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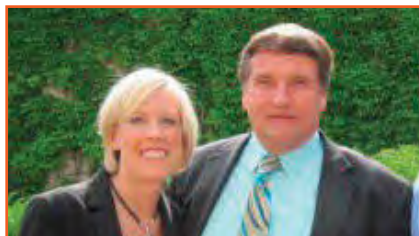
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Drew Jacobson's family drove nearly 1,000 miles from Osceola, Iowa, to Perry, Georgia, to take part in the largest NJSA Regional show in history. Jacobson drove his Duroc barrow to Reserve Champion Novice Showman honors at the 2014 NJSA Southeast Regional.

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# Open Mike

This article was written by Dale Hummel and originally published in the Jan./Feb. issue of the Pacific Showcase. Dale and his family are very involved in junior livestock programs. On their website, Dale states, "We believe whole-heartedly that the values children gain from being involved in youth livestock activities are lifelong and will greatly benefit them into adulthood." I could not agree more. My thanks to Dale for allowing us to run this article in the Seedstock EDGE.

## Showyard Judging – Past, Present and Future

By Dale Hummel

"The Showyard Judging of Livestock" was the title of an article published in the September 1915 issue of the then-popular livestock publication, "The Breeder's Gazette." In this article, L. McWhoster wrote, "There are few lines of human endeavor that receive and should receive greater application or concentration of effort than the showing and judging of livestock."

It is clear that a great deal has changed in regard to the purpose of the show ring in the last 100 years. The commercial producer rarely attends livestock shows today with the intention of purchasing a breeding piece for their operation. This is not without exception, but it has become a rarity. The functional purpose of the show ring has changed and will continue to evolve for as long as people choose to exhibit livestock. At this point, the driving force seems to be twofold: the choice of families to raise their children with all the benefits that come from the stock show lifestyle, and the need to fulfill the innate, competitive nature found in both the parents and youth exhibitors.

Over the past 30 to 40 years, the show ring has undergone a slow but steady change away from "type conferences" and large open-breeding stock shows to focus on the junior exhibitor. Nearly 100 years ago at the Chicago International Stock Show, you could view 100 Angus bulls in a single class, all being exhibited with the purpose of directly impacting commercial-based operations. In the past decade, we have experi-

enced growth of the junior breed association participation in the ever-expanding youth market shows.

With this change, I believe the show ring still has as much value or purpose today as it did 100 years ago. The objectives have changed from an avenue to market breeding stock to the commercial world to an avenue to foster responsibility, moral and competitive nature in today's youth. It is interesting that this is occurring congruent to many state-funded youth programs attempting to make all participants winners, without regard

to preparation or the degree of effort put forth. In contrast, the show ring still rewards those who choose to work both harder and smarter. Few can be crowned winners, but many return home from shows with the resolve to dig deeper to make a run at the next banner opportunity. It is the road to the show ring that builds purpose and strengthens one's fundamentals.

It is natural for many to want to still relate the show ring to the real world of commercial livestock production. Tradition is slow to change. As a positive, basing decisions off of commercial standards lends itself to a more stable baseline for judges. However, the difficulty of determining the ideal breeding or market animal that will universally fit the various environments, management practices and drastically different packer grids is simply not possible. If a show judge is given a scenario

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## Youth View

### Stock shows

This past year has been a great one for the National Junior Swine Association (NJSA). Over the course of the year, we had record entries at the World Pork Expo and the National Junior Summer Spectacular, we began working with two new stock shows to bring a pedigreed show to their schedule, and we added a great new coordinator, Ellen Olson-Knauth, to the mix. Although Ellen is pretty great, I'm not going to talk about her much, but rather the importance of the addition of the Ak-Sar-Ben River City Rodeo and Stock Show and the Arizona Junior Nationals.

Our first addition was the wonderful Ak-Sar-Ben Rodeo and Stock Show in Omaha, Nebraska. Growing up in Indiana, I never had the privilege of exhibiting at this show. When I found out I got to go represent NJSA, I was thrilled.

I remember my Grandpa Ronnie talking about sheep he sold that had been exhibited there and what a high-quality show it was. It did not disappoint. Although numbers were small for our pedigreed show, the quality was high, as was the quality of showmen. With this being our first year there, I think it went very well, and I can't wait to see what the future holds for this event. The staff was easy to work with, and they were incredibly hospitable to this girl that had too many questions. Plus, the city of Omaha itself is quite wonderful. Between the flea market on Saturday, the Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium and the exceptional selection of restaurants, there's not much more you could want. Overall, I had a great time at the 2014 Ak-Sar-Ben, and I can't wait to go back, next year.

The second addition was the Arizona Junior Nationals in Phoenix, Arizona. I'll admit, at first, I wasn't thrilled to be catching a plane at 6 a.m. on Dec. 26, but after the experience I had this past year, I can't wait to go back. This trip was great from the beginning, because they didn't have any vehicles in the size we wanted, so they were gracious enough to give us an upgrade where we could choose between a minivan and a

bright red, convertible Camaro. Needless to say, the words, "Camaro," came out of my mouth before Brian could say otherwise. Yes, it was a little snug trying to fit our luggage in the trunk and backseat, but we made it work, and we got to ride in style. Upon arrival at the facilities, I was put to work with this group of young ladies at check-in. At first, we were a little shy, but by the end of the day it was like we had known each other for years. I don't think I have ever been put into a group of staff members I have hit it off with so fast. After the first day, the rest of my time there flew by, and I had a great time. The show itself was full of high-quality livestock and excellent showmen, and the sale went very well. The people that run and organize this show are incredible, so passionate about the future of the show and, overall, great people to work with.

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After this past year full of record entries and new shows, I can't help but be grateful I get to work with such wonderful families that have such a true passion for the purebred livestock industry. Thank you to everyone that went out of their way to make me feel welcome at these new events. Also, if you haven't been to Ak-Sar-Ben or the Arizona Junior Nationals, add them to your calendar for next year. I promise they will be worth your while.



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# Raised in a BARN



Rylie Surface, WV



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



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# Write On

## Follow through

While I am by no stretch of the imagination an athlete, I've heard people say the important part of your swing is the "follow through." Honestly, I couldn't tell you from experience how important a proper follow through is in your golf swing, but I can tell you how important it is in life.

In life, following through isn't hard. The concept, itself, is quite simple – just do what you say you will do. While following through doesn't sound too difficult, it continues to separate internship candidates, college scholarship recipients, prospective employees and even companies you would like to do repeat business with.

In today's busy, fast-paced world it is easy to get distracted, side-tracked or overwhelmed. We've all dropped the ball a time or two. But, we've all been on the other end too – waiting for someone to call, doing extra work when someone doesn't deliver or feeling crushed when a promise turns out to be empty. This is what makes following through so important. It all goes back to the golden rule of treating people like you want to be treated. No one wants to be let down, and even if you don't follow through with the sole purpose of sparing others' feelings, you may want to do it for yourself.

There are not many things that hold a lot of value in this world. Markets can be turbulent. Trends and styles come and go, but your word can be gold. When a man or woman of character gives their word, it means something. Those men and women are people who follow through. If they tell you they'll call you at 8 p.m. Tuesday evening, then you'd better be

next to the phone at 7:59 p.m. If they tell you they'll transfer your pedigree in time for your show, then there is no need to worry about begging the show manager to let you in without one. If they sell you a breeding gilt, then you shouldn't worry about them making it right if she doesn't stick. They're dependable, and they're the ones who are successful.

You see, when people follow through with their promises for you, likely you'll return the favor. I know I'm much more likely to do business with a firm that addressed any

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concerns I may have head on, hire the internship candidate that sends a hand-written thank you or offer more freelance work to a writer who meets their deadlines.

The seedstock and showpig business is no exception. If you want your name to last, if you want your herdmark to grace the pedigrees of your breed for generations to come, if you want your barrows to land in the hands of the best feeders, you have to follow through. It's not the swing that makes the play. Anyone with luck can sell one that grabs a banner, but those who make it there more than once have learned the art of the follow through.



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By Dr. Mike Tripp

# Vet Check

“But before you purchase your pigs and bring them home, there are several things that need to be done to prepare your facilities for their arrival.”

— Dr. Mike Tripp

## Show Time

As show time quickly approaches, excitement fills the air. Young pig exhibitors everywhere will be looking for that perfect pig or set of pigs to bring home. But, before you purchase your pigs and bring them home, there are several things that need to be done to prepare your facilities for their arrival. An area that is clean, disinfected, climate controlled and able to provide clean feed and water will allow your pigs to perform their best.

In preparing a quality facility for showpigs, there are some standards to follow. The pen should be built on a cement pad, which is easier to keep clean than dirt. A thick layer of bedding, such as wood chips, should cover the pad. This is important because the hair and skin will be in better condition, when not exposed to an abrasive layer of dirt and mud. A clean, dry facility will also help cut down on many disease problems and allow for better show performance for the pigs. A second standard to follow is providing quality climate control, which will vary with the outside temperatures. In cases of warmer temperatures, fans should be used to circulate air. In enclosed environments, such as barns, water coolers may even be used in extreme heat. In cool to cold temperatures, safely-placed heat lamps can be used.

Once the facilities are prepared, it is time to concentrate on your pigs. It is important to find out some history on them. It is important to know what they are being fed and use the same type of feed the pig was previously on, at least until the pig has adjusted to its new environment. If you choose to use a different feed, it would be a good idea to blend the original feed with the new feed for about a week to ease the change. Your facilities need to be similar to the one the pig was in before you purchased it. You should also find out health history on the pig such as vaccinations and deworming. Vaccines that are good to give the pigs are *Mycoplasma*, *Circovirus*, *Atrophic Rhinitis*, *Mannhiemia*, *Haemophilus*, *Erysipelothrix* and *Influenza*. Many of these are available in combination. If your pig has had some previous vaccinations, you will only have to boost certain ones, which require boosters. Also, you should know the pig's deworming history. Once the pig has settled in, it would be a good idea to deworm it. An injectable dewormer such as Ivomec® or Dectomax® will control both internal and external parasites.

Another important preparation is obtaining a premises ID. It is rapidly becoming a nationwide requirement for most livestock shows. Contact your State Veterinarian for more information on requirements and processes of applying for a premises ID.

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## Industry News

### National Pork Board Named Chris Hodges as Chief Executive Officer

Pork industry veteran to started Feb. 16



Chris Hodges  
Photo courtesy of the National Pork Board

DES MOINES, IOWA - Chris Hodges, a pork industry leader with substantial senior management experience in agriculture, joined the National Pork Board (NPB) as its new chief executive officer (CEO) on Feb. 16. Based in Kansas City, Hodges was senior vice president – business development of Smithfield Farmland.

“When I first joined what was then Farmland Industries as a grain division manager, I joined a farmer cooperative,” Hodges says. “Over the years, I have grown to understand the needs and challenges facing pork producers. From product marketing to disease management to sustainability, I look forward to working with the National Pork Board staff and Board to develop the tangible tools and grassroots programs

on behalf of America’s pig farmers.”

Hodges brings to the Pork Checkoff decades of in-depth knowledge and innovation in marketing pork to key U.S. food retailers and into international markets. Much of his fresh pork marketing experience includes direct producer outreach and involvement related to adopting on-farm practices specifically designed to improve overall meat quality. His last day with Smithfield was Feb. 13, upon which he moved to Des Moines to lead the Pork Checkoff.

“For the past 30 years, Chris has dedicated his career to the pork industry, building and leading teams to meet the emerging demands for protein in both the U.S. and international market place,” says Dale Norton, president of the National Pork Board and a pork producer from Bronson, Michigan. “He knows this industry so well and, over the years, has given back through volunteering his time and expertise in several areas.”

Last June, at World Pork Expo, Hodges publicly endorsed the Pork Checkoff’s swine industry audit task force as it unveiled a single, common approach to streamline how pork is produced in the U.S. This new industry standard for auditing pork production aligns many diverse practices into a common protocol. It has been supported and accepted by pig farmers, packers, processors, retailers and others throughout the pork supply chain.

Hodges is also a retiring board member of the National Pork Producers Council (NPPC). He served as chairman of its Packer Processor Industry Council since 2013.

Prior to his current role, Hodges advanced at Smithfield Foods – a \$14 billion global food company and the world’s largest pork processor and hog producer. He previously served as senior vice president, fresh pork and industrial sales at Farmland Foods and led the sales and marketing teams for its Smithfield® and Farmland® brands. His industry expertise includes business development, sales and marketing,



retail and foodservice outreach, new equipment and processing specifications management, risk management, feed and grains oversight and developing integrated information and technology systems.

"As we move forward with the implementation of our new 2020 strategic plan, we feel confident that Chris is the right person to lead the organization," Norton says. "He brings not only years of professional work experience, but first-hand knowledge and insight into our changing industry. We welcome him on board."

Hodges' first week on the job included meeting with producer leaders at the NPB's annual unified research committee meeting, Feb. 17-19, followed closely by speaking at the National Pork Industry Forum in San Antonio, March 5-7.

Hodges, raised in Laurens, Iowa, is a graduate of Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, with a focus in international relations. He also has a master's of arts in international affairs from Columbia University. Upon obtaining his graduate degree, Hodges was a project manager at the U.S. Department of Agriculture, assigned to the U.S. Agency for International Development where he managed Extension projects in international grain markets. He later earned a doctorate in agricultural and applied economics from the University of Minnesota.

Jon Leafstedt, Jim Gerardot, and Ed Yuhas, principals with Kincannon & Reed, a global executive search firm focused on the food and agribusiness industry, assisted the NPB and its search committee in the recruitment of Hodges as chief executive officer.

The NPB has responsibility for Checkoff-funded research, promotion and consumer information projects and for communicating with pork producers and the public. Through a legislative national Pork Checkoff, pork producers invest \$0.40 for each \$100 value of hogs sold. Importers of pork products contribute a like amount, based on a formula. The Pork Checkoff funds national and state programs in advertising, consumer information, retail and foodservice marketing, export market promotion, production improvement, science and technology, swine health, pork safety and sustainability and environmental management. For information on Checkoff-funded programs, pork producers can call the Pork Checkoff Service Center at (800) 456-7675 or check the Internet at [www.pork.org](http://www.pork.org).

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## K-State Presents Youth Animal Science Learning Opportunity

MANHATTAN, Kan. – Students from across the country with an interest in the livestock industry and related careers can apply now for the Kansas State University Animal Sciences Leadership Academy. The academy is an intensive, four-day educational experience designed to enhance the leadership skills and animal science knowledge of students in ninth through 12<sup>th</sup> grades.

Hosted by the K-State Department of Animal Sciences and Industry and sponsored by the Livestock and Meat Industry Council, the academy's goal is to develop young leaders within the livestock industry and prepare them for a successful future in this field.

"I highly recommend this experience to anyone," says 2014 participant Brooke Jensen of Courtland, Kansas. "It opened my eyes to different aspects of the industry and caused me to think a lot about what I could do with my future."

Sessions will take place June 10-13 and June 17-20 in Manhattan. Students may apply for one or both dates as their schedule allows. Applications are due April 1, and can be found at <http://www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu>.

"We are pleased to announce that we will be expanding the program and offering two sessions in 2015," says Ken Odde, head of the K-State Department of Animal Sciences and Industry.

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## Upcoming Show Dates & Deadlines

### National Youth Leadership Conference

The NJSA National Youth Leadership Conference will take place in Fort Collins, Colorado, on April 10-12. All members between the ages of 14 and 21 years old are eligible to attend. Look for more information at [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com). The registration deadline is March 12.

### NSR Weanling Extravaganza:

The NSR Weanling Extravaganza will be held in Richmond, Indiana, April 22. Look for the open entry form in this issue of the *Seedstock EDGE* on page 89 or enter online at [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com). Entries are due on March 25.

### World Pork Expo:

The World Pork Expo will be held in Des Moines, Iowa, June 1-6. Entries are due April 15. More information and the schedule can be found on page 76. Enter online at [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com) or send in the entry form on page 81.

### World Pork Expo Jr. National:

The World Pork Expo Jr. National will be held in Des Moines, Iowa, June 1-6. The ownership deadline is April 24 and entry deadline is April 15. More information and a full schedule can be found on page 76. Enter online at [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com).

### NSR Summer Type Conference:

The NSR Summer Type Conference will be June 29-July 4 in Louisville, Kentucky. Entries are due by May 13. Turn to page 77 for the schedule. Enter online at [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com).

### National Junior Summer Spectacular:

The National Junior Summer Spectacular will be June 29-July 4 in Louisville, Kentucky. The ownership deadline is May 1. Entries are due by May 13. Turn to page 77 for the schedule. Enter online at [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com).

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The program's itinerary will feature interactive workshops, tours and faculty mentor time with animal science professors. Industry leaders will also join the participants frequently to share their knowledge and expertise. Throughout the week, participants will work in teams to evaluate current events within the animal science industry and educate others. This experience will culminate with team presentations and a closing reception on Saturday morning.

Only 20 students will be accepted for each session to ensure individualized attention from counselors, professors and industry leaders. Participants will stay on campus in university housing with program staff for the duration of the event. Transportation to and from the event is the responsibility of the participant, along with a \$50 deposit to reserve his or her space. The Livestock and Meat Industry Council generously provides all other sponsorships. Please contact academy director Sharon Breiner with questions at [sbreiner@ksu.edu](mailto:sbreiner@ksu.edu) or 785-532-6533.

To submit announcements for FYI, contact Katie Maupin at [katie@nationalswine.com](mailto:katie@nationalswine.com)

## Kevin Wendt Inducted to Hall Of Fame



Kevin Wendt and Family

Kevin Wendt was honored with the highest award an auctioneer in Ohio can receive – an induction into the Ohio Auctioneer's Hall of Fame. Wendt, of Plain City, Ohio, was recognized at the Ohio Auctioneers Association annual conference, Jan. 16-18, in Dublin, Ohio. Wendt said he was humbled by the award.

"It certainly was an honor you never expect, and it's especially meaningful when you're elected by your peers. Many in the Hall of Fame are people I've worked with or looked up to as role models in this business, so it's a real honor to join them," he says.

According to Wendt's friend and colleague, Scott Mihalic, Wendt attended his first auction at the EJ Kerns Family Farm production sale in Bloomville, Ohio, when he was nine. After watching fellow Hall of Famer Merlin D. Woodruff cry the sale, Wendt decided he wanted to be an auctioneer.

Mihalic highlighted Wendt's career.

"In his career, he has been on the auction block at over 5,300 live auction events in 37 states. He is now actively working and licensed in 24 states," Mihalic says.

Wendt has always been a forward thinker in the industry, Mihalic says. He had the opportunity to purchase *showpig.com*, in 1998, from Larry and Judy Baker. Then, *showpig.com* was a breeder's directory for the swine industry. Today, it is a leading online livestock auction company with sales totaling more than 100 million dollars.

"Kevin had the foresight to see where auctions were heading, even before there were any kind of simulcast or online auctions taking place, let alone in the livestock or showpig business," Mihalic says. "He never pushed the envelope when it came to business – he bulldozed it."

In addition to *showpig.com*, Wendt, and his wife, Megan, own The Wendt Group, Inc., *ETcow.com*, *showstock.com*, *buyhereford.com* and *Maine Express*. He is also the National Auctioneer for the Hampshire, Duroc and Berkshire swine breeds.

The Wendts and their two children, Riley and Ethan, also have a 25-head showpig operation.

## Wedding Announcements

### Joshua & Erin Ifft Wedding

Erin Marie Petersen of Cropsey, Illinois, and Joshua Alan Ifft of Fairbury, Illinois, were married on Oct. 25, 2014, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in rural Colfax, Illinois. The bride's parents are Mike and Kimberly Petersen of Cropsey. The groom's parents are Jim and Julie Ifft of Fairbury. The reception was held at The Chateau Hotel & Conference Center in Bloomington, Illinois. The couple took a honeymoon trip to Cancun, Mexico, in January of 2015. Erin graduated from the University of Illinois and is the finance manager at Petersen Chevrolet Buick, Inc. in Fairbury. Josh graduated from the University of Illinois and is a grain farmer and co-owner of Ifft Yorkshires in Fairbury. The couple resides in rural Fairbury with their dogs Brasky and Bella.



Joshua & Erin Ifft, III.  
Saturday, Oct. 25, 2014

## Scott & Rachelle Tucker Wedding

John and June Bailey are proud to announce the marriage of their daughter Rachelle Ann Bailey to Scott McKeever Tucker, son of Mark and Linda Tucker. The couple was married on Oct. 25, 2014, in Turlock, California, surrounded by their friends and family.

Rachelle, a graduate of Iowa State University, manages her family's commercial and showpig operation, Golden State Genetics. She is an active member of the National Pork Board and serves on the American Landrace Association Board.

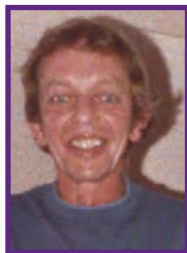
Scott, a native of Red Lodge, Montana, attended Dickenson State University in North Dakota. Scott has been involved in farming in numerous states which led him to California. Scott helps manage a wean-to-finish farm for Golden State Genetics and Pork Power Farms. He is also involved with the Almond Board of California.

The couple's wedding showcased their love for the pork industry, which included a "Bacon Bar" for their reception. The couple couldn't have asked for a better way to start their lives together as husband and wife. The couple currently resides in Turlock, California.



Scott & Rachelle Tucker, Calif.  
Saturday, Oct. 25, 2014

## Obituaries



Ronnie Smith  
1940-2014

### Ronnie Gene Smith

Ronnie Gene Smith, 74, of rural Wabash, Indiana, passed away on Dec. 30, 2014, in Vibra Hospital in Fort Wayne, Indiana. He was born to the late

Fred P. and Pauline L. (Palmer) Smith on Sept. 11, 1940, in Wabash, Indiana.

Smith was a 1958 graduate from Noble Township High School. Smith raised purebred registered hogs and was employed with MSD School Corporation for 20 years and retired in 2007.

He is survived by a brother, Dick Smith (Lavone) of Wabash, Indiana; two nephews, Zechariah P. Smith of Noblesville, Indiana, and Jason Corn (Jozanna) of LaFontaine, Indiana. He was preceded in death by a nephew, Joshua P. Smith.

Graveside services were held on Jan. 4, at Memorial Lawns Cemetery in Wabash, Indiana, with Jason Corn officiating. Preferred memorials are directed to Wabash County Hospital Oncology Department, 710 N. East Street, Wabash, Indiana 46992.



Helen Conatser  
1936-2014

### Helen Jane Conatser

Helen Jane Conatser, 78, of Knoxville, Tennessee, went home to be with her Lord and Savior on Sept. 11, 2014, after a brave fight with cancer. Conatser was born on April 10, 1936, to Milum and Bessie Ratliff, who preceded her in death. Married to Wade Sutton, who preceded her in death, she was then blessed to be married to Glenn E. Conatser for 40 years, who went to be with the Lord in 2013. Also preceding her in death was her brother, J. Harold Ratliff; sisters-in-law, Sue Ratliff and Lorene Marlow; and brothers-in-law, Lowell Marlow and Billy Mayes. She is survived by her daughters, Kathy Stange and husband, Will, of Hickory, North Carolina; Deborah Espy and husband, Marvin, of Knoxville; son Stephen Conatser and wife, Jennifer, of Bogartz, Georgia; brother, Ray Dean Ratliff; brother-in-law, Gordon Sutton and wife Bettie; sisters-in-law, Jean Mayes and Brenda Ratliff; loving grandchildren, Jennifer (Michael) Alexander, Phillip (Vida) Stange, Henry, Caroline and Baby Conatser; and five precious great-grandchildren. She was also loved by nieces, Jeanne Crutchfield and Kim Smith; and nephews, Wade, Gregg and Jeff Ratliff. Her joy was to be working outside in her yard and garden and was known for her green thumb. Many people benefitted from the fruits of her labor. Conatser was a member of Cedar Springs Presbyterian Church and loved her Sunday School class. Her children thank them for the continual love they have showed their mother through the years and their constant prayer during her hospital stay. They wish to express how grateful they are to the wonderful 12<sup>th</sup> floor nurses at UT Hospital and the angels caring for their dear mother at the Trauma Surgical ICU. The family would like to especially thank Dr. Keith Gray for his excellent care and his love and devotion to Conatser throughout the years. She loved you dearly. A memorial was held Sept. 14, with visitation following at Cedar Springs Presbyterian Church Chapel. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the American Bible Society.

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Dr. Gary Crouch  
1943-2014

## Dr. Gary Wilson Crouch

Dr. Gary Wilson Crouch went to be with his Lord and Savior on Dec. 29, 2014. He was born in San Benito, Texas, in 1943 to Wilson B. Crouch and Virginia Colwell Crouch.

Crouch graduated in 1961 from San Benito High School, A & M University College Station with his bachelor's in science, in 1965, and his doctorate of veterinary medicine, in 1968, from A & M University - College Station. He was a Texas State Board Certified Veterinarian. He owned and practiced veterinary medicine from the time of his graduation, in 1968. He owned Animal Medical Clinic in Brownsville, Texas, and Los Fresnos, Texas.

Crouch married the love of his life, Candyce Curry Crouch, in 1967. They just celebrated 47 years of joyful marriage, in December.

Crouch was preceded in death by his parents.

He was the proud father of three children: daughter, Kimberly Crouch Johnson (Madison, MacKenzie, and Tyler); son, Chance Wilson Crouch and wife, Shelby, (Ty, Caden and Cason); son, Lance William Crouch and wife, Renee, (Dillon and Calley); sisters, Janice Cornett (Ken) of San Benito; and Dr. Ginanna Crouch of Katy; and Aunt JoAnn Colwell Dudley of Port Lavaca. Also left to miss him dearly are sisters and brothers-in-law, Doug and Sharon Hansen; Craig and Sharon Curry; Russell and Jan SoRell; Clark Curry; Steve and Jill Hollon; and Clint and Angie Curry.

Crouch loved the Aggies. His greatest hobby was being a livestock breeder of swine. He enjoyed being outside fishing and hunting with his sons and friends.

He was a member of First Methodist Church of Los Fresnos. Crouch was a member of the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA) and the Texas Veterinary Medical Association. Crouch served as national veterinarian for the National Swine Registry Southwest Conference in Belton, Texas. He was past president of Breeding Gilt Committee, RGVLS. He was currently serving on the Judge Selection Committee of the RGVLS. He was the official show veterinarian for the RGVLS.

Crouch was very active in 4-H and FFA activities, beginning in elementary school. His passion for raising and showing champion market hogs kept him involved in helping kids his entire life.

Crouch was a devoted fan of the Texas A&M Aggies and never lost faith that next year would be the year. Crouch will be remembered for many accomplishments, but none of them will measure up to the most defining attribute in his life. Crouch spent his life and resources helping others. He will be remembered by his immediate family for his undying love and dedication to their well-being. He will be remembered by his extended family for never saying that he could not help them in their emergencies. He will be remembered by his many clients as a dedicated professional.

Service was held on Jan. 2, at Buck Ashcraft Funeral Home. Pastor Melissa Nelson officiated. Burial followed at Mont Meta Memorial Park.

Pallbearers were Reagan SoRell, Chase Curry, Eloy Cruz, Tristan Cruz., Justin Shafer and Joe Perales.

Honorary pallbearers were Dr. Michael Berg, Dr. Tom Godwin, Dr. Geoffrey Drake, Dr. Wayne Ivey, Wayne Shafer, Doug Hansen, Russell SoRell, Steve Hollon, Sam Magee, Ken Cornett Clint Curry, Gregg Cornett and Dan Miller.

Memorials contribution may be made to the Lower Valley Humane Society in Olmito, Texas and Dr. Gary Crouch Memorial Scholarship at the RGVLS for Breeding Gilt Showmanship Senior Division at 1000 N. Texas Blvd, Mercedes, Texas 78570.



Melissa Ann  
Guinn Kahle  
1980-2014

## Melissa Ann Guinn Kahle

Melissa Ann Guinn Kahle was born Sept. 2, 1980, in Sapulpa, Oklahoma. She lost her very courageous battle against Metastatic Breast Cancer at home on Dec. 18, 2014, in Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

Kahle graduated from Union High School in 1999. She attended Oklahoma State University and received her bachelor's degree in early childhood education, in 2004.

She married Brandon Kahle on June 5, 2004, and from that marriage three children were born – Avery, Braylin and Case.

Kahle loved agriculture. She loved helping with the pigs, cows and having chickens at the Kahle farm. She was very proud of the Sapulpa FFA and thrilled when she was named an Honorary FFA Member by the Sapulpa chapter. She was dedicated to her job as a teacher and loved her time in the classroom.

In addition to Brandon, Avery, Braylin and Case, Kahle is survived by her parents, Ron and Sara Guinn, grandma Betty Hasselbring, father-in-law, Marlin Kahle and Emily Bovard, brother-in-law, Trevis Kahle and wife, Meghan.; sister-in-law Lexie Biswell and husband, Jason; great-grandma Leta Belle Barnett and many nieces, aunts, uncles, cousins and many, many friends she considered family.

Kahle was preceded in death by her maternal grandparents, Nile and Louella Crowder, paternal grandparents Barney and Irene Guinn and her paternal mother-in-law Kellie Hasselbring Kahle.

The family wishes to thank all of those who have been so supportive during Kahle's illness. Your messages of love and support have helped carry all of them through these last two years.

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Services were held on Monday, Dec. 22, 2014, at the Sapulpa Chieftain Center with Reverend Wally Johnson officiating. Visitation was at Green Hill Funeral Home. The family entrusted the services to the Funeral Directors at Green Hill Funeral Home.



Janice Moore  
1932-2014

## Janice Moore

Janice Moore, 82, of Cresco, Iowa, passed away Dec. 17, 2014, in Rock Island, Illinois.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 22, 2014, at the Hindt-Hudek Funeral Home in Cresco, Iowa. Burial was held at a later date. Visitation was on Dec. 21, at the Hindt-Hudek Funeral Home.

Janice Lorraine (King) Moore was born in Oelwein, Iowa, to Leonard and Ruth (Pardee) King on Dec. 14, 1932. She graduated from Oelwein High School in 1951. On Aug. 31, 1952, she was united in marriage to Frank H. Moore Jr. To this union four children were born: Frank L., Michael and twin daughters, Debra and Diane. Frank and Jan farmed and milked cows near Oelwein, West Union and Fredericksburg until moving to Cresco in 1969. There they established a purebred Duroc and Yorkshire hog farm. Besides being a farm wife, Moore worked as the Howard County 4-H and youth assistant for 15 years. She was active in the organization of the Howard County Porkette's and received the Bell Ringer award in 1975. She and Frank were Grand Marshalls of the Cresco Ag Fest in 2005 and inducted into the Iowa 4-H

Hall of Fame in 2010. Moore enjoyed flea markets and collecting antiques, starting when you could buy a full box for 25 cents. She has had two antique shops and displayed her wares at numerous flea markets. She made cornhusk dolls, loved playing cards, going to casinos, spending time with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren and traveling to Arizona in the winter.

Moore is survived by her husband, Frank, of 62 years; sons, Frank L. (friend Vondell Stockel) of Cresco; and Mike (Linda) of Waterloo; daughters, Debra (Mark) Jeske of New Providence; and Diane (Mike) Miner of Lime Springs; six grandchildren, Matt Miner, Mike (Kara) Miner, Beth (Ryan) Hageman, Ryan Moore, Geoffrey Moore and Travis Jeske; five great-grandchildren, Maxwel, Teagan and Marrah Miner and Alex and Ali Hageman; brother, Jon "Jack" King; sister-in-law, Ruth Lentzkow; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Moore was preceded in death by her parents, Leonard and Ruth and three sisters, Gayle Vessels, Sandra Harris and Jill Pleshek.

Memorials can be left to the Iowa State 4-H Foundation and Gunderson Medical Foundation for Diabetes.



Donald C. Hale  
1935-2014

## Donald C. Hale

Donald C. Hale, 79, died Dec. 26, 2014, at Beloit Memorial Hospital with his family at his side. Hale was born Aug. 4, 1935 in Blanchardville, Wisconsin, the son of Dale and Clara (Hendrickson) Hale. He graduated from Clinton High School in 1953 and UW Short Course in 1954. Hale married Doris M. Hawkins in 1954. On Sept. 15, 1973, Hale married Kay Zentner at the United Church of Christ in Belleville.

