

# Hereford Champions Selected in Reno

**Len and Pat McIrvin of Diamond M Ranch honored with the 2014 Lifetime Cattlemen Award.**



BW 3.6  
WW 56  
YW 85  
MM 27  
M&G 55

**GKB EJE Notice Me Too 41A ET**  
Grand and spring yearling champion horned female, by Gary and Kathy Buchholz, Waxahachie, Texas, with a March 18, 2013, daughter of ECR L18 Extra Deep 9279.



BW 3.8  
WW 54  
YW 83  
MM 31  
M&G 58

**C Candy Crush 4272 ET**  
Reserve grand and spring calf champion horned female, by Glen Barrilleaux, Oakwood, Texas, with a March 3, 2014, daughter of C Miles McKee 2103 ET.



BW 3.7  
WW 51  
YW 83  
MM 28  
M&G 53

**BF 144U Serenity 303A**  
Grand and junior yearling champion polled female, by Brumley Farms, Orovada, Nev.; Jeremy Reno, Orovada, Nev.; and Darrel and Elizabeth Reisch, Nampa, Idaho, with a Feb. 11, 2013, daughter of TH 75J 243R Bailout 144U ET.



BW 3.4  
WW 60  
YW 92  
MM 29  
M&G 59

**C Candy Cane 4030 ET**  
Reserve grand and junior calf champion polled female, Piper Colyer, Bruneau, Idaho, with a Jan. 4, 2014, daughter of NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET.

GKB EJE Notice Me Too 41A ET and BF 144U Serenity 303A topped the female show at the Western Nugget National Hereford Show Dec. 5-6 in Reno, Nev., while GKB 88X Laramie B293 and ASM 980 Believe 204Z won the bull show. Also during the show, Len and Pat McIrvin of Diamond M Ranch, Laurier, Wash., were honored with the 2014 Lifetime Cattlemen Award.

Matt Copeland, Nara Visa, N.M., judged the 210-head show and complimented breeders on the quality exhibited throughout the show. "It's been an honor to judge this excellent set of cattle," Copeland said. "It's fun to be part of the Hereford breed right now. We are headed in the right direction and we're in the driver's seat in the beef industry today."

In the horned female show, GKB EJE Notice Me Too 41A ET came out on top after winning the spring yearling division. She is owned by Gary and Kathy Buchholz, Waxahachie, Texas, and is a March 18, 2013, daughter of ECR L18 Extra Deep 9279.

Reserve grand in the horned female show and champion in the spring calf division was C Candy Crush 4272 ET, owned by Glen Barrilleaux, Oakwood, Texas. She is a March 3, 2014, daughter of C Miles McKee 2103 ET.

BF 144U Serenity 303A, a Feb. 11, 2013, daughter of TH 75J 243R Bailout 144U ET, was chosen grand champion polled female after winning the junior yearling division. The female is owned by Brumley Farms and Jeremy Reno, both of Orovada, Nev., and Darrel and Elizabeth Reisch, Nampa, Idaho.

Reserve champion polled female honors went to Piper Colyer, Bruneau, Idaho, with C Candy Cane 4030 ET. She first won the junior heifer calf division and is Jan. 4, 2014, daughter of NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET. Candy Cane was also named reserve champion bred-and-owned female in the junior show.

Grand champion horned bull, GKB 88X Laramie B293, first won the senior division. Owned by Gary and Kathy Buchholz, and Brumley Farms, Laramie is a Dec. 10, 2012, son of NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET.

Colyer Herefords and Katie Colyer, Bruneau, Idaho, exhibited the reserve grand champion horned bull, C KLC R98 Hometown 4282 ET. The March 8, 2014, son of NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET was first named spring calf champion.

In the polled bull show, senior division winner ASM 980 Believe 204Z was slapped grand champion. The Jan. 2, 2012, son of CRR Helton 980 is owned by Brad and Dawn Gohr,

Madras, Ore., and Taylor Cattle, Reeds, Mo.

Reserve grand champion polled bull, C KRC 1008X Miles 4288 ET, is a March 10, 2014, son of C Miles McKee 2103 ET. He first won the spring bull calf division and is owned by Piper and Cruz Colyer.

Colyer Herefords; Gary and Kathy Buchholz; and Brad and Dawn Gohr exhibited the first-place horned get of sire with a group sired by NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET. First-place polled get of sire was exhibited by Rocking K Ranch, Salem, Ore., with a group sired by AHJDH Cracker Jack 26U ET. The Stillahn family from Cheyenne, Wyo., exhibited the best six head in the horned division.



