical type of rib and body that never goes out of style. When it was all said and done, it took the Rohrs Showpigs crew \$20,000 to bring her home to Ohio.

One of the perks of being named champion of any breed in the NJSA show is a ticket to the top of the sale order, if the exhibitor wants to sell their gilt. This year, Clayton Boyert of



Ashlee Daniels’ class-winning Show Me Ur Swag daughter set a record and topped a crossbred gilt sale that is sure to be remembered when she sold for \$50,000 to Hirschfeld and Sons Livestock.

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Illinois was awarded Grand Champion Crossbred Gilt under Junior Judge Justin Rodibaugh, Indiana. This gilt out of Hammer stood some stiff competition in the junior ring. Congratulations to the Boyert family on their success. This belted gilt was a favorite of many, and it doesn't take a whole term book to describe her. This gilt simply fit together well. She had the basics covered as a production-type gilt should, but had those special extras in terms of muscle, bone and look to be a big-time show gilt. Landon Denson, Texas, is getting serious about breeding hogs, and his \$11,000 investment proves it.

As Katelyn Cozart, Texas, brought her Tapp Datt x Black Attack gilt into the ring, I'm not sure any of us had any idea what was about to happen. This blue gilt stole the show, at least for a little while, setting a new record at \$40,000. It's hard to make hogs that are that correct and complete. As long as I looked, I couldn't really find a hole in Katelyn's gilt. We all know Jesse Heimer, Missouri, isn't afraid to invest in gilts, and that's exactly what he did. Congratulations to all.

The Hoge and Walters entry from Illinois was actually Bryce Walters' Reserve Champion Junior Gilt from earlier in the week. Bryce's Colt 45 x Tapp Datt gilt is one that demanded attention. Not only was this gilt tall shouldered and good looking, but she also had all the muscle, body and bone to make her a true breeding piece. Weisinger Farms, Iowa, got this gilt gathered up for \$4,000.

Hoge and Walters, Illinois, came back in the ring with one of the more unique gilts that sold Saturday. This blue-eyed gilt was one of the more interesting gilts, in my eyes. Stout-skulled, heavy-structured, huge-middled, and sound are all terms that I throw around when talking about her. For \$7,500 Lambright Showpigs, Indiana, headed home with this true breeding piece.

The Mason entry, Texas, 4540-3, was next in the ring. Sired by Show Me Ur Swag, this square-made, big-chested gilt opened up out of her blade with a huge forerib and maintained her proportions back into an easy-doing, practical type of rib and body. I can't get over this gilt's basic function with a show ring twist. \$2,750 is a steal on one like this; congratulations, Jesse Heimer, Missouri, for your purchase.

The Guyer Girls, Illinois, come in the ring next with their Bone Thug gilt. With the successful run that Bone Thug has had, it was no surprise that Bone Thug gilts had some real

value to put back in the herd. If you have ever watched Kirk judge before, you know the hogs he uses have to have the basics of production covered before they can have all the extra pieces we all seek. This gilt is no exception to that rule! Ben Jacobsen, Iowa, knows what to do with her.

Taylor Norris, Texas, was next to sell with her daughter of the late Bone Thug. This blue-eyed gilt could have been one that people were waiting on. This gilt was incredible in terms of her balance and proportions from the side. She tied her neck high on top of her shoulder and didn't deviate down her top line, ending up with a long and level hip. It takes a gilt with that type of show ring presence to keep balance and design in the next generation. Laird's Premium Blend Genetics, Indiana, and Sandall Showpigs, Nebraska, will be taking this one home at the final price of \$11,000.

Another highlight of the sale had to be Elizabeth Hodges', Kansas, Mountain Man x Anthrax gilt. This gilt caught everyone's eye, and not just due to her color pattern. This calico gilt was a heads-up show gilt through and through. Awesome presence in the ring, her angles set into her skeleton the way they should, and she had all the rib and bone you would want. Laird's Premium Blend Genetics and Sandall Showpigs have a plan for her with a price tag of \$37,000.

At this point in the sale most of us couldn't get over the demand for these crossbred gilts, but what happened next truly goes to show just how strong this industry is. As Ashlee Daniels, Texas, entered the sale ring, we had no idea history was about to be made, again. Ashlee's Show Me Ur Swag gilt is the kind that doesn't come around every day. This gilt had everything we like to talk about. In my eyes, she was a truly unique individual who I'm sure we will hear from again. Congratulations to Hirschfeld and Sons Livestock for their purchase at a new record price of \$50,000.

There were several other gilts that sold on Saturday with tremendous breeding value and will fit into many programs. All in all, we sold 76 Crossbred gilts for an average of \$4,597. Congratulations to all the individuals who bid, bought or offered their gilts for sale. This was an event we will talk about for years to come.



Crossbred Boar Show Results

BOARS CLASS 1 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	84-1	Curry Allen, TX	57-7	DEUCE BIGALOW	SWAGGER	Jim & Mike McCoy, OH	\$32,000
2	170-1	Peters Show Pigs, IA	3-4	BONE THUG	WAR FARE	Jim & Mike McCoy, OH	\$5,500
3	4862-2	Seth & Derek Warren, IA	3-3	MEGATRON	NO FARE	Top Cut Genetics, IN	\$63,000
5	122-1	Stephen Gentry, IN	2-6	BEAR	SUDDEN IMPACT	Stephen Gentry, IN	\$1,500
6	79-1	W D Swine Farm, CA	93-93	BIG AFFAIR	STICK THIS	Trey &/or Cade Fecke, IL	\$13,000
7	4862-3	Seth & Derek Warren, IA	3-1	MEGATRON	NO FARE	Shiplee Swine Genetics, OH	\$5,000
8	42-1	Mark S Cox, OK	22-6	HEAVEN SENT	I AM LEGEND	Coyote Farms, IN	\$2,000
10	4170-3	Tyler & Katelynn Copeland, AR	1-8	SHOCKWAVE	BEAR	Valleybrook Farm, KS	\$1,200

BOARS CLASS 2 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	65-1	Eric J Polich, IA	2-4	BONETHUG	DEEP THREAT X BATMAN	Brent Bolen, IL	\$60,000
2	64-1	Newcastle Genetics, OK	61-8	MAIN MOTION	TURBO	Top Cut Genetics, IN	\$25,000
3	189-1	Kevin Thomas,	45-4	BONETHUG	WAR FARE	Shaffer's Goldrush, IN	\$12,000
4	57-1	Lawyer Showpigs, IN	2-6	BONETHUG	MOONSHINE	Shaffer's Goldrush, IN	\$2,750
4	4094-1	Kale Boysen, IA	1-8	FACE PAINT	HILLBILLY BONE	Shipley Swine Genetics, OH	\$3,000
5	48-2	Git R Done Showpigs, AZ	3-3	CRAZY FACE	NO FARE X TOXIC 16-2 X FATAL	Purple Power Boar Stud, IN	\$6,500
6	56-1	Nathaniel Klinefelter, IL	1-10	SWAGGER X BIG BOSS MAN	NO FARE	Michael Leoni, CA	\$600
7	134-1	Corey Hill, AZ	10-4	ANALYZE THIS	WAR FARE	Loya Livestock, CA	\$750

BOARS CLASS 3 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	154-2	Lane Mai, KS	14-1	BONETHUG	ON THE VERGE	Crossroads Genetics, IN	\$51,000
2	116-1	Farrer Stock Farm, IN	4-3	HEAVEN SENT	SUPER MONSTER	Steven Resler, MN	\$8,500
3	182-1	Small Town Genetics, CA	41-4	CHOCTAW BINGO	RELENTLESS	Lean Value Sires, OH	\$9,000
4	159-1	Jeff A Meeker, IL	1-7	UNTOUCHABLE	HEAT WAVE	Roger Meeker, IL	\$1,200
5	152-1	Lockman Genetics, KS	22-3	SHOOT EM	WALKER & SUPER MONSTER	Oliver & Oliver Genetics, GA	\$2,750
6	191-3	Thompson & Son, KS	26-14	SOLID MONSTER	38 SPECIAL	Keith Johnson Or Brett Mowrey, IA	\$400
7	35-2	Tim & Luanne Arkfeld, NE	21-9	BLACK TOXIE X SCAR FACE	FLAWLESS	Ed May, TX	\$1,400
9	12-1	Stewarts Duroc Farm, IA	18-3	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-2	CXC9 THE REAL DEAL 19-9	Galt Family, UT	\$400

Crossbred Gilt Show Results

OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
2	4177-2	Bailey Cox, OK	22-1	HEAVEN SENT	I AM LEGEND	Jeremy Lovitt, NE	\$1,400
3	4575-1	Kaylon Metcalf, TX	13-4	OUTTA HAND 235	OUTTA HAND	Prem Blend Genetics & Sandall, IN	\$5,000
4	4099-2	Dylan Breau, LA	1-3	TAPP DATT	HILLBILLY BONE	4D Farms, LA	\$1,400
5	4757-2	Reece Shields, TX	2-1	SPANISH FLY	SUPER8	Wolf Brothers, MO	\$500
6	4138-2	Miley Caldwell, OH	84-4	SUGAR DADDY	BOONDOCK	Riley Caldwell, OH	\$1,000
7	4069-1	Makenzie Bierma, TX	8-1	CATALYST	COMMITTED	Gayle Martin, KS	\$300
8	4648-1	Savannah Leigh Page, GA	6-1	BONAFIDE	FINAL MOVE	Dean Wetzel & Family, WI	\$600
9	118-2	Grant Flippo, TX	76-3	ON TIME	FINAL DRIVE	Mike Thode, MN	\$900
10	4708-1	Charly Rivers, LA	61-3	DEUCE BIGALOW	TAPP DATT	Bob Collings, IN	\$300
4358	4393-3	Gadson Jervis, OK	6-4	AS GOOD AS IT GETS	SUPER MONSTER	Clint Van Haven, IA	\$2,500

OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4635-4	Taylor Norris, TX	6-39	BONE THUG	HEAT WAVE X SPACE MONKEY	Prem Blend Genetics & Sandall, IN	\$11,000
2	4918-2	Kobe Thomas, TX	45-8	BONE THUG	WAR FARE	DS&K Farms, The Preston Girls, IL	\$1,000
3	4791-2	Hannah Stafford,	21-10	ARMAGEDDON	SOLID MONSTER		No Sale
4	4871-2	Ethan Wendt, OH	228-1	ARK CREATURE 205	ARK BEAR	DS&K Farms, The Preston Girls, IL	\$1,800
5	4881-2	Grant Wilber, OK	21-1	HEAVEN SENT	TRUE LOVE	Grant Wilber, OK	\$1,000
6	4839-1	Underwood Farms, GA	2412	SUGAR DADDY	CHECKMATE	Chad Underwood, GA	\$1,100
7	4546-1	Wyatt Mazich, MI	50-3	SWAGGER	WAR FARE	Pennington Showpigs, OH	\$1,000
8	178-1	Midwest Genetics, IA	37-5	FARE PLAY	TOXIC 28-3	CNG Showpigs, CA	\$1,400

OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4301-1	Ashtin & Nalaney Guyer, IL	23-2	BONE THUG	JOHNNY MONSTER	Ben Jacobsen, IA	\$5,000
2	15-1	David Martin, IA	98-3	TRASH TALK	REHAB	Joel Forsyth, IA	\$2,600
3	178-2	Midwest Genetics, IA	84-3	KILLER INSTINCT	TOXIC 23-5 (SUZANNE)	Nathan Ray, IL	\$16,000
4	4358-2	Elizabeth Hodges, TX	3-9	SUGAR DADDY	MAN OF STEEL	David Brigman, TX	\$2,000
5	4211-3	Cierra Dickerson, TX	100-7	BONE THUG	WARFARE X ALIAS 17-2	Jake Keppy, IA	\$4,500
6	88-3	Taylor Barnett, OK	3-8	NO MERCY	MONUMENTAL	Henry Baker, TX	\$500
7	4635-3	Taylor Norris, TX	4-37	COLT 45	TRIPLE X X PRIORITY ONE	Kevin Norris, TX	\$1,000
8	4523-3	Lizzie &/or Chloe Mabry, AR	1-3	SHOCKWAVE	BEAR X WAR FARE	Hofschulte Family, OK	\$2,000
9	4141-1	Mikiah Carnes, OK	56-2	MOTIVATION	TREE SHAKER	Debbie Herndon, OK	\$800
10	4098-2	Dustin Breau, LA	3-1	SPANISH FLY	SUPER MONSTER	Michael Leoni, CA	\$300