Hale farmed in the Clinton area, was assistant swine herdsman for UW Madison Hog Farms, Tri State Breeders in Platteville and Midland Co-op Boar Testing Station in Belleville. Hale retired as district territory manager for Kent Feed Company after 25 years of service. He enjoyed helping Mar Ke Farms in Sharon, Wisconsin, after his retirement from Kent. Hale was

an active member of Jefferson Prairie Lutheran Church, Rock County Pork Producers and Clinton FFA Alumni. He enjoyed judging fairs and working with the youth. One of the highlights of Hale's life was showing the Jr. Champion Barrow at the Chicago International Hog Show in 1955. The barrow was purchased by the National Swine Growers, and Hale delivered the barrow to President Eisenhower in Washington D.C. Hale was a loyal Badger and Packer fan.

Hale is survived by his wife and best friend, Kay, his children: Debra (Harley) McWilliams of Platteville; Donna (Verne) Stuessy of Pueblo West, Colorado; Daniel (Jane) Hale of Chilton; Denise (Timothy) Clare of Platteville; sisters Lois Krehoff of Beloit and Sue Hale of Janesville; and sister-in-laws Bonnie (David) LaFleur of Brodhead and Sandra Hale of Greenfield, Indiana; his 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

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He was preceded in death by his parents; sons, Jeffrey and Douglas; brothers, Alvin and Roger; and sister, Julie Strom.

The family wants to sincerely thank Dr. Leo Egbujiobi, Dr. Annabelle Tolentino and the Critical Care nursing staff for their care, love and support.

Hale's funeral service was held on Jan. 5, at Jefferson Prairie Lutheran Church, with Pastor Thomas G. Groth officiating. Friends were received on Jan. 4, at the Brian Mark Funeral Home, Internment took place at the Jefferson Prairie Cemetery. A memorial has been established in his name.



Hobart W. Jones  
1921-2015

## Hobart W. Jones

Hobart "Hobe" W. Jones, 93, of West Lafayette, Indiana, died Jan. 8, at Westminster Health Care. He was born April 15, 1921, in Cass County, Indiana, to the late Thomas and Julia Mae Condon Jones.

Jones graduated from Purdue University in 1943 and became assistant county Extension agent in Tippecanoe County. He received his master's degree from The Ohio State University, in 1946, and then managed farms in Indiana, Michigan and Ohio. In 1950, he came to Purdue University and taught animal science in the College of Agriculture. He received his PhD, in 1958, from the University of Kentucky. Jones retired, in 1988, after 38 years at Purdue. While at Purdue, he won many teaching awards and national awards for his work in animal science and the swine industry.

On Dec. 12, 1943, he married Lois E. Smith in Waterloo, Indiana, and she survives.

He was a member of St. Andrew United Methodist Church. Jones loved his Lord Jesus Christ, his family, Purdue University and his many students.

Surviving along with his wife are his children Jennie Lu Jones of West Lafayette; Thomas Scott Jones (Susan) of Kalamazoo, Michigan; Douglas Wayne Jones (fiancée, Patty) of West Lafayette; Daniel Raye Jones (Michele) of Noblesville; grandchildren Michael Scott Jones (Karin) of Ft. Pierce, Florida; Jennifer Royal Jones of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania; Steven Hobart Jones of Noblesville; great-grandchildren Marlee Elizabeth and Maxwell Hobart Jones of Ft. Pierce, Florida. Also surviving are his brother James L. Jones (Nancy) of Lafayette and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Jones was preceded in death by sisters Mary Atkinson and Ellen Mackey.

Visitation followed by the service was on Jan. 17, at St. Andrew United Methodist Church, Revs. Tim Burchell and Pat Sleath officiating. Private entombment was at Tippecanoe Memory Gardens. Those wishing may contribute in Jones' memory to St. Andrew United Methodist Church youth programs or the Baltzell Endowed Scholarship honoring Millard Plumlee, Hobart Jones and Martin Stob (online at [purdue.edu/giving](http://purdue.edu/giving) or checks to Purdue Foundation with memo to Baltzell Scholarship, 403 W. Wood St., West Lafayette, IN 47907).

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LeRoy Steffensmeier  
1927-2015

## LeRoy Henry Steffensmeier

LeRoy Henry Steffensmeier, 87, of rural Fort Madison, Iowa, passed away Jan. 21, at the Fort Madison Community Hospital.

Born April 17, 1927, in rural West Point, Iowa, he was the son of William Steven and Christina (Pomberg) Steffensmeier. On June 25, 1953, he married Rosanna Sanders at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Houghton, Iowa.

Survivors include his wife, Rosanna; five sons: Bill Steffensmeier of Fort Madison, Bob Steffensmeier of Fort Madison, Joe (Kathy) Steffensmeier of West Point, Pat (Peggy) Steffensmeier of West Point, and Tom (Carla) Steffensmeier of West Point; four daughters: MaryLee Burgason of Cedar Rapids, Sue (Joe) Butler of Burlington, Joan (Bob) Conley of Madison, Wisconsin, and Jean (Brad) Schulte of Fort Madison; 27 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, one sister,

Mrs. Cecil (Luella) Menke and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, an infant son, one son-in-law, one brother and three sisters.

Steffensmeier was a graduate of St. Mary's High School. He was an Army veteran having served during the Korean War. He was a life-long farmer and raised hogs in the rural Fort Madison area. Steffensmeier was a member of St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church in West Point and the West Point American Legion Holtz-Geers Post #668. He enjoyed playing cards and spending time with his grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Jan. 24, at St. Mary's of the Assumption Catholic Church in West Point with Father Dennis Hoffman as Celebrant. Burial was at the Calvary Cemetery in West Point with full military rites presented by the West Point American Legion.

Memorials may be made in his memory to St. Mary's Catholic Church or Holy Trinity Catholic Schools.



Robert Neal Perry  
1932-2015

## Robert Neal Perry

Robert Neal Perry, 82, journeyed home with Christ on Jan. 25, 2015. Perry was born on July 25, 1932, the youngest of three children to Eunice Belle McDuffee and Joseph Benjamin Perry. His mother passed away, in 1934, when he was two years old. His father married Alta Collett with whom he had three more children.

Together they raised their six kids on the

family farm near Leonard, Missouri.

Perry graduated from Clarence High School, in 1950, and the University of Missouri-Columbia (MU), in 1954, with a bachelor's degree in animal husbandry. He was an Air Force ROTC cadet during college and enlisted in the United States Air Force for active duty from Aug. 16, 1954 to Aug. 15, 1957, with an honorable discharge accumulating over 3,000 flight hours as a pilot. He, then, served in the Selective Service until Oct. 18, 1967, when he retired as a First Lieutenant in the United States Air Force.

United in marriage to Kathleen Anne Moore on June 15, 1957, they raised four children on the family farm in Bethel, Missouri. God continued to bless their family with 15 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Perry discovered his passion of raising purebred hogs with his brother, Dr. John Perry, during their high school FFA experience. After participating on the livestock judging team while attending MU, he went on to build a reputable career of raising Duroc hogs, judging livestock shows in 30 states, hosting countless judging team workouts at the farm for 4-H, FFA and collegiate teams and mentoring many young producers in the livestock industry. He was honored with numerous industry awards including the American Farmer degree in FFA, National Pork All American, Missouri Pork Producers Master Seedstock Producer, Livestock Leadership Award and Missouri Livestock Symposium Person of the Year.

After Perry and Kathleen were married, they moved to her family farm north of Bethel, which already had strong roots in building an Angus cattle herd that traces back to 1922. They continued nourishing those strong roots by building a family business built on integrity and performance, earning Perry the NEMO Beef Cattle Improvement Associations Outstanding Seedstock Producer and the Missouri Angus Pioneer Award. This long-standing heritage was honored by being certified a Centennial Angus Herd in 2009.

Community leadership was a role Perry took seriously by investing his time and serving from 1964 to 1982 on the North Shelby School Board of Education and as Deacon, Elder and Chairman of the Board at the Bethel Christian Church. He served for more than 50 years with the Masonic Lodge, as well as a member of the Farm Bureau.

An avid sports fan and competitor, Perry was never happier than when he was watching a Mizzou Tigers game or attending any of his children's or grandchildren's athletic games.

During his time in the hospital, so many individuals took the time to share their memories of Perry with the family. He was described as a man of faith, compassion, honor and integrity. Wonderful stories were retold, demonstrating his ability to serve as a mentor, guardian, protector and role model. Engaging with so many, he was said to walk-the-walk of how to build relationships and treat other people, often telling a story or joke to make someone smile. He was a loving and devoted husband, father (Daddy Bob), grandpa (Papa), brother, uncle and friend. He was a man his family loved dearly and will always strive to emulate in their journey of life.

The family would like to express a special thank you to Darrell Vanskike and all others who helped Perry and Kathleen on the farm over the years.

Perry is survived by his wife, Kathleen; children: James Neal Perry and wife, Paula, Bethel; Lindall Alan Perry and wife, Jane Ann, Columbia; Robert Michael Perry, Liberal; and Eunice Kay Perry Harris and husband, John, St. Louis; along with his 15 grandchildren and one great-grandson; three siblings: Johnny Mac Perry, Brookfield; George Eldon Perry, Columbia, Illinois; and Carol Jo Perry Hammond, Shelbyville.

He is preceded in death by his parents Joseph Benjamin and Eunice Belle McDuffee Perry, step-mother Alta Collett Perry, two siblings, Lola Elaine Perry Harvey and Donald Gale Perry, two sister-in-laws, Charlotte Taylor Perry and Mary Hermann Perry and one brother-in-law John Hammond.

Funeral services were held at on Jan. 29, at the Bethel Christian Church in Bethel, with burial and full military honors following at Shiloh Cemetery near Bethel. Visitation was held on Jan. 28, at the Bethel Christian Church. Masonic Services were held that evening. The family suggests memorials be made to Shiloh Cemetery, Neighbors Helping Neighbors, Shiloh Christian Children's Ranch, Show Me Youth Home or the Bethel Christian Church.

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# FATHER-DAUGHTER DUO

## *Dream Big*

By Katie Maupin

Ron Smith called up his daughter, Jennifer Slagle, with an idea. “What if we bought a couple of Yorkshire gilts and started a very small showpig herd?” he asked.

Slagle recalls the emphasis was on “very small.” Over a series of phone calls Smith continued to talk about this “small project,” “just something to do,” and promised they’d only purchase a couple of gilts. Smith swore he’d be comfortable with two sows.





To learn more about WinMor Farms, visit their website [winmorfarms.com](http://winmorfarms.com), or scan the QR Code to visit their Facebook page. Jennifer Slagle loves keeping customers updated on the latest events from big wins to using hotdog buns to give sows Matrix.

Slagle talked to her husband, Don, in their suburban home in Des Moines, Iowa. She told Don how nice it would be to have a father-daughter project that would take her back to her livestock roots.

So, Jennifer, Don and Smith agreed on this little adventure and headed south to Lake City, Arkansas, to select a couple of elite Yorkshire females from Steve Cobb and Family, in December 2006.

That small project grew and grew. Their two sows, turned to a dozen, and then, that dozen grew to 25. Today, Smith and Slagle own 60 sows and market seedstock and showpigs across the country. The father-daughter duo is still amazed when they think of how the WinMor name went from a silly suggestion to a genetic brand known nationwide, in less than a decade.

"When we picked the name, we were really just joking around," Slagle says. "We really didn't envision it being a name that would be promoted nationally. I remember, when we were toying with 'WinMor' and Dad joked it sounded better than 'Lose Less.'"

Everyone knows the family isn't joking now. They're deadly serious when it comes to making management decisions. They don't cut corners with health, genetics and nutrition, but they also don't tolerate anything less than efficient production. Those 60 sows that stay pay for themselves by producing consistent litters time and time again.

Since the WinMor brand was born, the firm has bred enough banner-grabbing prospects to live up to their name. The Champion Yorkshire Gilt at the 2011 World Pork Expo Junior National was bred by Smith and Slagle. That same female went on to be named the Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt at the Summer Type Conference. In 2012, the then record-selling \$28,000 Reserve Champion Crossbred Gilt at the Indiana State Fair Crossbred Classic was WinMor-bred. The next year, the family showed the Champion and Top-Selling Hampshire Boar at the Summer Type Conference. He was better known as Consensus and

**"We've always felt like everybody has the same access to the elite boars, but not everyone has access to great females." — Ron Smith**



Ron Smith and daughter, Jennifer Slagle, raised the Champion and Top-Selling Hampshire Boar at the 2013 Summer Type Conference in Louisville, Kentucky. Their winning entry stood at Lean Value Sires and was better known as Consensus. He was named Premier Hampshire Sire at the 2014 World Pork Expo. His littermate barrow also won the Hampshire breed during the National Junior Summer Spectacular before being named 4<sup>th</sup> Purebred Barrow Overall.

stood at Lean Value Sires in Ohio. The boar's littermate barrow grabbed the Champion Hampshire Barrow banner in the junior ring. Last August, WinMor won, once again, when the team bred the Grand Champion Junior Breeding Gilt at the Ohio State Fair.

While the WinMor crew has made a name for themselves in a relatively short time, it's important to realize WinMor Farms didn't start eight years ago.

Ron Smith is an Iowa native and a stockman. He grew up on a farm. His father, Clarence Smith, raised Chester Whites, and Ron showed cattle throughout the country, even

winning his breed with a steer at the National Western Stock Show.

Smith married and settled down in Atlantic, Iowa, raising kids, crops and commercial hogs.

By the late '80s, Smith was raising commercial breeding stock and had put together an impressive set of Hampshires. Seeing the industry begin to shift toward a leaner market hog, Smith scanned hogs and poured over carcass data, breeding belted pigs that were much leaner than their peers.

Searching for a Hampshire boar unique enough to move his herd in the leaner, trimmer direction, Smith

attended the 1991 NSR Fall Classic in Duncan, Oklahoma. There, he found his changer. KTF1 Impact 16-6, the Ken Tone Farms entry, stood 14<sup>th</sup> in a class of 15. But, he was exactly what Smith needed, so he partnered with Larry Miller of Stewartville, Iowa, to buy Impact.

Unbeknownst to Smith, the purchase of Impact would catapult him to the center of the showpig scene, somewhere no commercial producer expects to be.

“The showpig business just found him because his boars were right for the industry, at the time,” Slagle says.

Impact sired RJS Hawkeye and the notable Cherokee Lady sow, both of whom show up in many popular Hampshire pedigrees today. Smith also raised the popular boar, Dino, and his sire, Blackout, and housed the pair with Kirk Swanson of 4K Farms in Red Oak, Iowa.

“One day in the early ’90s, I got a call from Kirk Swanson telling me Blackout sired the Champion Barrow at the Houston Livestock Show,” Smith recalls. “Since my focus was raising commercial breeding stock and not showpigs at the time, I didn’t have an appreciation for the fact that this event was a big deal.”

But this was a big deal, and it changed Smith’s place in the swine industry.

“It was like we were on the map overnight,” he says. “All of a sudden, ready or not, we were in the showpig business.”

Smith began having success exhibiting Hampshires at Type Conferences, and his two children, Slagle

and Javen Smith, exhibited countless champions at American Royal, Ak-Sar-Ben and Iowa State Fair. The family brought the top-selling Hampshire Boar to the ’93 Winter Type Conference in Louisville, Kentucky. That boar stood at Triple B Sires and was known to the industry as Sugar Ray.

By 1996, Smith had fully embraced the showpig business, making weekly

trips, their focus was on the females.

“We’ve always felt like everybody has the same access to the elite boars,” Smith explains, “But not everyone has access to great females.”

Great females are WinMor’s specialty.

“We put a lot of emphasis on the female side of the herd, because we believe it is the females that drive the consistency of our showpigs,” Slagle says.

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— Jennifer Slagle

trip deliveries to Southwest breeders and exhibitors and starting a live showpig auction in Iowa. But everything changed, and in the late ’90s, Smith’s kids were grown and hog prices hit an all-time low. So in 2000, he sold out his sows and moved to Wisconsin to manage a commercial boar stud.

That’s why this idea of a “little project,” appealed so much to his daughter, Slagle, six years later. Slagle married, Don, and worked for John Deere Financial, a career opportunity that had replaced farrowing houses with a city scape with coffee shops and corner pubs. While the corporate world and suburban lifestyle certainly had its perks, Slagle jumped at the opportunity to get back into the business.

While much of Smith’s reputation in the ’90s was built around notable sires, when they re-entered the busi-

ness, True to Smith’s commercial seed-stock roots, soundness is key. Their sow herd starts at the ground and stays balanced as you build them. Occasionally, they will reach for a piece, but most sows are selected as a total package – complete enough to be functional, yet able to make genetic change when matched with the right boar.

While many producers speak of sire-lines, WinMor Farms speaks of sow-lines. After purchasing their Yorkshire females from Cobbs, the family knew they needed one solid crossbred female, and they looked everywhere. They finally found her in Des Moines. She came all the way from Turlock, California, to place 7<sup>th</sup> in class at the World Pork Expo. The W-D Farms entry was the top-seller, bringing \$11,000. Smith and Slagle named her Hollywood, and she built their crossbred program.



The name WinMor was initially suggested as a light-hearted joke by Ron Smith, since he claimed it sounded better than “Lose Less.” However, in the last eight years, Smith and daughter, Jennifer Slagle, have put together a set of sows whose offspring do just that. Included in the list of recent winners are: Champion Yorkshire Gilt, 2011 WPX Jr. National, and Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt, 2011 STC (left), Champion Breeding Gilt Overall, 2014 Ohio State Fair Junior Show (middle), Champion Hampshire Barrow and 4<sup>th</sup> Overall Purebred Barrow, 2013 NJSS (right).

Slagle laughs when she thinks the breeding piece the family needed to make it on the map in the industry both times they entered the game were found in the bottom of their classes.

Today, many of the WinMor sows go back to Gray-cie, another W-D-bred gilt and a littermate to Sky's the Limit's dam.

The father-daughter duo find this blue female so imperative to their future success, they cloned her in 2014. Her clones will farrow this coming year.

While, they may not have expected WinMor to grow as quickly as it has, each member of the family has contributed to the farm's success. Smith offers years of animal husbandry experience, a keen eye for confirmation and an uncanny ability to handle animals. Slagle is the farrowing house specialist using her vacation time in the farrowing house and serving as the marketing guru behind WinMor's social media and promotions. Her husband, Don, serves as the accountant and engineer of the project running numbers and balancing budgets, in

addition to managing the family's row crop operation in Malcom, Iowa, and working for AgStar Financial Services.

This past December, the family moved the sow herd from Wisconsin to Don's hometown – Grinnell, Iowa.

Now, they work closer than ever, and Slagle hopes her children will benefit from the industry. Her son, Will, loves attending Type Conferences where he has met several kids who share his love for farm equipment toys, unlike his suburban peers.

No matter where the WinMor brand goes, the family will always live by the saying: "Dream big, work hard, stay focused and surround yourself with good people." And, that's just what the showpig business allows them to do.



WinMor's sow herd made the move from Ron Smith's previous home in Wisconsin to the newly constructed farm in Don Slagle's hometown of Grinnell, Iowa. The move will allow Smith and Slagle to work more closely together, and the entire family is looking forward to working on the farm together.

(Below left) The Smith grandkids hang out on the stairwell. From l-r: Natalie Smith, 7; Will Slagle, 6; Anna Slagle, 5; Monte Smith, 4; Creighton Smith, 2. (1) Jennifer Slagle and her children, Will and Anna, check on the new construction. (2) The farrowing barn at the new Grinnell location is where Jennifer spends most of her time helping. (3) Ron Smith checks sows in the new gestation barn. He is fondly referred to as the "pig whisperer" by family and close friends. (4) The show barn portion of the new farm has well-kept pens and fresh shavings for prospects preparing for exhibition. (5) Will loves farming and helping with the family's swine operation. Here he assists with chores in his John Deere Gator Power Wheels. (6) Ron lets granddaughter, Anna, take a ride on one of the 60 sows the family now farrows.



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# PROTECT YOUR PIG

By Ann Fry



With semen prices at hundreds of dollars per dose, gilts selling in the double digits at auction and the demand for weanling pigs steadily increasing, raising hogs can be a sizeable investment. Producers should do all they can to protect their investments and prevent economic loss. Showpigs are at high risk of being exposed to any and all swine diseases, creating the need for maximum protection.





Vaccinations are a producer's insurance policy, Eric Fugate, senior account manager at Merck Animal Health, says.

"If pigs are vaccinated, then there is a better chance they will be protected against disease and have a greater chance of remaining disease-free and healthy," he says.

With the showpig-buying season in full swing, the *Seedstock EDGE* created a list of vaccination do's and don'ts to keep in mind as you protect your investments.

### Do: Understand how vaccines work

When the vaccine is given, cells in the pig's immune system recognize the disease-causing viruses or bacteria, also known as pathogens, as something that doesn't belong. Vaccines stimulate the immune system to produce antibodies and immune cells specific to fighting certain pathogens. Antibodies bind to the pathogen and

at Boehringer Ingelheim Vetmedica, says the pig's immune system still recognizes the pathogen in a killed vaccine and starts a response for the body to remember, if the real pathogen is present later.

A MLV stimulates the immune system more than a killed vaccine, creating more protection against a future invasion of a real pathogen. MLVs are made by taking a live pathogen and modifying it to remove the usual harmful effect. The MLV can then replicate within the pig. The replication results in an infection, but not clinical disease. Instead, the replicated pathogen continues to stimulate the immune system beyond the injection time, creating a stronger immune response.

### Don't: Ignore label instructions

As is the case with any type of medication or drug, it is important to read and follow the label instructions. Improper storage and handling can make vaccines ineffective.

"Failure of a vaccine to provide

Vaccines can also be ineffective if administered improperly. Dr. Brandon Miller, of the West Central Veterinary Services, recommends all vaccines be administered intramuscularly. The ideal injection site is in the neck, behind the base of the ear, in front of the shoulder and below the spine. Never give a vaccine in the ham.

Part of proper vaccine administration includes using the appropriate needle size. Miller says baby pigs typically require an 18-20 gauge, half inch to three-quarter inch needle, while adult pigs need a 16 gauge, one inch to one and a half inch needle.

Needles should be changed frequently to reduce contamination. In an ideal world, needles would be changed between every pig; however, Payne says between every 10 to 20 pigs is acceptable. Proper sanitation of syringes is also necessary.

"Syringes should be kept clean by always rinsing them with warm water on the outside and inside after each use," he says.

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— Eric Fugate

neutralize it, while the immune cells discard the pathogen by destroying it.

Dr. Karen Lehe, technical services veterinarian for Merck Animal Health, compares the vaccination process to building a factory.

"When the pig is vaccinated, a factory is built in the immune system to produce the needed tools – the antibodies," she says. "When the pig encounters the virus or bacteria again, the factory is started and the tools are produced in large numbers. The tools are then used to prevent disease."

There are two kinds of vaccines, killed and modified live (MLV). In a killed vaccine, the pathogen introduced to build immunity is killed and no longer harmful. Dr. Brian Payne, associate director of swine technical management

protection depends not only upon the quality of the product, but also how it is used. The most expensive vaccine is the one that doesn't work," says Lehe.

One of the first things to note is most vaccines must be refrigerated. Lehe explains refrigeration extends the life of the vaccine, to the printed expiration date, and decreases the risk of bacterial growth inside a partially-used bottle. If you have a partially-used bottle that has changed color, she cautions against using it.

Some vaccines have to be mixed before using. Using the vaccine in the time frame listed on the bottle after mixing insures the pathogen is still alive and will be effective at stimulating the immune system for protection. Any unused doses should be disposed of.

Used needles and syringes should be disposed of in a sharps container. These can be provided by your veterinarian and should be a rigid, puncture-resistant containers. Miller notes that a clean, gallon milk jug works great. Once the container is full, most veterinary clinics offer disposal of sharps containers. Talk to your local veterinarian about their sharps container policies and procedures.

Broken or bent needles should also be disposed of in a sharps container as soon as they are broken. If a needle breaks in the pig, identify the location. Notify your veterinarian, and they may be able to remove it. If the needle is still in the pig when it is sent to market, the purchaser must be informed of this contamination. Most broken needles

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can be avoided with proper restraint and handling techniques prior to injection.

## Do: Vaccinate at the proper time

Vaccines are most effective when they are given at the proper time.

“Vaccines are designed for particular times within the production cycle, most notably, the breeding herd and growing-aged pigs,” Miller says. “Improper timing in vaccine administration is one of the most common problems for vaccine failure.”

He goes on to say pre-breeding vaccines have been developed to protect against abortion and stillbirth, among other things, during the gestation period. The most common pre-breeding vaccines are *Parvovirus*, *Leptospirosis* and *Erysipelas*. They may also receive vaccines for *Influenza virus* (flu) and *Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Virus* (PRRS). In gilts, Miller encourages producers to use his “5/2 rule.” Pre-breeding vaccinations should be given five and two weeks before insemination. Gilts usually need two vaccinations for strong immunity. Sows that were vaccinated during their previous breeding, gestation or lactation period only need one vaccination to boost their immunity. If a sow was not vaccinated, they should be treated as a gilt with no vaccination history.

Pre-farrowing vaccines are also given to protect the baby pigs against diseases early in life.

“The sow responds to the vaccine, and then transfers antibodies through her milk that protect the pigs,” Lehe explains. “Sows are often vaccinated this way to protect pigs from diarrhea caused by *E. coli*, *Clostridium* and *Rotavirus*.”

Lehe recommends vaccinating sows four to six weeks before they are due to farrow. When vaccinating a pregnant sow, she says it is important to be extra cautious. It is critical to use sterile equipment and handle the vaccines properly to reduce contamination. You don’t want to do anything that may cause them to terminate their litter and lose the potential pigs.

After the sow has farrowed, the baby pigs should be vaccinated around the time of weaning, according to Miller. He urges producers to read and follow label instructions, as some vaccines require boosters two to three weeks later, while others do not. In this age group, the most common vaccines are *Mycoplasma*, *Erysipelas*, *Influenza* and *Circovirus*. PRRS may also be given, but consult with your veterinarian first.

As Fugate says, pigs are vaccinated against diseases they will encounter within their own environment and against diseases there is a high risk of encountering from exposure to other



pigs. Vaccinating growing-aged pigs insures good immunity for any you sell, show and take off the farm, as well as those you keep at home.

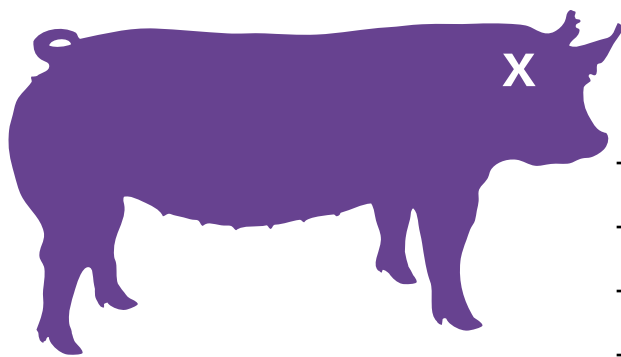
If you purchase any showpigs, contact the breeder to find out what vaccinations have already been given. If they have not received any, treat them with the vaccines you would a recently-weaned pig. It is also helpful to know what they have already received, as some vaccines require a booster.

## Don't: Use vaccines in place of proper biosecurity

Vaccines are a tool to reduce the risk of disease, but they do not eliminate it.

“Vaccines are not a replacement for biosecurity or high-quality pig management,” Miller says. “Vaccination does not equal immunization.”

If a pig’s immune system is weakened by a stressful environment, unsanitary conditions or inadequate nutrition, then even a well-vaccinated pig will have trouble staying healthy. As Fugate



## Recommended Needle Size

Intramuscular Injection	Gauge	Length (inches)
Baby Pigs	18 or 20	5/8" or 1/2"
Nursery	16 or 18	3/4" or 5/8"
Finisher	16	1"
Breeding Stock	14, 15 or 16	1" or 1 1/2"



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says, good management, excellent biosecurity and a sound vaccination plan must all be part of the picture.

Good management and biosecurity include isolating new pigs, and any potential new diseases, away from the central farm, limiting the number of visitors and minimizing contact with your herd. Separate your pigs, if possible, by age, and establish a pattern for people and pigs that prevents exposure of younger pigs to older pigs. Clean and disinfect any equipment, trailers, trucks and even clothing that have been to another farm, show or sale.

Payne puts it simply.

“Choring your pigs daily, providing a clean, dry place to sleep along with clean water and nutritious food will go a long way,” he says. “However,

utilizing a proper vaccine protocol will help prevent disease, and therefore prevent less-than-desired growth and appearance. These things are easy to implement early in the pig’s life and will have long-lasting and positive impacts.”

### Do: Establish a relationship with a veterinarian

There are many resources available to help producers with herd health, but the most valuable resource is your veterinarian.

“Plan ahead, and don’t believe everything you read in blogs and web forums,” Miller says. “I strongly urge all breeders and showpig purchasers to establish a working relationship with your veterinarian regarding vaccination protocols and overall herd health.”

Every swine herd is different; what works for one operation may not work for another. It is important your veterinarian know the disease status and purpose, be it showpigs or commercial animals, of the herd to create a vaccination plan specific to your operation.





Combining a veterinarian-developed vaccination program with good management practices and biosecurity protocols is the best way to protect your investment and prevent diseases from affecting your swine herd.

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# PICKING *your* PROSPECT

By Katie Maupin



And so the hunt begins - the quest to find the next great one. But, how can you ensure you have the perfect showpig to grab the banner or gilt to serve as your herd's foundation female? With these few quick tips from industry experts, you'll be well on your way to picking your perfect prospect.



## Do your research

Before you ever pull into a breeder's driveway to look at prospects or log-on to sift through sale photos, you need to do a little research. Responsible breeders do their own research long before the pigs are even born.

"Genetics play a key role in it," explains Tye Lettow of Lettow Show Pigs, Woodward, Iowa. "When we breed a sow, we have a purpose in mind."

Steve Malcolm of Malcolm Farms, Hometown, Indiana, agrees.

"I wouldn't say a pedigree is everything, but it is huge. We study those pedigrees, and not just who the sire and dam are – we follow the pedigree back as far as we can," he says.

The Malcolm family puts extra emphasis on the bottom side of the pedigree, as they've seen the sow's past success carry her offspring to similar success time after time.

Adam Crouch, Sunglo Feeds show feed specialist of Greentown, Indiana, has a keen eye for picking winning prospects, and he also emphasizes the power of knowing a pedigree.

"If I have had success with some boar or pigs out of a certain sow, then those prospects with similar breeding will always get a second look from me," he says.

Even if your goal for this prospect is to take home a banner in a market show with no intention of ever purchasing seedstock to breed, you should never underestimate the power behind a pedigree.

"Buyers need to do their homework, just as much as breeders, when it comes to knowing the breeding of showpigs," Lettow says.

## Know your goals

As important as knowing the genetics you would prefer to find in a prospect pig, you need to know what your own goals are for the prospect. Would you like to campaign the pig on your state's jackpot circuit? Do you want to get a blue ribbon at your county fair in late-June, or make a run for the banner at your state fair in mid-August? Maybe you want to show the gilt before you

breed her to serve as a building block for your own operation, or maybe you're simply looking for a replacement female that will never be driven before a judge.

Your goals for your project may greatly affect the way you choose it. This is why Malcolm's first question to anyone who visits his farm looking for a showpig is simple – what's your game plan?

"We need to know what age of pigs to look at," he explains. "If you get a March pig and show up at a county fair in mid-July with a 150-pound pig, that won't do anyone any good."

Lettow echoes Malcolm, saying breeders have to know what a buyer is expecting. Then, the breeder can select

a breeding gilt, vulva size and underline become much more important than when looking at a gilt to use as a market animal. It's also important to know what type of prospect will work with your feeding program.

"Certain groups of people buy certain types of hogs," Lettow says. "Some people will buy more show-ready, heavy-muscled hogs to start out, but they will still have them ready for state fair time. Others prefer greener hogs to start with that will be fed to be ready for later shows. It comes down to your preference as to what type of pig you want to start with. Generally, the ones that buy them more show-ready want to jackpot them, while

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— Tye Lettow



When picking out prospects, the first place to start is at the ground. Structure is one trait that cannot be altered by feeding, and if a prospect isn't sound as a baby, they will not be sound on show day.

the type of pig from their program that best matches that buyer's goals, and that can vary from program to program, since some genetics can grow faster or slower than others.

The end goal of your project can also affect the phenotype of the prospect you select. For example, if you're looking for

the greener hogs tend to be really competitive around state fair time."