Judge Matt Copeland

At the conclusion of the show, Colyer Herefords was presented the premier horned and polled premier breeder banners. Sierra Ranches, Modesto, Calif., was also named premier polled breeder. The polled premier exhibitor was Black Hills Herefords, Olympia, Wash. The horned premier exhibitor was Gary and Kathy Buchholz of GKB Cattle.

Colyer Herefords also won the pen show Saturday morning judged by Len McIrvin, Laurier, Wash.; Dale Micheli, Fort Bridger, Wyo.; and Leland Schneider, Sloughhouse, Calif.

The champion pen included sons of C Miles McKee 2103 ET, NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET and BR Golden Spread Dan.

William Cox, Pomeroy, Wash., exhibited the reserve champion pen. The pen included sons of HH Advance 1013Y ET, HH Advance 9075W ET and CL 1 Domino 7133T.

The 157-entry junior show judged by Chad Breeding, Miami, Texas, was Dec. 4. During her final show as a junior member, Jacqueline Rosson, Milford, Texas, exhibited both the grand and reserve grand champion females. The grand champion, BF BAR 1 Sacred 3102 ET, is a Feb. 19, 2013, daughter of CRR About Time 743. The reserve grand, BF BAR 1 Seduction 3101 ET, is a Feb. 18, 2013, daughter of CRR About Time 743.

Champion bred-and-owned female honors went to Madison and Meagan Dewar, Bakersfield, Calif., with DF 18U Brittany 907 1405 ET. She's a March 15, 2014, daughter of Golden Oak Outcross 18U.

The top four bred-and-owned females were recognized. Following the Dewar sisters and Piper Colyer in third was Kallie Goss, Redmond, Ore., with KK New Bombshell 134A. Fourth overall bred-and-owned honors went to M BSM Unstoppable 1424 shown by Bailey Morrell, Willows, Calif.

In the bred-and-owned bull show, Brandt and Lane Downing, Terrebonne, Ore., won the champion banner with DCC Double Down 205. He's a March 1, 2012, son of UPS TCC Nitro 1ET. Reserve honors went to Caitlyn Hartzell, Oakdale, Calif., with

PPF 2059 Epluribus Unum 400 ET. He's a Jan. 18, 2014, son of C Stockman 2059 ET.

To view complete results of the 2014 Western Nugget National Hereford Show visit [Hereford.org](http://Hereford.org). **HW**

#### ADDITIONAL HORNED DIVISION RESULTS

**Reserve horned spring calf champion heifer:** Jessica Middleswarth, Torrington, Wyo., with BF 2395 Tessa 429B by JCS Open Range 2395 ET.  
**Horned junior calf champion heifer:** Joel Butler, Republic, Mo., with GKB Nancy 29B ET by C Thriller ET.

**Reserve horned junior calf champion heifer:** Bayli Williams, Dublin, Texas, with C 7050 Bobby 4214 ET by ECR L18 Extra Deep 9279.

**Horned winter calf champion heifer:** Genoa Livestock LLC, Minden, Nev., with Genoa Miss Yankee 13178 by Churchill Yankee ET.

**Reserve horned winter calf champion heifer:** Gary and Kathy Buchholz with GKB EJE 0124 Cherish 392A by RST Times A Wastin 0124.

**Horned senior calf champion heifer:** Tyler and Kathryn Coleman, Modesto, Calif., with SR T90 Avery 3029ET by H WCC/WB 668 Wyarno 9500 ET.

**Reserve horned senior calf champion heifer:** Colton and Jarrett Dalia, Vancouver, Wash., with MCA Fall Doll 324A by NJW 73S M326 Trust 100W ET.

**Horned intermediate champion heifer:** Lane and Brandt Downing, Terrebonne, Ore., with DCC MS Ruby 307 by HH Advance 8229U.

**Reserve horned intermediate champion heifer:** Ruth Kettler, Washington, Texas, with GKB TMH S&A Tailor Made 69A ET by STAR TCF Shock & Awe 158W ET.

**Reserve horned spring yearling champion heifer:** Kaylee Knaus, Acme, Wash., with CHAN Lady 0100 V262 by C Chandler 0100.

**Horned junior yearling champion heifer:** Kallie Goss, Redmond, Ore., with KK New Bombshell 134A by KK New Invention 980.

