

Show Winners Recognized

Hereford exhibitors were rewarded for showcasing their breeding programs at national and regional shows throughout the past year. At the American Hereford Association (AHA) Annual Meeting in Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 3, Hereford show heifer, show bull and premier exhibitor awards were given to exhibitors in each region.

To qualify for these prestigious bronze awards, exhibitors must have accumulated points and shown at one national and one regional event. Points are calculated throughout the show season, which runs from the beginning of May to the end of April. The following are the winners for each of the four regions:

Southwest Region

Horned Show Heifer of the Year – Drew Perez, Nara Visa, N.M., with KJ 792P Pure Frost 175S.

Horned Show Bull of the Year – Rylee Barber, Channing, Texas, and Don Moler, Cheyenne, Okla., with BR DM TNT 7010 ET.

Horned Premier Exhibitor – Hoffman Herefords, McArthur, Calif.

Polled Show Heifer of the Year – Kirbie Day, Waxahachie, Texas, with RW Mindy 3078 6096.

Polled Show Bull of the Year – Kirbie Day with KLD Transformer D72 ET.

Polled Premier Exhibitor – Kirbie Day



Southwest region show award winners: **Kirbie Day**, Waxahachie, Texas, and **Denny Hoffman**, McArthur, Calif.

Southeast Region

Horned Show Heifer of the Year – Rachel Rogan, Rogersville, Tenn., with RF Goldilocks 6024.

Horned Show Bull of the Year – Four L Hereford Farm, Atwood, Tenn., and Watson Hereford Farm, Jackson, Tenn., with Four L Dakota Gold 5010R.

Horned Premier Exhibitor – Four L Hereford Farm

Polled Show Heifer of the Year – Randa Owen, Ft. Payne, Ala., with RRO TRM 9216 Molly 6098 ET.

Polled Show Bull of the Year – Randa Owen with RRO TRM Billaboom 29F 7007 ET.

Polled Premier Exhibitor – Randa Owen

Northwest Region

Horned Show Heifer of the Year – Kelsey Stimpson, Melba, Idaho, and Frisbie Herefords, Melba, Idaho, with FH Kachina 712.

Horned Show Bull of the Year – Brooke Jensen, Courtland, Kan., with KJ C&L BJ 204 Authentic 294S.

Horned Premier Exhibitor – Upstream Ranch, Taylor, Neb.

Polled Show Heifer of the Year – Kelsey Repenning, Mitchell, S.D., with MSU Keepsake 14S.

Polled Show Bull of the Year – Split Butte Cattle Co., Minidoka, Idaho; Little Creek Ranch, Parma, Idaho; Heritage Cattle Co., Buhl, Idaho; and Weimer Cattle Co., Susanville, Calif., with SB 122L Ariat 61R ET.

Polled Premier Exhibitor – Little Creek Ranch



Southeast region show award winners: **Mike Rogan**, Rogersville, Tenn., accepting award for daughter, **Rachel**, and **Tom Lane**, Atwood, Tenn.

Northeast Region

Horned Show Heifer of the Year – Kagny Collins, Flanagan, Ill., with Purple CMCC Paris 19S ET.

Horned Show Bull of the Year – Pierce's Hereford Haven, Baraboo, Wis., and Harold Lietzau, Sparta, Wis., with KJ C&L BJ 204 Authentic 294S.

Horned Premier Exhibitor – Pierce's Hereford Haven and Harold Lietzau

Polled Show Heifer of the Year – Purple Reign Cattle Co., Toulon, Ill., and Austin Bauer, Bonfield, Ill., with Purple Madge 23T.

Polled Show Bull of the Year – Lowderman Cattle Co., Macomb, Ill., with LCC SCC CKB Full Deck 6116 ET.

Polled Premier Exhibitor – Oak Ledge Farm, Belmont, N.H. **HW**



Kevin Jensen, Courtland, Kan., accepts Northwest show bull of the year award for his daughter, **Brooke**.



Northeast region horned show award winners: **Brian Collins**, Flanagan, Ill., accepting award for **Kagny Collins**; **Sandy** and **Ken Pierce**, Baraboo, Wis.; and **Connie** and **Harold Lietzau**, Sparta, Wis.



Northeast region polled show award winners: **Jack Lowderman**, Macomb, Ill.; **Randy** and **Jamie Mullinix**, Toulon, Ill.; **Austin Bauer**, Bonfield, Ill.; and **Elaine Bonnette**, Belmont, N.H.