Malcolm says it doesn't matter which type you prefer as long as you are familiar with what you need to reach your goals.

"Everybody feeds differently. It's amazing how guys like different types

of pigs. I can almost tell you what type of pig the people who've done business with us for many years will pick out," he says. "The people feeding pigs in groups need a different pig than the guy who will be feeding them individually in their own pen."

## Look past the picture

Online auctions are a great way to buy and sell showpigs, but no buyer should depend on a photo alone when making purchasing decisions. Some prospects will look much better in a still photo than they do driving on the chips. Others will have great assets, such as wide, even toes, that aren't initially apparent in a sale photo. As Lettow explains, photos aren't the most reliable way to select prospects because that snapshot comes down to personal preference.

"You could poll a lot of people asking what an ideal photo is for a particular pig, and get several different answers," he explains.

Malcolm likes to see the prospects he purchases to ensure that animal is more than a great photo.

"If you like the picture of a pig, I would call and ask about it, if you can't make a trip to see that pig personally," he says.

Crouch encourages everyone to look at the hogs, and like Malcolm, he says to ask questions.

"Call that breeder up and tell them what your end-point goals are, and ask if that hog will meet your expectations," Crouch says. "Ask if its toes are even. Ask about the hog's mother. Is its underline good? Ask any question you can think of. There is not a dumb question, when you're spending your money."

## Start at the ground

Crouch, Lettow and Malcolm will all tell you the great ones are built from the ground up. Structure is one trait that cannot be altered, despite any claims made on supplements and additives, and if a prospect isn't sound as a baby, they will not be sound on show day.

"It's old school, but you have to start at the ground," Malcolm says. "You

want a baby pig to be inside their skeleton – not bowlegged. We study their toe size. Wide-spread, even toes usually mean they will have a decent size leg. The ones that will really show are simply ones without a lot of negatives and balance really well, and the great ones will have a long, natural stride."

Especially in large classes, for a hog to make it to the top of the class, they will have to survive the drive, and no amount of muscle, look or bone will keep them comfortable – it's their skeleton.

**"What wins hog shows is totals. The heaviest-boned pig hardly ever wins the show. The heaviest-muscled pig hardly wins the hog show. It's the ones that have everything that win."** — *Tye Lettow*

"Everyone talks about how bone is key, but it's not the only thing," Lettow says. "What wins hog shows is totals. The heaviest-boned pig hardly ever wins the show. The heaviest-muscled pig hardly wins the hog show. It's the ones that have everything that win. That's why you shouldn't worry about how heavy-boned your neighbor's pig is and just do the best job with the pigs you have on feed."

Crouch may look for the hog with the most "wow factor," when he steps into a chip barn, but structure is still his number one priority. His biggest pet peeve is when a pig is outside of themselves, so he studies their hocks to make sure they aren't bowed out or turned in to ensure that pig will track square and true to the ground.

While it may be easiest to pick the heaviest-muscled pig in the pen, it's not always best. Just like genetics, confirmation is something buyers should study in prospects before they make any purchasing decisions.

Malcolm even encourages buyers to study more than the hog they came to see.

"Look at their littermates," he says. "There will always be an out-

lier, but if they come from a deep litter that is a great sign. If you can, look at the sow. Some breeders consistently do a really good job because their sows are really good."

## Communication is key

All of this research can be compounded by having a great relationship with a breeder. No one knows the prospect like the person who raised it, and they will likely have great insight into its maturity pattern and feeding tactics that work on their genetics.

"In general the biggest thing that buyers and people who raise pigs need to know is that you have to have a relationship with the people you do business with," Lettow says. "It seems that often the people who have the most success are ones that stay loyal to who they buy their hogs from."

Malcolm agrees the relationship between the buyer and seller may be as pivotal to the success of the project as any other factor.

"We always say, 'We're only as good as the people feeding our hogs.' It's a whole team effort," he says.

Crouch always asks breeders who he hasn't worked with in the past about their feeding and vaccination programs. He shies away from prospects being fed a lot of fat, Paylean™ or milk. Knowing their health history also allows Crouch to work with his veterinarian when bringing in new prospects to make sure they're on a similar health program.

He sums up the quest to find the next champion like this: make sure you see with your own eyes what you're buying, have an idea of what your end-point is, then work longer and harder than everyone else.



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**Champion Duroc Boar & Class 2 Winner**  
DCM3 RED BONE 40-3 x DCM6 BIG MOVE 25-7  
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**Champion Duroc Gilt & Class 1 Winner**  
SDF3 LIGHT 'EM UP x CAIN2 KING 1-1  
Shown by Keaton Woods, Ind.  
Sold to Walker Showpigs, Ind., for \$2,000.



**Res. Champion Duroc Boar & 2<sup>nd</sup> Class 2**  
SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1 x CAIN2 KING 1-1  
Shown by Stewart's Duroc Farm, Iowa.  
Sold to Jarred Farmer, Ga., for \$700.



**Res. Champion Duroc Gilt & 2<sup>nd</sup> Class 1**  
PWA2 PSSS RED BARON 13-6 x 3FSF1 ANTICIPATION 31-3  
Shown by Liza Klingenberg, Mich.  
Sold to Meeker Show Team, Ill., for \$1,000.



# From the Field

Brian Anderson, NSR Field Representative

Another Winter Type Conference has come and gone. This time, the weather was much nicer to us than the last couple of times. The one thing that stays constant in Perry, Georgia, is the quality of people, both young and old, and the quality of hogs. The demand for females at this year's event was larger than ever, and it showed on sale night. I would also like to give a shout out to all involved with the NJSA, be it members or staff. This year's Southeast Regional was the largest regional event in the history of the NJSA. Congratulations to all!

The Duroc show had an excellent turnout and lots of good hogs to sort through. Thanks to Ron Nelson of Wakonda, South Dakota, for giving his expert opinion and wisdom, while sorting this year's Duroc show. Also a huge shoutout to Colonel Kevin Wendt, Plain City, Ohio, for a very professional and thorough job of selling this year's event. Always a joy to work with Colonel Wendt!

This year's Premier Sire was CAIN3 King II 8-1, owned by Cain Super Sires, Chariton, Iowa. The Reserve Premier Sire was DRS2 Red Bull 10-1, owned by Shipley Swine Genetics of Ohio.

While Duroc boar numbers were not huge, they were still very good and fun to watch Judge Nelson sort. Leading off Class 1 was Goff Select Swine Genetics from Indiana with a really big-chested, stout-made son of Accelerator. This rascal had a great big shoulder and rib cage with a great attitude. Congratulations to Carroll Bullard, Georgia, on a good purchase. Ron Pierce and Jeff Odell were second with a son of Roger B that was really extended and tall at the top of his shoulder. This guy offered some extra breeding value with his extension and flexibility. He will get a chance to do great things for Gregg Oglesby in Georgia.

Class 2 got really good, really fast. David Martin from Iowa won the class with the eventual Champion Duroc Boar, a son of Red Bone, a past champion himself for David. This guy was good built and complete. There just wasn't a huge hole in this rascal. He had bone, muscle, look and his feet and legs were really good. Bartholomew Farms teamed up with Judge Ron Nelson to stud this guy in Tennessee. Thanks, guys and gals! Stewart's Duroc Farm from Iowa was in second with the

eventual Reserve Champion Duroc Boar. He was a son of Bold Ruler and was so typical of others we have seen Doug drive – big centered, heavy boned and lots of muscle. This guy had lots of good to him and could walk all day long. Jarred Farmer from Georgia is his new owner.

A very nice Duroc gilt show led the day off, and these females were in very high demand later in the evening. The Champion Duroc gilt led off Class 1. Keaton Woods from Indiana drove his daughter of Light 'Em Up to Champion honors. She was really opened up, had lots of muscle and width, yet handled it really well. With all this muscle, she kept her head high and handled her skeleton like a champion should. She is going to get a great chance in the Walker Showpigs herd in Indiana to make some noise. Liza Klingenberg from Michigan was second in class and later named Reserve Champion Duroc Gilt with a daughter of Red Baron. This gal was really special, when you studied her feminine look and squareness. She, too, elevated her head, was extra tall at the top of her shoulder and maintained extra length off both ends. Meeker Show Team in Illinois will give her a fair chance to succeed.

Tyla Voight won Class 2 with a daughter of Red Sensation. Here was another female with lots of value. She was extended and square in her build, while still having good shape and expression from front to rear. This gal will go to work for Steve and Russ Wilson in Pennsylvania and should make them very happy. Mackenzie Hodupp from Indiana was second in class with her daughter of In Motion. Another female so typical of the quality the red gilts offered, this one was big bodied, flexible and had a tremendous amount of dimension from end to end. She will get a great shot to make a name for herself at Southern Gold Sires in Salem, Indiana.

Connor Cleveland from Georgia won Class 3 with his Flash Drive daughter. This lady was so typical of what we have come to see of Flash Drive-sired progeny. She was tremendous in her build and really good in her length and flexibility. She looked like a true lady and will go to work for Eustace Griffin of Georgia. Second in class was Dakota Scott of Georgia with a daughter of King II. This gal had as much length and bigness of skeleton as any and maybe as much true muscle from one



#### Premier Sire – CAIN3 KING II 8-1

Owned by Cain Super Sires. Sydney and Austin Cain accept the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Michael Lackey (c).

#### Res. Premier Sire – DRS2 RED BULL 10-1

Not Pictured. Owned by Shipley Swine Genetics.

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end to the other. She was really square and could prove to be a really fun breeding piece for her new owner, Ray Dean Heard of Georgia.

Class 4 had lots of good breeding pieces. The winner was a daughter of Titus and shown by Trenton Cruz Collings from Indiana. She was as stout featured and heavy boned as any hog in the show. She was really square built and handled herself with ease. This one had breeding value written all over her, and Adam Beck and Family Showpigs in Indiana now gets to choose which stud they want to breed her to. Those boys have

lots of options and are sure to give this one a fair shot. I bet this one has a really good chance at being on the bottom side of a champion pedigree real soon. Savannah Page of Jefferson, Georgia, drove a really good one in second, also. A daughter of In Motion, this one looked like a brood sow. She was extra big bodied, easy fleshing and handled herself really well. She will make a tremendous brood sow.

Thanks again to all involved for another tremendous event!



## Duroc Boar Show Results

### BOARS CLASS 1 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	6-7	Goff Select Swine Genetics, IN	10-9	RWG3 ACCELERATOR 86-1	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	Carroll Bullard, GA	\$450
2	59-1	Ron Pierce & Jeff Odell, OH	2-4	JSCP1 ROGER B 4-1	JLMO RIB CRIB 26-8	Gregg Oglesby, GA	\$400
3	1259-13	Travis Tankersley, GA	1-3	NWEI2 REDNECK ROMEO 93-10	BRJLO GRUS BULL RIDER 50-7	Terry Jean Mick, FL	\$550

### BOARS CLASS 2 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	15-1	David Martin, IA	9-2	DCM3 RED BONE 40-3	DCM6 BIG MOVE 25-7	Abigayle E Bartholomew, TN & Ron Nelson, SD	\$2,100
2	12-2	Stewart's Duroc Farm, IA	3-3	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1	CAIN2 KING 1-1	Jarred Farmer, GA	\$700
3	15-2	David Martin, IA	8-1	DCM2 SHOWCASE 77-1	MM2 BASES LOADED 28-1	Matt O Connor, IN	\$600
4	1009-13	Abigayle E Bartholome, TN	21-4	ABI3 WORK HORSE 18-3	2MEG1 WAR HORSE 11-4	Kole Clark, GA	\$600
5	1046-14	Conner Cleveland, GA	10-4	ACGF2 FLASH DRIVE 12-4	GCKR1 EQUATION 1-7	Charles Gibbs, GA	\$675
6	19-1	Bill & Jana Range, IL	3-3	RUP2 DK ITS ABOUT TIME 10-4	RWG1 ULTRA 56-1	Chad Lyons, FL	\$600

### BOARS CLASS 3 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	55-4	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	2-1	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	RWG8 IMAX 145-2	Shannon Weston, GA	\$400
2	1369-5	Jessica Page, GA	6-4	CAIN2 KING 1-1	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1	Brandon & Bryson Stickler, IL	\$700
3	55-2	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	1-1	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	RWG8 PROBLEM SOLVER 197-2		No Sale
4	1122-11	Dale & Christina Griffin, IN	9-2	ACGF2 FLASH DRIVE 12-4	GRUS9 GRUS RIVER BED 54-9		No Sale

## Duroc Gilt Show Results

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1285-1	Keaton Woods, IN	3-8	SDF3 LIGHT 'EM UP 3-2	CAIN2 KING 1-1	Walker Showpigs, IN	\$2,000
2	1138-1	Liza Klingenberg, MI	36-10	PWA2 PSSS RED BARON 13-6	3FSF1 ANTICIPATION 31-3	Meeker Show Team, IL	\$1,000
3	1133-20	Austin Joostberns, MI	7-5	PWA2 PSSS RED BARON 13-6	SMIB1 ROYAL FLUSH 2-2	William Pippen, FL	\$400
4	1139-2	Riley Klingenberg, MI	36-11	PWA2 PSSS RED BARON 13-6	3FSF1 ANTICIPATION 31-3	Tim Freeman, GA	\$475
5	1128-2	Jackson Johnson, IN	14-16	SDF3 LIGHT 'EM UP 3-2	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	William Pippen, FL	\$450
6	81-1	Braxton Burr, IN	6-7	ACGF2 FLASH DRIVE 12-4	HP1 GET IT 24-5	William Pippen, FL	\$300
7	1128-1	Jackson Johnson, IN	6-7	CHH3 GRUS LONE STAR 19-2	SDH2 RED ANGUS 215-6	Todd See, MI	\$375
9	1142-10	Kenzie & Clay Kretzmeier, IN	6-6	ESSP3 ROCK REVIVAL 19-4	OGL1 PSSS HONEY BADGER 15-1	William Pippen, FL	\$300
10	1227-1	Royal Farms- Emily, Brooks, GA	3-8	DRS2 CRACKIN DOWN 3-4	BMFIO GRUS BIG BUCK 15-1	Francis Burnsed, FL	\$325

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1272-1	Tyla Voight, OH	23-5	MM3 LVS RED SENSATION 25-6	WTX1 TEXAS STUD 34-3	Steve & Russ Wilson, PA	\$425
2	1116-1	Mackenzie Hodupp, IN	11-8	ALBD3 GRUS IN MOTION 17-2	RWGO TRIBUTE 26-3	Southern Gold, IN	\$550
3	15-3	David Martin, IA	14-5	DCM2 YAKETY YAK 30-7	NBD1 GRUS BIG TEN 174-7	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$400
4	48-1	Eli Jones, GA	6-2	VFBF2 INCREDIBLE 24-9	SDH2 RED ANGUS 215-6	Jarred Farmer, GA	\$450
5	1001-20	Devin Ammann, IL	13-5	DDDA3 XR RED JACKET 11-2	WTX2 XR RED JACKET 78-1	Dylan Arrington, AL	\$475
6	1216-1	Raegan Poulnot, GA	13-3	SDF1 BOLD RULER 87-1	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	William Pippen, FL	\$400
7	1001-10	Devin Ammann, IL	13-6	DDDA3 XR RED JACKET 11-2	WTX2 XR RED JACKET 78-1	Terry Jean Mick, FL	\$400
8	1010-2	Dylon Bayman, OH	14-3	NBD3 ICE 177-7	TX1 VORTEX 12-1	Walnut Grove Holdings LLC, OH	\$475

9	1259-10	Travis Tankersley, GA	1-4	NWEI2 REDNECK ROMEO 93-10	BRJLO GRUS BULL RIDER 50-7	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$325
10	1009-20	Abigayle E Bartholomew, TN	28-6	HD3 RED DRAW 11-9	2MEG1 WAR HORSE 11-4	William Pippen, FL	\$300

**OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Duroc**

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1046-1	Conner Cleveland, GA	10-7	ACGF2 FLASH DRIVE 12-4	GCKR1 EQUATION 1-7	Eustace Griffin, GA	\$425
2	1233-1	Dakota Scott, GA	9-8	CAIN3 KING II 8-1	CAIN2 KING 1-1	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$425
3	1256-2	Chloe Studebaker, OH	2-7	JJG2 WISE GUY 32-5	EE00 PSSS PROBLEM CHILD 3-4	Kenneth Bauer, MD	\$400
4	1173-1	Joe & Sam Miller, GA	13-5	DRS2 RED BULL 10-1	WTX1 TEXAS STUD 34-3	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$375
5	1204-10	TJ Parks & Cassie Parks, OH	24-5	CAIN3 KING II 8-1	WTX1 TEXAS STUD 34-3	Sierra Lowder, GA	\$375
6	1111-1	Moriah or JW Hitchcock, GA	9-3	DRS2 RED BULL 10-1	STN1 CARL 51-2	Francis Burnsed, FL	\$400
7	1162-10	Maddy Grace or Mack May, GA	9-2	DRS2 RED BULL 10-1	STN1 CARL 51-2	William Pippen, FL	\$300
8	37-2	Kenneth Bauer, MD	2-2	RWG3 QUAKE 55-5	BEYE1 PSSS HIGH ROLLER 9-1	William Pippen, FL	\$300
9	59-2	Ron Pierce & Jeff Odell, OH	2-7	JSCP1 ROGER B 4-1	JLMO RIB CRIB 26-8	William Pippen, FL	\$400
10	1161-10	Maddy Grace or Mack May, GA	9-6	DRS2 RED BULL 10-1	STN1 CARL 51-2	Blake Danner & DJ Sanders, IN	\$475

**OPEN GILTS CLASS 4 Duroc**

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1050-1	Trenton Cruz Collings, IN	3-1	JJCM2 PSSS TITUS 13-3	MM1 CROWN ROYAL 10-6	Adam Beck and Family Showpigs, IN	\$950
2	1197-1	Savannah Leigh Page, GA	16-1	ALBD3 GRUS IN MOTION 17-2	RBTD1 EARTHQUAKE 54-1	Savannah Page, GA	\$500
3	1172-10	Meecker Show Team, IL	23-6	CAIN3 KING II 8-1	NBD1 GRUS BIG TEN 174-7	Chad Lyons, FL	\$450
4	1140-1	Skylar Knapp, IN	228-15	DRS2 RED BULL 10-1	NBD0 HENNESY 114-1	Richard Lee Bonar, IN	\$1,000
5	1171-1	Meecker Show Team, IL	23-10	CAIN3 KING II 8-1	NBD1 GRUS BIG TEN 174-7	Chad Lyons, FL	\$475
6	33-3	RAR Genetics, IA	36-4	SDF3 RULING CLASS 39-3	ESSPO BUZZ 45-1	William Pippen, FL	\$400
7	1097-1	Kevin Hardin, IN	2-4	JJCM2 PSSS TITUS 13-3	MM2 BREN 28-8	Jarred Farmer, GA	\$425
8	1227-2	Royal Farms- Emily, Brooks, GA	1-5	SNSS3 INCENTIVE 203-3	RWG8 PROBLEM SOLVER 197-2	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$375
9	1171-10	Meecker Show Team, IL	25-7	CAIN3 WITHOUT A DOUBT 4-1	1WLH9 HUXLEY 26-5	Tim Freeman, GA	\$375
11	1009-10	Abigayle E Bartholomew, TN	19-8	AB13 WORK HORSE 18-3	2MEG1 WAR HORSE 11-4	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$325
12	1169-1	Kylie Meadows, AL	5-5	JJG2 WISE GUY 32-5	HD2 TRIFECTA 49-1	Carroll Bullard, GA	\$325

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**Champion Hampshire Boar & Class 2 Winner**  
BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3 x JLM9 TCG AUGUSTA 18-1  
Shown by Ashleigh Funkhouser, Ind.  
Sold to Shaffer's Goldrush, Ind., for \$3,500.



**Champion Hampshire Gilt & Class 2 Winner**  
JL3 SCORE 14-8 x EC0 WOODY 122-2  
Shown by Earl Cain and Family, Iowa.  
Sold to Ralph and Jim Bowling, Ind., for \$4,750.



**Res. Champion Hampshire Boar & 2<sup>nd</sup> Class 2**  
HH2 HAMP STAMP 115-2 x TSOB0 GRUS CAPITAL  
INVESTMENT 27-5  
Shown by Stewart's Duroc Farm, Iowa.  
Sold to Grimm Purebreds, Iowa, for \$900.



**Res. Champion Hampshire Gilt & Class 1 Winner**  
KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5 x DSHYO PURE PIPE 227-10  
Shown by JoeDan Mitchell, Ga.  
Sold to Jeffery Lovelady, Fla., for \$550.



# From the Field

Blaine Evans, NSR Field Representative

As we were all greeted by much better weather at this year's Winter Type Conference, the Hampshire breed highlighted the show. Belted hogs didn't consume the barn; however, the ones we did have offered quality and lots of pieces for breeders to take home and put to work.

The Premier Sire, this year, was last year's Champion Boar, KMRE3 Haymaker 11-5, owned by Premium Blend Genetics in Arlington, Indiana. The Reserve Premier Sire was awarded to BOLN1 Point Maker 118-3, owned by Hi Point Genetics, Chrisman, Illinois.

This year's Champion Boar was driven by the Funkhouser Family of Wingate, Indiana. When Gary drove his boar in the oldest class, I think the entire show ring took notice of him. His boar was a son of BOLN1 Point Maker 118-3, going back to a JLM9 TCG Augusta sow, who happened to be a littermate to the great Wimbledon boar at Shaffer's Goldrush. I felt like the Funkhouser boar was one that could take a lot of people into 2015 and make hogs we have been talking about. Ones that are tall shouldered, great designed and made correctly in terms of structure. This boar was a good-designed, good-looking hog, but when you got right up on him, he had a tremendous amount of muscle and shape up high. His pin set was wide and square, and he maintained this width down to the surface. I don't know if I can recall a Hampshire boar in recent history with toes and pastern set like this guy. I challenge everyone to study this boar as an individual and see where he fits in your program; this is a boar many can use. Shaffer's Goldrush in Albany, Indiana, got him gathered him up. Check him out in their upcoming catalog.

Stewart's Duroc Farm of Waverly, Iowa, had this year's Reserve Champion Hampshire Boar. This was another hog many saw a lot of value in. Doug's boar was one that fits the same mold as the champion, in terms of being a good-designed and good-looking kind of hog. Sired by HH2 Hamp Stamp 115-2 and going back to a TSOB0 GRUS Capital Investment sow, this one is not only backed by genetics, but as an individual, he was no slouch. I was most impressed when the hog drove right at me. He was wide chested and square at the ground, but still

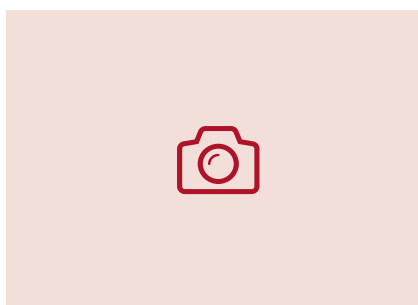
had his head up high on his shoulder blade with a killer look. This guy had an extended look up front but still had a stout, breeding-hog head and skull. Grimm Purebreds will know what to do with him as he makes his way back to Iowa.

All in all, we sold seven Hampshire boars on Saturday night for an average of just over a thousand dollars. This just goes to show that more and more people are not only interested in this breed, but also see a need to have a their own Hampshire boars at home. I hope this show is an indication of the quality of the belted breed that will show in 2015.

We only had three classes of Hampshire gilts, this year, but the good news is we put a very high percentage of the gilts in the sale, and the buying public was interested in purchasing these great females. We offered 24 Hampshire gilts and sold every one that hit the ring with a solid average just over \$700. We have seen the demand for good, productive females increase over the last six months, and I can't help but be excited about what 2015 has to hold in terms of the quality and demand of these elite Hampshire gilts.

This year's Champion Gilt at the Winter Type Conference goes to Earl Cain and Family, Iowa. Their daughter of JL3 Score 14-8 is the first gilt I have laid my eyes on out of Score. I know many across the country have sampled Score and look forward to seeing what he can do for them. I can't say enough about this Champion Gilt. She was able to combine a productive, breeding hog type of look with the design and balance of a show gilt. Not only was she stout skulled, big forearmed and heavy structured, but this female was also attractive fronted sound built, and productive about her body shape. I think this gilt will be an easy-keeping, productive female that Ralph and Jim Bowling, of Indiana, will be able to breed to several different Hampshire boars.

JoeDan Mitchell of Martin, Georgia, drove this year's Reserve Grand Champion Gilt, an August-born daughter of last year's Champion Boar, KMRE3 Haymaker 11-5. Many have sure used and sampled Haymaker, and I have been able to see many out of this young sire. He is definitely one that could be on your list for swinging big changes in terms of bone



**Premier Sire – KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5**  
Owned by Premium Blend Genetics, Ind. Kevin Wendt accepts the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Michael Lackey (r).

**Res. Premier Sire – BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3**  
Not Pictured. Owned by Hi Point Genetics, Ill.

# SHOWS

and muscle in one generation. This female looks like she is cut right from that cloth — good designed, heavy structured and the muscle that has made the Hampshires famous for years. She was one of the really good, young gilts we sold on Saturday. Jeffery Lovelady, Florida, is now the new owner of this exciting, young female.

The class winner of Class 3 was the Cedar Ridge Farms' 1-3 entry from Illinois. A daughter of CRSH2 Tidal Wave 99-1, this gilt is one anyone could take home and rest easy knowing she would be a good-structured, productive gilt. This gilt was one of the biggest-bodied gilts in the offering. She was loose spined and flexible on both ends. Her angles read like she could be around

for several years in any environment. William Pippen, Florida, who assembled quite the group of gilts on sale day, takes this one home to build around.

A special thanks to Col. Kevin Wendt and all the bidders and buyers on Saturday night. I know we all left that sale feeling optimistic about, not only the growth in the Southeast, but also the prospect of what is to come in 2015. We offered nearly every gilt shown in the open show and were able to sell all the purebred gilts and boars. This speaks volumes for the demand for high-quality hogs, no matter where we are in the country. Thanks to all that help and safe travels to the next one.



## Hampshire Boar Show Results

### BOARS CLASS 1 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	5-1	Earl L. Cain & Family, IA	20-5	JL3 SCORE 14-8	MVLS0 OH MY 3-1	JW Wilson, NC	\$600
2	1178-1	JoeDan Mitchell, GA	11-4	KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5	DSHYO PURE PIPE 227-10	Lorelei Prichard, GA	\$400
3	45-1	Engler Family, IA	4-3	CFLK3 NO DEBATE 14-5	CDOO POINT TAKEN 257-3	Austin Joostberns, MI	\$900

### BOARS CLASS 2 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	46-4	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	1-2	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	JLM9 TCG AUGUSTA 18-1	Shaffer's Goldrush, IN	\$3,500
2	12-1	Stewart's Duroc Farm, IA	5-2	HH2 HAMP STAMP 115-2	TSOBO GRUS CAPITAL INVESTMENT 27-5	Grimm Purebreds, IA	\$900
3	7-1	John Graber & Family, OH	9-3	KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5	SDF2 NEW ADVENTURE 8-5	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$700
4	46-3	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	1-1	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	JLM9 TCG AUGUSTA 18-1	Torpedo Farms Swine Genetics, CO	\$850

## Hampshire Gilt Show Results

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1178-10	JoeDan Mitchell, GA	11-11	KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5	DSHYO PURE PIPE 227-10	Jeffery Lovelady, FL	\$550
2	7-4	John Graber & Family, OH	12-9	KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5	SDF2 NEW ADVENTURE 8-5	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$475
3	50-1	Mark Long & Ryan Bell, OH	12-7	FSF3 CLYDESDALE 12-2	JLM9 AFFIRMATIVE 4-1	Bell Show Team, OH	\$650
4	50-2	Mark Long & Ryan Bell, OH	12-4	FSF3 CLYDESDALE 12-2	JLM9 AFFIRMATIVE 4-1	Nahunta Farm, NC	\$1,600
5	1141-1	Morgan Knotts, IN	14-2	SDF2 NEW ADVENTURE 8-5	YAG2 HOME IMPROVEMENT 4-3	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$375
6	1035-2	Maddie Caldwell, OH	62-2	SRF3 MEAT MASTER 45-8	JSE2 WIZARD 54-4	Sharrett Family Farms, OH	\$1,150
7	7-3	John Graber & Family, OH	10-5	KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5	SDF2 NEW ADVENTURE 8-5	TC & Sean Salis, FL	\$400
8	1141-2	Morgan Knotts, IN	11-2	YAG9 SILVER BULLET 111-7	SDF2 NEW ADVENTURE 8-5	William Pippen, FL	\$350
10	1063-1	Justin Daniel, GA	13-4	CFLK3 EYE OPENER 7-2	PF11 BOLD GOLD 4-5	Jeffery Lovelady, FL	\$375
11	1093-1	Brantley Grizzle, GA	11-9	KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5	DSHYO PURE PIPE 227-10	William Pippen, FL	\$375

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	5-2	Earl L. Cain & Family, IA	1-7	JL3 SCORE 14-8	ECO WOODY 122-2	Ralph & Jim Bowling, IN	\$4,750
2	1183-10	Morgan Brothers, OH	3-3	JM3 LUMBERYARD 7-4	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	Sharrett Family Farms, OH	\$450
3	1133-10	Austin Joostberns, MI	3-8	TSOB3 SOCK EM 1-7	GMW0 PSSS DATELINE 7-3	Caden/Colsen/Ceaten Brubaker, IN	\$850
4	58-2	Peters Hamps & Show Pigs, IN	40-2	NBS3 GRUS HILLBILLY TUXEDO 2-2	CMS2 POINT BLANK 2-6	William Pippen, FL	\$400
5	1057-1	Chloe Cragen, IN	4-8	JLM3 TIME TRAVELER 16-1	SDF2 NEW ADVENTURE 8-5	Jeff Michl, IN	\$425
6	1270-1	Reid Utterback, IN	12-10	WMFS2 LVS CONSENSUS 85-8	JGR8 BACK HOME 34-9	Chad Lyons, FL	\$525
7	1276-10	Riley & Ethan Wendt, OH	18-10	KMRE3 HAYMAKER 11-5	JDB2 TCG PREDECESSOR 14-3	Eustace Griffin, GA	\$400

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Hampshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1-3	Cedar Ridge Farms, IL	948-7	CRSH2 TIDAL WAVE 99-1	BOX9 CHUCK NORRIS 4-2	William Pippen, FL	\$400
2	46-5	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	1-5	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	JLM9 TCG AUGUSTA 18-1	John/Conner/Micah Smock, OH	\$525
3	1227-3	Royal Farms- Emily, Brooks, GA	2-2	FUNK3 FUNK MASTER 1-4	6MSB1 BURIED ALIVE 23-1	William Pippen, FL	\$350
4	58-1	Peters Hamps & Show Pigs, IN	36-6	TSOBO GRUS CAPITAL INVESTMENT 27-5	ECO MY TURN 84-5	Nesbitt Show Pigs, PA	\$475
5	46-6	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	1-6	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	JLM9 TCG AUGUSTA 18-1	William Pippen, FL	\$400
6	1-2	Cedar Ridge Farms, IL	948-6	CRSH2 TIDAL WAVE 99-1	BOX9 CHUCK NORRIS 4-2	William Pippen, FL	\$450
7	46-7	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	1-8	BOLN1 POINT MAKER 118-3	JLM9 TCG AUGUSTA 18-1	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$450



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# 2015 LANDRACE Winter Type Conference

Georgia National Fairgrounds  
Perry, Ga. • Jan. 28-Feb. 1

**SALE TOTAL: \$2,400**

4 Gilts Avg. \$600

**JUDGE:** Kent Bennington, Ind.

**AUCTIONEER:** Kevin Wendt, Ohio



**Champion Landrace Gilt & Class 1 Winner**  
CNTM3 RAZOR BLADE 1-2 x BT19 SSP JA MAR WINSTON 914K1  
Shown by Nathan Prezzano, N.Y.  
Sold to Kenneth Bauer, Md. for \$800.

**Premier Sire – KORB3 LOOKOUT 14-5**  
Not Pictured. Owned by Top Cut Genetics, Ind.



**Reserve Champion Landrace Gilt & 2nd Class 1**  
KORB3 LOOK OUT 14-5 x CRSH0 PSSS THOR 7-3  
Shown by Lucas and Toby Craycraft, Ohio.  
Sold to Ray Dean Heard, Ga., for \$600.