**Reserve horned junior yearling champion heifer:** Gary and Kathy Buchholz with C Chanels 88X 3010 ET by NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET.

**Horned senior yearling champion heifer:** Fallon Gohr, Madras, Ore., with BF Bar 1 Rumor Has It 2112 ET by CRR About Time 743.

**Reserve horned senior yearling champion heifer:** Reece Ingvoldsen, Live Oak, Calif., with GKB

TMH New Era Breeze B275 ET by C New Era ET.

**Horned cow-calf pair:** Haley Knieling, Salem, Ore., with Schurman Ms Mainstream 9060 by C Game Plan 4132. She showed with an April bull calf by C Chanels Bismarck 1218 ET.

**Reserve horned spring calf champion bull:** Trey Stillahn, Cheyenne, Wyo., with TS Top Notch 407 by Churchill Sensation 028X.

**Horned junior calf champion bull:** Colyer Herefords with C R111 Hometown 4230 ET by NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET.

**Reserve horned junior calf champion bull:** Colyer Herefords; and Curtis and Jackie Castle, Crawford, Okla., with C CJC Chanels Miles 4200 ET by C Miles McKee 2103 ET.

**Horned winter calf champion bull:** Gary and Kathy Buchholz and Eric Rosson, Milford, Texas, with GKB EJE Bobs Ally 388A by ECR L18 Extra Deep 9279.

**Reserve horned winter calf champion bull:** William Cox, Pomeroy, Wash., with CX 9075 Advance 1363 by HH Advance 9075W ET.

**Horned senior calf champion bull:** W6 Herefords, Tulare, Calif., with W6 Box Car Willie 352 by TH 71U 719T Mr Hereford 11X.

**Reserve horned senior calf champion bull:** Jerry and Staci Dejong, Brownsville, Ore., with JNS Advance 1356 by BCH 8050 Advance 61Y.

**Horned intermediate champion bull:** Colton and Jarrett Dalia with KBD Dabomb 4132 by C Game Plan 4132.

**Horned yearling champion bull:** Joseph Barry, Gresham, Ore., with BHR Shocker 13Y 306 by STAR Shock Wave 13Y ET.

**Reserve horned yearling champion bull:** Trey Stillahn, Cheyenne, Wyo., with TS Sure Shot 303 by Churchill Sensation 028X.

**Reserve horned senior champion bull:** Steven Schohr, Gridley, Calif.; Micheli Hereford Ranch; Joseph Schohr and Schneider-Brown Ranches, Slough House, Calif., with SS AS Pharo Untapped 205 ET by TH 89T 743 Untapped 425X ET.

**Polled cow-calf champion:** Dervin Murphy, Farmington, Calif., with TCW Corins Lace 243R 312Z by TH SHR 605 57G Bismarck 243R E. She showed with an April heifer calf sired by NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET.

**Reserve polled cow-calf:** Brice, Sallie and Bailey Anderson, Rupert, Idaho, with BSB 165 Glamour 11083 by WSF MC Destination 120J 545 ET. She showed with a May heifer calf sired by H5 986 Domino 2132.

**Reserve polled spring calf champion bull:** Cache Cattle Co., Wellsville, Utah, with CC CX Stockmans Promise 10B by C Stockman 2059 ET.

**Polled junior calf champion bull:** Colyer Herefords, Bruneau, Idaho; and Elm Tree Farms, Paris, Ky., with C ETF Wildcat 4248 ET by NJW 73S M326 Trust 100W ET.

**Reserve polled junior calf champion bull:** Colyer Herefords and Bar One Ranch, Eugene, Ore., with C Bar1 0235 Golden Dan 4119 ET by BR Golden Spread Dan.

**Polled winter calf champion bull:** Gary and Kathy Buchholz, Waxahachie, Texas, with GKB Bobs Alfred 375A by ECR L18 Extra Deep 9279.

**Reserve polled winter calf champion bull:** Bailey Kelton, Yerington, Nev., with KKC Sierra Deville by CO Currency 043.

**Polled champion intermediate bull:** Cache Cattle Co.; CX River Ranch, Burley, Idaho; and Micheli Hereford Ranch, Fort Bridger, Wyo., with CC CX 56Y 23X Market Street64A by SB 62R 7055 Hot Shot 56Y ET.

**Reserve polled intermediate bull:** Duane Chandler, Baker City, Ore., with CHAN Role Model V339 by TCW Role Model 28M 208Y.