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OPEN GILTS CLASS 4 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4540-3	Kaden Mason, TX	123-3			Heimer Hampshires, MO	\$2,750
2	4016-1	Shallan Anderson, TX	30-2	SUMLIN	TAPP DATT	Nathan Weisinger, IA	\$4,250
3	4879-1	Whitney Whitaker, CA	18-2	CHOCTAW BINGO	SUPER MONSTER	Colton Blehm, OK	\$2,000
4	4432-3	Dally Kennedy, OK	2-3	SKIP A ROPE	OL BILL X GOT MILK	Bob Collings, IN	\$700
5	4322-3	Hannah Harken, AZ				Kliffard Gormond, AZ	\$1,000
6	4566-4	Kinley Meadors, TX	50-6	SWAGGER	WAR FARE	Pennington Showpigs, OH	\$1,000
7	4222-1	Carly Dreher, KS	33-3	LIKE ME	LIMITLE4SS	Lockman Genetics, KS	\$1,300
8	4561-2	Hunter McKinnon, OK	6-6	COLT 45	HORNET	Jerome Hebert, LA	\$2,000
9	5030-2	Hunter Smith, TX	41-3	FULL STRUT	SWAMP FEVER	Grant Giese, WI	\$300
10	4119-2	Burkhalter Showpigs/Dennis, IN	3-9	SHOOTEM	SPECIAL EDITION	Burkhalter Showpigs/Dennis, IN	\$650

OPEN GILTS CLASS 5 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4190-2	Ashlee Renee Daniels, TX	14-1	SHOW ME UR SWAG	JOHNNY OUTLAW	Hirschfeld & Sons, NE	\$50,000
2	79-2	W D Swine Farm, CA	62-5	BIG AFFAIR	STRIKE IT RICH (DROP SHOT SISTER)	Steven Crane, CO	\$5,750
3	4193-1	Blake & Katie Davis, AR	4-4	MAIN MOTION	DETOX	Winmor Farms, IA	\$10,500
4	4448-1	Maticen R Kingfisher, OK	3-6	BEAR 22	SWAGGER	Lambright Show Pigs, IN	\$9,500
5	4757-1	Reece Shields, TX	60-30	MR. WOLF	WAR WAGON	Nathan Weisinger, IA	\$8,500
6	4070-3	Cheyenne Bittle, AR	94-1	SHOCKWAVE	BEAR	Bruce Kaufman, IA	\$1,100
7	4662-2	Wheeler Pethtel, TX	6-10	WAR CRY	LONG BALL	Mark Pethel, TX	\$400
8	4157-2	Jaxson James Cobb, AR	84-1	CREATURE 205	BEAR	Steven Crane, CO	\$2,600
9	4838-1	Tyler Frasher, IA	38-11	KILLER INSTINCT	STANDOUT	Bruce Kaufman, IA	\$2,200
10	4679-1	Austin Pueschel &, MI	8-7	FULL STRUT	SNOW MONKEY	Steven Crane, CO	\$1,300
11	4634-1	Ethan Norman, OK	93-7	CROWN ROYAL	TRIBUTE	Joe Coyne, IL	\$23,000
12	44-4	Desert Showpigs, CA	22-1	MONSTER QUEST	TRIPLE CROWN X BORN READY	David Wion, OK	\$850
13	4572-1	Cale Merritt, TX	16-2	AMOS (SON O FLASH DRIVE)	HILLBILLY BONE X HILLBILLY BONE	New Wave Genetics, IA	\$650

OPEN GILTS CLASS 6 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	4365-3	Hoge & Walters, IL		SUPER MONSTER	SPUD	Lambright Show Pigs, IN	\$7,500
2	4358-1	Elizabeth Hodges, TX	106-7	MOUNTAIN MAN	ANTHRAX	Prem Blend Genetics & Sandall, IN	\$37,000
3	4919-2	Kamlynn Thomas, TX	38-5	GOT UR SWAG	NO FARE	Kevin Thomas, TX	\$2,250
4	4661-2	Eli Petersen, IL	33-5	MAIN EVENT	YA KNOW	Cody Peugh, TX	\$1,400
5	4778-1	Josh Slade, AZ	10-7	GONE VIRAL	MOONSHINE	Michael Leoni, CA	\$400
6	4170-2	Tyler & Katelynn Copeland, AR	6-28	BEAR	JOHNNY OUTLAW	David Wion, OK	\$1,600
7	4433-1	Blake Kennedy, OK	116-91	BIG AFFAIR	DROP SHOT'S SISTER	Chris Green, MN	\$3,000
8	4347-2	Peyton Hill, TX	31-5	LIMITLESS	STARBUCK	Paige & Jayce Zimprich, ND	\$800
9	4756-2	Brantly Shields, TX	43-1	JOHNNY FOOTBALL	DEATER DOG	Merlyn Hall, IA	\$750
10	4904-2	Dusty Wolf, KS	274-1	LIMITLESS	STARBUCK	Doug White, IA	\$300
11	4179-3	Blaze Cozart, TX	54-1	SPRINGSTEEN	SUPER MONSTER	Fred & Monty Coulson, OK	\$1,500
12	4481-1	Breckyn Lecompte, TX	112-28	GOT UR SWAG	WAR FARE	Josh Brockman, TX	\$800
13	4052-2	Abby Bell, OK	92-7	BEAR	FINAL MOVE	Justin Sam, OK	\$700

OPEN GILTS CLASS 7 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	79-3	W D Swine Farm, CA	32-96	BIG AFFAIR	BIG SKY	Rohrs Showpigs, OH	\$20,000
2	4180-1	Katelyn Cozart, TX	69-1	TAPP DATT	BLACK ATTACK	Heimer Hampshires, MO	\$40,000
3	4472-1	Keri Landry, LA	20-7	BIG MOTOR	CAVEMAN	Brent Bolen, IL	\$8,000
4	4750-1	Kylie Sellers, OK	2-2	BONE COLLECTOR	SUPER MONSTER	Jim Gibson, IA	\$2,500
5	4565-4	Hadley Meadors, TX	61-7	GONE VIRAL		Lee & Christine Hafley, TX	\$900
6	4770-1	Jarvis Simmons, IN	87-9	MR. DEEDS	BIG EXPRESS	Brammer Farms, MO	\$300
7	129-2	Callie & Luke Greiner, IA	5-8	DEALER	TAPP DATT	Bruce Kaufman, IA	\$1,400
8	4365-1	Hoge & Walters, IL	15-3	2XL	SUPER MONSTER SPUD	Nathan Weisinger, IA	\$2,500
9	123-1	Wyat Gibson, MO	55-9	BUSHWACKER	F-350	Bruce Butler, MO	\$700
10	4887-2	Raeleigh Willborn, TX	21-10	AMOS (FLASHDRIVE)	LIMITLESS X AMOS	Gayle Martin, KS	\$300
11	4573-2	Cale & Callie Merritt, TX	9-3	LIMITLESS	STARBUCK	David Brigman, TX	\$600



SHOWS

2014

WPX Jr. National

Des Moines, Iowa • June 2-7, 2014



EVENTS: Purebred and crossbred gilt and barrow shows, showmanship, swine judging and sweepstakes

PUREBRED GILTS: Kade Hummel, Illinois

PUREBRED BARROWS & CROSSBRED BARROWS: Willie Kirkpatrick, Okla.

CROSSBRED GILTS/NOVICE & JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP: Justin Rodibaugh, Ind.

NO. OF PARTICIPANTS: 745 from 24 states

WINNINGS

Champion Purebred Barrow Overall: Trailer Lease*

Champion Crossbred Barrow Overall: Trailer Lease*

Reserve Purebred Barrow Overall: Popper

Third-place Overall Purebred Barrow: \$300

Fourth-place Overall Purebred Barrow: \$150

Fifth-place Overall Purebred Barrow: \$75

Champion NJSA Purebred Gilt Overall: Trailer Lease*

Reserve NJSA Purebred Gilt Overall: Popper

Third-place Overall NJSA Purebred Gilt: \$300

Fourth-place Overall NJSA Purebred Gilt: \$150

Fifth-place Overall NJSA Purebred Gilt: \$75

NJSA & Crossbred Champion Barrows & Gilts: \$1,000

NJSA & Crossbred Reserve Barrows & Gilts: \$500

Team Purebred Champion Barrows & Gilts: \$500

Team Purebred Reserve Barrows & Gilts: \$250



Champion Overall Barrow and
Champion Hampshire Barrow
Shown by Nalaney Guyer, Ill.



Reserve Champion Overall Barrow and
Champion Duroc Barrow
Shown by Joe Espey, Pa.



3rd Overall Barrow and
Reserve Champion Duroc Barrow
Shown by Elizabeth Hodges, Kan.



4th Overall Barrow and
Champion Yorkshire Barrow
Shown by DJ Bauer, Ind.



5th Overall Barrow and
Champion Chester Barrow
Shown by Lane Rinderer, Ill.



Champion Overall Gilt and
Champion Yorkshire Gilt
Shown by Dylan McCafferty, Ill.



Reserve Champion Gilt Overall,
Champion Duroc Gilt and Champion Bred-and-Owned
Shown by Nolan Hoge, Ill.



3rd Overall Gilt and
Reserve Champion Duroc Gilt
Shown by Maddison Caldwell, Ill.



4th Overall Gilt and
Champion Hampshire Gilt
Shown by Colby Oliver, La.



5th Overall Gilt and
Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt
Shown by Maddison Caldwell, Ill.



3rd Overall Duroc Barrow and
Reserve Division II
Shown by Adam Gradert, Ill.



4th Overall Duroc Barrow and
Reserve Division I
Shown by Lane Rinderer, Ill.



5th Overall Duroc Barrow and
3rd Division II
Shown by Kyndal Reitzenstein, Colo.



Reserve Champion Hampshire Barrow
Shown by Dylan McCafferty, Ill.



3rd Overall Hampshire Barrow
Shown by Austin Joostberns, Mich.



4th Overall Hampshire Barrow
Shown by Taylor Brinning, Iowa



5th Overall Hampshire Barrow
Shown by Shelby Holmes, Kan.



Champion Landrace Barrow
Shown by Connor Young, Ind.



Reserve Champion Landrace Barrow
Shown by Garrett Cox, Texas



3rd Overall Landrace Barrow
Shown by DJ Bauer, Ind.



4th Overall Landrace Barrow
Shown by Trent Lahr, Ind.



5th Overall Landrace Barrow
Shown by Ashtin Guyer, Ill.

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Reserve Champion Yorkshire Barrow and Reserve Division II
Shown by Lane Rinderer, Ill.



3rd Overall Yorkshire Barrow and Champion Division I
Shown by James Amera, Wis.



4th Overall Yorkshire Barrow and Reserve Division II
Shown by Ashtin Guyer, Ill.



5th Overall Yorkshire Barrow and 3rd Division II
Shown by Dylan McCafferty, Ill.



Champion Crossbred Barrow and Champion Division II
Shown by Yimmi Fontenet, La.



Reserve Champion Crossbred Barrow and Champion Division I
Shown by Elizabeth Hodges, Kan.



3rd Overall Crossbred Barrow and Reserve Division I
Shown by Tyler Leahy, Wis.



4th Overall Crossbred Barrow and 3rd Division I
Shown by Drew Jacobson, Ill.



5th Overall Crossbred Barrow and Reserve Division II
Shown by Elizabeth Hodges, Kan.

Barrow Show Division Winners (3rd-5th)

3rd Division I Duroc Barrow :: Tate Schwerdtfeger, Okla.

4th Division I Duroc Barrow :: Cody Hugle, Okla.

5th Division I Duroc Barrow :: Hannah Tice, Ind.

4th Division II Duroc Barrow :: Rebecca Oliver, Ind.

5th Division II Duroc Barrow :: Karson Osborn, Okla.

3rd Division I Yorkshire Barrow :: Kennedy Marceaux, La.

4th Division I Yorkshire Barrow :: Levi Logue, Ind.

5th Division I Yorkshire Barrow :: Kelsey Kinniburgh, Texas

4th Division II Yorkshire Barrow :: Jaxson Cobb, Ark.

5th Division II Yorkshire Barrow :: Nolan Hoge, Ill.