**Res. Premier Sire – CNTM3 RAZOR BLADE 1-2**  
Not Pictured. Owned by Shipley Swine Genetics, Ohio.



## From the Field

Brian Anderson, NSR Field Representative

While the Landrace gilts were not many in number, they were great in quality. Congratulations to all those involved with bringing a tremendous group of females to sort through. Thanks to Kent Bennington, Indiana, for an exceptional job of sorting these ladies and Kevin Wendt, Ohio, for selling them. Great job, guys!

This year's Champion Landrace Gilt was shown by young Nathan Prezzano from New York. This gal was really big in her kind, big bodied and broody. She looked like a female and

handled herself really well. She will make a great brood sow for Kenneth Bauer of Maryland.

Lucas and Toby Craycraft from Ohio drove one of their three littermates to reserve status. She, like her other two littermates, was a really unique breeding hog. They were square, stout, had lots of dimension from end to end, big centered and big in their kind. Ray Dean Heard, Georgia, bought the Reserve Champion and Tony Roberson, Georgia, bought the other two. Wise and good purchases by all.

Again, thanks to all involved for a very good show!



## Landrace Gilt Show Results

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Duroc

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1218-1	Nathan Prezzano, NY	6-11	CNTM3 RAZOR BLADE 1-2	BT19 SSP JA MAR WINSTON 914K 1	Kenneth Bauer, MD	\$800
2	1060-10	Lucas & Toby Craycraft, OH	15-7	KORB3 LOOK OUT 14-5	CRSH0 PSSS THOR 7-3	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$600
3	1060-20	Lucas & Toby Craycraft, OH	15-2	KORB3 LOOK OUT 14-5	CRSH0 PSSS THOR 7-3	Tony Roberson, GA	\$500
4	1060-30	Lucas & Toby Craycraft, OH	15-5	KORB3 LOOK OUT 14-5	CRSH0 PSSS THOR 7-3	Tony Roberson, GA	\$500

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 '14 Illinois State Fair



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**Austin Lane**  
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 '14 Iowa State Fair FFA Show



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 '14 NBS Open Barrow Show



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 '14 World Pork Expo



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 3<sup>rd</sup>-Overall Landrace Barrow  
 '14 World Pork Expo



**Levi Becker**  
 Res. Grand Champion Market Barrow  
 '14 Minnesota State Fair



**Gavin Seibold**  
 Grand Overall Gilt and Ch. Hamp.  
 '14 OYE



# 2015 YORKSHIRE Winter Type Conference

Georgia National Fairgrounds  
Perry, Ga. • Jan. 28-Feb. 1

**SALE TOTAL: \$55,675**

18 Boars Avg. \$1,175 • 49 Gilts Avg. \$704

**JUDGE:** Kent Bennington, Ind.

**AUCTIONEER:** Kevin Wendt, Ohio



**Champion Yorkshire Boar & Class 3 Winner**  
HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6 x  
ARK6 SUPER POWER 14-1  
Shown by Brandon and Bryson Stickler, Ill.  
Sold to Oliver Farms, Ga., for \$6,750.



**Champion Yorkshire Gilt & Class 2 Winner**  
SDH2 GRINGO 154-4 x RIY2 TRUE GRTI 113-6  
Shown by Scott Gardner, Pa.  
Sold to Adam Beck and Family Showpigs, Ind., for \$1,500.



**Res. Champion Yorkshire Boar & Class 1 Winner**  
RIY3 RICOCHET 32-4 x CDO1 BENCHPRESS 263-3  
Shown by Robin Ridge Farms, Ind.  
Sold to University of Florida, Fla., for \$800.



**Res. Champion Yorkshire Gilt & Class 5 Winner**  
RWG3 SIXTH SENSE 52-5 x TBRO0 STARBUCK 45-3  
Shown by Triple B Sires, Okla.  
Sold to Williams Show Pigs, Fla., for \$2,100.



# From the Field

Michael Lackey, NSR Field Representative

The Premier Yorkshire Sire for the 2015 Winter Type Conference was awarded to CDO3 Take Notice 73-8, owned by Crossroads Genetics and Robin Ridge of Indiana and Heimer Hampshires of Missouri. The Reserve Premier Sire went to GMSB3 LVS Decidedly Different 61-6, owned by Lean Value Sires, Ohio. Congratulations to both firms.

The Grand Champion Yorkshire Boar was the entry that won the oldest class of the day. This son of HACO2 TCG Untouchable 153-6 is phenomenal from a design standpoint. He's extended in front of his blade, tall fronted, level topped and has a great hip. He is big footed, heavy boned, sound in his movement and genuine at the ground. Plus, he has plenty of real muscle shape. Congratulations to Brandon and Bryson Stickler of Pleasant Plains, Illinois, on your winning entry. He sold to Oliver Farms of Reidsville, Georgia.

The Reserve Champion Boar was one that won't get you into trouble and can be used on a lot of different types of females. This entry won the youngest class of the day from Robin Ridge Farms of Clay City, Indiana. A son of RIY3 Ricochet 32-4, he is big legged, stout skulled and heavy muscled. He is also sound on his feet and legs. This guy has a chance to make the next generation better. He sold to University of Florida for \$800.

The winning entry from Class 2 was next in the ring, exhibited by Aimee and Lynsee Shaffer of Albany, Indiana. This son of CDNO3 GRUS Takin' Names 3-6, is captivating from a design standpoint. He's elevated at the top of his shoulder, level designed and long fronted. He's wide chested, square at the base of his chest floor and has a big, expressive top. He sold to McWhinney Show Pigs of Eaton, Ohio, for \$1,000.

The gilt show ran deep with quality and sure was fun to watch, this year. The gilt that found her way to the ring first is sired by SDH2 Gringo 154-4, and folks, these kind are hard to make. She looks like a modern Yorkshire brood sow should. She is stout headed, even in her toes, square built underneath and has a big, soft rib cage. She is sound and functional on her feet and legs and has a great underline. Adam Beck and Family Showpigs, of Indiana, got a steal on this one for the price of \$1,500.

The Reserve Grand Champion Gilt was driven by Randal and Terrell Buck of Eufaula, Oklahoma. Randal's entry is sired by RWG3 Sixth Sense 52-5, and from the looks of her, more people need to be using her sire. This lady is powerful in terms of muscle, bone and rib shape. She is big toed, square and wide at her knee and has a big hip. Williams Show Pigs of Lawtey, Florida, paid \$2,100 to take her home.

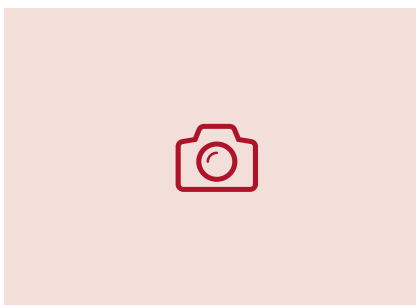
Next in the ring was the Reserve Champion in the Junior Show, exhibited by Chloe Studebaker of Eaton, Ohio. This daughter of ACGF3 Undeniable 12-2 has the look of a true foundation female. She is correct from a balance standpoint, tall fronted, deep centered, wide in her build and feminine. She should help make the next generation of Yorkshires better for the Studebakers; they decided to take her back home for the price of \$2,000.

Ginger Mitchell of Martin, Georgia, hit the ring next with the Class 2 winning entry. This daughter of SLI2 Back In The Saddle 86-4 was stout and big bodied. She is sound on her feet and legs and has a great underline. She sold to McWhinney Show Pigs for \$1,200.

Hunter McMillen of Grandy, North Carolina, drove the winning entry from Class 3. This daughter of HAF2 Shoot The Moon 15-5 is wide made, soft middled and very functional in her design. Adam Beck and Family Showpigs added another good one to their herd with this \$2,900 purchase.

The winning entry from the youngest class of the day made her way to the ring next, shown by Mitchell Concannon of Albany, Indiana. Mitchell's gilt is sired by LFC2 GRUS Lincoln 64-3. This lady is feminine in her build, yet wide chested and sound. She sold to McWhinney Show Pigs \$1,100.

Kevin Wendt, thank you. It's always fun having you officiate the sale. Great job! This event is not an easy task to pull off; it takes a lot of help from a lot of people. Thanks to all of you. I wish you all the best of luck with your spring farrowing. See you at Belton.



**Premier Sire – CDO3 TAKE NOTICE 73-8**  
Owned by Crossroads Genetics, Robin Ridge and Heimer Hampshires, Ind. Mike Fagg, Jason Corya and Adam Beck accept the Premier Sire Award from NSR Field Representative Blaine Evans (second from left).

**Res. Premier Sire – GMSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT 61-6**  
Not Pictured. Owned by Lean Value Sires, Ohio.

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## Yorkshire Boar Show Results

### BOARS CLASS 1 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	2-2	Robin Ridge Farm, IN	13-6	RIY3 RICOCHET 32-4	CD01 BENCHPRESS 263-6	University Of Florida, FL	\$800
2	6-1	Goff Select Swine Genetics, IN	7-2	LFC3 THE JOURNEY 34-8	JLIV2 HIT N RUN 8-1	Boblenz Genetics, OH	\$1,150
3	3-1	Crone Farms, IN	5-7	JGR3 GRIMMLIN 123-3	CD02 CRAZY BONE 70-2	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$425
4	35-1	Agle Daulton Show Pigs, OH	13-2	SS1 ABOUT TIME 59-2	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	Connecticut Junior Republic, CT	\$675
5	41-1	Ralph Bowling & Family, IN	1-3	RWGO TURN TABLE 234-1	TBRO0 WOW 53-4	Carroll Bullard, GA	\$500
6	44-1	Chad & Kevin Cooper, IN	36-7	RIY3 RICOCHET 32-4	PCHS1 INDESTRUCTABLE 7-3	Randal & Terrell Buck, OK	\$1,750

### BOARS CLASS 2 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	25-1	Aimee & Lynsee Shaffer, IN	4-5	CDN03 GRUS TAKIN NAMES 3-6	RSFY1 GRUS BACK WOODS 84-1	McWhinney Show Pigs, OH	\$1,000
2	1256-13	Chloe Studebaker, OH	6-6	ACGF3 UNDENIABLE 12-2	IGF2 GRUS BOLD FORCE 6-7	Moriah & JW Hitchcock, GA	\$1,750
3	53-1	Nahunta Farm, NC	1-6	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT 61-6	JRS2 WHAHOO 124-1	Tony Roberson, GA	\$500
4	1046-13	Connor Cleveland, GA	20-6	SLI2 BACK IN THE SADDLE 86-4	SRF2 MR YORKSHIRE 7-8	Clevie Selph, FL	\$625
5	57-1	C & C Showpigs, FL	10-1	WGW3 SGLD STIMULATOR 23-10	BOBL0 TCG CAPONE 10-2	Eustace Griffin, GA	\$425

### BOARS CLASS 3 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	73-1	Brandon & Bryson Stickler, IL	10-1	HACO2 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	ARK6 SUPER POWER 14-1	Oliver Farms Inc, GA	\$6,750
2	46-1	Ashleigh Funkhouser, IN	1-3	LFC3 THE JOURNEY 34-8	CCF2 STAND OUT 1-1	Gary, Vicki & Chad Funkhouser, IN	\$1,000
3	63-1	Brock & Kaleb Rule, IN	1-2	LFC3 THE JOURNEY 34-8	RIY9 BUCK FIFTY 136-1	Wyatt Colley/Rule Showpigs, GA	\$1,150
4	1012-14	Bender Show Team, IN	18-6	CD03 TAKE NOTICE 73-8	TMF2 POWER DRIVE 84-2	Maggie Anderson, GA	\$400
5	24-1	Wynn Farms/Top Choice Genetics, OH	33-9	LFC2 CREATOR 77-7	WGW1 THE GRIZZ 94-6	William Pippen, FL	\$950
6	33-1	RAR Genetics, IA	37-3	RARD3 U TURN 42-1	TBRO0 WOW 53-4	Cordle Farm Show Pigs, FL	\$900
7	62-1	William Quinn, NC	7-8	WQNN3 OUTLAW 5-4	SRF2 DOC 100K 7-1	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$400

## Yorkshire Gilt Show Results

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1051-1	Mitchell Concannon, IN	14-5	LFC2 GRUS LINCOLN 64-3	RSFY1 GRUS BACK WOODS 84-1	McWhinney Show Pigs, OH	\$1,100
2	1186-1	Matt O'Conner, IN	1-3	TPSP3 MOONWALK 26-2	RIY2 TRUE GRIT 113-6	Taylor Blythe, IL	\$750
3	1285-2	Keaton Woods, IN	6-10	HAF2 SHOOT THE MOON 15-5	KLKG2 COUGAR 2-5	Boblenz Genetics, OH	\$475
4	1151-1	Blake & Lacie Logan, IN	26-8	CDN03 SADDLE UP 20-3	CKJR1 MOONSHINE 17-4	Tyler Brown, GA	\$400
5	1140-2	Skylar Knapp, IN	6-6	HAF2 SHOOT THE MOON 15-5	KLKG2 COUGAR 2-5	Boblenz Genetics, OH	\$500
6	1264-2	Christine Todd, IL	1-4	SGAR3 POWER DRIVE 3-1	SRF2 DOC LOGAN 7-5	William Pippen, FL	\$400
7	1264-1	Christine Todd, IL	11-6	SS3 BREAKING AMISH 11-3	BAJF1 WAY OUT 7-3	Jamie Hall, GA	\$425
8	1138-2	Liza Klingenberg, MI	5-5	BOL03 WHITE ICE 6-6	WYNN8 DUMPLIN 2-5	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$425
9	1139-1	Riley Klingenberg, MI	19-4	HFYF3 RESOLUTION 20-2	JRSP2 JACKPOT 6-1	William Pippen, FL	\$350
10	1124-1	Drew & Macy Jacobsen, IA	21-8	TPSP3 MOONWALK 26-2	6MSB2 HOOCH 26-10	Scott Show Pigs, NC	\$500

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1083-1	Scott Gardner, PA	21-7	SDH2 GRINGO 154-4	RIY2 TRUE GRIT 113-6	Adam Beck and Family Showpigs, IN	\$1,500
2	1271-1	Jesse Van Ness, IN	3-6	GKC2 COLE MINE 1-6	ARK1 TRUE GRIT 119-6	Frank Morgan Jr, GA	\$1,250
3	1051-2	Mitchell Concannon, IN	10-8	CDN03 GRUS TAKIN NAMES 3-6	JKKCO GRUS RED DIRT 1-1	McWhinney Show Pigs, OH	\$1,050
4	1150-1	Marisa Linton/Garrett See, NC	6-11	IGF1 THUNDER UP 40-3	ARKO ONSLAUGHT 35-3	Jamie Hall, GA	\$500
5	1148-1	Lane Lewis, IN	1-1	CD03 TAKE NOTICE 73-8	CFBD2 HEADLOCK 2-4	Ray Dean Heard, GA	\$475
6	1234-30	Garrett See, NC	6-8	IGF1 THUNDER UP 40-3	ARKO ONSLAUGHT 35-3	3 B Farms, GA	\$475
7	1052-1	Courtney Conine, GA	9-1	BOL02 FINAL PROOF 22-7	WGW9 MOONSHINE 72-4	Jeffery Lovelady, FL	\$475
8	1090-1	Sierra Graham, FL	1-6	CD02 CRAZY BONE 70-2	ROCO TANK TOP 2-4	William Pippen, FL	\$350
9	59-3	Ron Pierce & Jeff Odell, OH	5-6	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT 61-6	ARK6 FIRST BLOOD 70-1	William Pippen, FL	\$400

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1167-1	Hunter Mcmillen, NC	9-6	HAF2 SHOOT THE MOON 15-5	ARKO ONSLAUGHT 35-3	Adam Beck and Family Showpigs, IN	\$2,900
2	1092-1	Chad Griffin, IN	30-6	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	BUK1 SEEIN STARZ 12-2	No Sale	
3	1083-2	Scott Gardner, PA	11-3	RIY2 BEST YET 74-12	WGW0 DIEGO 77-8	Eric & Griffin Huneycutt, NC	\$700
4	1180-10	Will Mitchell, GA	21-8	MMGR2 MOOD SWING 13-1	SRF1 DOC HOLLIDAY 2-8	Justin Daniel, GA	\$650

5	1059-20	Lucas & Toby Craycraft, OH	11-2	SS1 ABOUT TIME 59-2	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	Mary Beth Craycraft, OH	\$500
6	1095-10	Nick Hamilton, IL	19-4	BOL02 FINAL PROOF 22-7	LFCO 2 BUCKS 49-7	William Phippen, FL	\$450
7	1059-40	Lucas & Toby Craycraft, OH	10-4	SS1 ABOUT TIME 59-2	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	Steve & Russ Wilson, PA	\$450
8	1059-30	Lucas & Toby Craycraft, OH	9-1	1NMH1 LEFT FOR DEAD 14-12	JM1 EXCLUSIVE 14-4	William Phippen, FL	\$400
9	1154-1	Sam Logue, IN	1-2	WGW2 WORTH THE WAIT 59-2	TBRO0 STARBUCK 45-3	William Phippen, FL	\$450
11	1092-2	Chad Griffin, IN	3-5	HAF3 PANTS DOWN 18-5	TMF2 POWER DRIVE 84-2	Steve & Russ Wilson, PA	\$650

#### OPEN GILTS CLASS 4 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1177-10	Ginger Mitchell, GA	20-9	SLI2 BACK IN THE SADDLE 86-4	SRF2 MR YORKSHIRE 7-8	McWhinney Show Pigs, OH	\$1,200
2	1053-1	Taylor Conley, PA	15-11	CD03 TAKE NOTICE 73-8	CKJR1 MOONSHINE 17-4	Gary, Vicki & Chad Funkhouser, IN	\$625
3	1216-2	Raegan Poulnot, GA	4-9	TMF3 TOUGH LOVE 33-10	TPSP1 CHANGE OF MIND 37-2	Ray Poulnot, GA	\$650
4	1267-1	Skyler Tyndall, NC	1-8	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT 61-6	JRS2 WHAHOO 124-1	Jamie Hall, GA	\$500
5	1056-1	Tate Coulter, IN	3-9	TPSP0 GRUS PLATT ATTACK 26-	LFC8 GRUS GATEWAY 1-3	William Phippen, FL	\$500
6	25-2	Aimee & Lynsee Shaffer, IN	87-5	WYNN3 GRUS ATLANTA SNOW 51-7	JKK0 GRUS RED DIRT 1-1	Eustace Griffin, GA	\$475
7	1267-2	Skyler Tyndall, NC	1-3	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT 61-6	JRS2 WHAHOO 124-1	William Phippen, FL	\$400
8	1300-10	Olin P. Thrift, GA	1-1	SDH2 GRINGO 154-4	ARK8 REVOLUTION 37-3	Eustace Griffin, GA	\$525
9	1203-1	Peyton/Cal/Ander Parker, GA	2-8	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	CRSH9 PSSS COLT 45 9-6	William Phippen, FL	\$400
10	1224-1	Caleb Robinette, PA	2-2	BOL02 FINAL PROOF 22-7	TBRO0 STARBUCK 45-3	Savannah Page, GA	\$525

#### OPEN GILTS CLASS 5 Yorkshire

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	29-1	Randal & Terrell Buck, OK	28-9	RWG3 SIXTH SENSE 52-5	TBRO0 STARBUCK 45-3	Williams Show Pigs, FL	\$2,100
2	10-2	Robin Ridge & Mike Watson, IN	46-1	CD03 TAKE NOTICE 73-8	HAC02 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	Tyler Brown, GA	\$1,100
3	24-2	Wynn Farms/Top Choice Genetics, OH	26-1	TMF1 DUMBO 35-3	TBRO1 TIGHTROPE 92-1	C & C Showpigs, FL	\$1,100
4	1142-2	Kenzie & Clay Kretzmeier, IN	10-3	RIY2 CLOUD 9 76-6	JRSPO DADDY MACK 23-2	Shannon & Shala Weston, GA	\$525
5	1282-1	Peyton & Paige Winger, IN	46-4	CD03 TAKE NOTICE 73-8	HAC02 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	Eustace Griffin, GA	\$475
6	24-3	Wynn Farms/Top Choice Genetics, OH	26-2	TMF1 DUMBO 35-3	TBRO1 TIGHTROPE 92-1	C & C Showpigs, FL	\$500
7	2-1	Robin Ridge Farm, IN	47-1	CD03 TAKE NOTICE 73-8	HAC02 TCG UNTOUCHABLE 153-6	Maddy Grace or Mack May, GA	\$525
8	1234-10	Garrett See, NC	5-2	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT 61-6	TBRO1 HEAD ON 47-6	William Phippen, FL	\$525
9	1234-20	Garrett See, NC	5-3	6MSB3 LVS DECIDEDLY DIFFERENT 61-6	TBRO1 HEAD ON 47-6	William Phippen, FL	\$525
10	33-2	RAR Genetics, IA	29-9	RARD3 U TURN 42-1	WGW0 COMEBACK 104-9	William Phippen, FL	\$400

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**JUDGE:** Kevin Wendt, Ohio

**AUCTIONEER:** Kevin Wendt, Ohio



**Champion Crossbred Boar & Class 2 Winner**  
PARAMOUNT x MAGIC TOUCH  
Shown by Goff Select Swine Genetics, Ind.  
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**Champion Crossbred Gilt & Class 4 Winner**  
FARE N SQUARE x STARBUCK  
Shown by Triple B Sires, Okla.  
Sold to L&H Showpigs, Texas, for \$1,750.



**Res. Champion Crossbred Boar & Class 1 Winner**  
MEMBERS ONLY x SNAP SHOT  
Shown by George and Mike Watson, Ind.  
Sold to Riley Stringer, Ga., for \$500.



**Res. Champion Champion Gilt & Class 3 Winner**  
MONUMENT CIRCLE x ON THE ROCKS  
Shown by Mitchell Concannon, Ind.  
Sold to Williams Show Pigs, Fla., for \$2,200.





# From the Field

Michael Lackey, NSR Field Representative

Warmer temperatures and sunshine greeted exhibitors as they arrived in Perry, Georgia, for the 2015 Winter Type Conference. All the snow and extreme cold weather stayed north, and we had a great show and sale on Saturday.

Kevin Wendt of Plain City, Ohio, stepped in to judge the crossbred show. He had a small, but high-quality set of hogs to evaluate. Kevin did a great job of looking at each entry, while still moving at a fast pace. Thank you, Kevin, for a job well done!

Goff Select Swine Genetics of Marion, Indiana, drove this year's Champion Crossbred Boar. Bret's boar was sired by Paramount. If you were in need of a great-designed, tall-fronted, level-designed boar that has a good hip and rear leg, this guy would have been your kind. Plus, he has a big, square top and all kinds of muscle from behind. He will make his way home with Southern Gold. They paid \$5,500 to load him on their trailer to head back to Salem, Indiana.

The Reserve Champion Boar won Class 1. He is sired by Members Only and was exhibited by Mike Watson of Mooresville, Indiana. Mike's boar has tons of shape down his top. He is big legged, moderate in his frame size and looks like he has a chance to sire winning show barrows. He sold to Riley Stringer of Thomasville, Georgia, for \$500.

Next in the ring was the entry from Sharrett Family Farms of Sabina, Ohio. Kevin's boar is sired by Sugar Daddy, and he is square at the ground. He is bold and open in his chest, has a good center body and plenty of muscle. He sold to Cordle Farm Show Pigs of Live Oak, Florida, for \$1,900.

The next boar in the ring was the entry from Malcolm Family Farms of Hometown, Indiana. Their boar is sired by Earle. This guy was big chested, square built, big ribbed and looked like a show hog. He will head back north with Shaffer's Goldrush of Albany, Indiana, for the price of \$400.

The Champion Crossbred Gilt was an entry out of the heaviest class exhibited by Randal and Terrell Buck of Eufaula, Oklahoma, and sired by Fare N Square. This 310 pound female was a monster; she's bold chested, huge ribbed, wide based and

has tons of muscle. This lady looks like a show gilt and has great front feet. She sold to Russell Lassmann of Victoria, Texas, who paid \$1,750 to take this breeding piece home.

The Reserve Champion Gilt won Class 3. She was exhibited by Mitchell Concannon of Albany, Indiana, and sired by Monument Circle. This great-designed, tall-fronted and level-hipped female can flat go. Plus, she has plenty of muscle and rib shape. This brood-sow prospect will go to work for Williams Show Pigs of Lawtey, Florida, who paid \$2,200 to take this female home.

Next in the ring was the winning entry from Class 2, exhibited by Chad Griffin of Rossville, Indiana, and sired by Feel the Love. You want to talk about a gilt that has all the basics covered, yet still has a great show ring look, this was her. She will go on Oliver Farms' trailer for the price of \$900 and stay in Georgia.

Agle Daulton Show Pigs of Springfield, Ohio, was in the ring next with a gilt that won Class 1. She is sired by Ego. This lady is level in her design and has a killer look from the side. No wonder she won her class in the Junior and Open shows. She will head south with Jeffery Lovelady of Ocala, Florida, for the price of \$400.

The last gilt I am going to visit about was the high-selling entry from Drew and Macy Jacobsen of Osceola, Iowa. She is a daughter of Fortune, and I believe her littermate brother was Grand Champion at the North American International Livestock Expo show in November. This lady has all the mass and power you would ever need in a female. She is huge ribbed and busted open underneath, but still can really motor in the ring. She sold to Ottenwalter Showpigs of Colusa, California, for \$7,500.

Thank you, Kevin Wendt, for an excellent job serving as auctioneer. Thanks to everyone who helps with putting on the Winter Type Conference and Southeast Regional.



## Crossbred Boar Show Results

### BOARS CLASS 1 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	18-1	George & Mike Watson, IN	9-2	MEMBERS ONLY	SNAP SHOT	Riley Stringer, GA	\$500
2	8-2	Malcolm Family Farms, IN	10-3	EARLE	DEEPTHREAT X ACE IN THE HOLE	Shaffer's Goldrush, IN	\$400
3	8-1	Malcolm Family Farms, IN	4-1	EARLE	SUPERMONSTER X BEEF CAKE	Clevie Selph, FL	\$450
4	48-3	Eli Jones, GA	9-2	BIG MOTOR	HAMMER DOWN	Moriah & JW Hitchcock, GA	\$400
5	1300-1	Olin P. Thrift, GA	3-6	OVERCOMER	HOSS	Cordle Farm Show Pigs, FL	\$950

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## BOARS CLASS 2 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	6-4	Goff Select Swine Genetics, IN	39-6	PARAMOUNT	MAGIC TOUCH	Southern Gold, IN	\$5,500
2	17-1	Sharrett Family Farms, OH	50-2	SUGAR DADDY	WOLVERINE	Cordle Farm Show Pigs, FL	\$1,900
3	25-4	Shaffer's Goldrush, IN	2-1	MILE HIGH	STICK IT	Vincent Johnson, IN	\$1,050
4	2-3	Robin Ridge Farm, IN	37-3	DIG DEEP	BEAR	Harry Williams, GA	\$1,300
5	6-2	Goff Select Swine Genetics, IN	39-1	PARAMOUNT	MAGIC TOUCH	Harry Williams, GA	\$3,000

## Crossbred Gilt Show Results

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 1 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	35-2	Agle Daulton Show Pigs, OH	14-3	EGO	HONKY TONK	Jeffery Lovelady, FL	\$400
2	1018-11	Kolby Bowers, GA	5-7	NO HESITATION	FROZEN IN TIME	Moriah & JW Hitchcock, GA	\$400
3	1093-11	Brantley Grizzle, GA	1-3	LEGENDARY	BIG MOTOR	Jeffery Lovelady, FL	\$300
4	1063-11	Justin Daniel, GA	1-4	THE GENERAC	DOC HOLIDAY	David Smith, FL	\$300
5	81-2	Braxton Burr, IN	4-7	EARL	SUPERMONSTER X BEEFCAKE	C & C Showpigs, FL	\$300
6	48-2	Eli Jones, GA	1-2	LONE RANGER	SUPER CHARGE TURBO	Tim Sisson, FL	\$350

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 2 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1092-6	Chad Griffin, IN	41-10	FEEL THE LOVE	FULL NELSON	Oliver Farms Inc, GA	\$900
2	1051-12	Mitchell Concannon, IN	12-5	MONUMENT CIRCLE	ARCH WAY	Crossroads Genetics, IN	\$1,950
3	25-5	Shaffer's Goldrush, IN	7-13	MONUMENT CIRCLE	ON THE ROCKS	Jason Corya & Family, IN	\$2,000
4	1056-11	Tate Coulter, IN	11-8	FORCE OF NATURE	MOTOWN	Jamie Hall, GA	\$600
5	1013-11	Bender Show Team, IN	3-3	PIT STOP	NITRO	Tyler Brown, GA	\$350

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 3 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	1051-11	Mitchell Concannon, IN	7-11	MONUMENT CIRCLE	ON THE ROCKS	Williams Show Pigs, FL	\$2,200
2	1035-3	Maddie Caldwell, OH	58-3	SUGAR DADDY	GOLD STANDARD	Peters Hamps & Show Pigs, IN	\$650
3	1141-11	Mirranda & Morgan Knotts, IN	98-4	LEGEND	INBOX	Holt Show Pigs, FL	\$500
4	39-3	Ryan & Allison Bell, OH	6-8	INVISIBLE STRIPES	BEAR	Bell Show Team, OH	\$1,500
5	1095-1	Nick Hamilton, IL	14-7	CHANGER	KING OF THE RING	Todd Anderson, FL	\$325

### OPEN GILTS CLASS 4 Crossbred

Place	Lot No.	Exhibitor	EN	Sire	Dam's Sire	Buyer	Sale Price
1	29-2	Randal & Terrell Buck, OK	27-10	FARE N SQUARE	STARBUCK	L & H Showpigs, TX	\$1,750
2	1092-7	Chad Griffin, IN	1-9	WALK THIS WAY	DROPSHOT	Jeffery Lovelady, FL	\$1,500
3	1012-11	Robert Wehmer / Bender Show Team, IN	206-15	PIT STOP	POWER DRIVE	Sierra Lowder, GA	\$375
4	1124-2	Drew & Macy Jacobsen, IA	88-10	FORTUNE		Mark & Sandy Ottenwalter, CA	\$7,500
5	1046-3	Connor Cleveland, GA	67-7	MONUMENT CIRCLE	MILE HIGH	Holt Show Pigs, FL	\$1,000
8	1095-2	Nick Hamilton, IL	14-4	CHANGER	KING OF THE RING	Holt Show Pigs, FL	\$750

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# Southeast Regional



Perry, GA • Jan. 28-Feb. 1

**EVENTS:** Purebred and crossbred gilt and barrow shows, showmanship, skillathon and sweepstakes contests

**GILT JUDGE:** Brandon Yantis, III.

**BARROW JUDGE:** Kent Bennington, Ind.

**SHOWMANSHIP JUDGE:** Brian Down, III.

**NO. OF PARTICIPANTS:** 293 from 19 states

### WINNINGS

**Overall gilt won:** One-year lease of an Exiss Trailer

**Overall barrow won:** \$750

**Res. overall gilt and barrow won:** \$500

**Breed & crossbred champions won:** \$250

**Breed & crossbred reserve champions won:** \$100



Champion Overall Barrow & Champion Yorkshire Barrow  
Shown by Peyton Hill, Texas



Champion Overall Gilt & Champion Hampshire Gilt  
Shown by Blake Logan, Ind.



Res. Champion Overall Barrow & Champion Duroc  
Shown by Keaton Woods, Ind.



Res. Champion Gilt Overall & Champion Yorkshire Gilt  
Shown by Keith Altman, Ind.



Reserve Champion Duroc Barrow  
Shown by Macy Mead, Ind.



Champion Hampshire Barrow  
Shown by Drew Tucker, Ga.



Reserve Champion Hampshire Barrow  
Shown by Connor Utterback, Ind.



Champion Landrace Barrow  
Shown by Aaron Willison, Ind.



Reserve Champion Landrace Barrow  
Shown by Devin Ammann, Ill.



Reserve Champion Yorkshire Barrow  
Shown by Hunter McMillen, N.C.



Champion Crossbred Barrow  
Shown by Savannah Page, Ga.



Reserve Champion Crossbred Barrow  
Shown by Gus Mitchem, Ohio



Champion Duroc Gilt and  
Division I Champion  
Shown by Blake Logan, Ind.



