

# Register Now for ROLLIN' THROUGH DIXIE 2008 National Hereford Tour

## Greetings Hereford enthusiasts,

Spring is here and we're gearing up for the first National Hereford Tour May 20-24. A fun-filled week in Dixie is planned including the opportunity to see some of the breed's leading genetics and experience Southern hospitality and country music's finest.

The welcome reception will kick off the tour at the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum in Nashville, and the grand finale will feature country music superstar, Randy Owen, live in concert at the "Music on the Mountain" foundation event that will benefit Hereford youth.

There is something planned for everyone. A special ladies' day tour will include a visit to Studio B, The Ryman Auditorium, Belmont Mansion and even shopping in downtown Franklin, Tenn.

Registration fees for the tour are \$660 for single occupancy or \$430 per person for double occupancy. This fee includes bus transportation, four nights of accommodations, food and the welcome reception.

Additional events may be purchased separately including the "Music on the Mountain" event for \$100 per ticket, the ladies' day tour for \$75 per ticket and a Saturday night hotel stay in Nashville for \$130 single occupancy or \$65 per person for double occupancy.

For more information, visit [Hereford.org](http://Hereford.org) or contact Amy Cowan at (816) 842-3757 or [acowan@hereford.org](mailto:acowan@hereford.org). The registration deadline is April 14. After April 14, fees will increase by \$100, so register today!

— Amy Cowan, tour coordinator

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Tuesday, May 20

Arrive in Nashville

6-8 p.m. Welcome reception, Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, Nashville

### Wednesday, May 21

6:30 a.m. Buffet breakfast at Holiday Inn Select

7:30 a.m. Load buses

10:30 a.m. Arrive at Four L Hereford Farm, Atwood, Tenn.

1 p.m. Load buses

3:30 p.m. Arrive at Triple L Ranch, Franklin, Tenn.

Return to Holiday Inn Select, Nashville airport

### Thursday, May 22

6:30 a.m. Buffet breakfast at Holiday Inn Select

7:30 a.m. Load buses

10 a.m. Arrive at Burns Farm, Pikeville, Tenn.

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3 p.m. Arrive at Whaley's Polled Herefords, Dalton, Ga.

5 p.m. Arrive at Leonard's Polled Herefords, Chatsworth, Ga.

Arrive at hotels, Cartersville, Ga.

### Friday, May 23

7:30 a.m. Load buses

8 a.m. Breakfast at JWR Land and Cattle Co., Rockmart, Ga.

9:30 a.m. Load buses

10:30 a.m. Arrive at Debter Hereford Farm, Horton, Ala.

2 p.m. Load buses and depart for Ft. Payne, Ala.

3 p.m. Arrive at hotels, Ft. Payne, Ala.

4:30 p.m. Depart for Tennessee River Music Inc. "Music on the Mountain" event

6 p.m. "Music on the Mountain"

### Saturday, May 24

7 a.m. Early departure for Nashville airport (three hours to airport)

2 p.m. Last departure for Nashville airport (departing from Tennessee River Music Inc. sale)

*Note: Local Hereford sales in the area include: Leonard's Polled Herefords, May 23; Tennessee River Music Inc., Dixieland Delight Sale, May 24; and Mead Cattle Co., May 26.*

## Tour stops — visit [Hereford.org](http://Hereford.org) for more information

### Four L Hereford Farm

Four L Hereford Farm, Atwood, Tenn., owned by Tom and Gail Lane, has been performance testing since 1963 with the goal of producing top commercial bulls in quantity. Through the years Four L has experienced much success in the showring while maintaining the focus on performance.

### Triple L Ranch

Triple L Ranch, Franklin, Tenn., has been involved in the Hereford business for 43 years. For the last 12 years the Wallace and

Ann Lee family has worked to improve carcass value by using ultrasound data. Its breeding program is to stack pedigrees with proven donor cows and Dams of Distinction.

### Burns Farms

Burns Farms, Pikeville, Tenn., is family owned and managed and has been raising Hereford cattle for more than 50 years. The goal at Burns Farms is to produce stout functional cattle that have the phenotype, performance and consistency to succeed for both registered and commercial cattlemen.