4th Division I Crossbred Barrow :: Bradey Newhouse, Ind.

5th Division I Crossbred Barrow :: Katie Davis, Ark.

3rd Division II Crossbred Barrow :: Thomas Trout, Ind.

4th Division II Crossbred Barrow :: Carter Hoge, Ill.

5th Division II Crossbred Barrow :: Thomas Grippando, Okla.



3rd Overall Duroc Gilt and Champion Division III
Shown by Clayton Boyert, Ill.



4th Overall Duroc Gilt and 3rd Division II
Shown by Austin Rodenbeck, Ind.



5th Overall Duroc Gilt and Reserve Division III
Shown by Linden Kaliff, Neb.



Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned Duroc Gilt and 4th Division I
Shown by Brandon Stickler, Ill.



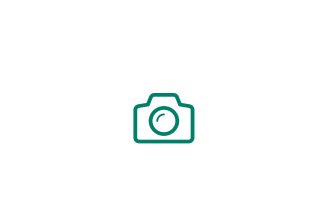
Champion Division I Duroc Gilt
Shown by Morgan Cox, Ind.



Reserve Division I Duroc Gilt
Shown by Nash Stoller, Ill.



Reserve Champion Hampshire Gilt
Shown by Olivia Caldwell, Ill.



3rd Overall Hampshire Gilt
Shown by McKenna Brinning, Iowa



4th Overall Hampshire Gilt and Champion Bred-and-Owned
Shown by Austin Joostberns, Mich.



5th Overall Hampshire Gilt
Shown by Cale Dyson, Ind.



Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned Hampshire Gilt
Shown by Ashtyn Harvey, Ind.



Champion Landrace Gilt
Shown by Cole Caldwell, Ill.





Reserve Champion Landrace Gilt
Shown by Tyler Duling, Kan.



3rd Overall Landrace Gilt
Shown by Taylor Blythe, Ill.



4th Overall Landrace Gilt
Shown by Peyton Hill, Texas



5th Overall Landrace Gilt
Shown by Maddie Fugate, Ill.



Champion Bred-and-Owned
Landrace Gilt
Shown by Gadson Jervis, Okla.



3rd Overall Yorkshire Gilt and
Champion Division III
Shown by Max Fischer, Texas.



4th Overall Yorkshire Gilt and
Champion Division I
Shown by Cole Wilcox, Ind.



5th Overall Yorkshire Gilt and
Reserve Division I
Shown by Maddison Caldwell, Ill.



Champion Bred-and-Owned
Yorkshire Gilt and 4th Division II
Shown by Morgan Mench, Ind.



Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned
Yorkshire Gilt
Shown by Lea Kimley, Ohio



Reserve Division III Yorkshire Gilt
Shown by Bailey Cox, Okla.



Champion Crossbred Gilt and
Champion Division IV
Shown by Clayton Boyert, Ill.



Reserve Champion Crossbred Gilt and
Reserve Division IV
Shown by Bryce Walters, Ill.



3rd Overall Crossbred Gilt and
Champion Division III
Shown by Erica Langhoff, Wis.



4th Overall Crossbred Gilt and
3rd Division IV
Shown by Elizabeth Hodges, Kan.



5th Overall Crossbred Gilt and
Reserve Division III
Shown by Ashtin Guyer, Ill.



Champion Division I Crossbred Gilt
Shown by Samantha Gwinnup, Ind.



Reserve Division I Crossbred Gilt
Shown by Gadson Jervis, Okla.



Champion Division II Crossbred Gilt
Shown by Keaton Stoller, Ill.



Reserve Division II Crossbred Gilt
Shown by Corey Kuecker, Iowa

Gilt Show Division Winners (3rd-5th)

3rd Division I Duroc Gilt :: Shalyn McCorkle, Ind.
5th Division I Duroc Gilt :: Lane Lewis, Ind.
4th Division II Duroc Gilt :: Cale Merritt, Texas
5th Division II Duroc Gilt :: Castin Rash, Ill.
3rd Division III Duroc Gilt :: Kinley Meadors, Texas
4th Division III Duroc Gilt :: Shelby Holmes, Kan.
5th Division III Duroc Gilt :: Elizabeth Jones, Iowa
3rd Division I Yorkshire Gilt :: Raelynn Thompson, Ind.
4th Division I Yorkshire Gilt :: Breanna Lawyer, Ind.

5th Division I Yorkshire Gilt :: Kaila Taylor, Ind.
3rd Division II Yorkshire Gilt :: Hannah Zundell, Pa.
5th Division II Yorkshire Gilt :: Tyler Wellman, Iowa
3rd Division III Yorkshire Gilt :: Cash Lehrman, S.D.
4th Division III Yorkshire Gilt :: DJ Bauer, Ind.
5th Division III Yorkshire Gilt :: Ashley Bowerman, Ind.
4th Division I Crossbred Gilt :: Chelsey Ammann, Ill.
5th Division I Crossbred Gilt :: Lindsay Davis, Ind.
3rd Division II Crossbred Gilt :: Colton Zundell, Pa.

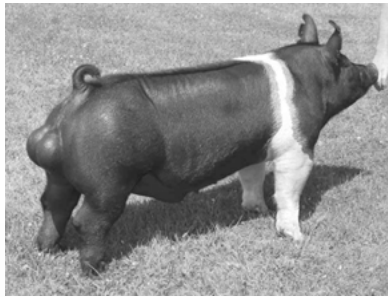
4th Division II Crossbred Gilt :: Chloe Mabry, Ark.
5th Division II Crossbred Gilt :: Denton Sanders, Iowa
3rd Division III Crossbred Gilt :: Carter Hoge, Ill.
4th Division III Crossbred Gilt :: Austin Pueschel, Mich.
4th Division IV Crossbred Gilt :: Bryce Walters, Ill.
5th Division IV Crossbred Gilt :: Kaylon Metcalf, Texas



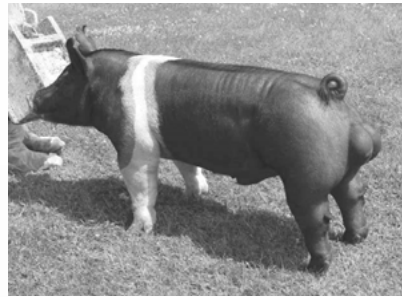
Hoosier Hampshire Association

2014 Show & Sale: Friday, Aug. 15, 9 a.m. • Indiana State Fairgrounds

2013 Sale: Boars averaged \$8,292 • Gilts averaged \$1,880



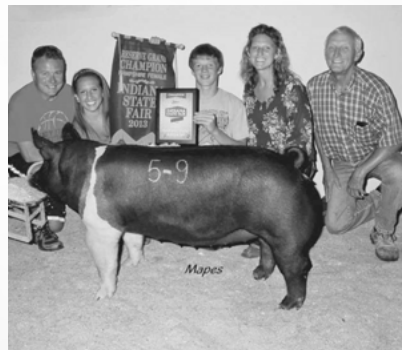
Grand Champion Hampshire Boar,
2013 Indiana State Fair
Shown by Cook Family Livestock



Reserve Champion Hampshire Boar,
2013 Indiana State Fair
Shown by Heimer Hampshires



Grand Champion Hampshire Gilt,
2013 Indiana State Fair
Shown by Dennis Wilber



Reserve Champion Hampshire Gilt,
2013 Indiana State Fair
Shown by Ellie & Tim Abel

Member List:

- Matt & Scott Morehouse
- Joe & Jannine Rule & Family
- Steve Harvey & Family
- Keith Henderson
- JJ Genetics
- Brattain Hamps
- May's Family Farm
- Dick Nash & Family
- Gary Williams
- Farrer Stock Farms
- Cody & Rex Smith
- Peter Hampshires & Show Pigs
- Don McKinnis
- Steve & Derek Earnhart
- Gary Funkhouser
- Wendell & Dale Crumbacher
- Don Harvey & Sons
- Watson Hamps
- Steve Malcolm & Family
- Schieber Family Farm
- Drake Purebred Farms
- Kilmer Swine Farm
- Rodibaugh & Sons
- Mike Hayden
- Laird's Premium Blend Genetics
- Grinstead Show Team
- Shaffer's Goldrush
- Mike Paul & Family
- Robert Wehmer & Family
- Speaker's Pork Lane Farms

Judge:

Kevin Wendt, Ohio

Show & Sale Order:

Show: Gilts followed by boars
Sale: Boars followed by gilts

Sale:

2 hours after the show.

NSR Reps.:

Blaine Evans: 765.490.3731
Mike Paul: 765.427.2692

Auctioneer:

Kevin Wendt (AU#0900068)

HOOSIER HAMPSHIRE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

781 E. Co. Rd. 700 N. • Frankfort, IN 46041
Sherry Hazelett, secretary/treasurer: 765.258.3627 • Jim Kilmer, president: 765.412.6325
Steve Malcolm, vice president: 260.750.9704

Reference



2014 STATE FAIRS

ARIZONA

ARIZONA NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW

Phoenix, Arizona

Contact: Grant Boice • 602.258.8568
www.anls.org

Junior Market Swine Show

Dec. 28, 3 p.m. ... JUDGE: Jason Hirschfeld

Swine Showmanship

Dec. 27, 2 p.m. ... JUDGE: Jason Hirschfeld

Breeding Gilt Show, TBA

COLORADO

COLORADO STATE FAIR

Pueblo, Colorado

Contact: Livestock Manager –
Jeanne Robison • 800.876.4567,
ext. 2035 or 719.404.2035

Junior Market Hog Show

Aug. 23, 8:30 a.m. JUDGE: Eric Polich

DELAWARE

DELAWARE STATE FAIR

Harrington, Del.

Contact: Debbie Hearn • 302.856.6400

Open, Junior Breed and Barrow Show

July 20, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Market Hog Show

July 21, 2 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

GEORGIA

GEORGIA NATIONAL FAIR

Perry, Georgia

Contact: Jim Floyd • 478.988.6522

Junior Swine Showmanship

Oct. 9, 6:30 p.m., 10-12 grade.....
JUDGE: Willie Kirkpatrick

Oct. 10, 8 a.m., 8-9 grade.....
JUDGE: Willie Kirkpatrick

followed by 7 grade pre-club.....
JUDGE: Ben Moyer

Junior Breeding Gilt Show

Oct. 10, following Showmanship
JUDGE: Willie Kirkpatrick

Junior Market Hog Show

Oct. 11, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Ben Moyer

IDAHO

WESTERN IDAHO FAIR

Boise, Idaho

Contact: Hans Bruijn • 208.287.5663

4-H/FFA Show

Aug. 15-16, 5 p.m. . JUDGE: Jake Warntjes

Open Show

Aug. 20, 7 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

ILLINOIS

DUQUOIN STATE FAIR

DuQuoin, Illinois

Contact: Lyle Dorjahn • 217.725.3565

Junior Barrow Show

Aug. 23..... JUDGE: Brandon Yantis

Junior Breeding Gilts

Aug. 24..... JUDGE: Brandon Yantis

HEART OF ILLINOIS FAIR

Peoria, Illinois

Contact: Joann Jackson • 309.691.6332

Junior Swine Show

July 15, 8:00 a.m. ... JUDGE: Derek Stayton

Open Swine Show

July 16, 8:00 a.m. ... JUDGE: Miles Toenyes

ILLINOIS STATE FAIR

Springfield, Illinois

Contact: Competitive Events
• 217.782.0786

Junior Barrow Show

Aug. 8, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Steve Nichols

Junior Breeding Show

Aug. 10, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Dave Kilmer

Open Duroc Show

Aug. 12, 7:30 a.m. JUDGE: John Huinker

Open Hampshire Show

Aug. 12, 7:30 a.m. ... JUDGE: Randy Shipley

Open Yorkshire Show

Aug. 12, 7:30 a.m. ... JUDGE: Brandon Ogle

INDIANA

INDIANA STATE FAIR

Indianapolis, Indiana

Contact: Kirby Brincefield • 317.927.7569

4-H Barrow & Gilt Show:

**Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace
& Yorkshire Show**

Aug. 2, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

4-H Barrow & Gilt Show: Crossbred Show

Aug. 3, 7:30 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Duroc Show

Aug. 14, 9 a.m. JUDGE: Randy Shipley

Open Landrace Show

Aug. 14, following Durocs.....
JUDGE: Randy Shipley

Open Hampshire Show

Aug. 15, 9 a.m. JUDGE: Kevin Wendt

Open Yorkshire Show

Aug. 16, 9 a.m. JUDGE: Ben Bobell

Open Crossbred Class Boar & Gilt Show and Sale

Aug. 17, 8 a.m.
JUDGE: Kade Hummel & Ryan Watje

IOWA

IOWA STATE FAIR

Des Moines, Iowa

Contact: Ernie Barnes • 515.360.6188

FFA Crossbred Market Show

Aug. 8, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Kade Hummel

FFA Derby and Purebred Market Show

Aug. 7, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Kade Hummel

FFA Breeding Swine Show

Aug. 7, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Steve Rodibaugh

4-H Breeding Swine Show

Aug. 11, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Ben Bobell

4-H Market Show

Aug. 12, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Ben Bobell

Open Hampshire, Duroc & Yorkshire Show

Aug. 15, 8 a.m. JUDGE: John Staude

KANSAS

KANSAS STATE FAIR

Hutchinson, Kansas

Contact: Susan Sankey • 620.669.3614

4-H/FFA Market Swine

Sept. 6, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Willie Kirkpatrick

4-H/FFA Breeding Swine

Sept. 7, 9 a.m. JUDGE: Willie Kirkpatrick

Open Hampshire Show

Sept. 12, 9:30 a.m. JUDGE: Clay Hamil

Open Yorkshire Show

Sept. 12, 1 p.m. JUDGE: Clay Hamil

Open Duroc Show

Sept. 12, following Chester
White JUDGE: Clay Hamil

KENTUCKY

KENTUCKY STATE FAIR

Louisville, Kentucky

Contact: Alice Hayse • 502.367.5190

Junior Market Hog Show

Aug. 20, 5 p.m. & Aug. 21,
8 a.m. JUDGE: Garry Childs

Junior Breeding Gilt Show

Aug. 21, 3 p.m. JUDGE: Garry Childs

Open Market Hog Show

Aug. 22, 1 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Duroc, Landrace, Hampshire & Yorkshire Breeding Gilt Show

Aug. 24, 10 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Other Purebreds, Commercial, Spotted Breeding Gilt Show

Aug. 23, 1 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

LOUISIANA

STATE FAIR OF LOUISIANA

Shreveport, Louisiana

Contact: Mohamed Shamsie or
Peggy Swindle • 318.635.1361

Swine Showmanship & Breeding Swine Show

Oct. 26, 2 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Market Swine Show

Oct. 27, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

MARYLAND

MARYLAND STATE FAIR

Timonium, Maryland

Contact: Rebecca Ensor-Williams
• 410.252.0200, ext. 231

Junior Market Hog Show

Aug. 22, 6 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Breeding Show

Aug. 24, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Hampshire Show

Aug. 31, 11 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Crossbred Barrow Show

Aug. 30, 7 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Duroc Show

Sept. 1, 9 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Landrace Show

Sept. 1, noon JUDGE: TBA

Open Crossbred Gilt Show

Aug. 31, 4:30 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Yorkshire Show

Aug. 31, 2 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

MICHIGAN

MICHIGAN LIVESTOCK EXPO

East Lansing, Michigan

Contact: Ernie Birchmeier •
800.292.2680, ext. 2024

Market Hog Show

July 19, 8 a.m.
JUDGE: Nick Mauck & Travis Platt

Showmanship

July 18, 3 p.m.
JUDGE: Nick Mauck & Travis Platt

MINNESOTA

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

St. Paul, Minnesota

Contact: Marie LeFebvre • 651.288.4417
• competition@mnstatefair.org

Open Poland China, Chester White, Spot & Yorkshire Breeding Show

Aug. 26, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Dave Walter

Jr. Crossbred Breeding Show

Aug. 26, 2:30 p.m. JUDGE: Dave Walter

Open Duroc, Hampshire, Berkshire and Landrace Breeding Show

Aug. 26, 8 a.m. JUDGE: John Huinker

Open Barrow Show

Aug. 27, 9 a.m. JUDGE: John Huinker

Junior Barrow Show Classic

Aug. 27, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Dave Walter

FFA Breeding Stock Show

Aug. 30, 1 p.m.
JUDGE: Jordan Leatherman

FFA Market Swine Show

Aug. 31, 8 a.m.
JUDGE: Jordan Leatherman

MISSOURI

OZARK EMPIRE FAIR

Springfield, Missouri

Contact: Brittany Gillig • 417.833.2660

Open and Junior Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire & Commercial Gilt Shows

Aug. 2, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Market Hog Show

Aug. 1, 9 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Market Barrow Show

Aug. 1, following market hog
show JUDGE: TBA

MISSOURI STATE FAIR

Sedalia, Missouri

Contact: Mary Jane Kahrs • 660.343.5656

Open Hampshire Show

Aug. 16, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Duroc Show

Aug. 16, following Hampshire JUDGE: TBA

Open Yorkshire Show

Aug. 16, following Duroc JUDGE: TBA

NEBRASKA

AK-SAR-BEN 4-H STOCK SHOW

Omaha, Nebraska

Contact: Bud Beedle • 402.554.9600,
ext. 111 • beedlep@aksarben.org

Junior Market Swine Show

Sept. 29, 7:30 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

NEBRASKA STATE FAIR

Grand Island, Nebraska

Contact: Sandy Speef • 308.382.1620

Open Breeding Gilt Show

Aug. 29, 3 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Market Barrow Show

Aug. 29, 6 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Jackpot Swine Show

Aug. 30, 11 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Futurity Swine Show

Aug. 30, 3 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

FFA Breeding & Market Swine Show

Aug. 31, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

4-H Market Swine Show

Sept. 1, 7:30 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

NEW MEXICO

NEW MEXICO STATE FAIR

Albuquerque, New Mexico

Contact: Beverly Zastrow • 505.222.9746

Junior Market Barrow Show

Sept. 15, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

NORTH CAROLINA

NORTH CAROLINA STATE FAIR

Raleigh, North Carolina

Contact: Denise Walker • 919.839.4513

Junior Market Barrow Show

Oct. 17, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Breeding Gilts Show

Oct. 17, 5 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Performance Market Hog Show

Oct. 18, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Market Barrow Show

Oct. 18, 1:30 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Market Gilt Show

Oct. 18, after open barrows... JUDGE: TBA

OHIO

OHIO STATE FAIR

Columbus, Ohio

Contact: Dave Runyan • 937.599.6149
Stacey French • 614.466.8366

Hampshire and Duroc Showmanship

July 27, 10 a.m. JUDGE: Travis Platt

Yorkshire and Landrace Showmanship

July 27, noon JUDGE: Brad Mortensen

Junior Duroc Show

July 27, 4 p.m. JUDGE: Darrell Drake

Reference

Junior Hampshire Show

Jul. 27, 1 p.m. JUDGE: Travis Platt

Junior Landrace Show

Jul. 27, 3 p.m. JUDGE: Travis Platt

Junior Yorkshire Show

Jul. 27, 6 p.m. JUDGE: Darrell Drake

Open Landrace Show

Jul. 27, 5 p.m. JUDGE: Brad Mortensen

Open Hampshire Show

Jul. 28, 11 a.m. JUDGE: Brad Mortensen

Open Yorkshire Show

Jul. 28, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Travis Platt

Open Duroc Show

Jul. 28, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Travis Platt

OKLAHOMA

TULSA STATE FAIR

Tulsa, Oklahoma

Contact: Kara Eschbach •
918.744.1113, ext. 2012

Junior Market Barrow Show

Sept. 30-Oct. 1, noon & 8 a.m.
JUDGE: Ryan Watje

Youth Breeding Gilt Show & Sale

Oct. 3-5 5 p.m. & 8 a.m.
JUDGE: Chris Danner

OKLAHOMA YOUTH EXPO

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Commercial Breeding Gilt Show

March 14, 8 a.m.
JUDGE: Shane Brinning & Mark Hoge

Market Barrow Show

March 17-19, 7:30 a.m.
JUDGE: Brian Arnold

PENNSYLVANIA

KEYSTONE INTERNATIONAL LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Contact: James Sharp • 717.787.2905

Junior Barrow Show

Oct. 5, 9 a.m. JUDGE: Al Schminke

Open Berkshire, Chester White & Hampshire Shows

Oct. 2, 5 p.m. JUDGE: Al Schminke

Open Yorkshire, Landrace, Duroc, Spotted & Poland Shows

Oct. 3, 8:30 a.m. JUDGE: Al Schminke

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Junior CTBR Texas Stars Gilt Show

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Junior Hampshire & Crossbred Barrow Show

Feb. 18, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Duroc, Landrace & Yorkshire Barrow Show

Feb. 19, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

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Junior Yorkshire & Crossbred Barrow Shows

Feb. 6 JUDGE: Jayme Sieren

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Jan. 25 JUDGE: TBA

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Open and Junior Purebred Shows

Aug. 14, 9 a.m. JUDGE: Jeremy Jones

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Aug. 5, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Bred-and-Owned Barrow Show

Aug. 5, following performance
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Junior Market Gilt Show

Aug. 5, following bred-and owned
barrows. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Landrace Barrow Show

Aug. 5, 4 p.m. JUDGE: TBA

Junior Crossbred, Duroc, Yorkshire & Hampshire Barrow Show

Aug. 6, 8 a.m. JUDGE: TBA

Open Duroc Show

Aug. 2, 5 p.m. JUDGE: Brad Mortensen

Open Landrace Show

Aug. 2, following Duroc
JUDGE: Brad Mortensen

Open Crossbred Show

Aug. 3, 8 a.m. JUDGE: Brad Mortensen

Open Yorkshire Show

Aug. 3, following crossbreds.
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Open Hampshire Show