Reserve Champion Duroc Gilt and  
Division II Champion  
Shown by Devin Ammann, Ill.



Champion Bred-and-Owned Duroc Gilt  
and Division I Reserve Champion  
Shown by Travis Hamilton, Colo.



Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned  
Duroc Gilt  
Shown by Blake Danner, Ind.



Reserve Champion Division II Duroc Gilt  
Shown by Savannah Page, Ga.



Reserve Champion Hampshire Gilt  
Shown by Gus Mitchem, Ohio



Champion Bred-and-Owned  
Hampshire Gilt  
Shown by Drew Tucker, Ga.



Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned  
Hampshire Gilt  
Shown by Austin Joostberns, Mich.



Champion Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Jordan Danner, Ind.



Reserve Champion Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Brandon Stickler, Ill.



Champion Bred-and-Owned Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Kenner Selby, Ind.



Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned  
Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Toby Craycraft, Ohio



Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt,  
Champion Bred-and-Owned and Division  
II Champion  
Shown by Chloe Studebaker, Ohio  
March 2015



Division I Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt  
Shown by Jaydyn Wehmer, Ind.



Division II Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt  
Shown by Clay Kincaid, Ind.



Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned  
Yorkshire Gilt  
Shown by Travis Hamilton

# SHOWS



**Champion Crossbred Gilt and Division II Champion**  
Shown by Lacie Logan, Ind.



**Reserve Champion Crossbred Gilt and Division I Champion**  
Shown by Savannah Page, Ga.



**Reserve Champion Division I Crossbred Gilt**  
Shown by Allison Oliver, Ga.



**Reserve Champion Division II Crossbred Gilt**  
Shown by Scott Gardner, Pa.

## Contests



### Novice Showmanship – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Hunter McMillen, N.C.; 2nd: Drew Jacobson, Iowa; 3rd: Sydney Cain, Iowa; 4th: Ava Lynn Cravey, Ga.; 5th: Natalie Taylor, Ga. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Lucas Craycraft, Ohio; 7th: Cason Gentry, Ga.; 8th: Kyleigh Bender, Ind.; 9th: Cade Sponcil, Ohio; 10th: Brooklyn Hodupp, Ind.



### Junior Showmanship–Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Liza Klingenberg, Mich.; 2nd: Savannah Page, Ga.; 3rd: Mackenzie Hodupp, Ind.; 4th: Will McCranie, Ga.; 5th: Ginger Mitchell, Ga. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Jayden Wehmer, Ind.; 7th: Kaylee Bender, Ind.; 8th: Aiden Bruner, Ga.; 9th: Katelyn McCranie, Ga.; 10th: Mattie Davis, Ga.



### Intermediate Showmanship – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Blake Danner, Ind.; 2nd: Samantha Hodge, Fla.; 3rd: Maddie Fugate, Ill.; 4th: Jenna Girman, Fla.; 5th: Brooks Royal, Ga. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Taylor Barber, Ga.; 7th: Macy Mead, Ind.; 8th: Blake Logan, Ind.; 9th: Aaron Willison, Ind.; 10th: Dylan Bayman, Ohio



### Senior Showmanship – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Gus Mitchem, Ohio; 2nd: Lane Lewis, Ind.; 3rd: Devin Ammann, Ill.; 4th: Christine Todd, Ohio; 5th: Haley Stark, Fla. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Mitchell Concannon, Ind.; 7th: Austin Joostberns, Mich.; 8th: Peyton Hill, Texas; 9th: Taylor Conley, Pa.; 10th: Scott Gardner, Pa.



### Novice Skillathon – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Syndey Cain, Iowa; 2nd: Colby Yarbrough, Ga.; 3rd: Ashton Bain, Ohio; 4th: Maddie Caldwell, Ohio; 5th: Drew Jacobson, Iowa **Back (l-r):** 6th: Austin Cain, Iowa; 7th: Lucas Craycraft, Ohio; 8th: Cason Gentry, Ga.; 9th: Audra Hart, Tenn.; 10th: Dallas Jones, Ga.



### Junior Skillathon – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Sierra Graham, Fla.; 3rd: Connor Smock, Ohio; 4th: Ethan Wendt, Ohio; 5th: Baker Hataway, Ga. **Back (l-r):** 7th: Mattie Davis, Ga.; 8th: Calle Cauley, Ga.; 9th: Asher Childs, Ga.; 10th: Savannah Page, Ga. **Not Pictured:** 2nd: Gracie Sexton, Ga.; 6th: Nate Worley, Ga.



### Intermediate Skillathon – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 2nd: Maddie Fugate, Ill.; 3rd: Abigail Bartholomew, Tenn.; 4th: Olivea Glaser, Ind.; 5th: Clay Kretzmeier, Ind. **Back (l-r):** 6th: James Renshaw, Ga.; 7th: Aaron Willison, Ind.; 8th: Christen Flowers, Ga.; 9th: Austin Beard, Ga.; 10th: Shaina Flowers, Ga. **Not Pictured:** 1st: Tate Coulter, Ind.



### Senior Skillathon – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Taylor Conley, Pa.; 2nd: Christine Todd, Ill.; 3rd: Cody Berling, Ind.; 4th: Austin Joostberns, Mich.; 5th: Haley Stark, Fla. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Devin Ammann, Ill.; 7th: Garrett See, N.C.; 8th: Marisa Linton, N.C.; 9th: Garrett Lowes, Ind.; 10th: Gus Mitchem, Ohio



### Novice Sweepstakes – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Syndey Cain, Iowa; 2nd: Drew Jacobson, Iowa; 3rd: Lucas Craycraft, Ohio; 4th: Hunter McMillen, N.C.; 5th: Ashton Bain, Ohio **Back (l-r):** 6th: Maddie Caldwell, Ohio; 8th: Cason Gentry, Ga.; 9th: Cade Sponcil, Ohio; 10th: Austin Cain, Iowa **Not Pictured:** 7th: Natalie Taylor, Ga.



### Junior Sweepstakes – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Sierra Graham, Fla.; 2nd: Savannah Page, Ga.; 3rd: Liza Klingenberg, Mich.; 4th: Connor Smock, Ohio; 5th: Mackenzie Hodupp, Ind. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Will McCranie, Ga.; 8th: Jaydyn Wehmer, Ind.; 9th: Kaylee Bender, Ind.; 10th: Calle Cauley, Ga. **Not Pictured:** 7th: Ginger Mitchell, Ga.



### Intermediate Sweepstakes – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Maddie Fugate, Ill.; 2nd: Aaron Willison, Ind.; 3rd: Olivea Glaser, Ind.; 4th: Brooks Royal, Ga. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Taylor Barber, Ga.; 7th: Samantha Hodge, Fla.; 8th: Macy Mead, Ind.; 9th: Abigail Bartholomew, Tenn.; 10th: Blake Logan, Ind. **Not Pictured:** 5th: Tate Coulter, Ind.



### Senior Sweepstakes – Top 10

**Front (l-r):** 1st: Christine Todd, Ill.; 2nd: Devin Ammann, Ill.; 3rd: Taylor Conley, Pa.; 4th: Haley Stark, Fla.; 5th: Austin Joostberns, Mich. **Back (l-r):** 6th: Gus Mitchem, Ohio; 7th: Cody Berling, Ind.; 10th: Marisa Linton, N.C. **Not Pictured:** 8th: Mitchell Concannon, Ind.; 9th: Lane Lewis, Ind.





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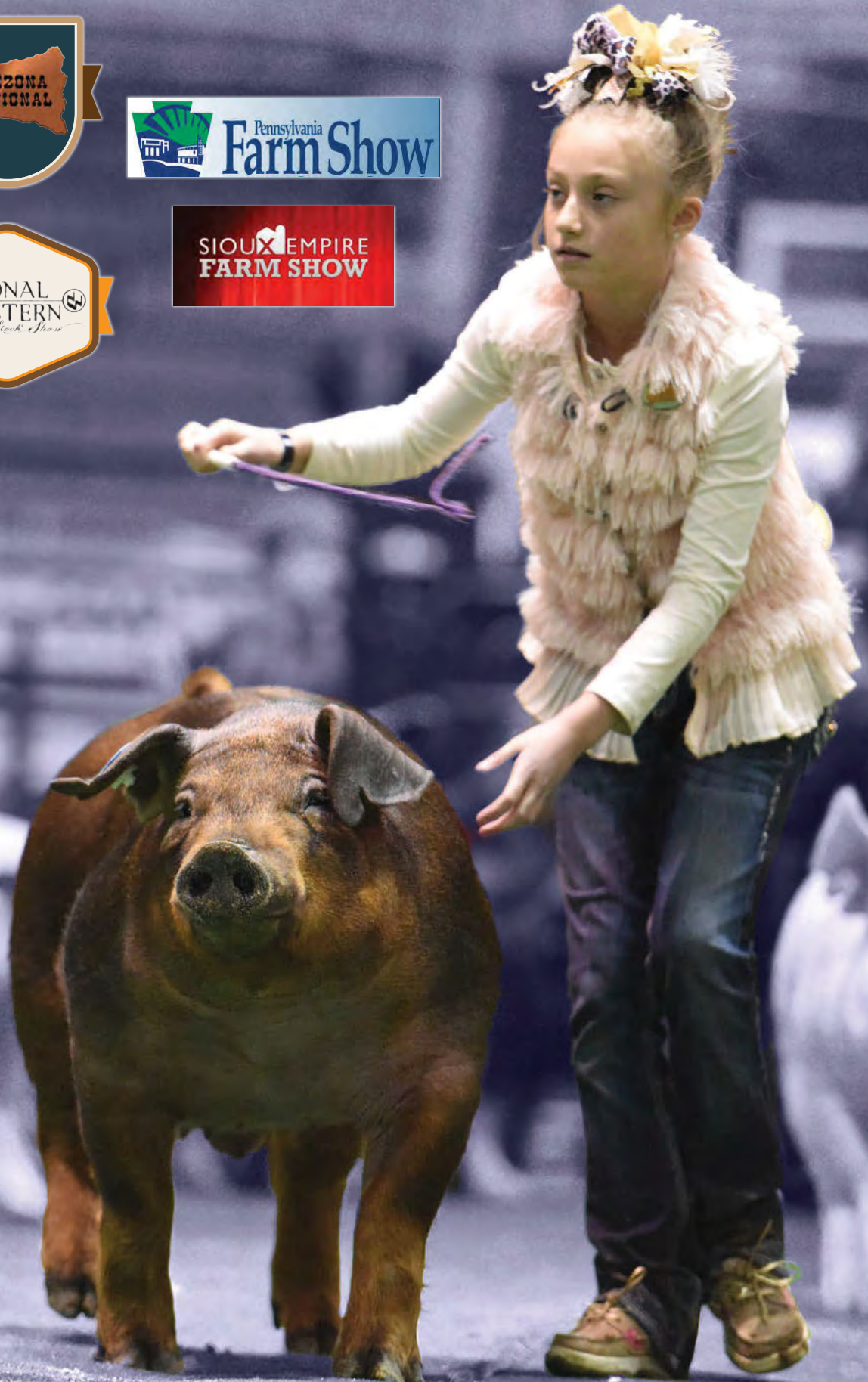
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*Shown by Ally Ford*



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2014 INDIANA STATE FAIR JR. SHOW**  
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# SHOWS



# SHOWS

## 2014 Arizona National

Phoenix, Ariz. • Dec. 27-31

JUDGE: Jason Hirschfeld, Neb.



Grand Champion Barrow & Champion Crossbred  
Shown by Shelby Weinrich, Calif.



Reserve Grand Champion Barrow & Reserve Champion Crossbred  
Shown by Wyatt DeBusk, Calif.



Champion Duroc Barrow  
Shown by Shelbi McCray, Ill.



Champion Hampshire Barrow  
Shown by Zachary Griffith, Colo.



Champion Landrace Barrow  
Shown by Brian Brugman, Texas



Champion Yorkshire Barrow  
Shown by Chloe Mabry, Ark.



Reserve Champion Duroc Barrow  
Shown by Maddie Fugate, Ill.



Reserve Champion Hampshire Barrow  
Shown by Cailyn Hines, Mich.



Reserve Champion Landrace Barrow  
Shown by Hunter Stevens, Ariz.



Reserve Champion Yorkshire Barrow  
Shown by Raeleigh Willborn, Texas



Grand Champion Gilt & Champion Yorkshire  
Shown by Ethan Standridge, Calif.



Reserve Grand Champion Gilt & Champion Chester White  
Shown by Kerri Landry, La.



Champion Duroc Gilt  
Shown by Meghan Weinrich, Calif.



Champion Hampshire Gilt  
Shown by Wyatt DeBusk, Calif.



Champion Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Hunter Stevens, Ariz.



Reserve Champion Duroc Gilt  
Shown by Hallie Landry, La.



Reserve Champion Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Danzi Stevens, Ariz.



Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt  
Shown by Lauren Bliss, Calif.

## 2015 Nat'l Western Stock Show

Denver, Colo. • Jan. 19-21

JUDGE: Willie Kirkpatrick, Okla.



Grand Champion Market Hog Overall & Champion Crossbred Market Hog  
Shown by Garrison Straka, Okla.



Res. Grand Champion Market Hog Overall & Res. Champion Crossbred Market Hog  
Shown by Madison Lynch, Texas



Champion Duroc Market Hog  
Shown by Anna Franke, Okla.



Champion Hampshire Market Hog  
Shown by Tanner Fetzter, Colo.



Champion Landrace Market Hog  
Shown by Cash Voegelé, S.D.



Champion Yorkshire Market Hog  
Shown by Emile Mittelstaedt, Okla.



Res. Champion Duroc Market Hog  
Shown by Lane Rinderer, Ill.



Res. Champion Hampshire Market Hog  
Shown by Halee Prather, N.M.



Res. Champion Landrace Market Hog  
Shown by Rhylee Straka, Okla.



Res. Champion Yorkshire Market Hog  
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## 2015 Penn. Farm Show

Harrisburg, Pa. • Jan. 10-17

JUDGE: Terry Shaffer, Ind.



Supreme Champion Gilt & Champion Berkshire Gilt  
Shown by Dave Holloway, Pa.



Champion Duroc Gilt  
Shown by Bridget McConn, Pa.



Champion Hampshire Gilt  
Shown by Eric Rabenold, Pa.



Champion Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Grant A. Lazarus III, Pa.



Champion Yorkshire Gilt  
Shown by Carl Rabenold, Pa.



Reserve Champion Duroc Gilt  
Shown by Dave Holloway, Pa.



Reserve Champion Hampshire Gilt  
Shown by Eric Rabenold, Pa.



Reserve Champion Landrace Gilt  
Shown by Grant A. Lazarus III, Pa.



Reserve Champion Yorkshire Gilt  
Shown by Pfautz Show Pigs, Pa.

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## 2015 Souix Empire Farm Show

Souix Falls, S.D. • Jan. 28

JUDGE: Jason Boyle, Iowa



Grand Champion Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Lynsey Schmitz, N.D.



Res. Grand Champion Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Jenna Belt, Iowa



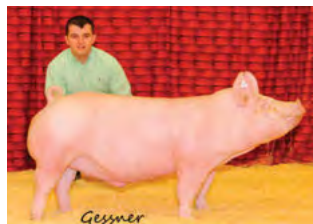
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Denton Sanders, Iowa



4<sup>th</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Lincoln Smit, Iowa



5<sup>th</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Natalie Grocott, S.D.



6<sup>th</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Tyler Frasher, Iowa



7<sup>th</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Jessica Frasher, Iowa



8<sup>th</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Cory Sampson, Iowa



9<sup>th</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Paige Miller, Iowa



10<sup>th</sup> Place Market Hog Overall  
Shown by Davin Brugman, Iowa

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# SCHEDULE

## Shows and Events



### Show Schedule

SHOW	WHERE	WHEN	ENTRY DEADLINE
National Western Stock Show	Denver, Colo.	TBA	TBA
NJSA Southeast Regional	Perry, Ga.	TBA	TBA
NSR Winter Type Conference	Perry, Ga.	TBA	TBA
NJSA Bootcamp	TBA	TBA	TBA
NSR Southwest Type Conference	Belton, Texas	Feb. 25-28, 2015	CLOSED
NJSA Western Regional	Turlock, Calif.	March 5-8, 2015	CLOSED
NJSA Nat'l Youth Leadership Conf.	Fort Collins, Colo.	April 10-12, 2015	March 12, 2015
NSR Weanling Extravaganza	Richmond, Ind.	April 21-22, 2015	March 25, 2015
World Pork Expo	Des Moines, Iowa	June 1-6, 2015	April 15, 2015
WPX Junior National	Des Moines, Iowa	June 1-6, 2015	April 15, 2015
NSR Summer Type Conference	Louisville, Ky.	June 29-July 4, 2015	May 13, 2015
National Junior Summer Spectacular	Louisville, Ky.	June 29-July 4, 2015	May 13, 2015
NJSA Southwest Regional	Chickasha, Okla.	Aug. 28-30, 2015	Aug. 4, 2015
National Barrow Show®	Austin, Minn.	Sept. 12-16, 2015	Aug. 14, 2015
NBS® Junior Barrow Classic	Austin, Minn.	Sept. 12-16, 2015	Aug. 14, 2015
Ak-Sar-Ben	Omaha, Neb.	Sept. 24-27, 2015	TBA
NJSA Eastern Regional	Hamburg, N.Y.	Oct. 8-10, 2015	Sept. 10, 2015
American Royal	Kansas City, Mo.	Oct 24-26, 2015	Oct. 1, 2015
NAILE	Louisville, Ky.	Nov. 7-10, 2015	TBA
NSR Fall Classic	Duncan, Okla.	Nov. 18-21, 2015	Oct. 7, 2015
NJSA Regional Leadership Conf.	TBA	TBA	TBA
Arizona National	Phoenix, Ariz.	Dec. 26-31, 2015	TBA

# SCHEDULE

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## NSR Southwest Type Conference

Feb. 25-28, 2015

Bell County Expo Center • Belton, Texas



**SHOW:** Friday, Feb. 27

**SALE:** Saturday, Feb. 28

- The NSR shows include purebred Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire boar and gilt and crossbred boar genetics.
- Berkshires, Chester Whites, Polands, Spots boar and gilt and crossbred gilts will also be exhibited.

**ENTRIES FARROWED:** On or after July 1, 2014

Duroc		Hampshire		JUDGES:		Yorkshire		Crossbred	
Robbie Phillips, Texas		Seth Swenson, Ill.		Landrace Seth Swenson, Ill.		Steve Cobb, Ark.		Rick Whitman, Texas	

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

**Wednesday, Feb. 25**

**12 p.m.:** Earliest hogs may arrive

**Thursday, Feb. 26**

**9 a.m.:** Check-in begins and scanning

**10 a.m.:** All hogs must be in barn

**Friday, Feb. 27**

**7:30 a.m.:** Yorkshire show followed by the Landrace, Hampshire, Duroc gilt and boar and crossbred boar shows

**Saturday, Feb. 28**

**9 a.m.:** Yorkshire boar and gilt sale followed by the Landrace, Hampshire, Duroc and crossbred boar sales

### HOTELS:

**Holiday Inn | 254.778.5511**

5247 S. General Bruce Dr. | Temple, TX 76502

**La Quinta Inn & Suites | 254.939.2772**

229 W. Loop 121 | Belton, TX 76513

**Quality Inn Temple | 254.770.1100**

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# NJSA Drawing

## Drawing\*: Friday, July 4 • 6:30 p.m.

at the NJSS Awards Ceremony

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# NJSA Western Regional

March 5-8, 2015

Stanislaus County Fairgrounds • Turlock, Calif.

JUDGE:  
Todd Beyers, Texas



**ENTRIES FARROWED:** On or after Aug. 1, 2014

**OWNERSHIP DEADLINE:** Jan. 6, 2015

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

### Thursday, March 5

2 p.m.: Show entries may begin to arrive

### Friday, March 6

8-11 a.m.: NJSA Registration

10:30 a.m.: All NJSA gilts and barrows must be in place

11:30 a.m.: All barrow and crossbred gilt weight cards due

11:30-2 p.m.: Skillathon

Noon: Silent Auction opens

2:15-2:45 p.m.: Adult PQA Training Session

2:15-2:30 p.m.: Skillathon Review

3:30 p.m.: NJSA MVP Event: Cookie Decorating

4:30 p.m.: Exhibitor Meeting

5 p.m.: NJSA Barrow Show (D, H, L, Y, Crossbred)

### Saturday, March 7

8 a.m.: NJSA Gilt Show (D, H, L, Y)

10 a.m.-Noon: Judging Contest Registration

1 p.m.: Judging Contest (Sr, Int, Jr)

*\*Novice Judging Contest will follow the Sr, Int, Jr contest*

5-6 p.m.: NJSA Barnyard Olympics

6:30 p.m.: NJSA Banquet along with Dessert Auction

*\*\*Top Ten Skillathon and Judging Contest awards presented at this time*

*\*\*\*Silent Auction will be closing after dinner is served. We will make an announcement 15 minutes before closing*

### Sunday, March 8

7:00 a.m.: Exhibitor Breakfast

7:15 a.m.: Inspirational Service

8 a.m.: NJSA Showmanship Competition (Sr, Int, Jr, Nov), followed by crossbred gilt show

*\*\*\* Awards Ceremony to follow Crossbred Gilt Show*

*All NJSA barrows and gilts released after Awards Ceremony*

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# NSR Weanling Pig Extravaganza

April 22, 2015

Wayne County Fairgrounds • Richmond, Ind.

Sale managed by National Swine Registry #AC30300007



**SIFT & SALE:** Wednesday, April 22

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** March 25, 2015

**ENTRIES FARROWED:** Jan. 1 and after

- All animals and health certificates must be inspected by show veterinarian prior to unloading. **Any animals unloaded prior to veterinarian inspection will be dismissed from barns and forfeit participation in sift and sale.**

**SIFTER:** Adam Beck, Ind.

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

### Tuesday, April 21

5-9 p.m.: Entries may arrive

5-7:30 p.m.: Registration and check-in

### Wednesday, April 22

6:30-9 a.m.: Entries may arrive

7-9 a.m.: Registration and check-in

Noon: Sift begins

6 p.m.: Sale begins

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## DIRECTIONS & HOTELS:

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## WPX Open & Jr. Shows

June 1-6, 2015

Iowa State Fairgrounds • Des Moines, Iowa



**ENTRY DEADLINE:** April 15, 2015

**FARROWING DATES:** Nov. 1, 2014 and after

**JR. SHOW OWNERSHIP DEADLINE:** April 24, 2015

### MONDAY, JUNE 1

- 9 a.m.: Earliest entries may arrive
- 2-8 p.m.: Registration (Cattle Barn)
- 6:30 p.m.: Stock Show U Clinic for Swine

### TUESDAY, JUNE 2

- 7:30-10 a.m.: Registration (Cattle Barn)
- 9 a.m.: All WPX Junior National entries must be on grounds
- 10-11:30 a.m.: Youth PQA Plus certification
- 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.: Adult PQA Plus certification
- 1 p.m.: Barrow and crossbred gilt weight cards due
- 1 p.m.: Mandatory exhibitor meeting (Ring A)
- 2 p.m.: Showmanship
  - Ring A: Novice followed by Intermediate
  - Ring B: Junior followed by Senior
- 7 p.m.: Open show entry arrival closed for evening

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3

- 7 a.m.-7 p.m.: Open show entries may arrive
- 7-7:45 a.m.: Inspirational Service with Ray Perryman (Ring A)
- 8 a.m.: Team Purebred Skillathon Quiz
  - Opens (Team Purebred Booth)
- 8 a.m.: Purebred Barrow Show
  - Ring A: Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace and Yorkshire
  - Ring B: Berkshire, Chester White, Poland and Spot

*\*Immediately following the selection of the Champion Purebred Barrow in Ring A: Crossbred Barrow Show in Ring A*

- 9 a.m.-6 p.m.: Open show registration
  - (open show office in swine barn)

### THURSDAY, JUNE 4

- 5 a.m.-8 a.m.: Open show entries may arrive – all open show entries must be on grounds by 8 a.m.
- 8-10 a.m.: Open show registration
  - (open show office in swine barn)
- 8 a.m.: Purebred Gilt Show
  - Ring A: Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace and Yorkshire
  - Ring B: Berkshire, Chester White, Poland and Spot

*\*Immediately following the selection of the Team Purebred Champion Gilt in Ring B: Crossbred Gilt Show in Ring B*

- 8:30 a.m.: Scanning of open show boars
  - (east side of swine barn)
- 5 p.m.: Team Purebred Quiz Closes (Team Purebred Booth)

### FRIDAY, JUNE 5

- 7:30 a.m.: Open Show – Hampshire gilt and boar show followed by Duroc, Landrace, Yorkshire, Crossbred gilts and boars (Ring A)
- 7:30-9 a.m.: Judging Contest registration
- 8 a.m.: Open Show – Spot show followed by Poland, Chester and Berkshire (Ring B)
- 10 a.m.: Judging Contest
- 12:30 p.m.: Novice Judging Contest
- 4 p.m.: Awards Ceremony (Ring B)

5:30 p.m.: All WPX Junior National Hogs are released, but are encouraged to stay through Saturday for the WPX Sale

### SATURDAY, JUNE 6

- 9 a.m.: Open Sale - Hampshire boar and gilt sale followed by Duroc, Landrace, Yorkshire, Crossbred boars and gilts (Ring A)
- 9:30 a.m.: Open Sale – Spot sale followed by Poland, Chester and Berkshire (Ring B)

### JUDGES

Open Duroc: TBA  
Open Hamps: TBA  
Open Landrace: Brandon Ogle, Ill.  
Open Yorks: Ben Bobell, Ill.  
Open Crosses: Jason Lackey, Texas

NJSA Purebred Gilts: Andy Rash, Ill.  
NJSA Purebred Barrows & Crossbred Barrows: Ryan Sites, Okla.  
Crossbred Gilts: Seth Swenson, Ill.  
Novice & Intermediate Showmanship: Grant Grebner, Ill.  
Junior & Senior Showmanship: Adam Mendonza, Calif.

### Additional Jr. Show Information

**Contests:** Purebred and Crossbred Gilt Shows, Purebred and Crossbred Barrow Shows, Showmanship Contest, Judging Contest and Sweepstakes Contest.

**Note:** This is a joint event held in conjunction with Team Purebred. There will be no market hog loadout available.

**Limit per Exhibitor:** Two entries, per sex, per breed. You must show one purebred barrow for every one crossbred barrow and one purebred gilt for every one crossbred gilt.

### HOTELS:

- Prairie Meadows** | 800.325.9015  
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# NSR Summer Type Conference

## NJSA National Jr. Summer Spectacular

June 29-July 4, 2015

Kentucky State Fair & Expo Center • Louisville, Ky.

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** May 13, 2015

**FARROWING DATES:** Dec. 1 and after

**JR. SHOW OWNERSHIP DEADLINE:** May 1, 2015



### MONDAY, JUNE 29

3 p.m.: Earliest hogs may arrive (Junior and Open)

### TUESDAY, JUNE 30

12 p.m. – 8 p.m.: Registration  
(Junior and Open Shows, Showmanship, Skillathon,  
State Scrapbook and Speech Contests)

3-4 p.m.: MVP Celebration (Showring B)

4:30 p.m.: Barnyard Olympics (Showring A)

6 p.m.: Corn Toss Tournament (Youth and adults welcome)

6 p.m.: Premier Breeder interviews

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

8:30 p.m.: Barrow weight cards due (Registration Area)

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

8-11 a.m.: Skillathon

8-9:30 a.m.: Adult PQA Plus Training

8:30 a.m.: Prepared and Extemporaneous  
Speech Contestant Meeting

9 a.m.: Speech Contests Begin

9 a.m.-Noon: Breed Eligibility Checks  
(wash racks/scales closed)

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.: Open show registration

10:30-11:30 a.m.: Youth PQA Plus Training

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

Noon: Wash racks 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

*\*Special award presentations will be awarded prior to  
the Grand Champion Barrow selection*

### HOTELS:

**Hilton Garden Inn-Louisville Airport** | 502.637.2424

Mention NJSA breeders or vendors

Rate: \$122 Dbl. or \$117 King | Cut-off date: May 28

**Crowne Plaza Louisville Airport** | 888.233.9527

Mention National Swine Registry

Rate: \$99 – King or Dbl.

Cut-off date: May 28

### THURSDAY, JULY 2

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

*\*Special award presentations will be awarded prior to the Grand Champion  
Gilt and Grand Champion Bred and Owned Gilt selection*

### FRIDAY, JULY 3

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

7:30 a.m.: Open Show: Crossbred Boar Show  
followed by the Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace,  
and Yorkshire gilt and boar shows

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

11:30 a.m.: Novice Judging Contest

1 p.m.: State Food Drive Counting

5 p.m.: Pizza Party and Judging Critique

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

6:30 p.m.: Awards Ceremony\*

*\*NJSS Contest Winners Announced (State Food Drive, State Scrapbook,  
Amazing Advertising Contest, Swine is Fine Contest, Skillathon,  
Judging Contest, Speech Contests, Sweepstakes Contest)*

*\*Drawing Winners announced*

*\*Premier Breeders awarded*

*\*2015-2016 Junior Board announced*

9-11 p.m.: Dance

*\*All Junior hogs are released at the conclusion of the Awards Conclusion*

### SATURDAY, JULY 4

9 a.m.: Crossbred boar sale followed by the Duroc,  
Hampshire, Landrace and Yorkshire boar and gilt sales

### JUDGES

Open Duroc: TBA

Open Hampshire: TBA

Open Landrace: Brett Vickrey, Ind.

Open Yorkshire: Garry Childs, Ga.

Open Crossbred Boars: Ben Moyer, Ohio

NJSA Duroc and Hampshire Barrows: Clint Schwab, Ill.

NJSA Yorkshire and Landrace Barrows: Mike McCoy, Ohio

NJSA Duroc and Hampshire Gilts: Jay Winter, Texas

NJSA Yorkshire and Landrace Gilts: Will Winter, Texas

NJSA Novice/Intermediate Showmanship: Warren Beeler, Ky.

NJSA Junior/Senior Showmanship: Dan Shike, Ill.

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# RULES & REGULATIONS

## June 1-6, 2015

Entry deadline: April 15, 2015

Enter online at: [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com)

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

- » Entry fees must accompany the entry form, and all late entries will be charged double the regular fee. The NSR reserves the right to close entries, because of pen space limitations, any time after the printed deadline. All entry fees are non-refundable. **Entries must be postmarked by April 15, 2015.**
- » All hogs entered at the WPX must have been owned by April 24, 2015, by the exhibitor.
- » **Crossbred boars: Stress status of your entry will be placed in the show and sale catalog (this is a show and sale requirement). A documented stress test must be presented at check in.**
- » **All exhibitors must be active members of the NSR or pay the non-member participation fee.**
- » All entries must be earnotched using the official NSR system. (Starting with litter No. 1 in January and again in July each year.) **All entries must meet their respective registration requirements. All entries must be recorded by May 18, 2015. After that date, exhibitors will be charged a rush fee.**
- » No purebred entry or substitute entry is official or will be allowed to show or sell unless accompanied by registration certificate. **All hogs must be at the fairgrounds by 8 a.m., Thursday, June 4.**
- » Purebred entries will be divided into classes, as equally as possible, by farrowing date.

## 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 (Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire), four purebred open gilts (Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire), two crossbred boars and two crossbred gilts per exhibitor. All entries must be farrowed on or after Nov. 1, 2014, and must have at least six teats on each side.
- » 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.