**Polled yearling champion bull:** Addison MacFarlane, Cottonwood, Calif., with ML Milsap A24 by Purple Milsap 45S.

**Reserve polled yearling champion bull:** Potter Ranch Herefords, Winton, Calif., with PRH 18U Golden Boy 224 ET by Golden Oak Outcross 18U.

**Reserve polled senior champion bull:** Wooden Shoe Farms, Blackfoot, Idaho, with WSF 351 West Coast Z258 ET by CMR TF 242 Garrett 430.

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**BW 2.2**  
**WW 59**  
**YW 87**  
**MM 25**  
**M&G 54**

#### GKB 88X Laramie B293

**Grand and senior champion horned bull**, by Gary and Kathy Buchholz and Brumley Farms, with a Dec. 10, 2012, son of NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET.



**BW 2.7**  
**WW 56**  
**YW 92**  
**MM 23**  
**M&G 62**

#### C KLC R98 Hometown 4282 ET

**Reserve grand and spring calf champion horned bull**, by Colyer Herefords and Katie Colyer, Bruneau, Idaho, with a March 8, 2014, son of NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET.



**BW 4.7**  
**WW 59**  
**YW 96**  
**MM 26**  
**M&G 56**

#### ASM 980 Believe 204Z

**Grand and senior champion polled bull**, by Brad and Dawn Gohr, Madras, Ore., and Taylor Cattle, Reeds, Mo., with a Jan. 2, 2012, son of CRR Helton 980.



**BW 3.8**  
**WW 54**  
**YW 83**  
**MM 31**  
**M&G 58**

#### C KRC 1008X Miles 4288 ET

**Reserve grand and spring calf champion polled bull**, by Piper and Cruz Colyer, with a March 10, 2014, son of C Miles McKee 2103 ET.



Champion pen of three bulls — Colyer Herefords



Reserve champion pen of three bulls — William Cox, Pomeroy, Wash.



Horned get-of-sire — Colyer Herefords; Gary and Kathy Buchholz; and Brad and Dawn Gohr with a group sired by NJW 985 R117 Ribeye 88X ET.



Polled get-of-sire — Rocking K Ranch, Salem, Ore., with a group sired by AH JDH Cracker Jack 26U ET.



Best six head — Stillahn family, Cheyenne, Wyo.



Polled premier exhibitor — Black Hills Herefords, Olympia, Wash.



Horned premier breeder and polled premier breeder (tie) — Colyer Herefords



Polled premier breeder (tie) — Sierra Ranches, Modesto, Calif.

Horned premier exhibitor — Gary and Kathy Buchholz of GKB Cattle



## Diamond M Ranch recognized as 2014 Lifetime Commercial Cattleman Honoree

The 2014 Western Nugget National Hereford Show Commercial Cattleman Honoree was Diamond M Ranch, Laurier, Wash.

Diamond M Ranch was established in 1943 by Harry McIrvine and his wife, Edith, with 160 acres and 15 cows. At the end of World War II, their two sons Clive with his wife, Ruby, and Bob with his wife, Shirley, joined Harry and Edith in building and expanding the ranch.

Clive's son Len and his wife, Patti, and their family came back to the Diamond M Ranch in 1970 and joined the partnership. Although Len's son Bill has spent his whole life on the ranch, he and his wife, Roberta, officially joined the partnership in 1992. Justin Hedrick, Len's grandson, and his wife, Kaleigh, are the most recent additions to the ranch partnership.

Diamond M Ranch began as a traditional cow-calf ranch, making hay in the summer and feeding it in the winter. In 1974, they realized this program limited expansion so Diamond M moved their cows out of the winter snow belt to areas where there was winter grazing. Presently, summer grazing is along the Canadian Border and the winter grazing is along the Washington and Oregon Border. About 300 miles separate the summer ranch from the winter ranch.

Diamond M maintains a registered herd of 100 cows, and have expanded the commercial herd to include approximately 2,000 cows. Around 400 head of 2-year-old heifers are bred and calved out each year. Currently two-thirds of the cattle are summered on privately owned pastures and one-third of the cattle are summered on public lands.

In 1987 Diamond M started retaining ownership and custom feeding their yearling cattle. They are then sent to feedyards in the Midwest with most entering the Certified Hereford Beef® program. **HW**



Pictured at the award presentation on Friday night are: Mark Holt, AHA fieldman, and Len and Patti McIrvine

## Nugget bull lots average \$7,853

This year the annual sale on center stage at the J.A. Nugget Celebrity Showroom on Dec. 6, 2014, featured 18 lots with six herd bull prospects averaging \$7,853, 11 open heifers averaging \$5,709, and one embryo package bringing \$7,200.