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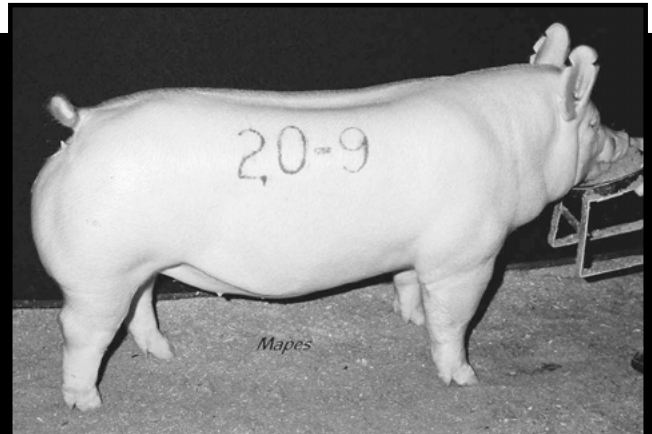
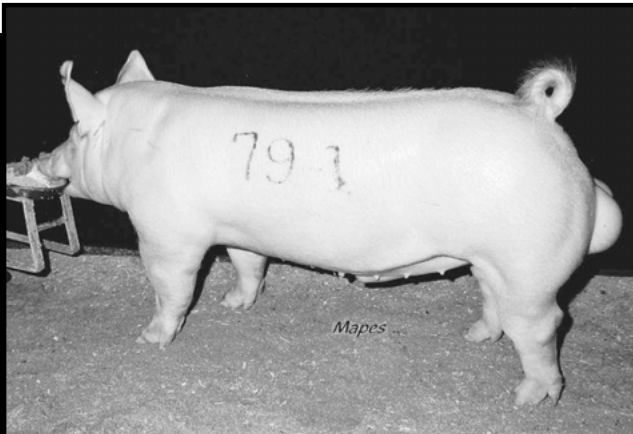
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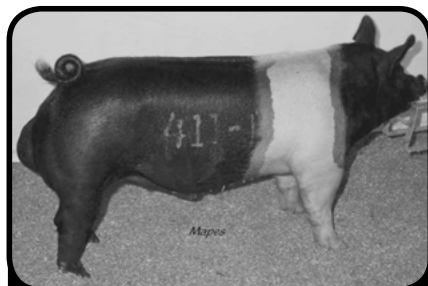
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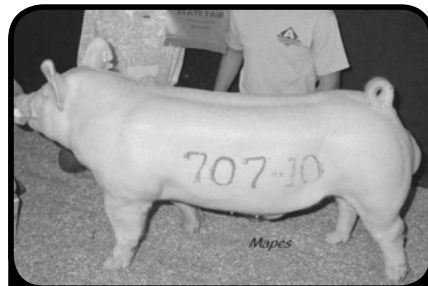
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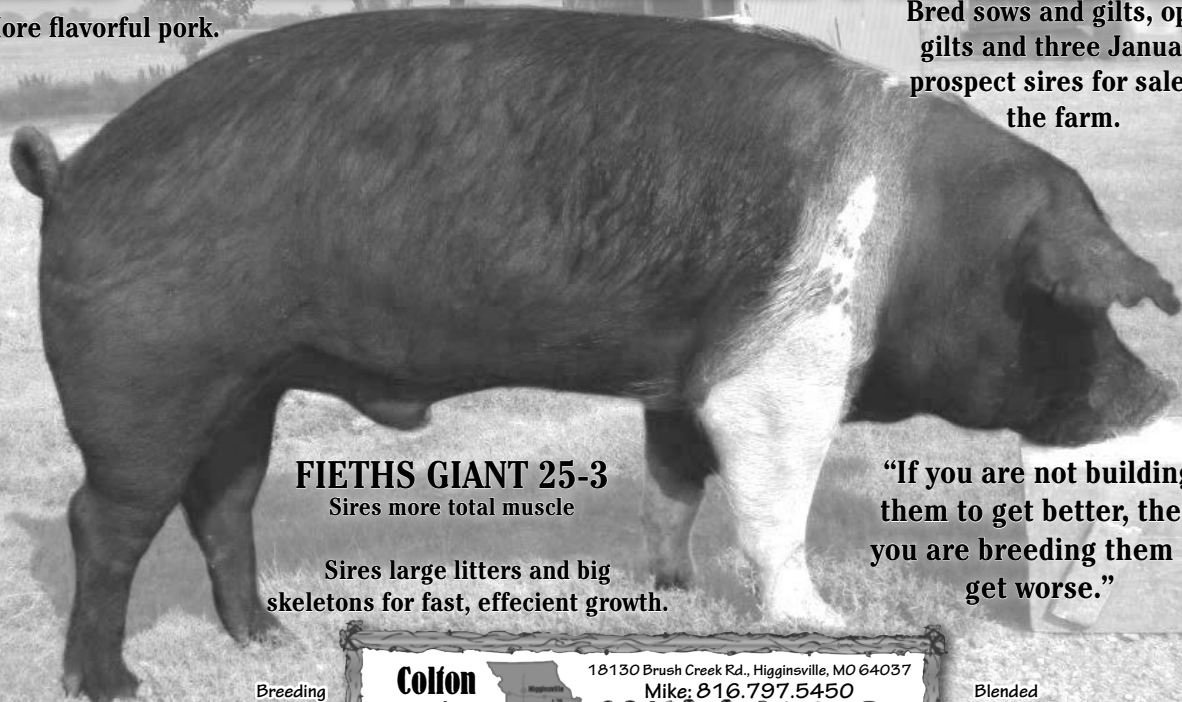
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- If non-show animals meet Minnesota import requirements, but not NBS® requirements, show animals may be unloaded and remaining animals must be immediately removed from the fairgrounds. A parking lot is available south of the fairgrounds across the street. The welfare and care of these animals is the owner's responsibility. There is some shade, but no utilities.
- If any animals in your vehicle do not meet Minnesota import requirements, all animals will be refused entry, including NBS® animals.
- No clipping is allowed in the barns.**

EXHIBITORS & ELIGIBILITY

- Exhibitors must be an active member of NSR, or they will be required to pay the \$75 NSR maintenance fee.**
- Entries are limited to four purebred boars and four purebred open gilts per breed (Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace and Yorkshire), and two crossbred boars per exhibitor. Breeding animals must be farrowed on Jan. 15, 2014 or after, and must have at least six teats on each side. Market animals must be farrowed on Feb. 1, 2014 or after.
- All entries must meet their respective breed requirements. Entries that do not meet these requirements will not be allowed to show or sell at the conference.

BREEDING ANIMAL SALE

- A minimum of 60 percent of the number of each sex (boars and gilts) shown will be selected for the sale. These animals will be selected with no set number selling from any single class. Animals not selected for the sale can be consigned to the sale for an additional fee of \$20 per head. If the animal sells, the fee will be applied toward the sale commission. If the animal does not sell, the fee is forfeited.
- All animals selected and cataloged for the sale must go through the auction. Sale commission will be 15 percent for all animals. If an animal that is selected and cataloged for the sale does not go through the sale ring, the exhibitor will be banned from exhibiting at NSR events for one year and will be charged 15 percent of the average selling price of their respective breed sale. This amount must be paid before reinstatement will be allowed. The exception to this rule will be if the animal has become injured or ill, and the animal is inspected by a NSR staff member prior to the sale.
- The NSR acts only as the agent between the buyer and seller. If proper payment is made by the buyer in a timely manner, the NSR will make settlement with the seller in approximately 30 days after the sale.
- If an exhibitor has an account that is past due, funds from the sale of their animals will be applied to their NSR account.



RULES & REGULATIONS

*RULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE • FOR UP-TO-DATE RULES & REGULATIONS VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT NATIONALSWINE.COM

COLOR GENE/SPECIAL BREED REQUIREMENTS

- » By entering any animal in this conference, the owner warrants that the animal meets specific breed requirements.
- » **Such warranty, however, is solely that of the seller and not that of the American Landrace Association, American Yorkshire Club, Hampshire Swine Registry or United Duroc Swine Registry, and the ALA, AYC, HSR and UDSR assume no responsibility or liability in connection with such warranty by the seller.**
- » If any animal sold at the NBS® is found to be a carrier of the color gene after being tested through the procedures approved by the HSR, UDSR, ALA and AYC, the seller agrees that he/she will promptly refund the full purchase price to the buyer.
- » **There will be no refund of NSR commission from animals that are carriers of the color gene.**

DNA STRESS STATEMENT

- » No known stress-positive or stress-carrier Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace or Yorkshire animals will be allowed to be exhibited or sold at any NSR-sponsored event.
- » **Such warranty, however, is solely that of the seller and not that of the American Landrace Association, American Yorkshire Club, Hampshire Swine Registry or United Duroc Swine Registry.**
- » **The American Landrace Association, American Yorkshire Club, Hampshire Swine Registry and United Duroc Swine Registry assume no responsibility or liability in connection with such warranty by the seller.**
- » If any purebred animal sold at this conference is found to be a carrier of the stress gene, the purchaser has the right to receive full refund of the purchase price from the seller.
- » DNA testing for the stress gene must be done within 60 days of the sale date and all costs associated with the testing for the stress gene must be paid by the purchaser. The seller has the right to review the test results and the right to re-test the animal at a laboratory of his/her choice.
- » Cost associated with re-test by the seller is at the seller's expense. **There will be no refund of NSR commission from stress-carrier animals.**

INDIVIDUAL MARKET BARROW SHOW

The specific rules and regulations are as follows:

- » Purebreds and crossbreds are eligible and will be shown separately.
- » Farrowing date is Feb. 1, 2014, or after.
- » Hogs must weigh between 230 and 280 lbs.
- » All purebreds must have pedigrees from their respective breed associations.
- » Individual barrows from the Truckload Contest are eligible.
- » Entry fee is \$30 per head.
- » Market barrows do not need to be tested for pseudorabies or brucellosis. Must meet #1 and #2 and item C under Health Regulations.

QUALITY ASSURANCE TRAINING

- » It is mandatory that individual market barrow and truckload exhibitors complete instruction (and have certification valid through this calendar year) in either a PQA Plus™ or Youth PQA Plus™ certification program.
- » State-sponsored youth training programs such as 4-H/Extension Livestock Quality Assurance and Ethics training will be accepted.

- » Hogs must always be raised in accordance with the ten Good Production Practices outlined in the PQA Plus™ programs.
- » A copy of each exhibitor's Quality Training (as listed above) must be attached to the Swine Affidavit and submitted to Hormel Foods at the time of or prior to shipment of animals.

TRUCKLOAD CONTEST

- » The popular Truckload Contest consists of two categories – purebred and crossbred. No individual hogs in a truckload may weigh less than 230 lbs. or more than 280 lbs.
- » Truckloads consist of six market hogs, at least three of which must be barrows. All must have been farrowed on or after Feb. 1, 2014.
- » The entry fee is \$30 per load.
- » Truckload entries do not need to be tested for pseudorabies or brucellosis. Must meet #1 and #2 and item C under health regulations.
- » Carcass requirements: 160 lbs. minimum weight; 220 lbs. maximum weight and a minimum quality score of 2. (Minolta and pH values will be used to verify visual quality scores).

NBS® JUDGING CONTEST

- » The NBS® Judging Contest will be held Monday, Sept. 8.
- » Junior and senior college participants will judge eight classes. 4-H and FFA contestants will place four classes of market hogs and two classes of gilts.
For more information, contact the NBS® at Box 367, Austin, MN 55912 or call 507.437.5306. E-mail inquiries to Chairman Morgan Core, MLCore@hormel.com
- » A reception will be held for judging contestants on Monday evening at the Plager Building.

REMINDERS

- ★ **YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER MUST BE INCLUDED ON YOUR HEALTH PAPERS.**
- ★ **ALL CROSSBREDS MUST HAVE A FEDERALLY APPROVED PERMANENT NUMBERED TAG.**
- ★ **A PREMISE ID NUMBER WILL BE REQUIRED TO EXHIBIT.**
- ★ **NO CLIPPING IS ALLOWED IN THE BARNS.**

NOTE TO PUREBRED EXHIBITORS

An exhibitor may enter a total of four boars and four gilts (per breed) farrowed on or after Jan. 15, 2014.

Each exhibitor of breeding stock at the NBS® will be assessed a Progeny Test support fee of \$20 for each breed exhibited, in addition to individual fees for each boar and gilt entered, if they did not have a sire group on test in 2014. Non-participants in the Progeny Test will be assessed the Progeny Test support fee for each breed they exhibit at the NBS®; however, entry of one sire group of any breed qualifies an exhibitor to show any breed without paying the Progeny Test support fee. All Progeny Test funds will be distributed to those individuals who have placed hogs in the 2014 test.

- **All hogs entered in the NBS® are subject to selection for use in the NBS® Judging Contest on Monday, Sept. 8, at 8 a.m. in Crane Pavilion.**



2014 Official Entry Form

Each exhibitor may enter a maximum of four purebred open gilts and four purebred boars from each breed and two crossbred boars.




SHOW: TUESDAY, SEPT. 9 • ENTRY DEADLINE: AUG. 8, 2014

"By my entering the NBS®, I agree to comply with all rules and regulations of the NBS®."

Name _____ NSR Breeder #/Herdmarek _____

Address _____ Email _____ Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Premise ID # _____

(circle one)    Card No. _____ Security Code _____ Exp. Date _____
(3 digit on back of card)

Breeding Stock

An exhibitor may enter up to four purebred boars (per breed), four purebred gilts (per breed) and two crossbred boars. Please provide the entry's ear notch for each hog entered on the lines provided.

DUROC Boar (max of 4): **LANDRACE Boar (max of 4):** **HAMPSHIRE Boar (max of 4):** **YORKSHIRE Boar (max of 4):** **CROSSBRED Boar (max of 2):**

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DUROC Gilt (max of 4): **LANDRACE Gilt (max of 4):** **HAMPSHIRE Gilt (max of 4):** **YORKSHIRE Gilt (max of 4):**

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of Purebred Boars Entered _____ x \$30 = _____ # of Purebred Gilts Entered _____ x \$30 = _____

of Crossbred Boars Entered _____ x \$100 = _____ Progeny test support fee _____ x \$20 = _____

(must be paid if no pigs were on test in 2014)

Truckload

of Purebred Breed Entered _____ x \$30/truckload = _____

of Crossbred Entered _____ x \$30/truckload = _____

A copy of your PQA™ or Youth PQA™ certification must accompany your entries.

Market Hogs

(Barrows only)

of Purebred Breed Entered _____ x \$30 = _____

of Crossbred Entered _____ x \$30 = _____

Non-member NSR participation fee ____ @ \$75 = _____ **Total Amount Enclosed \$** _____

Please send one check for all entries! Make the check payable to the National Swine Registry and mail to:

2639 Yeager Road, West Lafayette, IN 47906. **ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY AUG. 8, 2014**

NBS® Junior Barrow Classic entry forms can be found at www.nationalswine.com.