## HEALTH REGULATIONS

1. An interstate health certificate of veterinary inspection from state of origin, issued by a licensed accredited veterinarian, must accompany each animal.
  - A. All certificates must include official identification of animal and health status of animal including the dates of required tests and vaccinations.
  - B. Certificates must be issued on or after May 7, 2015.
  - C. An original health certificate must accompany each shipment. All animals may be listed on one original health certificate. Photocopies of CVI's can be made for each animal after the show veterinarian has approved CVI's upon arrival.
  - D. Each certificate must show: Name and address of consignor, consigned to the World Pork Expo, Iowa State Fairgrounds, East 30th Street and University Ave., Des Moines, Iowa, 50317.
  - E. **ALL SWINE being exhibited at the World Pork Expo must be tagged with an official, federally-recognized ear tag. For more information on federally-recognized tags, visit [www.nationalswine.com](http://www.nationalswine.com).**
2. All certificates must be issued on or after May 7, 2015, with the following information:
  - A. **PSEUDORABIES: All animals must be tested for PRV on or after May 7, 2015, and all identification, including official identification needs to be on the pseudorabies test chart. Animals must test PRV-negative with all results on the dated certificate. You must have the official test chart along with your certificate of veterinary inspection. Either the Elisa, ALA or S/N tests are acceptable. Differentiable Elisa Test will NOT be accepted.**
  - B. BRUCELLOSIS: All animals must originate from a Brucellosis Class "Free" state or be from a validated brucellosis free herd with the validation herd number and a date of last test on the certificate or be negative tested for brucellosis on or after May 7, 2015, and test date written on the certificate.
  - C. All breeding swine coming to the show MUST be vaccinated against leptospirosis (6-way) including bratislava and erysipelas. The complete date of vaccination MUST be listed on the health certificate. Market animals should not be vaccinated.
  - D. It is strongly recommended that breeding animals are vaccinated for swine influenza.
  - E. All health certificates must carry the following statements: farm or origin of the swine has not had pseudorabies or swine dysentery in the past 12 months, has not had any clinical signs or diagnosis of TGE or PEDV in the past 60 days, feeds no garbage, uses no PRV vaccine, and is not under quarantine for any disease condition; also that vesicular stomatitis has not been diagnosed within 10 miles of the farm of origin within the past 30 days.
  - F. Your driver's license number must be included on health certificate.
  - G. A premises ID number is required to be listed on health certificate.
  - H. Please list your veterinarian's cell phone number on health certificates.
  - I. A permit number is not required from the state (Iowa) office to move animals into the World Pork Expo.

## REMINDERS

- ★ **YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER MUST BE INCLUDED ON YOUR HEALTH PAPERS.**
- ★ **NO CLIPPING IS ALLOWED IN THE BARN.**
- ★ **A PREMISES ID NUMBER WILL BE REQUIRED TO EXHIBIT.**
- ★ **ONLINE ENTRY FORMS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE BY VISITING NATIONALSWINE.COM**
- ★ **ALL ANIMALS MUST HAVE A FEDERALLY-APPROVED, PERMANENT-NUMBERED TAG.**



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## 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.

## SPECIAL BREED REQUIREMENTS

- » By entering any animal in this conference, the owner warrants that the animal meets specific breed requirements.
- » **Such warranty is, however, 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.**
- » There will be no refund of NSR commission from animals that are carriers of the color gene.

## COLOR GENE

- » By entering any purebred Hampshire, Landrace or Yorkshire in this conference, the owner warrants that the animal is not a carrier of the color gene.
- » **Such warranty is, however, solely that of the seller and not that of the HSR, ALA and AYC, and the HSR, ALA and AYC assumes no responsibility or liability in connection with such warranty by the seller.**
- » If any animal sold at this conference is found to be a carrier of the color gene after being tested through the procedures approved by the HSR, ALA and AYC, the seller agrees that he or she will promptly refund the full purchase price to the buyer.
- » **There will be no refund of NSR commission from Hampshire, Landrace and Yorkshire 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 is, however, 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 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.**

# FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED SWINE EARTAGS



Many states are now requiring swine to be tagged with official, federally-recognized eartags for interstate transport.

Visit [nationalswine.com/library](http://nationalswine.com/library) to download more information.





# 2015 Official Entry Form

Each exhibitor may enter a maximum of four purebred open gilts from each breed, four purebred boars from each breed, two crossbred boars and two crossbred gilts. Boars and gilts must be farrowed on or after Nov. 1, 2014. Ear notches, farrowing dates and entry fees for each animal must accompany the entry blank. **ENTRY DEADLINE: APRIL 15, 2015**




**\*Junior exhibitors, please indicate if this gilt is also your WPX junior show entry.**


**"By my entering this conference, I agree to comply with all rules and regulations of the conference."**


Name \_\_\_\_\_ NSR Breeder #/Herdmark \_\_\_\_\_


Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_


City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Premises ID # \_\_\_\_\_


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

<b>Duroc</b> 	<b>Boar Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	<b>Payment For Duroc Entries</b>
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Boars Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Gilts Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	<b>*Gilt Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	

<b>Hampshire</b> 	<b>Boar Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	<b>Payment For Hampshire Entries</b>
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Boars Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Gilts Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	<b>*Gilt Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	

<b>Landrace</b> 	<b>Boar Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	<b>Payment For Landrace Entries</b>
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Boars Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Gilts Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	<b>*Gilt Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	

<b>Yorkshire</b> 	<b>Boar Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	<b>Payment For Yorkshire Entries</b>
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Boars Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Gilts Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	<b>*Gilt Entries (maximum of 4):</b>	
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	
	3) EN _____ BORN _____ 4) EN _____ BORN _____	

<b>Crossbred</b> 	<b>Boar Entries (maximum of 2):</b>	<b>Payment For Crossbred Entries</b>
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	# of Boars Entered _____ x \$100 = _____
	<b>*Gilt Entries (maximum of 2):</b>	# of Gilts Entered _____ x \$30 = _____
	1) EN _____ BORN _____ 2) EN _____ BORN _____	

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 APRIL 15, 2015**

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## ONLINE SALE #1:

March 22 \* [ThePigPlanet.com](http://ThePigPlanet.com)

Top-end January gilts and barrows.

Open house for viewing March 21, 7 p.m. at the farm

## ONLINE SALE #2:

April 23 with [Lensman Showpigs](http://Lensman Showpigs) \* [Showpig.com](http://Showpig.com)

The best February barrows and purebred gilts.



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- (above) SUPREME CHAMPION FEMALE OVERALL, Jr. Show
- (top left) CHAMPION POLAND FEMALE, Open Show
- (left) RES. CHAMPION POLAND BARROW, Jr. Show



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Have you given to NJSA in the past? Consider what you can do to increase that amount this year to secure the future and viability of NJSA. Your donation will go to:

- *Scholarships*
- *Educational events*
- *Show awards*
- *Show operations expenses*
- *Junior Board development*



Thank you for your continued support – NJSA and its members will continue to grow because of you.

#### TO SECURE YOUR PLEDGE TO THE NJSA TODAY DO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. Return the pledge card on the next page
2. Call the NJSA 765.463.3594 ext. 109
3. Email [kaley@nationalswine.com](mailto:kaley@nationalswine.com)

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# We look forward to partnering with you!

Mail your pledge to the address below:

**NJSA/National Swine Registry**

**2639 Yeager Rd.**

**West Lafayette, IN 47906**

## National Junior Swine Association Pledge Form

Yes, I want to support the future of NJSA! Please invoice me for the following amount:

**NJSA Boosters \$50-499**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**NJSA Backers \$500-2,499**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**NJSA Advocates \$2,500-4,999**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**NJSA Allies \$5,000-19,999**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**NJSA Visionaries \$20,000 +**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to make my 2015 contribution in the following way:

Check (Made payable to NSR Foundation enclosed)

Invoice me:  Jan. 1  July. 1  Dec. 1 (choose one)

Other (NJSA will contact you for invoicing options)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes, I would like to receive emails with information on NJSA.

# Publishing Schedule

*Seedstock EDGE* is your opportunity to reach a targeted, purebred swine audience in the premier publication of the showpig industry! Check below for advertising deadlines, show results, mail dates and *Seedstock EDGE* distribution for 2015!

	Ad Deadline	Mail Date	SHOW DISTRIBUTION	SHOW RESULTS
<b>Jan./Feb.</b>	Thursday <b>Dec. 4</b> 2014	Thursday <b>Jan. 8</b> 2015	NSR Winter Type Conference/NJSA Southeast Regional; San Antonio Stock Show; Fort Worth Stock Show; National Western Stock Show	NSR Fall Classic; American Royal; NAILE; Georgia National
<b>March</b>	Tuesday <b>Feb. 3</b> 2015	Wednesday <b>Feb. 25</b> 2015	NSR Southwest Type Conference; NJSA Western Regional; Houston; Oklahoma Youth Expo	NSR Winter Type Conference/ NJSA Southeast Regional; Pennsylvania Farm Show; National Western Stock Show; Arizona National
<b>April/May</b>	Thursday <b>March 26</b> 2015	Monday <b>April 20</b> 2015	NSR Weanling Pig Extravaganza	NSR Southwest Type Conference; NJSA Western Regional; Forth Worth; San Antonio; Houston; Star of Texas
<b>June</b>	Tuesday <b>May 5</b> 2015	Monday <b>June 1</b> 2015	World Pork Expo/WPX Jr. National	NSR Weanling Pig Extravaganza
<b>July</b>	Tuesday <b>June 9</b> 2015	Wednesday <b>July 1</b> 2015	NSR Summer Type Conference/ NJSA National Junior Summer Spectacular	World Pork Expo/ WPX Jr. National
<b>Aug.</b>	Friday <b>July 10</b> 2015	Monday <b>Aug. 3</b> 2015	NJSA Southwest Regional; State Fairs across Midwest	NSR Summer Type Conference/ NJSA National Junior Summer Spectacular
<b>Sept.</b>	Friday <b>Aug. 21</b> 2015	Friday <b>Sept. 11</b> 2015	National Barrow Show®/NBS® Junior Barrow Classic; NJSA Eastern Regional; Keystone International; Tulsa State Fair; State Fair of Texas	State Fairs
<b>Oct./Nov.</b>	Monday <b>Sept. 28</b> 2015	Friday <b>Oct. 16</b> 2015	American Royal; NAILE	National Barrow Show®/ NBS® Junior Barrow Classic; NJSA Southwest Regional; Late State Fairs
<b>Dec.</b>	Thursday <b>Oct. 22</b> 2015	Wednesday <b>Nov. 18</b> 2015	NSR Fall Classic	NJSA Eastern Regional; Ak-Sar-Ben; State Fair of Texas; Keystone International; Cow Palace

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# Advertising Rates

## breeder rates

### STANDARD RATES – Non-showpig issues (Jan./Feb., April/May, June, July, Aug., Oct./Nov., Dec.)

TYPE OF AD	¼ PAGE	½ PAGE	1 PAGE	2 PAGES
BW (Black Ink + BW Pics)	\$100	\$225	\$375	\$700
2-color (Black + 1 other color Ink + BW Pics)	\$175	\$300	\$450	\$850
4-color (Full Color + Full Color Pics)	N/A	\$400	\$650	\$1,250

### SHOWPIG ISSUE RATES – Spring & Fall Showpig Issues (March & Sept.)

TYPE OF AD	¼ PAGE	½ PAGE	1 PAGE	2 PAGES
BW (Black Ink + BW Pics)	\$150	\$275	\$425	\$800
2-color (Black + 1 other color Ink + BW Pics)	\$225	\$350	\$500	\$950
4-color (Full Color + Full Color Pics)	N/A	\$450	\$700	\$1,350

### MULTI-AD ANNUAL CONTRACT\* – 6 or more pages of advertising per year

TYPE OF AD	1 PAGE	2 PAGES
4-color (Full Color + Full Color Pics)	\$600	\$1,150

### LOYAL ADVERTISER ANNUAL CONTRACT\* – Advertise in all 9 issues of Seedstock EDGE

TYPE OF AD	1 PAGE	2 PAGES
4-color (Full Color + Full Color Pics)	\$575	\$1,100

## business rates

### STANDARD RATES – All issues

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BW (Black Ink + BW Pics)	\$275	\$400	\$550	\$1,050
2-color (Black + 1 other color Ink + BW Pics)	\$350	\$475	\$625	\$1,200
4-color (Full Color + Full Color Pics)	N/A	\$575	\$825	\$1,600

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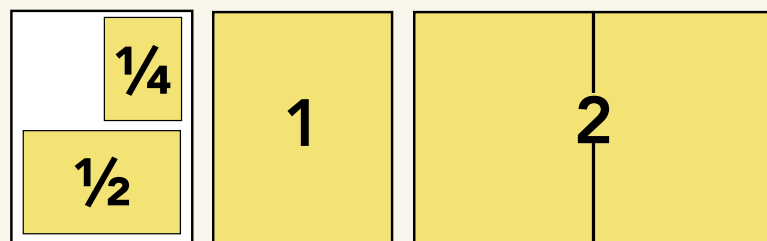
TYPE OF AD	1 PAGE	2 PAGES
4-color (Full Color + Full Color Pics)	\$725	\$1,400

**“You guys all do a great job with the magazine – Keep it up! Seedstock EDGE is hands down our favorite magazine to work with!”**

— Steva Robinson,  
Novel Designs

**\*** All contracted ads begin with the Jan./Feb. issue of the year contracted. Contracted ads must be at least one full-page, full-color. All contract advertising MUST be placed within the year contracted or account adjustments will be made. Contracts MUST be in place before the Jan./Feb. issue of Seedstock EDGE – discounts will not be made retroactively. Any additional advertising above and beyond the contracted ads will be billed at the contracted rate assigned with the current year's contract.

## AD SPECIFICATIONS



¼ PAGE AD	½ PAGE AD
3.33" x 4.90" NON-BLEED	6.83" x 4.90" NON-BLEED

1 PAGE AD	2 PAGE AD
8.5" x 11.25" *TRIM SIZE	16.5" x 11.25" *TRIM SIZE
8.5" x 11.25" **FULL-BLEED	16.5" x 11.25" **FULL-BLEED

\*This is the final size of the ad as you would see it in the magazine.  
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# RULES & REGULATIONS

## April 22, 2015

Entry deadline:

March 25, 2015

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- » Each certificate must show: Name and address of consignor, and be consigned to National Swine Extravaganza, Wayne County Youth Center, 861 Salisbury Road N., Richmond, IN 47374.
- » ALL animals MUST be officially identified with a federally-approved, permanently-numbered eartag. For more information on federally-approved eartags, please visit [www.nationalswine.com](http://www.nationalswine.com).
- » A permit must be obtained prior to transporting the animals into Indiana. Only accredited veterinarians may obtain permit numbers for entry. Permits for swine may be obtained at any time by visiting [www.in.gov/boah/2661.htm](http://www.in.gov/boah/2661.htm), or Monday through Friday, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. (Eastern), with the exception of state holidays, by calling (317) 544-2381, or toll free at (877)747-3038.

## HEALTH CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

- » The state of Indiana requires no Brucellosis or Pseudorabies (PRV) testing for entries, provided each state of origin is considered Brucellosis free and Stage V of the Pseudorabies eradication program. If the animals come from a Pseudorabies-qualified herd and from a Brucellosis-validated herd, it is required that these numbers and the last test dates appear on the health certificate.
- » All health certificates must carry the following statements:  
"Farm or origin of the swine has not had pseudorabies or swine dysentery in the last 12 months, has not had any clinical signs or diagnosis of TGE or PEDv in the last 60 days, feeds no garbage, uses no PRV vaccine, and is not under quarantine for any disease condition; also that vesicular stomatitis has not been diagnosed within 10 miles of the farm of origin within the last 30 days."
- » It is recommended that all pigs be vaccinated for mycoplasma, circovirus and swine influenza. Two injections given at least two weeks apart is preferred. These products are available commercially from several vaccine companies. This is not a sale requirement.
- » A premises ID number is required on your health papers.
- » Your driver's license number MUST be included on your health certificate.
- » Please list your veterinarian's cell phone number on the health certificate.
- » Address any health questions to Brian Arnold, NSR, 765.463.3594

## ARRIVAL, UNLOADING & CHECK-IN

- » All animals and certificates of veterinary inspection (CVI) must be inspected by show veterinarian prior to unloading. **Any animals unloaded prior to veterinarian inspection will be dismissed from barns and forfeit participation in sift and sale.**
- » Hogs may arrive for inspection and unloading during the following times:
  - Tuesday, April 21: 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.
  - Wednesday, April 22: 6:30 a.m. – 9 a.m.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- » Weanling pigs must be entered prior to the show, and entries must be postmarked by March 25, 2015.
- » Entries limited to a maximum of six head per exhibitor.
- » Recommended farrowing date range for project pigs is Jan. 1 and after (any age for prospective club pigs will qualify for this sale).
- » **All purebred weanling pigs that show in the purebred class must have a pedigree that accompanies each entry or they will show as a crossbred.** Purebred pedigrees will be transferred to buyers by respective breed associations. All pigs must be ear notched. **Pigs must be registered by April 10, 2015, or they will be charged a \$25 rush fee.**
- » Barrows, boars or gilts are eligible. Barrows and boars may be exhibited in separate classes, depending on the number of entries. Gilts will be shown in separate classes.
- » A minimum of 50 percent of the pigs shown per breed will be selected for the sale.
- » **Weanling pig entry fees are \$30. All late entries will be charged double the regular entry fee. The NSR reserves the right to reject any or all entries postmarked after noted entry date.**
- » **The entire entry fee must accompany all entry forms. No refunds.**
- » Sale commission will be 15 percent.
- » Settlement will be made with the exhibitors about 30 days following the sale. In case of non-payment and/or insufficient funds by the buyer, settlement with the seller will be delayed until collection is secured. If an exhibitor has an NSR account that is past due, funds from the sale of their animals will be applied to their past-due account.
- » This event is sponsored by, and will be managed by, the NSR #AC303D000727.
- » Exhibitors must be an active member (junior or senior) of the National Swine Registry, or they will be charged a \$75 exhibitor fee.
- » The NSR will make all penning assignments.

## REMINDERS

- ★ **YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER MUST BE INCLUDED ON YOUR HEALTH PAPERS.**
- ★ **A PREMISES ID NUMBER WILL BE REQUIRED TO EXHIBIT.**
- ★ **ALL ANIMALS MUST HAVE A FEDERALLY-APPROVED, PERMANENT-NUMBERED TAG.**
- ★ **NO CLIPPING IS ALLOWED IN THE BARN.**
- ★ **ONLINE ENTRY FORMS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE BY VISITING NATIONALSWINE.COM**





# 2015 Official Entry Form




Each exhibitor may enter a maximum of six pigs. Ear notches, farrowing dates and entry fees for each animal must accompany the entry blank. **ENTRY DEADLINE: MARCH 25, 2015**

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

Name \_\_\_\_\_ NSR Breeder #/Herdmark \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Premises ID # \_\_\_\_\_

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

## Weanling



Number of Weanling pigs entered (maximum of 6): \_\_\_\_\_ 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 MARCH 25, 2015**



See the full schedule on page 75.



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## NATIONAL SWINE REGISTRY



# April 22, 2015

Wayne County Fairgrounds  
Richmond, Ind.

**ENTRY DEADLINE: March 25, 2015**

Farrowing Deadline: Jan. 1 and after

### Tuesday, April 21

5-9 p.m.: Entries may arrive

5-7:30 p.m.: Registration and Check-In

### Wednesday, April 22

6:30-9 a.m.: Entries may arrive

7-9 a.m.: Registration and Check-In

Noon: Sift begins

6 p.m.: Sale begins

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at the beginning of each show, they then could select the type of animals that best fits that given scenario. The commercial world and packer grids have no reward for show ring presence, hair, nor the many traits that the show ring industry has come to appreciate. Thus the term “show” comes back into play and our community needs to accept that the show ring industry is an industry in and of itself. This is not anything new or earth-shattering, but it is good to open our eyes and better understand the industry that is a large part of our livelihood. Regardless of the type of animal that is currently popular, we are still able to gain the same benefits on our pathway to the show ring.

The type of animal that is currently being selected and the future trends are often dictated by a select few popular judges and/or breeders who are in a position to push a trend in the direction that pleases their given preferences. Just as soon as we think we have perfected and settled into a particular type of animal that is consistently popular in the show ring, it is sure to change. Let five years pass and dig back through those pictures, and you will see a noticeable difference.

To better understand how we can make the show ring experience the best possible, we need to better understand the purpose of the show ring judge and the process by which they are selected. Often, a pool of potential judges is gathered, and then the show committee ranks them in order of preference. In many cases their choice is not an option – whether it is because of scheduling conflicts, budgets or a breeder-judge turning down a show because they will have stock being examined at the given show. Most shows make the judges’ names public before the show.

Remember, as a parent or exhibitor, that each judge has been hired to give his or her opinion. If you are not satisfied with that judge, it would be appropriate to constructively discuss the issues with the livestock superintendent. Become more involved in researching potential judges and share your information with show committees and superintendents. They can then attempt to build upon what the exhibitors desire in order to better accommodate the show ring experience.

In 1915, L. McWhoster wrote, “A man himself a breeder with wide acquaintance must of necessity be the medium through which success or failure comes to his fellow breeders and possible customers. The winners are few and the losers many. In either case the breeder-judge has nothing to gain and much to lose.”

This is still an issue today, when superintendents are selecting judges. It is without question that breeder-judges are generally

some of the most qualified at evaluating a given species, but often tied too closely to specific genetics or individual exhibitors. When using some of the leading breeders to judge, you cannot avoid some of their genetics or acquaintances participating in the given show. Often locating breeder-judges from another part of the country will help, but won’t eliminate the possibility. With online marketing and social media taking hold in our industry, it will continue to be more and more difficult to find competent, non-biased judges who can objectively sort the stock without pre-conceived distractions.

In conclusion, L. McWhoster wrote, “No more arduous or thankless task falls to the judging of livestock at the larger shows. Some of the most capable judges wisely refuse to act in such a capacity.”

In contrast, with the transition to more youth-oriented shows, the reward of working with the best youth in the country can be greatly satisfying. Yet the task of pleasing the masses will always be challenging, as there are few winners and many who will not achieve their goals. Take into consideration that those selected to judge shows do not take their task lightly. Much effort is being put forth by most to not only select the best animals, but also to make it a positive experience for our youth. Keep this in mind the next time you disagree with a judge’s decision. Think before you speak in order to spin the outcome to be as positive as possible for your family.

Being able to exhibit stock at the show, the quality time your family is spending together and the lessons your children learned along the way to get to that show is where the true value lies. Some may refer to today’s show ring as nothing more than an elaborate game. Whether it is a “game” or simply a historical event that allows our competitive nature to thrive, embrace the good that the path to the show ring brings and do what you can to allow future generations the choice to lead the stock show lifestyle.



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in Illinois with many state and national  
winners purchased through this sale.*

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CPS Representative: Jack Wall  
Auctioneer: Dan Naughton

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**FINAL FOUR CLASSIC** :: March 25 :: 7 p.m.  
Bartholomew Co. Fairgrounds, Indiana  
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April 11 :: 7 p.m.  
Bartholomew Co. Fairgrounds, Indiana  
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# WORLD PORK EXPO



**June 1-6, 2015**

Iowa State Fairgrounds • Des Moines, Iowa

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** April 15, 2015

Online entry: [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com)

Farrowing Deadline: Nov. 1, 2014 and after

**SHOW:** Friday, June 5

**SALE:** Saturday, June 6

The NSR open show includes purebred Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire and Crossbred boar and gilt genetics.

Held in conjunction with the WPX Junior National.

See the full schedule on page 76.



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# WPX Jr. National



**June 1-6, 2015**

Iowa State Fairgrounds • Des Moines, Iowa

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** April 15, 2015

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Ownership Deadline: April 24, 2015

Farrowing Deadline: Nov. 1, 2014 and after

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# SUMMER TYPE CONFERENCE



## June 29-July 4, 2015

Kentucky Exposition Center • Louisville, Kentucky

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** May 13, 2015

Online entry: [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com)

Farrowing Deadline: Dec. 1, 2014 and after

**SHOW:** Friday, July 3

**SALE:** Saturday, July 4

The NSR open show includes purebred Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Yorkshire boar and gilt and Crossbred boar genetics.

Held in conjunction with the National Junior Summer Spectacular.

See the full schedule on page 77.



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# National Junior Summer Spectacular



## June 29-July 4, 2015

Kentucky Exposition Center • Louisville, Kentucky

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** May 13, 2015

Online entry: [nationalswine.com](http://nationalswine.com)

Ownership Deadline: May 1, 2015

Farrowing Deadline: Dec. 1, 2014 and after

### JUNIOR BREEDING GILT & MARKET BARROW SHOWS:

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- \$150 for Fourth-Place Overall Gilt & Barrow
- \$75 for Fifth-Place Overall Gilt & Barrow
- \$1,000 for Breed Champions
- \$500 for Reserve Breed Champions
- \$150 for Third-Place Breed Champions
- \$75 for Fourth-Place Breed Champions
- \$50 for Fifth-Place Breed Champions

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We will have 25 litters of Dec. to Feb.-born pigs.  
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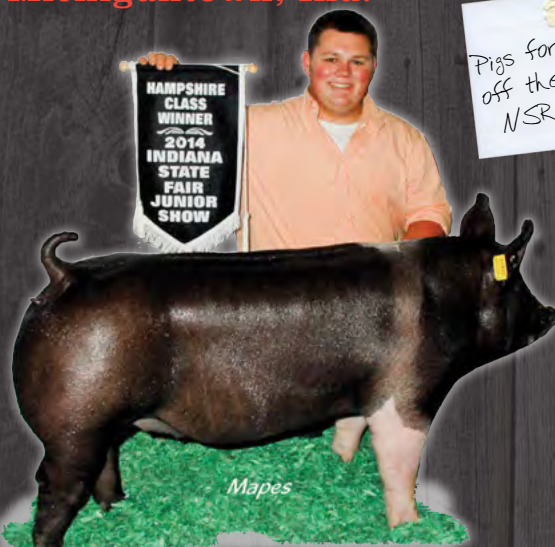
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Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup>  
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### Saturday, March 28

Sift: 10 a.m. Sale: 1 p.m.



*Jeff and Deb Hansen Agriculture Student Learning Center*

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**2 p.m.:** Auction

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**CHAMPION HAMPSHIRE FFA BARROW,  
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**CHAMPION BERKSHIRE FFA BARROW,  
 2014 IOWA STATE FAIR  
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**Pigs for sale off-the-farm**  
 After March 15

**Bound for Banners Sale**  
 April 10 • 7 p.m.

Kirkwood Community College • Cedar Rapids, Iowa



1. 4<sup>th</sup>-Overall Barrow & Ch. Duroc,  
 '14 Missouri State Fair • *Sold Online*



2. 5<sup>th</sup>-Overall Duroc Barrow,  
 '14 WPX



3. Class-Winning Duroc Barrow,  
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**Terre Haute, Ind. • Vigo County Fairgrounds**

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Class-Winning Crossbred Gilt,  
2014 Illinois State Fair  
Bred by Sale Consignor



Reserve Champion Poland Barrow,  
2014 Missouri State Fair  
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Class-Winning Yorkshire Gilt,  
2014 Illinois State Fair  
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Grand Overall Gilt,  
2014 Illinois State Fair  
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Sat., April 11

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Sale Manager: J.R. Reid

Sale Phone Numbers:

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2014 World Pork Expo Junior National Champion Poland & Champion Overall Team Purebred Gilt



2014 World Pork Expo Junior National Champion Chester White Gilt



2014 Team Purebred National Junior Show  
5th Overall Berkshire Barrow

★ For more information, contact: ★

Sale Manager:

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See You  
April 11

## ★ Consignors ★

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Jerry McLemore, Okla.

Steve & Mark Gray, Okla.

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Harlan Reid, Mo.

Bill Range, III.

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B.T. Herman, Okla.

Porter Show Pigs, Mo.

Kirkpatrick Show Pigs, Okla.

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Reid's Polands, Mo.

Sims Show Pigs, Mo.

Duncan Show Pigs, Mo.

Schminke's Genetics, Iowa

Mappes Durocs, Okla.

Brand Chesters, Okla.

Randy Robinson, Mo.

Newcastle Genetics, Okla.

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Joe Roberts, Mo.

Eddie Robinson, Mo.

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George Cooper, Okla.

Ryan Sites, Okla.



# FIRST CHOICE BERKSHIRE PRIVATE TREATY SALE

## Sunday, March 15, 2015

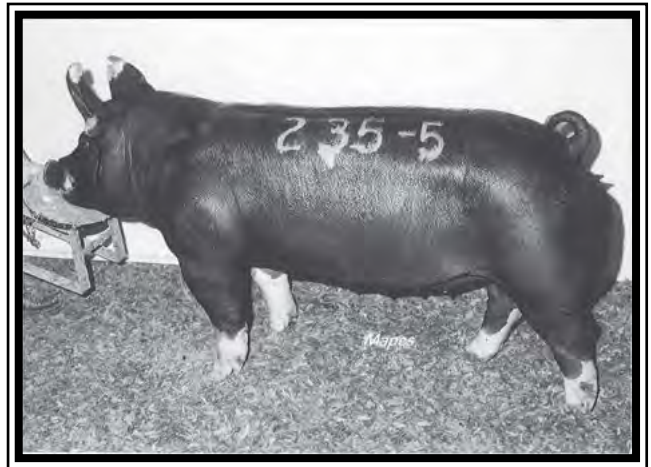
At the farm ☞ Final bids at 2:30 p.m.

Selling 50 head of Berkshire pigs born in December, January and February.

Sired by: Heat Stroke, Superfly, Bounty Hunter, Good Buddy, Mr. Mom, Man Hunt and Shotgun Style



**Res. Champion Berkshire Gilt, 2013 Indiana State Fair**  
Purchased in 2013 sale and shown by  
Gracie Flaspohler, Ind.



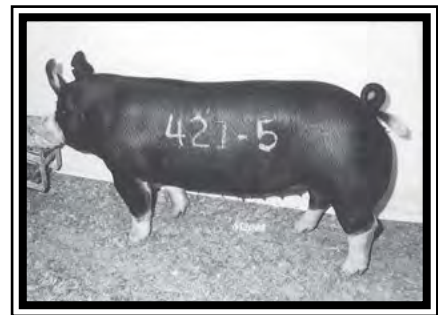
**Our 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Berkshire Gilt, 2013 National Barrow Show<sup>®</sup>**  
Sired by *Dead or Alive*. This popular gilt sold to  
Gibson Girls, Ohio, for \$1,700.



**Reserve Champion 4-H Berkshire  
Barrow, 2011 Indiana State Fair**  
Sired by *WPF9 Stimulator 30-3*.  
Congratulations to Gracie Flaspohler.  
Purchased from us.



**1-2 Early-Jan. Gilt**  
*Good Buddy x Heat Stroke*  
She sells!



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New show barn. New sale configuration. New way of selling pigs.

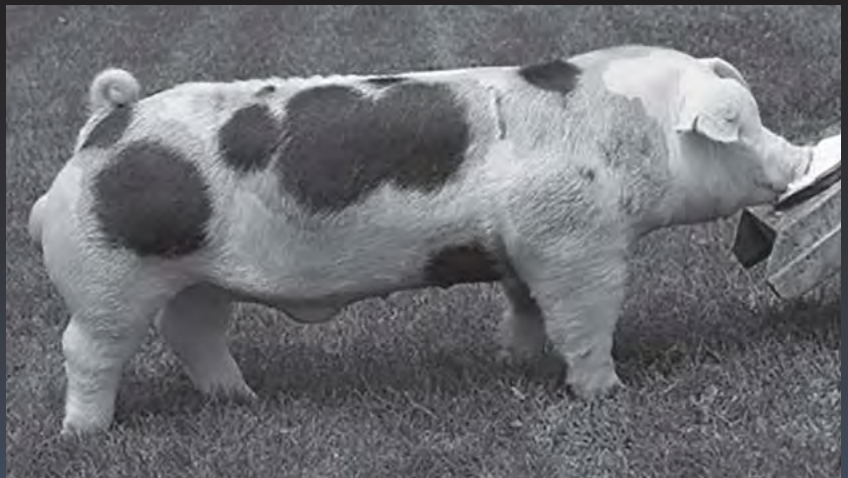
## OPEN HOUSE | March 14

New Barn Opens 9 a.m.