### Whaley Polled Herefords

Home of great Victors has been Whaley Polled Herefords motto since the beginning. Truman and Starr Whaley, Dalton, Ga., have some of the oldest Victor pedigrees. They have blended an out-crossing of the great Remittal Keynote sons and the Pearl 67G family with their Victor base.

### Leonard Polled Hereford Farm

What began as an FFA project 59 years ago now includes five generations. Sherman and Peggy Leonard own Leonard Polled



# Rollin' Through Dixie — 2008 National Hereford Tour Registration Form

Tour dates: May 20-24 ☆ ★ ☆ Final registration deadline: April 14\*

\*After April 14, registration will increase by \$100 per person

### Participant Information (Please print):

First name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse name \_\_\_\_\_

Last name \_\_\_\_\_

AHA membership number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate requested \_\_\_\_\_

### Please submit flight information with registration form:

Airline \_\_\_\_\_ Flight number \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Departure date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

### Check which return bus you'll use:

- Return to Nashville on **early bus** leaving Ft. Payne at 7 a.m. on May 24 (three hour trip to the airport)
- Return to Nashville on **late bus** following Tennessee River Music Inc. sale approximately 2 p.m. (three hour trip to the airport)

### Registration fees:

**Full tour** (includes welcome reception, tour bus transportation, four nights lodging and meals):

- Single occupancy \$660
- Double occupancy \$430 per person

**Single-day registration fee** (includes meal and tour registration, does not include tour bus transportation or lodging):

- Single day rate \$100 (circle day: Wednesday Thursday Friday)

**Herefords in Dixie Welcome Reception, Country Music Hall of Fame**

\_\_\_\_\_ # of tickets × \$70 per ticket = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Additional events may be purchased separately:

#### Ladies Day Tour

\_\_\_\_\_ # of tickets × \$75 per ticket = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Saturday Night Stay in Nashville

- Single occupancy \$130
- Double occupancy \$65 per person

Roommate requested \_\_\_\_\_

#### Music on the Mountain Hereford Youth Foundation of America Fundraiser

\_\_\_\_\_ # of tickets × \$100 per ticket = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment information:

**Total fees:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Credit card** ( Visa or  MasterCard only):

Card number \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Check:** Check number \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please make check payable to American Hereford Association)

Fill out online registration at [Hereford.org](http://Hereford.org) or send completed registration form and payment **by April 14** to:

American Hereford Association  
Attn: Amy Cowan (acowan@hereford.org)  
1501 Wyandotte St.  
Kansas City, MO 64108  
(816) 842-3757  
Fax (816) 842-6931



Herefords (LPH), Chatsworth, Ga., with their grandchildren and great-grandchild also involved. LPH is a Total Performance Records breeder and collects ultrasound data.

### JWR Land & Cattle Co.

JWR Land & Cattle Co., Rockmart, Ga., strives to produce replacement heifers and herd bulls that are efficient producers, showing winners, donors, and breed and herd improvers for its clients. The JWR herd consists of 160 Victor-based cows that are mated to outcross-pedigree Hereford bulls.

### Debter Hereford Farm

Debter Hereford Farm, Horton, Ala., has been in the business of raising registered Herefords for more than 50 years. The Debter family — Glynn, Perry and John Ross — focus on selling bulls, and in 2007 posted the second high-selling Hereford bull sale in the 76-100 head category.

### Tennessee River Music Inc.

Tennessee River Music Inc. (TRM), Ft. Payne, Ala., is celebrating 25 years in the Hereford business this year. Randy and Kelly Owen

and their children, Heath, Alison and Randa, have bred some of the most sought after polled Hereford genetics in the Southeast. But their commitment to youth and agriculture is paramount and serves as the cornerstone of the family's cattle operation.

One of the highlights of the tour will be the grand finale event, "Music on the Mountain." Join Randy and Kelly as they host Hereford enthusiasts with an entertaining evening of live music, dinner and auction — all to benefit Hereford youth and the Hereford Youth Foundation of America (HYFA). **HW**