Topping the sale at \$12,000 was BHR Shocker 13Y 306, a Jan. 1, 2013, son of STAR Shock Wave 13Y ET. Tyler, Lindsay and Andrew Eldred, Bellingham, Wash., claimed the winning bid. This lot was consigned by Barry Herefords, Gresham, Ore.

GKB Cattle, Waxahachie, Texas, brought GKB EJE Bobs Ally 388A, a Dec. 17, 2013, son of ECR L18 Extra Deep 9279. Schneider-Brown Ranches, Sloughouse, Calif., and Schohr Herefords, Gridley, Calif., purchased the bull for \$8,750.

Rounding out the top selling bulls at \$7,250 was CX 1013 Advance 1358, consigned by CX Ranch, Pomeroy, Wash. Guidici Ranch, Vinton, Calif., took home this Oct. 5, 2013, son of HH Advance 1013Y ET.

The high-selling heifer at \$10,000 was consigned by OJJ Cattle, Ririe, Idaho. OJJ Galaxy 4208 ET, a Feb. 8, 2014, daughter of STAR KKH SSF Rock Star 5Z ET, was purchased by Legacy Herefords, Pleasant Hill, Ore.

Taking home FPF 425X Uncharted 409 ET for \$8,000 was Rocky Ridge Cattle, Caldwell, Idaho. This March 15, 2014, daughter of TH 89T 743 Untapped 425X ET was consigned by Front Pasture Farm, Oakdale, Calif.

CX Ranch, Pomeroy, Wash., consigned CX Miss 2185 Advance 1403, a Jan. 3, 2014, daughter of H5 9131 Domino 2185. BB Cattle, Connell, Wash., and Wes and Taylor Woolery, Hat Creek, Calif., claimed the winning bid at \$7,500.

Purchasing three embryos by H/TSR/CHEZ Full Throttle out of KJ DWE Sheila 457Y, was Gohr Herefords Simmental and Angus, Madras, Ore., at \$7,200. Perez Cattle Co., Nara Visa, N.M., consigned the lot.

— **Joe Rickabaugh**, American Hereford Association  
director of field management and seedstock marketing



## Western Nugget Junior Show

Judge: Chad Breeding, Miami, Texas – 157-head shown



**Champion owned female**, by Jacqueline Rosson, Milford, Texas, with BF BAR 1 Sacred 3102 ET, 2/19/13, daughter of CRR About Time 743.



**Champion bred-and-owned female**, by Madison and Meagan Dewar, Bakersfield, Calif., with DF 18U Brittany 907 1405 ET, 3/15/14, daughter of Golden Oak Outcross 18U.



**Champion bred-and-owned bull**, by Brandt and Lane Downing, Terrebonne, Ore., with DCC Double Down 205, 3/1/12, son of UPS TCC Nitro 1ET.



**Reserve champion owned female**, by Jacqueline Rosson, with BF BAR 1 Seduction 3101 ET, 2/18/13, daughter of CRR About Time 743.



**Reserve champion bred-and-owned female**, by Piper Colyer, with C Candy Cane 4030 ET, 1/4/14, daughter of NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET.



**Reserve champion bred-and-owned bull**, by Caitlyn Hartzell, Oakdale, Calif., with FPF 2059 Epluribus Unum 400 ET, 1/18/14, son of C Stockman 2059 ET.

Congratulations to **Jacqueline Rosson**, Milford, Texas, who in her final show as a junior member exhibited both the grand and reserve grand champion females. Pictured following the show are Jacqueline Rosson; Jessica Middleswarth, Torrington, Wyo., showing Jacqueline's second heifer; and Katie Nolles, Bassett, Neb., 2014-15 National Hereford Queen.



### Showmanship winners:

**Peewee showmen:** Piper Colyer, Bruneau, Idaho, champion; Rane Anderson, Canyon City, Ore., reserve

**Junior showmen:** Madison Mullion, Blythe, Calif., champion; Ben Holt, Caldwell, Idaho, reserve

**Intermediate showmen:** Brandt Downing, Terrebonne, Ore., champion; Emilee Holt, Caldwell, Idaho, reserve

**Senior showmen:** Bayli Williams, Dublin, Texas, champion; Trey Stillahn, Cheyenne, Wyo., reserve