## GET LOUD

\$13,500 Champion Spot Boar  
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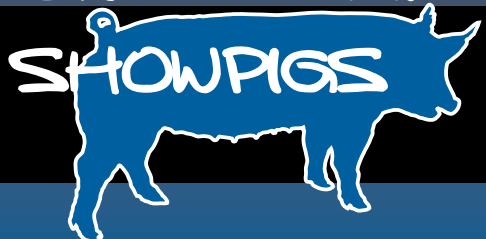
**DUROC:** Uproar, Bull Rush, Playmaker

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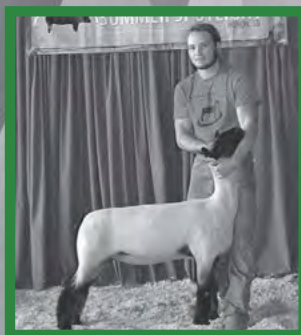
RES. HEAVYWEIGHT CROSS GILT, RES. CROSS GILT & 5<sup>TH</sup> OVERALL  
2014 South Dakota State Fair  
Shown by Cash Voegle



CHAMPION AOB & RES. CHAMPION PUREBRED MARKET GILT  
2014 South Dakota Summer Spotlight  
Shown by Miles Maas



RES. CHAMPION LIGHTWEIGHT CROSS BARROW  
2014 South Dakota State Fair  
CH. BARROW & CH. OVERALL, Lincoln Co. Fair  
Shown by Dawsyn Moroz



CHAMPION CROSSBRED  
2014 South Dakota Born and Bred Show  
CH. EWE & CH. OVERALL, Hutchinson Co. Fair  
Shown by Chase Stoebner



RES. CHAMPION HAMP LAMB,  
2014 South Dakota Born and Bred Show  
CH. WETHER & CH. OVERALL, Davison Co. Fair  
Shown by Sydney Tiam

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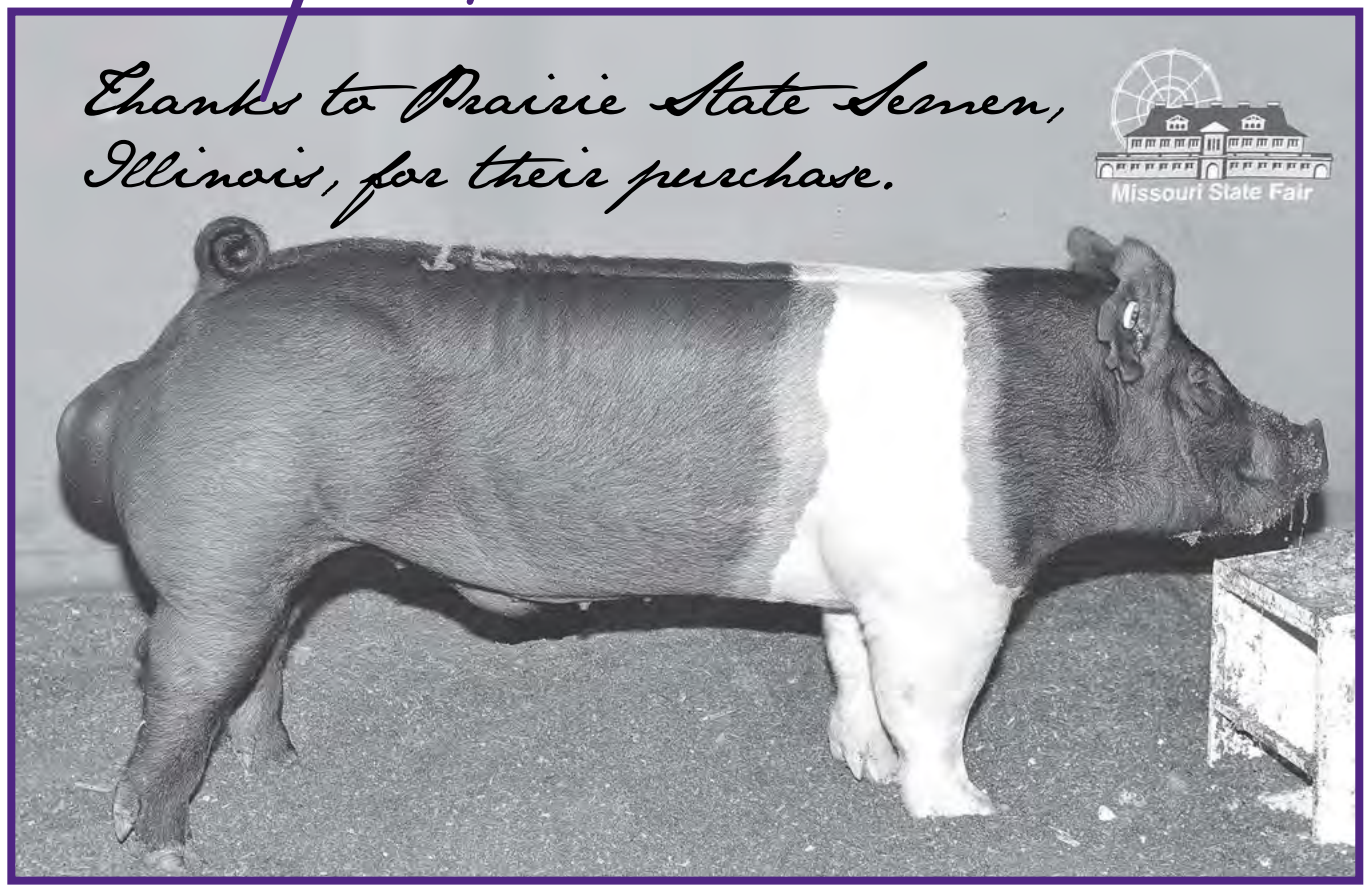
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*sale*

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**April 11: Seward, NE**

**@ 10:30am**

**May 2: Hasting, NE**

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# SPRING SPECTACULAR Club Pig Sale

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Saturday,  
**April 25**

7:30 p.m.

Preble County Fairgrounds  
Bruner Arena, Eaton, Ohio



**Champion Hereford Gilt,  
2014 Ohio State Fair**  
Champion Hereford Gilt,  
2014 National Hereford Show  
Shown by the Hawkins family.

**Selling January-March  
Hampshire, Yorkshire,  
Hereford, Berkshire and  
crossbred barrows, boars  
and gilts.**

**Great selection of club  
pigs for August and  
September fairs.**



**Class-Winning Hampshire Gilt  
& 4th-Overall Bred and Raised**  
2014 Ohio State Fair Jr. and Open Shows  
Shown by Ryan Michael. Will be selling pigs out of  
her littermates, this year.



**Champion Hereford Barrow,  
2014 Ohio State Fair**  
Shown by Cameron Shellhouse.

**Barrows eligible for the  
Ohio State Fair Muscle  
Quality & Performance  
show will sell already  
weighed and tagged!**



**Class-Winning Yorkshire Barrow,  
2014 Ohio State Fair**  
Shown by Ryan Michael.



**Reserve Champion Hereford Barrow,  
2014 Ohio State Fair Jr. Show**  
Shown by Starla Austin.



**Open Class Champion Gilt  
& Jr. Fair Class Winner,  
2014 Allen County Fair, Ohio**  
Shown by Evan Shafer.



**Grand Champion Barrow,  
2014 Montgomery County Fair, Ohio**  
Shown by Justin Michael.  
Part of a buyer's choice in last year's sale.

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after March 8



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## Thank You

*To all the buyers who made  
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feeling to get calls on the  
Champion pigs.*

### Hampshire Sires:

Outlaw (*Peters Hampshires and Shaffer's Goldrush*) • PM 21-10 (*Hi Point*) • Haymaker (*Laird*) • Trouble Maker (*Upperhand*) • Point Proven (*Purple Power*) • Capital Investment (*Peters Hampshires and Shaffer's Goldrush*)

### Crossbred Sires:

Half Cocked (*Perry*)  
Assassin (*Laird*)  
Snap Back (*Laird*)  
21 Jump Street (*Hi Point*)  
Billy the Kid (*Shaffer's Goldrush*)  
Ghetto Cowboy (*Laird*)



Champion Hampshire Barrow,  
2013 Indiana State fair

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Check our website for sale dates. We have a really good set of November and December-farrowed Yorkshire gilts.

For sale at the farm:  
**90-100 late-Fall and early-Spring litters**

Yorkshire sires: *High Powered, Final Drive, Untouchable, Charisma*  
Crossbred sires: *Over the Limit (brother to Monumental), High Limit (linebred to Doolittle Raid)*



**IGF SCENIC DRIVE**

Final Drive x Anchor

We will have a few pure litters by Scenic Drive.



**TBRO JOE COOL**

Spike x Turn On

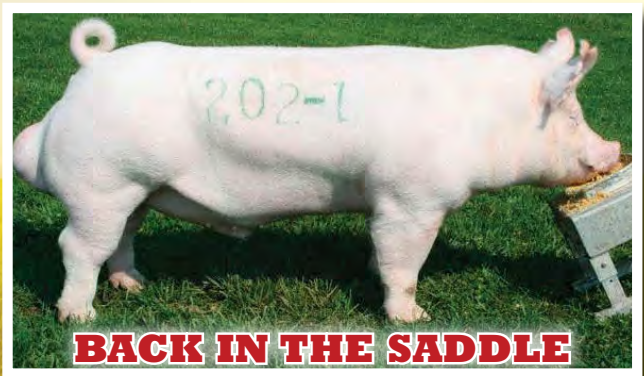
This April boar won the youngest boar class at the 2012 NBS®. The pure Yorkshires out of him look terrific.



**OVER THE LIMIT**

Hillbilly Bone x Toxic 283

One of the most consistent exotic sires used here. Owned by Rod Greiner and Dave Devries. He sired 15 county fair champions from Indiana to Wyoming.



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*Online Auction:*

**Sunday, Feb. 22, 2015**

**Showpig.com**

Look for additional sale dates on our Facebook page.

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**GRAND CHAMPION BARROW**  
 2014 Dearborn County Fair, Ind.  
 Shown by Kari Klem



**CHAMP HAMP GILT & 5<sup>TH</sup>-OVERALL,**  
 2014 TIPPECANOE CO. FAIR, IND.  
**2ND-IN-CLASS, 2014 WPX JR.**  
 Shown by Jason Bedwell  
 Litter of Silencer's available  
 (Watson's Grand Boar at Ind. St. Fair)



**2014 AMERICAN ROYAL**  
**CHAMPION YORKSHIRE BARROW,**  
 2014 AMERICAN ROYAL  
 Shown by Jason Bedwell  
 Bred by Steve Malcolm  
 Sold by Randy Denhart



**RES. GRAND SPOT GILT,**  
 2014 IND. STATE FAIR OPEN SHOW  
 Shown by Abby Clapp, III.  
 Purchased by Denhart Showpigs  
 Has a great 2 Stroke litter

**CROSSBRED LITTERS:**

Earle x Shoot 'Em x Drop Shot  
 Smokin' Joe x The Moment x Super Monster  
 Young Gun x Colossal x WOW  
 Dinner Bell x Catalyst x Super Monster

**YORKSHIRE LITTER:**

Take Notice x Ricochet x Power Drive  
 Take Notice x Power Drive x Prom King  
 Seize Control x Ricochet x Power Drive

**HAMPSHIRE LITTER:**

Silencer x Case Closed x Gold Standard  
 Point Maker x Gold Standard

**SPOT LITTER:**

2 Stroke x Cassanova

*2014 Denhart Showpigs Winners*

- Jason Bedwell • Champion York Barrow, 2014 American Royal  
 Bred by Malcolm Showpigs, Sold by Denhart Showpigs
- Kari Klem • Grand Barrow, Champion Crossbred & Res. Grand Gilt, Champion  
 Crossbred, Dearborn County
- Jason Bedwell • Champion Hampshire Gilt, 5<sup>th</sup>-Overall, Tippecanoe County
- Megan Kumbler • Champion Lt. Wt. Cross Market Hog, Logan County, OH
- Reagan Bowling • Res. Champion Cross Barrow, Putnam County
- Henry Ressler • Res. Heavy Cross Barrow, Tipton County
- Bennett Family • Res. Middle Weight Cross Gilt, Montgomery County
- Joc Hobson • Res. Champion Hampshire Barrow & Res. Champion Yorkshire Barrow,  
 Clark County
- Hallie Elliott • Res. Champion Chester Gilt, Montgomery County
- Jason Bedwell • 2<sup>nd</sup>-Place Hampshire Gilt, WPX
- Ty Gilstrap • 2<sup>nd</sup>-place Cross Gilt, Ind. State Fair
- Whalley Family • Res. Champion Yorkshire Market Hog, 2015 San Patricio Co., Texas
- Chad Griffin • 2<sup>nd</sup>-Place York Gilt & 2<sup>nd</sup>-Place Cross Gilt, 2015 NJSA Southeast Regional



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more than 30 sows, so far.



## WJH Strike 21-4

Strike's first pigs arrived in July. Strike sires body,  
bone, width and a good look. His first pigs will be  
in Belton. Semen customers comment on how  
much they like the bone and how consistent the  
pigs are. Pigs out of Strike's brother, Centerpiece,  
look good also.



## Bone Buzz

We have eight litters on the ground, along with litters  
out of High Powered. We have crosses by Springsteen,  
Darwin, Hillbilly Neon, Above the Rest, Crazy Bone and  
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## Great White

Top-Selling York Boar, '14 WPX  
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Shown by David Veiter**



**Res. Ch. Yorkshire Gilt, Kansas State Fair  
Champion Yorkshire Gilt, KILLS  
Shown by Alex Ptacek**



**Top-Five Hampshire Gilt, OYE  
Shown by Micah Lovelady**



**CHAMPION HAMP BARROW, '14 NJSS  
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**Champion Landrace Barrow, 2014 NJSS**  
Congrats, Mason Butler • Sired by Revolution



**Class-Winning Cross Barrow, 2015 NWSS**  
Congrats, Rayna Hodgson • Sired by Dirty Little Secret



**Champion Landrace Gilt, 2014 NJSS**  
Congrats, Jasmine Padilla • Sired by Revolution



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**Online Sales** March 16 | April 2



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**2 8** 7 PM  
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**2 8** 7 PM  
CEDAR RAPIDS, IA

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# Rodibaugh Pig Sale

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**Saturday, April 11** • 6 p.m. CDT • Rensselaer, Ind.  
150 barrows, 60 gilts • Yorkshire • Duroc • Chester White • Hampshire • Crossbred

At the farm, 1885 W. State Rd. 114, 2½ miles east of Rensselaer, Ind.

Auctioneer: Kevin Wendt AU09200068

NSR Rep Mike Paul: 765.427.2692

Check out **rodibaugh.com** for more details.



**Res. Grand Champion Gilt, NJSS**

*Congratulations, Austin.*



**Champion York Barrow, NAILE**

*Congratulations, Blake.*



**Grand Champion Barrow, White County Fair**

*Congratulations, Jordan.*



**Class-Winning Cross Gilt, Indiana State Fair Jr. Show**

*Congratulations, Clark.*



**Class-Winning Cross Barrow, Indiana State Fair**

*Congratulations, Sarah.*



**3rd-Overall York Barrow, OYE**

*Congratulations, Cheyenne.*



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**SALE #2:**  
**Saturday, April 18, 6 p.m.**  
50 top February barrows

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## Online Sales

[Showpig.com](http://Showpig.com)



- » March 5
- » March 16
- » March 22
- » April 9

Pigs available for viewing and private-treaty purchase late February-April.

Visit our website for more winners and updates!



1. Class-Winning Hampshire Barrow, 2014 Indiana State Fair  
*Shown by the Marchino Family*
2. Grand Champion Market Gilt, 2014 Kankakee Co. 4-H Jr. and Open Show | Class Winner, 2014 Ford County Jackpot Show | Class Winner, 2014 Illinois State Fair  
*Shown by Kendall Wills*
3. Reserve Champion Landrace Gilt, 2014 NJSS  
*Shown by Maddie Fugate*
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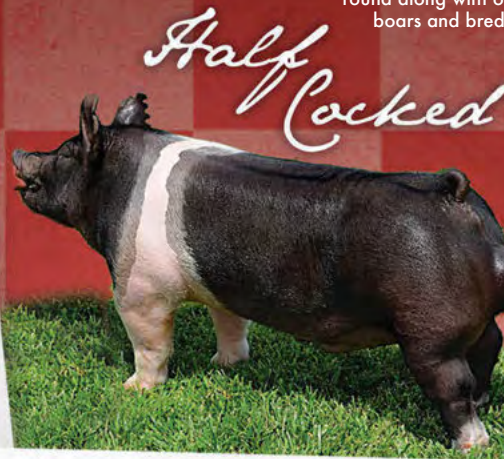
Shows pigs available year round along with open gilts, boars and bred gilts.

**SALE #1**  
Saturday, March 28 • 1 PM

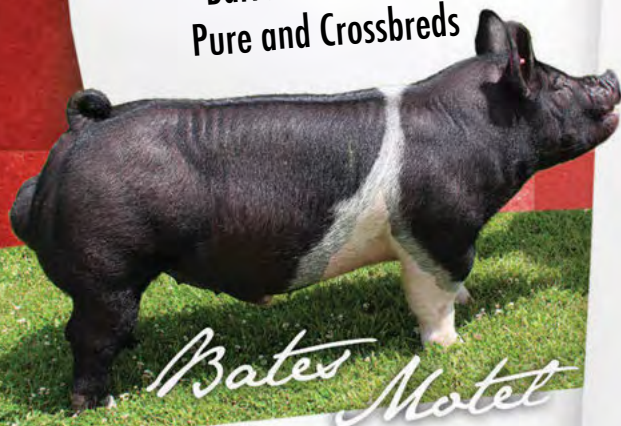
Guernsey County Fairgrounds  
Old Washington, Ohio

Selling 80 to 100 show pigs

Late December and early January born  
Barrows and Gilts  
Pure and Crossbreds



*Half Cocked*



*Bates Motel*

**SALE #3**  
Saturday, May 9  
1 PM

Guernsey County Fairgrounds  
Old Washington, Ohio

Selling 60 to 80 show pigs  
Late February and March born  
Barrows and Gilts • Pure and Crossbreds

**SALE #2**  
Saturday, April 18 • 2 PM

Muskingum County Fairgrounds  
Zanesville, Ohio

Selling 100 to 125 show pigs  
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# 2 Great Sale Opportunities!

## #1

### March 21

7 p.m. • Richwood, Ohio

## #2

### April 18

7 p.m. • Richwood, Ohio

We will also be attending the LVS Winners Pig Sale  
March 27 • 7 p.m. • Richmond, Ind.



**CHAMPION DUROC BOAR**  
2014 Ohio State Fair

#### TOP SIRES USED:

- Desert Storm
- Bugsy
- Bright Lights
- Happy Feet
- Double Vision
- No Rules
- Built Right
- Maximus



**CHAMPION DUROC BOAR**  
2014 Indiana State Fair



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### Selling 150 head

Spots | Yorks | Durocs  
Hamps | Berks | Crosses

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Sires Represented: FSF Dynamite (D) • MAFF Octagon (D) • Rumor (S) • FSF Charger 15 (S) • FSF U Believe (S) • Reason Why (S) • Swagtastic (X) • King Fish (X) • Skybox (X) • Changer (X) • WGW Chip (Y) • PM 72-7 (H) • Believe It (H) • FSF Jawbreaker (H) • Double Barrel (B) • Fur Trader (B)

*Pigs will be sired by littermates to the two past Grand Champion Gilts at the Indiana State Fair!*



**Grand Champion Gilt,  
'13 Indiana State Fair**

Littermate to Swagtastic



**Grand Champion Gilt,  
'14 Indiana State Fair**

Littermate to Octagon and the  
dam of litter 22



**High-Placing Dark OPB,  
'14 OYE**

Littermate to FSF Charger

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# Spring Showpig Sale

**SATURDAY, MARCH 28**

**Russell, KS, County Fairgrounds • 6 p.m.**  
**50 head of Jan.-Feb. Yorks and Crosses will sell.**

Watch The Pig Planet for several online sales this spring!



**Res. Grand Overall & Res. Dark Cross Barrow,**  
**'14 Kansas State Fair**  
*Shown by Alex Ptacek*



**American Gangster**  
**\$51,000 Champion Cross Boar, '14 WPX**  
*Stands at Crossroads Genetics*



**Inner Drive**  
**'14 WPX Yorkshire Boar Entry**  
*Stands at Premium Blend*



**Dam of Res. Grand Barrow,**  
**'14 Kansas State Fair**  
*Due late-Feb. to Abundant*



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*Due mid-Feb. to No Hesitation*

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Res. Champion Spot Gilt,  
Indiana State Fair



Champion Yorkshire Gilt,  
Hendricks County

**SIRES USED:**

**YORKSHIRE:**

- Take Notice
- Cole Mine
- Power Play
- Ricochet

**CROSSBRED:**

- American Gangster



Champion Yorkshire Barrow,  
Montgomery County



Res. Champion Cross Gilt,  
Putnam County



Champion York Market Litter,  
Hendricks County

**SPOT:**

- Bullfrog
- Dyno

**HAMPSHIRE:**

- Prototype

**BERKSHIRE:**

- Kissing Cousins

Barn open for preview beginning March 15 by appointment

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Friday, MARCH 20 7:30-10:30 p.m.

Saturday, MARCH 21 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

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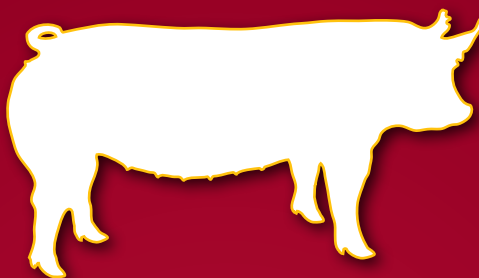
## SHOWPIG SALE

CROSSBRED

SPOT

DUROC

HAMPSHIRE



CHESTER

BERKSHIRE

HEREFORD

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**Saturday, April 4** 1 p.m. EDT  
Benton Co. Fairgrounds, Boswell, Ind.

### SIRES USED

**SPOT:** Changin' Lanes, Pucker Up, Share **DUROC:** Built Right, ROGY Asia **BERK:** Godwin, Black Oak, Heat Stroke **HEREFORD:** Red Sox **CHESTER:** Noah **HAMPSHIRE:** Point Maker, Silver Bullet, Snap Chat (full brother to Alter Ego) **CROSS:** Bone Chill, Visionary, California Chrome, Skull

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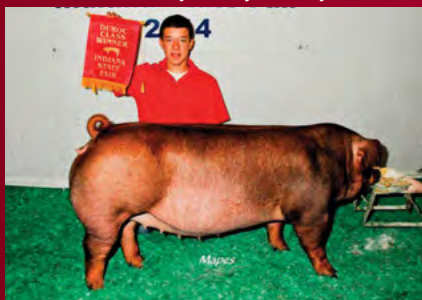
4<sup>th</sup>-Overall Hereford Barrow, '14 Team Purebred  
Champion Hereford Barrow, '14 Illinois State Fair  
Shown by Shelby McCray



Res. Champion Overall and Ch. Cross Gilt,  
2014 Miami County Fair, Indiana  
Shown by Jennifer Miller



Champion Berkshire Boar,  
2014 National Barrow Show®  
Shown by Norman Farms



Class-Winning Duroc Gilt,  
2014 Indiana State Fair  
Shown by Jared Vigar



Reserve Champion Chester Gilt,  
2014 NSR Fall Classic



Champion Spot Barrow,  
2014 Arizona National  
Sired by Changin' Lanes • Shown by Payson Ham



# Stookey Showpigs

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MWAT3 STKY Sublime 4-3 x  
MM1 Crown Royal 10-6

\$57,000 DUROC BOAR,  
2014 WORLD PORK EXPO

### HEADLINE LITTERS:

Shameless x Shameless' Mother,  
Lifetime x Shameless' Sister,  
Fullback x Shameless' Sister



Online Sale Dates: **MARCH 4** ♦ **MARCH 25**

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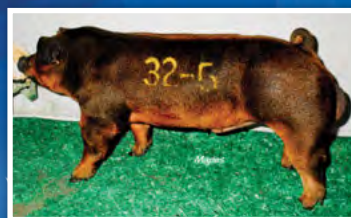
I. Black Monster :: Semen Available: \$250/dose II. See-In Red :: Iconic x Buck Cherry (littermate to Res. Champion Boar, 2014 OH State Fair) :: Semen Available: \$125/dose  
III. Champion Duroc & Res. Overall Purebred, Champaign Co. Fair, OH :: Congratulations, Victoria Ripley. IV. Grand Overall Open, Champion Middleweight & Champion Carcass  
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*Not pictured*

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March 8

March 24



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25+ litters of Durocs, Yorks, Berks and Crosses farrowed Jan.-Feb.

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**BIG BOARD SALE** At the farm  
March 8 • Viewing and bidding at 1 p.m.  
Final bidding at 3 p.m.  
Barn will open Feb. 27 for viewing  
Selling Jan. 1-20 Durocs, Yorks, Berks  
and Crosses. — No pigs will be sold before this sale

Pigs for sale off the farm following the Big Board Sale  
**Final Four Classic**  
March 25 • Bartholomew Co. Fairgrounds • 7 p.m.

**Bartholomew Co. Purebred Breeder's Sale**  
April 11 • Bartholomew Co. Fairgrounds • 7 p.m.

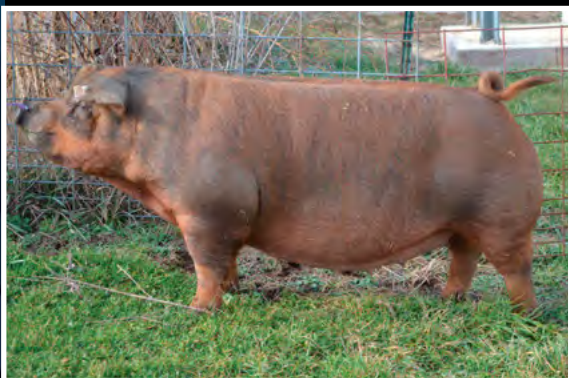
*Thanks to Dan Bankston and Abbey McDougal  
for purchasing our Duncan gilt entries.*



Grand Champion Gilt, '14 Bartholomew Co. Fair  
Shown by the Burbrink Family  
*She and two littermates have deep litters that  
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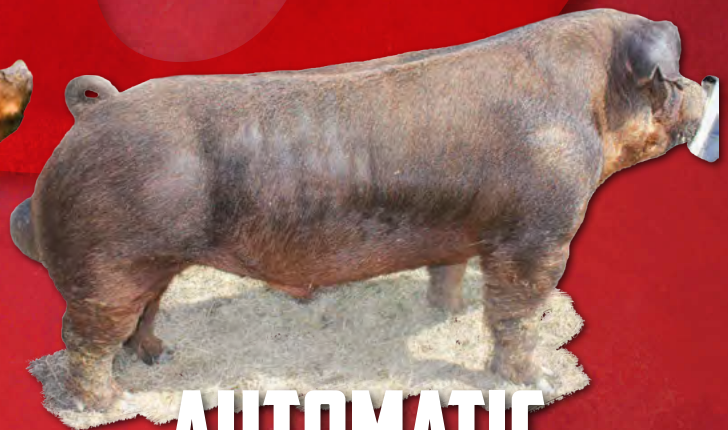
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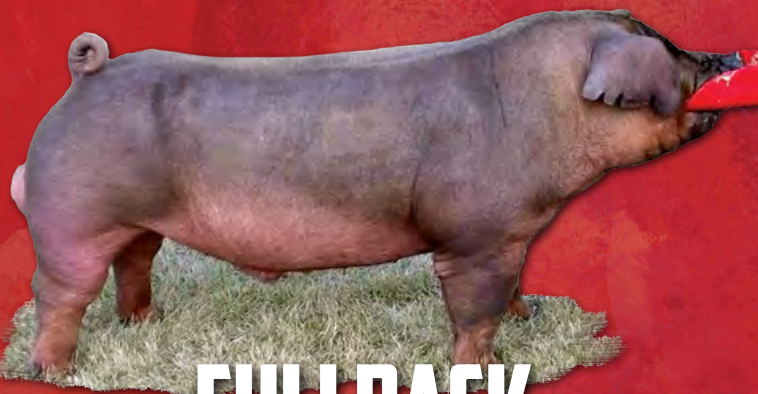
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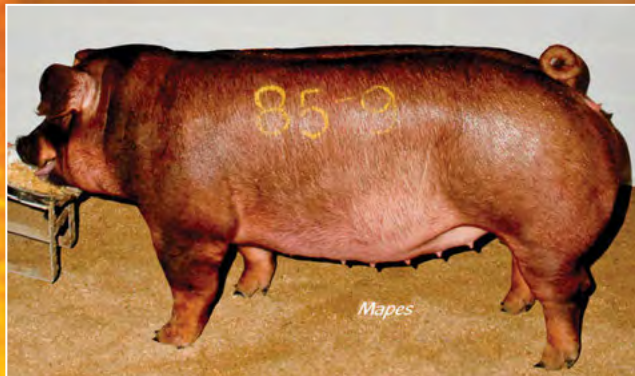
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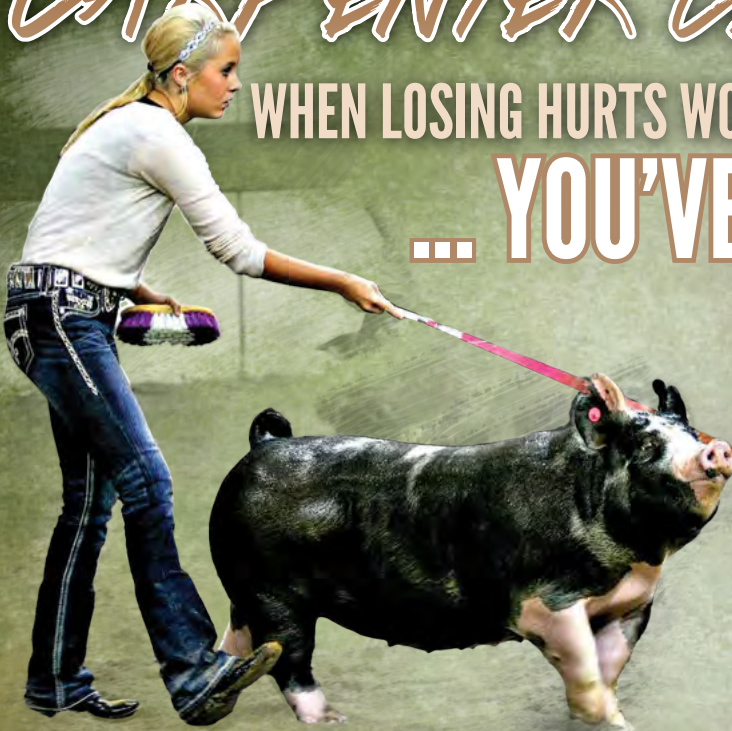
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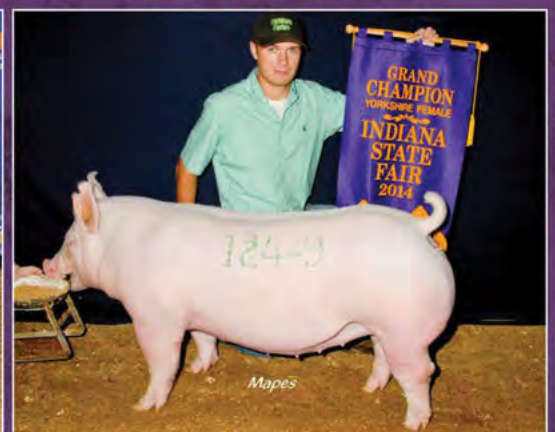
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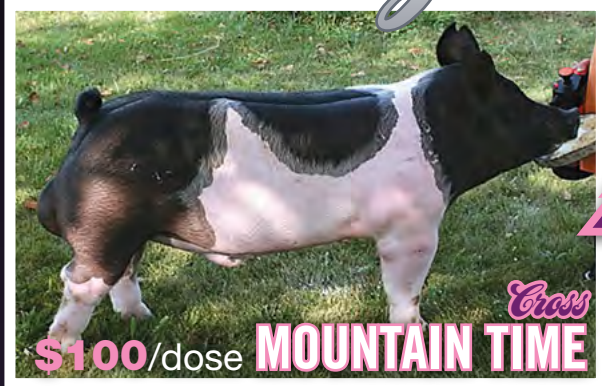
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April 18th, 2015  
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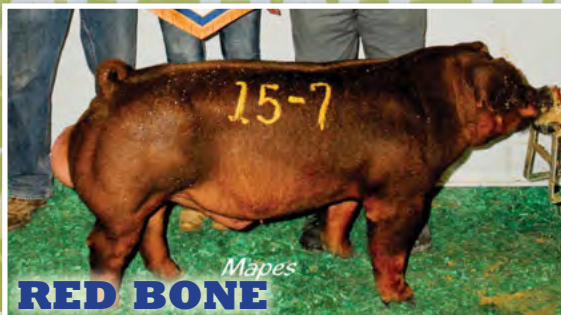
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March 12 ThePigPlanet.com

March 26 Showpig.com

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April 12 Iowa Purebred Elite Sale  
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**AUCTIONEER** Dave Delaney