Raised in a BARN



Lyric Loyd, TX



Will Mantalas, OR

Perhaps, there is no better place for kids to grow up than in a barn. Here are some snapshots of youth who love this industry. If you have a fun photo to share, email it to katie@nationalswine.com for a chance to be featured in 'Raised in a Barn.'



Waylyn Grinstead, IN



Halle Wasson, IN



Jada Johnson, IN

SCHEDULE

Shows and Events



Show Schedule

SHOW	WHERE	WHEN	ENTRY DEADLINE
NSR Winter Type Conference	Perry, Ga.	Jan. 31, 2015	TBA
NJSA Southeast Regional	Perry, Ga.	Jan. 28-Feb.1, 2015	TBA
National Western Stock Show	Denver, Colo.	Jan. 19-21, 2015	TBA
NSR Southwest Type Conference	Belton, Texas	Feb. 26-March 1, 2015	TBA
NJSA Western Regional	Turlock, Calif.	TBA, 2015	TBA
NSR Weanling Extravaganza	Richmond, Ind.	April 22, 2015	TBA
World Pork Expo	Des Moines, Iowa	June 1-6, 2015	TBA
WPX Junior National	Des Moines, Iowa	June 1-6, 2015	TBA
NSR Summer Type Conference	Louisville, Ky.	June 30-July 5, 2014	CLOSED
National Junior Summer Spectacular	Louisville, Ky.	June 30-July 5, 2014	CLOSED
NJSA Southwest Regional	Chickasha, Okla.	Aug. 29-31, 2014	Aug. 1, 2014
National Barrow Show®	Austin, Minn.	Sept. 6-10, 2014	Aug. 8, 2014
NBS® Junior Barrow Classic	Austin, Minn.	Sept. 6-7, 2014	Aug. 8, 2014
Ak-Sar-Ben	Omaha, Neb.	Sept. 25-28, 2014	Aug. 11, 2014
NJSA Eastern Regional	Hamburg, N.Y.	Oct. 9-11, 2014	Sept. 11, 2014
American Royal	Kansas City, Mo.	Oct. 24-26, 2014	Sept. 10, 2014
NAILE	Louisville, Ky.	Nov. 7-10, 2014	Oct. 1, 2014
NSR Fall Classic	Duncan, Okla.	Nov. 19-22, 2014	Oct. 10, 2014
Arizona National	Phoenix, Ariz.	Dec. 27-31, 2014	Oct. 31, 2014

SCHEDULE

Enter online at nationalswine.com

NSR Summer Type Conference

NJSA National Jr. Summer Spectacular

June 30-July 5, 2014

Kentucky Exposition Center • Louisville, Ky.

FARROWING DATES: Dec. 1 and after



MONDAY, JUNE 30

Noon: Earliest hogs may arrive (Junior and Open)

TUESDAY, JULY 1

8 a.m.-7 p.m.: Registration (Junior and Open Shows, Showmanship, Skillathon, State Scrapbook and Ag Sales Contests)

3-4 p.m.: MVP Celebration

4:30 p.m.: Barnyard Olympics

6 p.m.: Premier Breeder interviews

7 p.m.: All Junior hogs must be in place

WEDNESDAY, JULY 2

8 a.m.: Barrow weight cards due

8-11 a.m.: Junior Show barrow and gilt eligibility checks (washracks/scales closed)

8-11 a.m.: Skillathon

8-9:30 a.m.: PQA Plus training (Youth)

8 a.m.: Ag Sales Contestant meeting

8:30 a.m.: Ag Sales Contest

9 a.m.-5 p.m.: Open Show registration

9:30-11:30 a.m.: PQA Plus training (Adult)

10 a.m.: State Scrapbook judging

10:30 a.m.: Corn Toss Tournament (adults and youth welcome)

11-11:45 a.m.: Skillathon Review

Noon: Washracks opened

Noon: Opening Ceremony

1 p.m.: Showmanship Preliminaries

Ring A: Junior followed by Senior

Ring B: Novice followed by Intermediate

*Top Ten Finals held Thursday morning

Immediately following Showmanship Preliminaries

Junior Barrow Show

Ring A: Duroc and Hampshire

Ring B: Landrace and Yorkshire

THURSDAY, JULY 3

8 a.m.: Showmanship Finals

Ring A: Junior followed by Senior

Ring B: Novice followed by Intermediate

9 a.m.: All Open entries must be penned and checked-in. Scanning to follow (boars only).

10 a.m.: Junior Gilt Show

Ring A: Duroc and Hampshire

Ring B: Landrace and Yorkshire

FRIDAY, JULY 4

7:30 a.m.: Open Show: Crossbred Boar Show followed by the Yorkshire, Duroc and Hampshire Boar and Gilt Shows

7:30-8:30 a.m.: Judging Contest Registration

9 a.m.: Judging Contest *Junior, Intermediate and Senior

11:30 a.m.: Novice Judging Contest

1 p.m.: State Food Drive counting

5:00 p.m.: Pizza Party and Judging Critique

5:45 p.m.: Ray Perryman Inspirational Service

6:30 p.m.: Awards Ceremony *Scholarships Awarded

*NJSS Contest Winners Announced (State Food Drive, State Scrapbook, Amazing Advertising Contest, Swine is Fine Art Contest, Skillathon, Judging Contest, Ag Sales Contest, Sweepstakes Contest)

*Herdsman of the Year Award Presented

*Distinguished Service Award Presented

*Premier Breeders Awarded

*Drawing Winners Announced

*2014-2015 Junior Board Announced

9-11 p.m.: Exhibitor Dance

Following Awards Ceremony: All Junior hogs are released

SATURDAY, JULY 5

9 a.m.: Crossbred Boar Sale followed by the Yorkshire, Landrace (Jr. Show Only), Duroc and Hampshire Sales

Additional Jr. Show Information

Contests: Purebred Gilt Show, Purebred Barrow Show, Showmanship Contest, Judging Contest, Skillathon, Ag Sales Contest, Swine is Fine Art Contest**, Amazing Advertising Contest** and Sweepstakes Contest

*The state contests are a scrapbook contest and food drive.

**Enter online.

Additional Events: Silent Auction, NJSA Foundation Female Auction, NJSA Junior Board of Directors Election, Inspirational Service with Ray Perryman, Exhibitor Dance, MVP Party, Super Semen Auction, Silent Auction, Exhibitor Pizza Party, Barnyard Olympics, Kid's Korner, NJSA Annual Awards Ceremony

Limit per Exhibitor: Two purebred gilts and two purebred barrows

Barrow Weights: 215-290 lbs. with 15 lb. weigh-back

JUDGES

Open Duroc: Blane Olson, Illinois
Open Hampshire: Kent Bennington, Indiana
Open Yorkshire: John Staude, Oklahoma
Open Crossbred Boars: Ben Moyer, Ohio
NJSA Duroc and Hampshire Barrows: Dan Hoge, Illinois
NJSA Landrace and Yorkshire Barrows:
Mark Hoge, Illinois
NJSA Duroc and Hampshire Gilts:
Steve Rodibaugh, Indiana
NJSA Landrace and Yorkshire Gilts: Mike McCoy, Ohio
NJSA Novice/Intermediate Showmanship:
Kane Causemaker, Illinois
NJSA Junior/Senior Showmanship:
Brad Mortensen, Michigan

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HOTELS:

Crowne Plaza/Louisville Airport | 877.270.1393
Hilton Garden Inn/Louisville Airport | 502.637.2424
Fern Valley Hotel and Conference Center | 502.964.3311
Mention show for special (or) reduced rates.
Make your reservations early!

Fun things to do in Louisville

KENTUCKY KINGDOM

937 Phillips Lane | Louisville, KY 40209
502-363-1818

For a fun time with your family, be sure to sign up for Kentucky Kingdom tickets on your show entry form! Kentucky Kingdom shares the grounds with the Exposition Center making it easy to stop in and have fun with your family!

KFC YUM! CENTER

1 Arena Plaza | Louisville, KY 40202

Go downtown to check out the KFC Yum! Center! The Yum! Center hosts many concerts and is a large, multi-purpose sports arena. This is the home of the Louisville Cardinals Men's Basketball team.

LOUISVILLE SLUGGER MUSEUM

800 West Main St. | Louisville, KY 40202
877-775-8443

Check out the Louisville Slugger Museum, which is located in Louisville's "Museum Row" in the West Main District of downtown. It showcases the history of the Louisville Slugger brand of baseball bats made by Hillerich & Bradsby, and baseball in general. This building also serves as their corporate headquarters and a production facility.

CHURCHILL DOWNS

700 Central Ave. | Louisville, KY 40208
502-636-4400

If you have some extra time be sure to stop in at Churchill Downs, a Thoroughbred racetrack most famous for hosting the Kentucky Derby. It officially opened in 1875, when it first hosted the Kentucky Derby and Kentucky Oaks.

LOUISVILLE WATERFRONT PARK

129 E River Road | Louisville, KY 40202
502-574-3768

Louisville Waterfront Park is a 72-acre municipal park adjacent to the downtown area and the Ohio River. Following the Awards Ceremony on Friday evening, you can come here to watch the fireworks! You can also see the fireworks as you are driving over the bridge to head North!

BELLE OF LOUISVILLE – STEAMBOAT

401 W. River Road | Louisville, KY 40202
866-832-0011

Belle of Louisville is a steamboat owned and operated by the city of Louisville and moored at its downtown wharf next to the Riverfront Plaza/Belvedere during its annual operational period.

GLOW MINIATURE GOLF | JEFFERSON MALL

4801 Outer Loop | Suite D-650 | Louisville, KY 40219
502-969-8408

If you have some free time in the evenings, head south to play glow miniature golf with the family! In addition to glow miniature golf, you can also play in a Lazer maze!

LOUISVILLE ZOO

1100 Trevilian Way | Louisville, KY 40213
502-459-2181

The Kentucky Expo Center is just a stone's throw away from the Louisville Zoo! Be sure to check out the 135-acre zoo in your spare time.

KENTUCKY SCIENCE MUSEUM

727 West Main St. | Louisville, KY 40202
502-561-6100

The Kentucky Science Center, previously known as the Louisville Museum of Natural History & Science and then Louisville Science Center, is Kentucky's largest hands-on science museum.

SCHEDULE

Enter online at nationalswine.com

NJSA Southwest Regional

Aug. 29-31, 2014

Grady County Fairgrounds • Chickasha, Okla.



ENTRIES DUE: Aug. 1, 2014

ENTRIES FARROWED: On or after Jan. 1, 2014

OWNERSHIP DEADLINE: July 7, 2014

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Friday, August 29

- 9 a.m.: Earliest entries may arrive
- 11 a.m.-3:30 p.m.: Registration
- 2:30-4 p.m.: Youth PQA Plus training
- 3:30 p.m.: Barrow & Crossbred Gilt weight cards due to show office
- 3:30 p.m.: All gilts and barrows must be in place
- 4-4:30 p.m.: MVP (Mentoring Values People) event
- 5 p.m.: Mandatory exhibitor meeting
- 5:30 p.m.: Barrow Show (Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire, Crossbred)

Saturday, August 30

- 8 a.m.: Gilt Show (Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire)
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m.: Judging Contest registration
- 2 p.m.: Judging Contest (Junior, Intermediate and Senior) (Officials to follow the completion of oral reasons)
- 4:30 p.m.: Novice Judging Contest
- 4:30-6:30 p.m.: Adult PQA Plus training
- 6:30 p.m.: Exhibitor Pizza Party
- 6:45-7 p.m.: Corn Toss Tournament Registration
- 7 p.m.: Corn Toss Tournament

Sunday, August 31

- 7:30 a.m.: Exhibitor Breakfast
- 8 a.m.: Showmanship* (Senior, Intermediate, Junior, Novice)
- After Showmanship:** Crossbred Gilt Show* immediately following showmanship.
- Noon:** Silent Auction Closes

*Sweepstakes & Judging Contest Awards Ceremony to follow Crossbred Gilt Show

JUDGE: _____

Tye Lettow, Iowa

JUNIOR SHOW INFORMATION 765.463.3594

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Additional Jr. Show Information

Limits Per Exhibitor: Four purebred gilts, four purebred barrows, two crossbred gilts and two crossbred barrows

Exhibitors must show one purebred barrow for every one crossbred barrow and one purebred gilt for every one crossbred gilt.

Barrow Weight Limit: 215-290 lbs. with a 15 lb. weigh-back

Crossbred Gilt Weight Limit: 375 lbs. or less with a 15 lb. weigh-back.

To compete, exhibitors must be an NJSA member, 21 years of age and younger as of Jan. 1, 2014.

PREMIUMS & PRIZES:

- **Champion Purebred Gilt:**
One-Year Cimarron Trailer Lease* *Lease With The Option To Buy
- **Champion Purebred Barrow:** \$750
- **Res. Champion Purebred Gilt:** \$500
- **Res. Champion Purebred Barrow:** \$500
- **Champion Breed & Crossbred Gilts & Barrows:** \$250
- **Res. Champion Breed & Crossbred Gilts & Barrows:** \$100
- **Champion Breed Bred & Owned Gilts:** \$250
- **Res. Champion Breed Bred & Owned Gilts:** \$100
- **Class Premiums:** 1st=\$45, 2nd=\$40, 3rd=\$35, 4th=\$30, 5th=\$25, 6th=\$20 Special prizes for the top three in each age division for Showmanship, Judging Contest, & Sweepstakes

**A minimum of 100 purebred barrows must be exhibited in order for the Champion and Reserve Champion to receive full premiums. Only half of the listed premiums will be awarded, if less than 100 are shown.

2013 NJSA SOUTHWEST REGIONAL WINNERS:

CHAMPION DUROC BARROW
Cobey McLemore, Texas

CHAMPION HAMPSHIRE GILT
Clark Stout, Oklahoma

RESERVE LANDRACE BARROW
Danielle Nading, Kansas

RESERVE YORKSHIRE GILT
Tyse Buck, Oklahoma

CHAMPION DUROC GILT
Austin Kirk, Oklahoma

RESERVE HAMPSHIRE BARROW
Keri Landry, Louisiana

RESERVE LANDRACE GILT
Max Herndon, Oklahoma

CHAMPION CROSS BARROW
Keri Landry, Louisiana

RESERVE DUROC BARROW
Devin Ammann, Illinois

RESERVE HAMPSHIRE GILT
Cade Rayburn, Oklahoma

CHAMPION YORKSHIRE BARROW
Brooke Stout, Oklahoma

CHAMPION CROSSBRED GILT
Cade Miller, Oklahoma

RESERVE DUROC GILT
Travis Hamilton, Colorado

CHAMPION LANDRACE BARROW
Max Herndon, Oklahoma

CHAMPION YORKSHIRE GILT
Sierra Stephens, Texas

RESERVE CROSS BARROW
Sierra Stephens, Texas

CHAMPION HAMPSHIRE BARROW
Brody Nemecek, Kansas

CHAMPION LANDRACE GILT
Avery Kahle, Oklahoma

RESERVE YORKSHIRE BARROW
Ty Goss, Oklahoma

RESERVE CROSSBRED GILT
Brandon Stickler, Illinois

NBS® Open & Jr. Shows

Sept. 6-10, 2014

Mower County Fairgrounds • Austin, Minnesota



ENTRY DEADLINE: Aug. 8, 2014

FARROWING DATES: Breeding Animals: Jan. 15 and after • Market Animals: Feb. 1 and after

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

SATURDAY, SEPT. 6

- 8 a.m.: Earliest entries can arrive
- 3-5 p.m.: Junior check-in/weigh-in
- 5 p.m.: All junior barrows must be on the grounds and weighed
- 5:30 p.m.: Junior exhibitor pizza party

SUNDAY, SEPT. 7

- 9 a.m.: NBS® Junior Showmanship Contest
- 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.: Windsor Chop Dinner at the Plager Building
- Noon: NBS® Junior Barrow Classic
- Noon: All open show entries must be on the grounds
- Noon-3 p.m.: Truckloads accepted and weighed
- 3-4 p.m.: Individual Market Barrow entries accepted and weighed
- 6:30-8 p.m.: NBS® Hospitality Night at Holiday Inn

MONDAY, SEPT. 8

- 8 a.m.: Junior college and senior college judging contest in Crane Pavilion. FFA and 4-H registration and judging contest.
- 8 a.m.: Check-in of open show entries (scanning to follow)
- Noon: Individual Market Barrow Show (Truckload Show to immediately follow) Following Truckload: Hog College®

TUESDAY, SEPT. 9

- 8 a.m.: Breeding Stock Show begins
 - North Ring:** Berkshire, Poland, Spot, Chester White Gilts and Boars & Crossbred Gilts
 - South Ring:** Yorkshire, Landrace, Duroc & Hampshire Gilts and Boars & Crossbred Boars
- 9 a.m.: Presentation of special awards and judging contest results

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 10

- 9 a.m.: Breeding Sale begins
 - South Ring:** Yorkshire, Landrace, Duroc & Hampshire Gilts and Boars & Crossbred Boars
- 9:30 a.m.: **North Ring:** Berkshire, Poland, Spot, Chester White Gilts and Boars & Crossbred Gilts

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JUDGES

- Open Duroc: Brett Beyers, Illinois
- Open Hamps & Landrace: Brad Mortensen, Michigan
- Open Yorks & Crossbred Boars: Ben Olsen, South Dakota
- Open Barrows: Tim Marek, Indiana
- Junior Barrows: Justin Rodibaugh, Iowa

NBS® Show/Sale Phone: (Saturday-Wednesday) 507.434.2937

Additional Jr. Show Information

Contests: Showmanship

Limits Per Exhibitor: Must exhibit one purebred barrow for each crossbred barrow

Barrow Weight: All barrows must be born on or after Feb. 1, 2014, and weigh between 220-280 lbs.

Open Barrow Show: All exhibitors are encouraged to compete on Monday of the National Barrow Show®

Pizza Party: All junior exhibitors are invited to a pizza party on Saturday night

PREMIUMS & PRIZES:

- **Champion Purebred Barrow:** \$1,000 & One-Year Cimarron Trailer Lease*
- **Res. Champion Purebred Barrow:** \$500
- **Champion Crossbred Barrow:** \$500
- **Res. Champion Crossbred Barrow:** \$250

**Lease With The Option To Buy*

SCHEDULE

Enter online at nationalswine.com

NJSA Eastern Regional

Oct. 9-11, 2014

Erie County Fairgrounds • Hamburg, N.Y.



ENTRIES DUE: Sept. 11, 2014

ENTRIES FARROWED: On or after Jan. 1, 2014

OWNERSHIP DEADLINE: Aug. 18, 2014

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Thursday, Oct. 9 – Family Fun Day

10 a.m.: Earliest entries may arrive
(Entries may arrive all night Thursday)
Visit www.nationalswine.com for a list
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Friday, Oct. 10

8-11:30 a.m.: Registration – Show Office
11 a.m.: All entries must be in place
11: 45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.: MVP activity – Show Ring
12:30-2:00 p.m.: Youth PQA Plus training – Show Ring
1 p.m.: NJSA Silent Auction open
2 p.m.: Crossbred Gilt and Purebred and Crossbred
Barrow Weight Cards Due – Show Office
2-3:30 p.m.: Adult PQA Plus training – Show Ring
1-3 p.m.: Skillathon – Livestock Bldg. #3
3-3:30 p.m.: Skillathon Review – Livestock Bldg.
#3 (Questions & Answers open to public)
3:45 p.m.: Exhibitor Meeting – Show Ring
4 p.m.: Showmanship (Novice, Junior, Intermediate, Senior)
7 p.m.: NJSA Silent Auction closed
7 p.m.: NJSA Family Pizza Party (Free to all
exhibitors and their families)
7:15 p.m.: Family Movie & Popcorn Night (Free
to all exhibitors and their families)

Saturday, Oct. 11

7:00 a.m.: NJSA Family Breakfast – Show Ring
(Free to all exhibitors and their families)
7:15 a.m.: Inspirational Service with Ray Perryman – Show Ring
8 a.m.: Barrow Show (Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire,
& Crossbred)
**Gilt Show will immediately follow the Barrow Show
8 a.m.: NJSA Silent Auction open
2:45-3 p.m.: Corn Toss Tournament Registration –
Show Ring (Youth and adults welcome)
3 p.m.: NJSA Silent Auction closed
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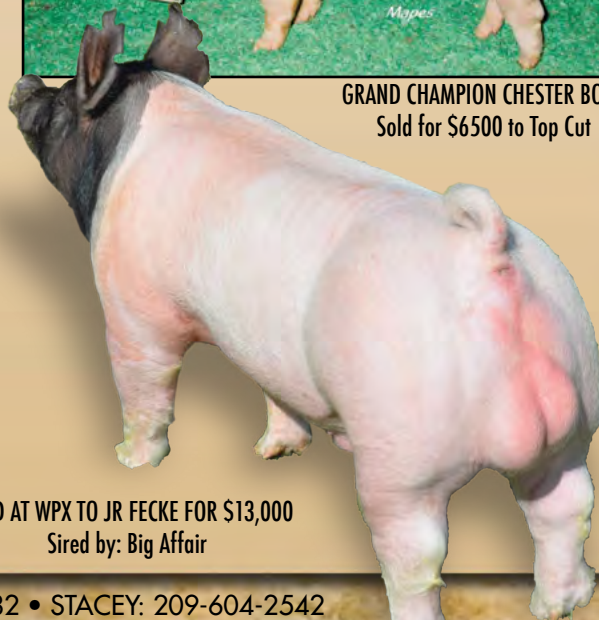
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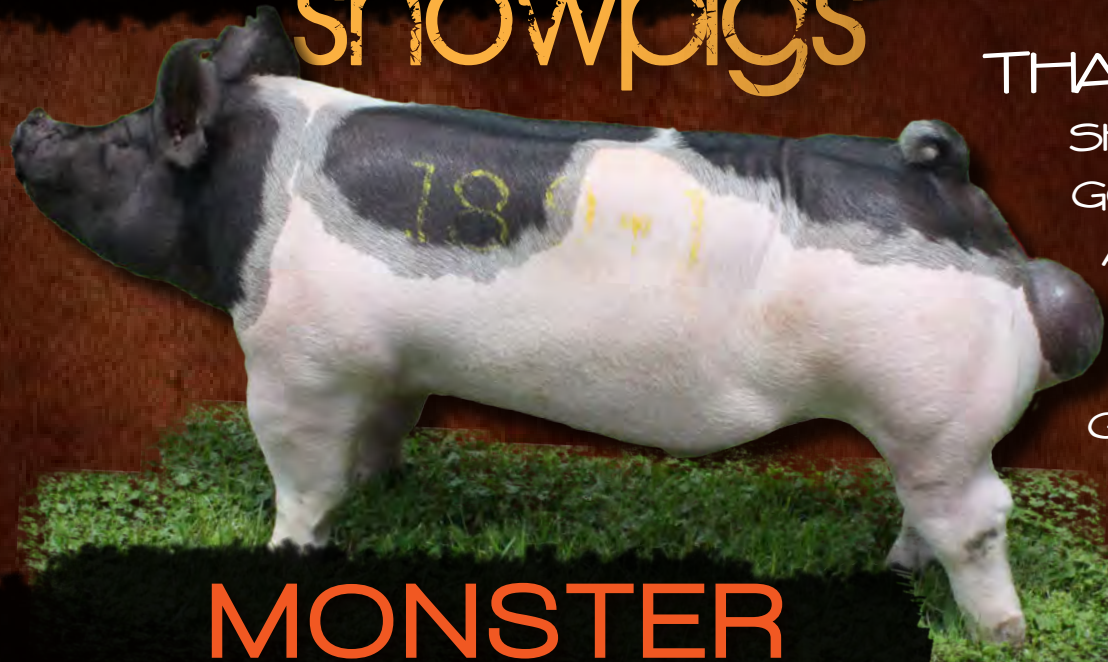
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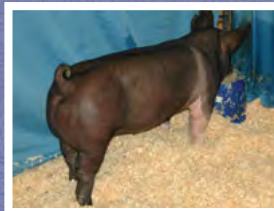
Champion Cross Gilt WPX



Thank you to Clayton Boyert and Miles Toenyas for their on-line purchase!

As pictured on our February 16th on-line sale.