## SCHEDULE

10:00 am | SALE PIGS AVAILABLE FOR VIEWING

11:30 am | LUNCH PROVIDED

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Sincerely, Daniel

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**MARCH 24** • Brinning Genetics Online Sale [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)

**APRIL 11** • Iowa Elite Show Pig Sale, Washington, Iowa  
(see ad on page 213, for more details)

**APRIL 14** • Brinning Genetics Online Sale [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)



**Grand Champion 4-H Market Hog**  
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Res. Grand Barrow Overall,  
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**Champ York &  
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Shown by Matt Hahn**



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**Grand Champion Barrow Overall,  
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- IN TIME Thompson
- DOC LOGAN Shipley
- BONE BUZZ Moyer



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*Purchased in last year's  
Elite Sale of Champions*



**Reserve Yorkshire & 4th-Overall, 2014 NJSS**  
*Purchased online*



**Reserve Yorkshire, 2014 Ill. State Fair**  
*Purchased in last year's  
Elite Sale of Champions*



**Res. York Barrow, 2013 Houston Livestock Show**  
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## Ifft Yorkshires

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# Upcoming Sale Dates:

**MARCH 11**

**Online Showpig Sale | [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)**

SELLING EARLY-JANUARY CROSS BARROWS & GILTS

**MARCH 25**

**Online Showpig Sale | [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)**

SELLING MID-JANUARY YORK AND CROSS BARROWS & GILTS

**APRIL 11**

**Elite Sale of Champions | Bloomington, Ill.**

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**APRIL 15**

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SELLING ELITE LATE-JANUARY AND EARLY-FEBRUARY YORK & CROSS GILTS



**Class-Winning Barrow, 2014 OYE**

*His mother had a Jan. 20 litter of Prophets.  
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# 2015 SPRING AUCTION SCHEDULE

## FEBRUARY

26 Carl Kent & Sons  
26 Ryan Showpigs  
26 Kaufman Farms  
26 Hill Top Swine Farm

## MARCH

02 Peter Farms  
02 S&K Showpigs  
03 Heemsbergen Swine Genetics  
03 Schmalig Bros. & Matt Cherney Showpigs  
04 Stohlquist Showpigs  
04 Benning Showpigs  
04 Stookey Showpigs  
05 Butts Farms  
05 Bryan Smith Showpigs  
05 Stock Showpigs  
06 Final Drive Genetics  
08 Wendel Genetics  
08 Kent Brattain & Family  
08 Denhart Showpigs  
09 Autrey Showpigs  
09 Russell Family Showpigs  
09 Heartland Elite Showpigs  
09 Banner Chaser  
09 Corya Family Showpigs & Towell Family Showpigs  
10 Laird's PBG & Sandall Showpigs  
10 Shaffer's Goldrush  
10 Diamond V Genetics  
10 Denny Showpigs  
10 Decker Showpigs  
10 Range Hog Farm  
10 Carpenter Showpigs  
11 Weisinger Farms and Hoge & Walters  
11 Triple L Showpigs  
11 Miller Farms  
11 Hoosier Elite Show Pig  
11 Triple B Sires  
11 Ifft Yorkshires  
11 Deckard Showpigs  
11 Tormoehlen Showpigs  
12 Ryan Showpigs  
12 Carl Kent & Sons  
15 Cody & Rex Smith  
16 Isla Grande Farms  
16 Stock Showpigs  
16 Fecke Livestock  
16 Banner Chaser  
16 Burkhalter Showpigs  
16 Crestview Showpigs  
17 Butts Farms  
17 Diamond V Genetics  
17 Bates Showpigs  
17 Heemsbergen Swine Genetics  
18 Miller Farms  
18 Major Expectations  
18 WinMor Farms  
19 Bryan Smith Showpigs  
19 Carl Kent & Sons  
19 Kaufman Farms  
19 Valleybrook Farms  
19 Weinkauff Farms Showpigs  
19 Desert Showpigs  
19 Burzlaff Showpigs  
19 McCarthy & Wells Showpigs  
19 Bryan Smith Showpigs  
20 Final Drive Genetics  
20 Sweet 16  
22 Morris Show Pigs and Swartzentruber Show Pigs

22 Stock Showpigs  
22 Lowdermilk Showpigs  
22 Show Hogs for Hunger Benefit  
23 Heartland Elite  
23 Peter Farms  
23 Banner Chaser  
23 Wendt Livestock  
23 Sieren Swine Farm  
23 Deck Showpigs  
23 Creager Family Farm  
24 Corya Family Showpigs & Towell Family Showpigs  
24 Laird's PBG & Sandall Showpigs  
24 Fink Farms  
24 Wendel Genetics  
24 Diamond V Genetics  
24 Denny Showpigs  
24 Showpig.com Jumbotron & Forum Banner Ads  
24 Robin Ridge Farms  
24 Decker Showpigs  
24 Butts Farms  
25 Triple L Showpigs  
25 Steve Cobb & Family  
25 WinMor Farms  
25 Stookey Showpigs  
25 Stohlquist Showpigs  
25 Ifft Yorkshires  
25 ClintHigh Showpigs  
25 Helregel Family Genetics  
25 Peters Genetics  
26 Sollars Farms  
26 Harrell Family Farm  
26 Torpedo Farms  
26 Stewart's Duroc Farm and Stein & Stewart Genetics  
26 Ray Gaskill Farms  
26 Range Hog Farm  
26 Mikesell Showpigs  
26 Ryan Showpigs  
26 JJ Genetics  
29 Triple Crown - Real McCoy Genetics & Lackey Livestock  
30 Fecke Livestock  
30 Autrey Showpigs  
31 Diamond V Genetics  
31 Shaffer's Goldrush  
31 Tormoehlen Showpigs

## APRIL

01 Fink Farms  
01 Stikeleather Genetics  
01 R Way Farm  
02 Kaufman Farms  
02 Burzlaff Showpigs  
02 McCarthy & Wells Showpigs  
03 Final Drive Genetics  
06 Banner Chaser  
06 Triple L Showpigs  
06 Deck Showpigs  
07 Robin Ridge Farms  
07 Denny Showpigs  
07 Corya Family Showpigs & Towell Family Showpigs  
07 Laird's PBG & Sandall Showpigs  
07 Butts Farms  
07 Bates Showpigs  
07 Missouri Swine Circuit Benefit  
07 Diamond V Genetics  
08 Fink Farms  
08 Weisinger Farms and Hoge & Walters

08 Ehrich Showpigs  
08 Stohlquist Showpigs  
08 Miller Farms  
08 WinMor Farms  
08 Kuecker Seedstock  
08 Fischbacher Showpigs  
08 Deckard Showpigs  
09 Trogdon Showpigs  
09 Stock Showpigs  
09 Harrell Family Farm  
09 Ryan Showpigs  
09 Valley Yorkshires  
13 Fecke Livestock  
13 Heirloom Hampshire Genetics  
13 Peter Farms  
13 Sieren Swine Farm  
14 Down Family Showpigs  
14 Decker Showpigs  
14 Diamond V Genetics  
14 Goff Select Swine Genetics  
14 3N Livestock  
15 Triple B Sires  
15 Schaffner Showpigs  
15 Ifft Yorkshires  
15 Stikeleather Genetics  
15 Range Hog Farm  
15 WinMor Farms  
16 Burzlaff Showpigs  
16 McCarthy & Wells Showpigs  
16 Ray Gaskill Farms  
16 Mikesell Showpigs  
16 DL Showpigs/Josh Krohn  
16 Denny Showpigs  
19 Stohlquist Showpigs  
19 Burkhalter Show Pigs  
20 Autrey Showpigs  
20 Triple L Showpigs  
20 Hamby Haven Show Pigs and Mary-Okie Farms  
20 Isla Grande Farms  
20 Steve Cobb & Family  
20 Laird's PBG & Sandall Showpigs  
20 Wendt Livestock  
21 Bates Showpigs  
21 Shaffer's Goldrush  
21 Diamond V Genetics  
21 Sollars Farms  
21 Showpig.com Jumbotron & Forum Banner Ads

## MAY

12 3N Livestock  
13 Fink Farms  
14 Sollars Farms  
19 Showpig.com Jumbotron & Forum Banner Ads  
20 Fink Farms  
20 Schaffner Showpigs  
25 Peter Farms  
26 Fischbacher Showpigs  
27 Fink Farms  
27 Steve Cobb & Family  
27 W-D Swine Farm  
28 Carl Kent & Sons

Sales are added to the schedule regularly.  
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Sugar Daddy x Black Onyx  
Latest addition from Lettow Show Pigs  
Heavy muscle, big rib & huge bodied boar  
Has the right look and pedigree to make  
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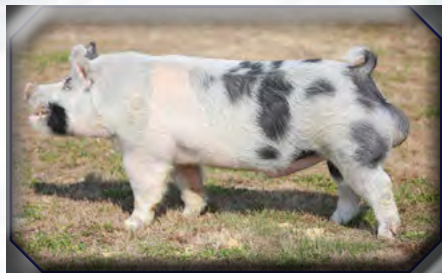


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Outta Hand x Black Onyx  
Favorite of many SGI visitors**



**Forever Stellar  
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Striking Eye Appeal  
Massive bone & muscle**



**Great White  
Razzle X Spud Bar  
Impeccable design, super stout**



**Elvis 51-2  
Elvis x Square D  
Stewart boar pictured in  
working clothes**



**Just the Man  
King 4-9 x Paulding  
Super stout & massive  
Thick & muscular**

**Check SGI's Web Site  
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{MONSTER 52-4 X SUPER 7} : STRESS NEG  
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## **38-9**

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# What a 2014!

LET US HELP MAKE YOUR 2015 JUST AS SUCCESSFUL

»»» These two boars' mama had a litter of **BEST MAN** babies that will be consigned to the 5 Star Pig Sale!



**JACK THE RIPPER**

THANK YOU TO L&H SHOWPIGS AND KELSO & SONS FOR THEIR PURCHASE!



**GAMBLIN' MAN**

THANK YOU TO TOP CUT GENETICS FOR THEIR INTEREST IN OUR FALL CLASSIC ENTRY AND FOR PURCHASING HIS LITTERMATE AFTER THE SHOW!

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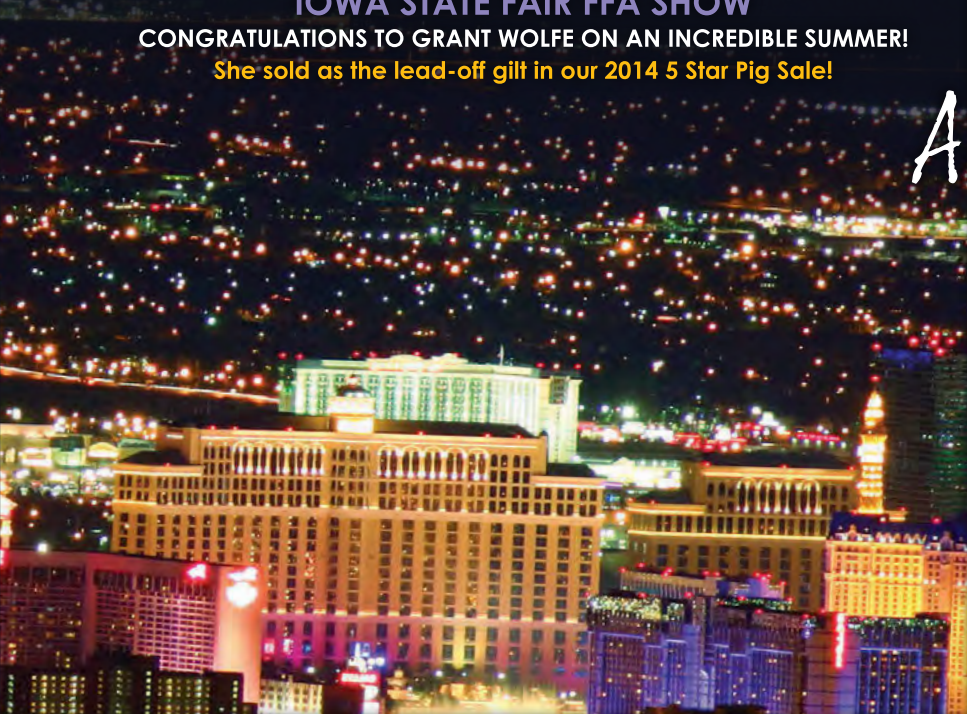
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**champion heavyweight market gilt**  
IOWA STATE FAIR FFA SHOW

CONGRATULATIONS TO GRANT WOLFE ON AN INCREDIBLE SUMMER!  
She sold as the lead-off gilt in our 2014 5 Star Pig Sale!



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**SATURDAY, MARCH 21**

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WEBSTER CITY, IOWA

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YORKS & SHOW PIGS

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*Show Pigs*

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SHOWPIGS

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**BROS.**  
*genetics*

*Also attending*

**THE CHOSEN ONES**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 1**

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

**f THE CHOSEN ONES PIG SALE**

**ISU BLOCK & BRIDLE**

**PROVEN TO WIN SALE**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 28**

AMES, IOWA

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Annual Open House

2.17.15 • 4.9.15

Illiana Pig Sale  
3.29.15

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*sale schedule*

**MARCH 20TH**  
CUSTOMER  
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**MARCH 28TH**  
ON FARM SALE

**APRIL 11TH**  
ON FARM SALE

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- ▶ Fort Worth Stock Show, San Antonio Stock Show, Houston Livestock Show, Oklahoma Youth Expo:  
GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$10,000  
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$5,000

### THE FOLLOWING SHOWS PAYOUT WILL START FOR 2015

- ▶ Indiana State Fair Jr. Show, Ohio State Fair Jr. Show, Illinois State Fair Jr. Show:  
GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$10,000  
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$5,000  
GRAND CHAMPION GILT OVERALL--\$10,000  
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION GILT OVERALL--\$5,000
- ▶ Iowa State Fair:  
GRAND CHAMPION FFA MARKET HOG--\$5,000  
GRAND CHAMPION 4-H MARKET HOG--\$5,000
- ▶ NJSS Purebred Gilt & Barrow Show, World Pork Expo Purebred Gilt & Barrow Show:  
GRAND CHAMPION GILT OVERALL--\$10,000  
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION GILT OVERALL--\$5,000  
GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$5,000  
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$2,500  
BREED CHAMPIONS--\$250 EACH
- ▶ Team Purebred Summer Purebred Gilt & Barrow Show:  
GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$2,500  
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$1,000  
GRAND CHAMPION GILT OVERALL--\$2,500  
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION GILT OVERALL--\$1,000  
BREED CHAMPIONS--\$250 EACH
- ▶ National Barrow Show Jr. Show: GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$1,000
- ▶ National Western Stock Show: GRAND CHAMPION OVERALL--\$1,000
- ▶ American Royal: GRAND CHAMPION BARROW OVERALL--\$1,000
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**TRIPLE CROWN SALE**



**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION 2014 Ohio State Fair**  
 Shown by Nicklaus Adams



**5TH OVERALL BARROW 2014 Ohio State Fair**  
 Shown by Adam McCoy



**4TH OVERALL BARROW 2014 Ohio State Fair**  
 Shown by Gaven Shobe



**4TH OVERALL CROSSBRED GILT 2014 Ohio State Fair**  
 Shown by Riley Wendt

**ONLINE SALES**

**FEBRUARY 22** • **MARCH 29** • **APRIL 12**  
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**LIVE EVENTS**

**MARCH 28**  
 CUSTOMER APPRECIATION SALE  
 at Fayette Co. Fairgrounds  
 OPEN HOUSE & TRIPLE CROWN VIEWING  
 at the farm



## SUGAR DADDY

SWAGGER X HILLBILLY BONE

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SLINGBLADE X BLUE RAY X (WALKER'S MOTHER)

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## RUTHLESS

BONE THUG X WAREFARE 3-1

BRED BY: PETERS FARMS, IA | \$250/DOSE



## SUGAR DADDY 100-1

SUGAR DADDY X COBRA

BRED BY: REAL MCCOY GENETICS | \$250/DOSE



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2014 WPX JR SHOW  
SHOWN BY DYLAN MCCAFFERTY  
BRED BY BOBELL FARMS



3RD OVERALL GILT AND CHAMPION DUROC  
2014 WPX JR SHOW  
SHOWN BY MADDISON CALDWELL  
BRED BY OLSON FARMS



5TH OVERALL GILT & RES YORK  
2014 WPX JR SHOW  
SHOWN BY MADDISON CALDWELL  
BRED BY RICKER YORKSHIRES



GRAND CHAMPION CPS GILT  
2014 WPX JR SHOW  
SHOWN BY OLIVIA CALDWELL  
BRED BY JR REID



RES GRAND GILT & CHAMPION DUROC  
2014 NJSS  
SHOWN BY AUSTIN RODENBECK  
BRED BY PARKINSON AND RODIBAUGH



4TH OVERALL GILT & RESERVE YORKSHIRE  
2014 NJSS  
SHOWN BY COLE WILCOX  
BRED BY PLATT SHOWPIGS



GRAND CHAMPION GILT  
2014 TEAM PUREBRED JR SHOW  
SHOWN BY TY JESTER  
BRED BY WINTEX FARMS



3RD OVERALL GILT & CHAMPION BERK  
2014 TEAM PUREBRED JR SHOW  
SHOWN BY THOMAS TROUT  
BRED BY BRATTAIN FARMS



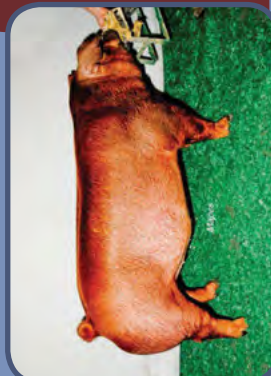
CHAMPION GILT  
2014 NJSA WESTERN REGIONAL  
SHOWN BY ZACH JOHNSON  
BRED BY MICHEL SHOWPIGS



3RD OVERALL GILT & RES CHAMP SPOT  
2014 TEAM PUREBRED MS REGIONAL  
SHOWN BY HALLIE LANDRY  
BRED BY PLATT SHOWPIGS



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2014 WPX JR SHOW  
SHOWN BY JOE ESPEY  
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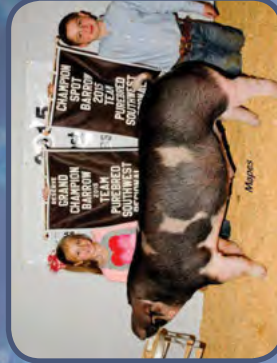
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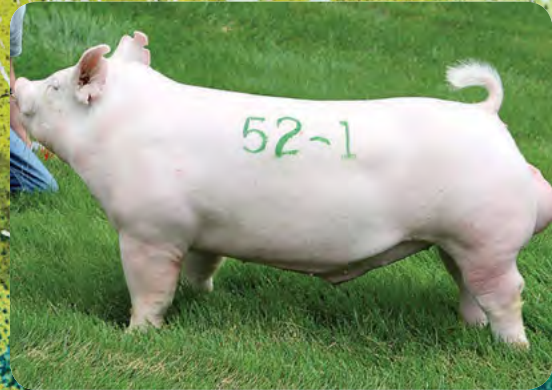
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 Bred by Marty Fordice & Family



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2014 Ak-Sar-Ben**

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 2014 WORLD PORK EXPO  
 CONGRATULATIONS THOMAS GRIPPANDO  
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**2014 WI JACKPOT SHOW CIRCUIT**  
**CONGRATULATIONS KLITZMAN FAMILY**  
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**LIGHT WEIGHT DIVISION**  
**2014 WORLD PORK EXPO**  
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## MARCH

- 1 The Chosen Ones Sale, 2 p.m., Kirkwood Community College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- 2 Peter Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 3 Brinning Genetics Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 4 Rash & Nelson Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 4 Stohlquist Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 4 Stookey Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 5-8 **NJSA Western Regional, Turlock, Calif.**
- 5 Rohrig Yorkshires Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 5 Stock Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 7 Ogle Genetics Pig Sale, 1 p.m., Nokomis, Ill.
- 8 Big Board Sale, 3 p.m., Columbus, Ind.
- 8 Wendel Genetics Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 9 Autrey Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 9 Carpenter Creek Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 10 Bobell and Olson Farms Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 10 Denny Show Pigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 10 Sanders Showpigs Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 10 Shaffer's Goldrush Online Sale #2, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 11 Hoosier Elite Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 11 Ifft Yorkshires Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 11 Triple B Sires Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 11 Weisinger Farms and Hoge & Walters Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 12 Heimer Hampshires Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 12 Stewart's Duroc Farm Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 12 Thompson Brothers Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 14 Lowdermilk Showpigs Open House, 9 a.m., Center Point, Ind.
- 14 Kaufman Showpigs Spring Sale, 1 p.m., Crawfordsville, Iowa
- 14 North Central Pig Sale, 1 p.m., Marion, Ohio
- 14 Robin Ridge Farms Barns Open, Clay City, Ind.
- 14 Shaffer's Goldrush Customer Appreciation Sale, 4 p.m., Wayne Co. Fairgrounds, Richmond, Ind.
- 15 First Choice Berkshire Private-Treaty Sale, 2:30, Greensburg, Ind.
- 15 A Cut Above Quality and Power Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 16 Carpenter Creek Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 16 Fecke Livestock Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 16 Isla Grande Online Gilt Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 16 McGrew Showpigs Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 16 Stock Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 17 Boblenz & Edmonstone Online Sale, [boblenzgenetics.com](http://boblenzgenetics.com)
- 17 Farrer Stock Farms Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 17 Genetic Edge Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)

- 18 WinMor Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 19-21 The Big Dance Open House, Lafayette, Ind.
- 19 Burzlaff Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 19 Sanders Showpigs Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 20-21 Moonlight Madness Barn Sale, Coatesville, Ind.
- 20 Sweet Sixteen Elite Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 20 Top Cut Genetics Customer Pig Sale, Wayne Co. Fairgrounds, Richmond, Ind.
- 21 5 Star Pig Sale, Hamilton County Fairgrounds, Webster City, Iowa
- 21 Field of Dreams Sift and Sale, Lafayette, Ind.
- 21 Isler Genetics Sale, 7 p.m., Richwood, Ohio
- 21 Moore Show Stock Spring Showpig Sale, 2 p.m., Knoxville, Iowa
- 21 Ottenwalter Farm Sale #3, 1 p.m., Colusa, Calif.
- 21 Ploeger Showpigs Sale, Sac County Fairgrounds, Iowa
- 21 Trattles Livestock On-Farm Bid Off, Burr Oak, Mich.
- 22 Hoosier Spring Classic, 3 p.m., Bartholomew County Fairgrounds, Columbus, Ind.
- 22 Johnson Durocs Online Sale #1, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 22 Mullins & Peters Showpigs Open House, Noon, Danville, Indiana
- 22 Stock Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 23 Carpenter Creek Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 23 Creager Online Showpig Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 23 Olsen Yorkshires Online Prospect Pig Sale, [olsenyorks.com](http://olsenyorks.com)
- 23 Peter Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 23 Showpig Palooza, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 23 Sieren Swine Farm Online Spring Sale #1, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 24 Bobell and Olson Farms Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 24 Brinning Genetics Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 24 Denny Show Pigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 24 Titus Showpigs Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 24 Wendel Genetics Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 25 ClintHigh Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 25 Cobb Family Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 25 Final Four Classic Sale, 7 p.m., Bartholomew County Fairgrounds, Columbus, Ind.
- 25 Ifft Yorkshires Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 25 Stohlquist Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 25 Stookey Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 25 WinMor Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 26 **April/May Seedstock EDGE Ad Deadline**
- 26-28 Cain Super Sires Online Showpig Sale, [cainfarms.com](http://cainfarms.com)
- 26 Stewart's Duroc Farm Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 26 Thompson Brothers Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 27 Super 7 Sale, 7 p.m., Central Iowa

- Fairgrounds, Marshalltown, Iowa
- 27 Winner's Only Pig Sale, 7 p.m., Wayne Co. Fairgrounds, Richmond, Ind.
- 28 Eggers Showpigs 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Private-Treaty Sale, 8 a.m., State Center, Iowa
- 28 Hoosier Elite Showpig Sale, 6 p.m., Alexandria, Ind.
- 28 Mai Family Showpigs Spring Sale, 6 p.m., Russell Co. Fairgrounds, Kan.
- 28 Mega Bucks Sale, Columbia City, Ind.
- 28 Menefee Farms Spring Sale, 1 p.m., Paola, Kan.
- 28 Messner Farms Showpig Sale, 9 a.m., Caney, Kan.
- 28 Ploeger Showpigs Sale, Loveland, Colo.
- 28 Polich Showpigs Sale, Woodward, Iowa
- 28 Proven to Win Pig Sale, 1 p.m., Ames, Iowa
- 28 Sale of Champions, 7 p.m., Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- 28 Southeastern Ohio Genetics Sale #1, 1 p.m., Old Washington, Ohio
- 28 Top Cut Genetics On-Farm Pig Sale #1, Farmland, Ind.
- 28 Trogdon Showpigs Open House, 7 p.m., Paris, Ill.
- 28 Watson's Pig Sale, 5 p.m., Hendricks County Fairgrounds, Danville, Ind.
- 29 Go Big or Go Home Sale, 4 p.m., Boone Co. Fairgrounds, Lebanon, Ind.
- 29 Illiana Showpig Sale, 2 p.m., Terre Haute, Ind.
- 29 Midwest Best Sale, 2 p.m., Seneca, Ill.
- 29 Supreme Honor Show Pig Sale, 1 p.m., Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- 29 Western Iowa Pig Expo, Denison, Iowa
- 30 Autrey Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 30 Fecke Livestock Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 30 Sanders Showpigs Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 30 Zimmerman Hog Farms Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 31 Shaffer's Goldrush Online Sale #3, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)

## APRIL

- 2 Burzlaff Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 2 Heimer Hampshires Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 2 Iowa Elite Scholarships Applications Due
- 2 McGrew Showpigs Online Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 3 Best in the Midwest Sale, 7 p.m., Grant Co. Fairgrounds, Marion, Ind.
- 3 Kimley Showpigs Sale, 7 p.m., South Charleston, Ohio
- 3 Zimmerman Hog Farms Sale, Cheyenne, Wyo.
- 4 Breeder's Classic Showpig Sale, 6:30 p.m., Bloomington, Ill.
- 4 North Central Pig Sale, 1 p.m., Marion, Ohio
- 4 Ottenwalter Farm Sale #4, 1 p.m., Colusa, Calif.
- 4 Prime Time Pig Sale, Chillicothe, Mo.
- 4 Sale of Champions, 5 p.m., Reynolds, Ind.
- 4 Success Makers Showpig Sale, 1 p.m., Boswell, Ind.

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- 8 Kuecker Seedstock Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
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- 9 Trogdon Showpigs Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 9 Valley Yorkshires Online Sale
- 10 Absolute Honor Sale, 7:30 p.m., Clarke Co. Fairgrounds, Osceola, Iowa
- 10 Baade-Penner Spring Showpig Sale, 6 p.m., Seward Co. Fairgrounds, Seward, Neb.
- 11 All-American Pig Sale, 12:30 p.m., Sedalia, Mo.
- 11 Bartholomew Co. Purebred Breeder's Sale, 7 p.m., Bartholomew Co. Fairgrounds, Ind.
- 11 Boyum Genetics Live Auction Farm Sale, Wanamingo, Minn.
- 11 ClintHigh Showpigs On-Farm Sale, 4 p.m., New Vienna, Ohio
- 11 Creager Spring Sale, 1 p.m., Wauseon, Ohio
- 11 Elite Sale of Champions, 6 p.m., Bloomington, Ill.
- 11 Farrer Stock Farms 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Championship Pig Sale, Noon, Royal Center, Ind.
- 11 Iowa Elite Show Pig Sale, 6 p.m., Washington Co. Fairgrounds, Washington, Iowa
- 11 Kaufman Showpigs Spring Sale, 1 p.m., Crawfordsville, Iowa
- 11 Michel & Malcolm Showpig Sale, 5 p.m., Allen Co. Fairgrounds, Fort Wayne, Ind.
- 11 Ohio Elite Pig Sale, [thepigplanet.com](http://thepigplanet.com)
- 11 Pallotto Genetics Showpig Sale, Johnstown, Colo.
- 11 Rodibaugh Pig Sale, 6 p.m., Rensselaer, Ind.
- 11 Top Cut Genetics On-Farm Pig Sale #2, Farmland, Ind.
- 11 Valley Yorkshires Sale, Lake City, Minn.
- 11 Zimmerman Hog Farms Sale, 10:30 a.m., Seward, Neb.
- 12 Cass County Pig Sale, 1 p.m., Virginia, Illinois
- 12 Flatland Showpigs Sale, 1 p.m., Morgan, County Fairgrounds, Brush, Colo.
- 12 Iowa Purebred Elite Sale, Noon, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- 12 Star Pig Sale, 5 p.m., Champaign Co. Fairgrounds, Urbana, Ohio
- 13 Bound for Banners Sale, Kirkwood, Iowa
- 13 Fecke Livestock Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 13 Peter Farms Online Sale, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
- 13 Sieren Swine Farm Online Spring Sale #1, [showpig.com](http://showpig.com)
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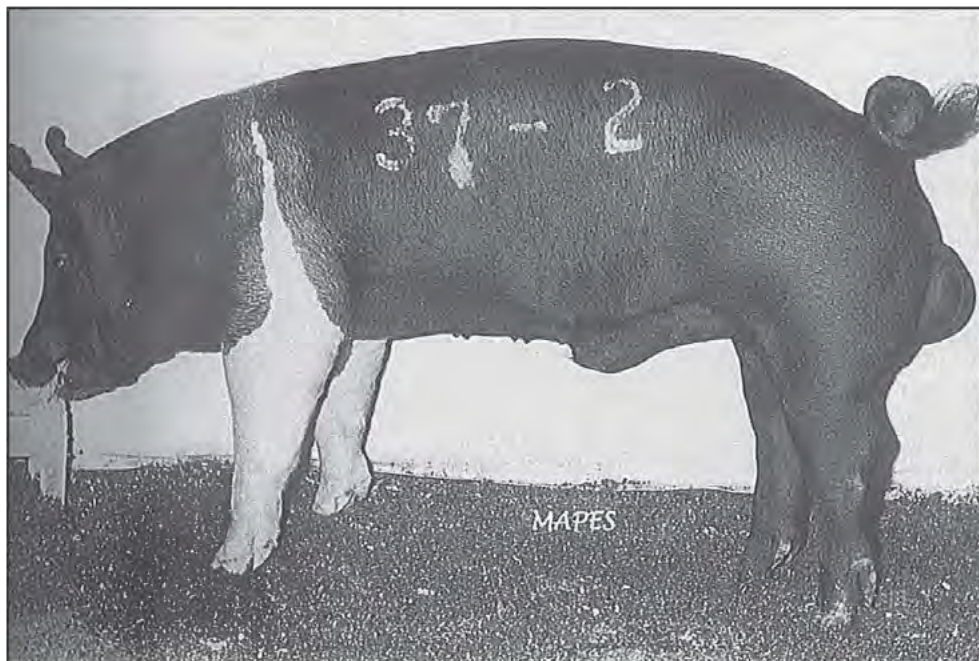
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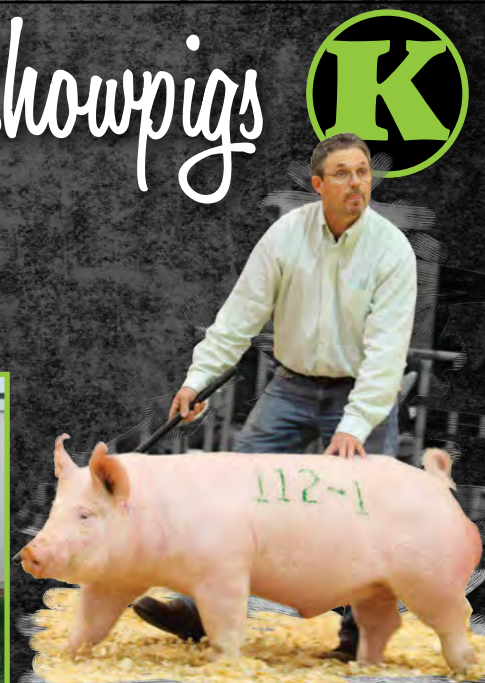
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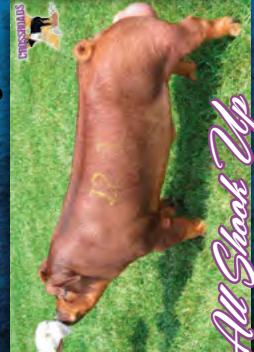
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