EN: 87-84 • Breed/Sex: Cross Gilt
Sire: Hammer
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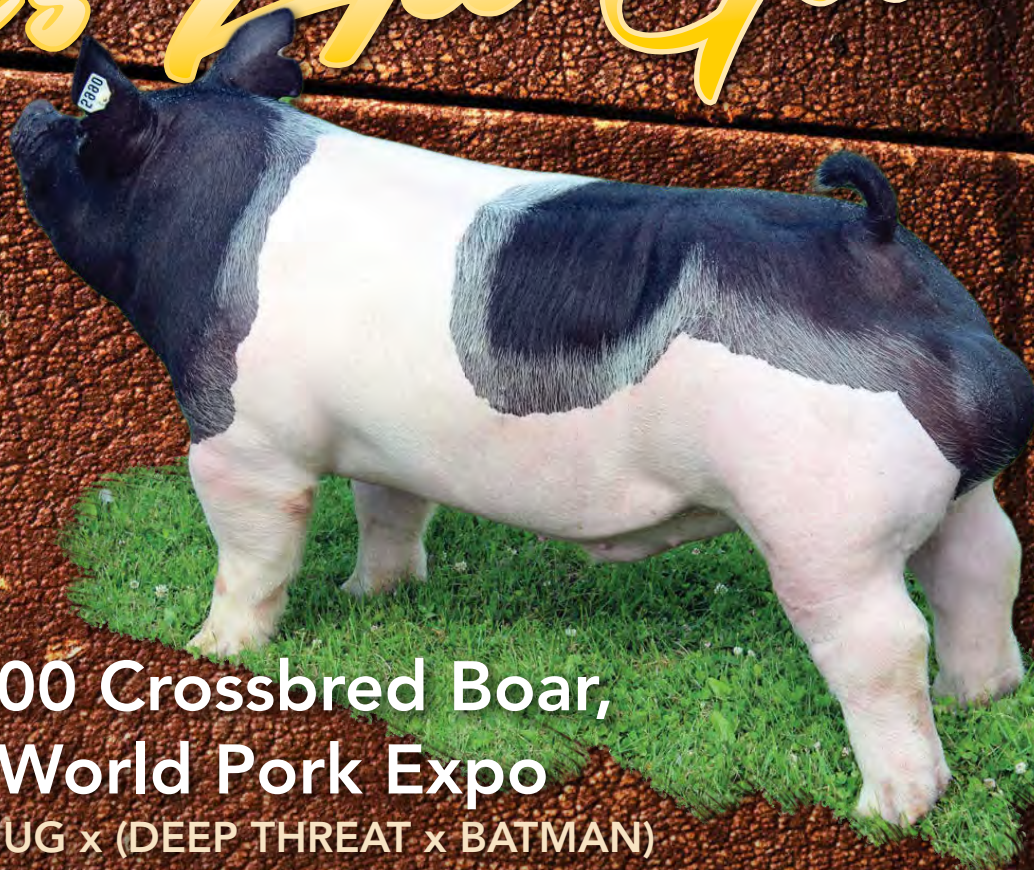
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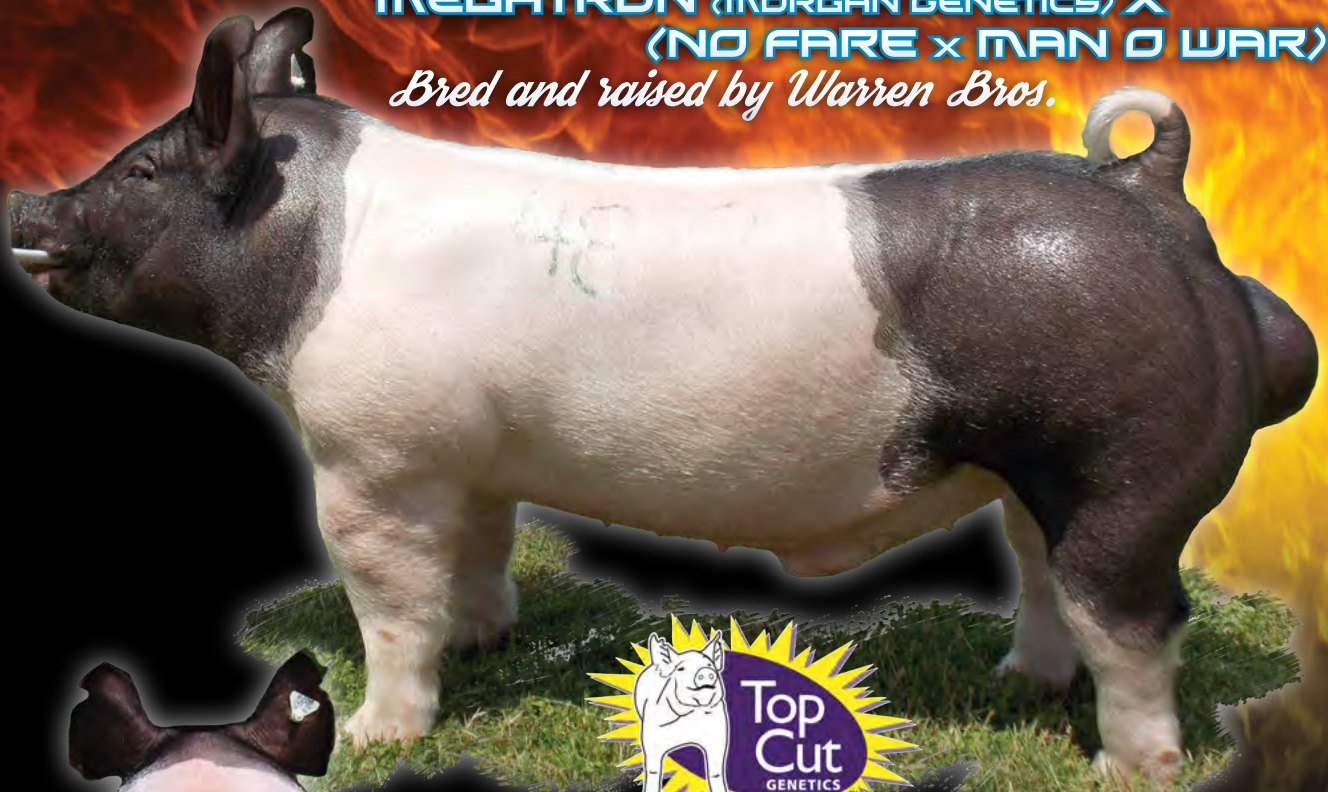
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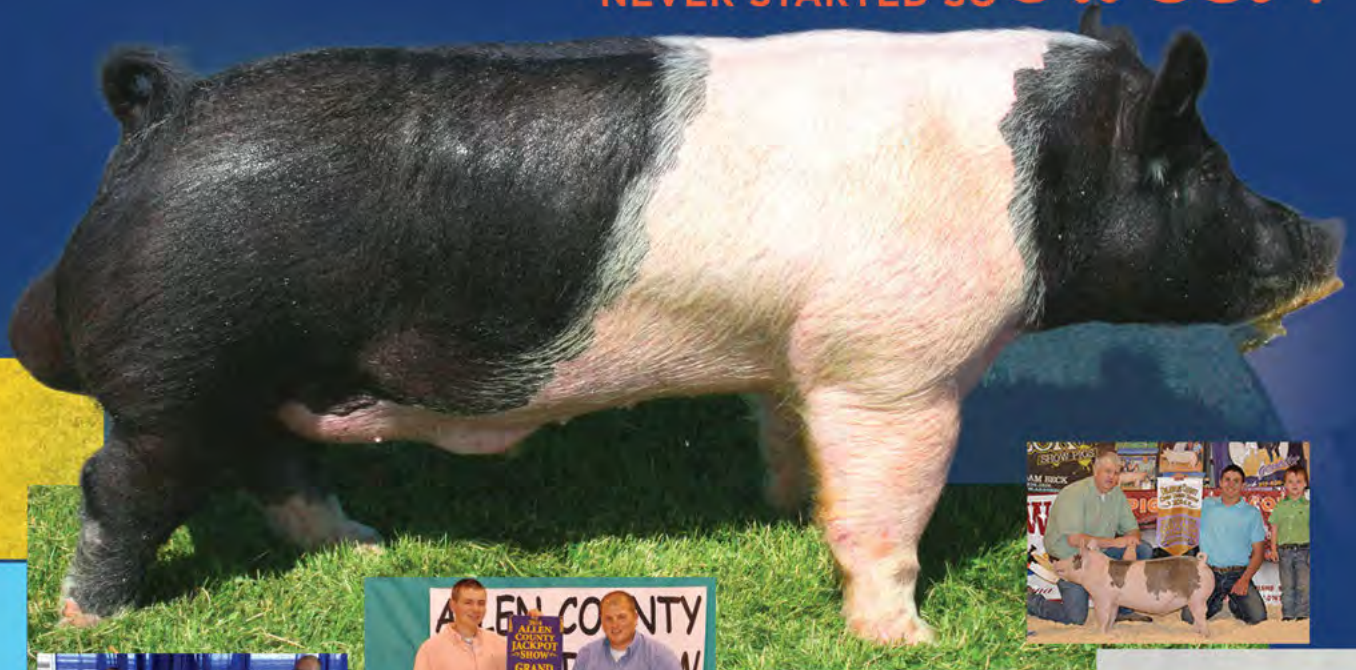
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A year-long look at the staff of the National Swine Registry



Whitney Hosier learned the value of hard work from showing her pigs at NSR events. Today, she works hard to serve NSR breeders.

WHITNEY HOSIER Hampshire and DNA Secretary

Everything Whitney Hosier needed to know she didn't learn in kindergarten – she learned it in the barn. Growing up, Hosier spent every minute she could helping her dad raise livestock. Whether it was working with her 4-H animals or just feeding the cattle and pigs, she couldn't get to the barn fast enough. Spending quality time with her dad and working with the livestock taught her the life lessons and values she would need to be successful in the future.

She learned the value of hard work through her first National Swine Registry (NSR) show experience. The Hosier family attended the National Junior Summer Spectacular (NJSS) in Louisville, Kentucky, in 2002. Not knowing what to expect, their pigs didn't place very well, but as soon as they got in the truck to head home, they said they were going back next year. So they kept going back, working a little harder each year to have better pigs and even better showmanship skills. Eventually, Hosier's hard work paid off, and she was named the NJSS Champion Intermediate Showman.

FAVORITE PART OF THE JOB:

"This position offers a way for me to serve people and has always been interesting to me, as every day brings something a little different. The breeders I get to talk to are the main components of the industry, and it is a special opportunity to get to know them."

—Whitney Hosier

Hosier has taken that work ethic she learned back in the barn and applied it to her career at the NSR. As the Hampshire and DNA Secretary, she handles all Hampshire paperwork and DNA samples sent to the office. She does her best to get breeders' test results, pedigrees and transfers back to them as quickly as possible. She also uploads Herdsman litters and enters STAGES™ data.

To this day, Hosier can't wait to get back to the family farm and help her dad raise showpigs. She also enjoys spending time with her dog and her family, boating with her fiancé and gardening.



Mindee Pollard knew one day she would become Wonder Woman. As it turns out, her position at NSR isn't too far off the mark.

MINDEE POLLARD Controller

As an athlete and acrobat, fighter and strategist, Wonder Woman was invincible. At the age of 7, Mindee Pollard decided she was going to be her. Pollard envisioned herself wearing the high-heel boots, golden lasso of truth and bullet-deflecting bracelets that would protect her from any evil that might come her way. She would have the strength of Superman and the heart of Aphrodite. Best of all, she would be able to fly in an invisible airplane.

As she grew up, she worked on developing her Wonder Woman powers. Spending time with her family on their boat, water-skiing and tubing prepared her to be athletic and agile. Playing board games, cards and competing on school academic teams kept her strategic ability sharp. Caring for the family cat and dogs grew her compassion and kindness.

FAVORITE PART OF THE JOB:

"The people here are great. Although I haven't been here long, it seems like it's a nice 'family' environment."

—Mindee Pollard

Some may say Pollard's career path strayed far from Wonder Woman, but she would disagree. Now, as the NSR Controller, she doesn't get to fight bad guys, but she maintains order for the NSR financial statements and information. She juggles the funds for each department within NSR and tries to deflect any accounting problems. The only thing missing is an invisible airplane.

Pollard still enjoys playing cards, especially euchre, in her time off. She also watches as many movies as possible, but no chick flicks. Her free time on the weekends is spent helping her parents with the family business.

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