

National and Regional Show Awards Presented

Hereford exhibitors were recognized for showcasing their outstanding breeding programs at national and regional shows this past year during the National Hereford Show at the American Royal in Kansas City, Mo., Oct 28. Awards for champion national and regional champion Hereford show bull, show female and premier exhibitor were presented.

To qualify for these prestigious bronzes, exhibitors must have accumulated points and shown at a national or regional event. Points were calculated throughout the 2017-2018 show season, which ran from the beginning of May 2017 to the end of April 2018. **HW**

National Show Awards

Horned National Show Bull of the Year

Rafter J Cattle Co., Abilene, Texas; and Alex and McKenzie Cosgray, Monticello, Ind., with RJ AMC Big Chief 6033 ET



Pictured (l to r) are: Abbygail Pitstick, 2018 National Hereford Queen; Pete Atkins, 2019 AHA president; **Kasey** and **Colt Johnson**, Rafter J Cattle Co.; and Joel Birdwell, 2019 AHA vice president.

Polled National Show Bull of the Year

Kirbie Day, Waxahachie, Texas; and Edy Brainard, Canadian, Texas, with KLD EB Trump D58



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Horned National Show Female of the Year

Fallon Gohr, Madras, Ore., with GOHR Abby 6077



Pictured (l to r) are: Abbygail Pitstick, 2018 National Hereford Queen; Pete Atkins, 2019 AHA president; **Chad Oates**; **Fallon Gohr**; and Joel Birdwell, 2019 AHA vice president.

Polled National Show Female of the Year

Abby Bell, Bristow, Okla., with NCC 743 Breckyn C1857 ET



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Northwest Region Awards

Horned Show Bull of the Year

Ward Ranch, Edmond, Okla.; Hoffman Ranch, Thedford, Neb.; and Rocking G Land & Cattle Co. Ltd, Gull Lake, Saskatchewan, with H WR Sustainable 5511 ET



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Horned Show Female of the Year

Fallon Gohr, Madras, Ore., with GOHR Abby 6077

Horned Premier Exhibitor

Gene and Cindy Stillahn, Cheyenne, Wyo.



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Polled Show Bull of the Year

Joseph Barry, Madras, Ore.; and Colyer Herefords, Bruneau, Idaho, with C 1311 5280 Lad 6167 ET

Polled Show Female of the Year

David Knieling, Salem, Ore.; and Reed Prickett, Parkston, S.D., with KPH Adam's Eve 225 8D



Pictured (l to r) are: Abbygail Pitstick, 2018 National Hereford Queen; Pete Atkins, 2019 AHA president; **Becky and David Knieling**; and Joel Birdwell, 2019 AHA vice president.

Polled Premier Exhibitor

Sage Krebs, Gordon, Neb.



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Southwest Region Awards

Horned Show Bull of the Year

Rafter J Cattle Co., Abilene, Texas; and Alex and McKenzie Cosgray, Monticello, Ind., with RJ AMC Big Chief 6033 ET

Horned Show Female of the Year

Rebecca Moore, Madill, Okla., with BK Dottie Girl 6038D ET

Horned and Polled Premier Exhibitor

Gary and Kathy Buchholz, Waxahachie, Texas

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Polled Show Bull of the Year

Kirbie Day, Waxahachie, Texas; and Edy Brainard, Canadian, Texas, with KLD EB Trump D58

Polled Show Female of the Year

Abby Bell, Bristow, Okla., with NCC 743 Breckyn C1857 ET



Northeast Region Awards

Horned Show Bull of the Year

Lori and Gene Stumpf, Columbia, Ill.; John Heyl, Vevay, Ind.; T&D Enterprises, Millstadt, Ill.; and Karley Creek, Millstadt, Ill., with JTH SC Waylon 55C ET



Pictured (l to r) are: Abbygail Pitstick, 2018 National Hereford Queen; Pete Atkins, 2019 AHA president; **Tom and Doreen Baltz**, T&D Enterprises; **Gene and Lori Stumpf**; and Joel Birdwell, 2019 AHA vice president.

Horned Show Female of the Year

Kathy Lehman, Shelby, Ohio, with KLL KLD Tula Rose 611D

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Horned Premier Exhibitor

Alex and McKenzie Cosgray, Monticello, Ind.

Polled Show Bull of the Year

Lowderman Cattle Co., Macomb, Ill.; John Heyl, Vevay, Ind.; Foggy Bottom Farm, Taneytown, Md.; and Jones Show Cattle, Harrod, Ohio, with JTH SC Playmaker 22C ET



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Polled Show Female of the Year:

Tristan, Kurtis and Dillon Pepin, Goshen, Conn., with DeLHawk Willow 52D ET

Polled Premier Exhibitor

Lowderman Cattle Co., Macomb, Ill.



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Southeast Region Awards

Horned Show Bull of the Year

Doug Le Tourneau, Gallatin, Tenn., with DLL Lance

Horned Show Female of the Year

Morgan Riley, College Grove, Tenn., with JCS Miss Sapphire 6056 ET

Horned Premier Exhibitor

Doug Le Tourneau

Polled Premier Exhibitor

Nathan Hopkins, Winchester, Tenn.

Polled Show Bull of the Year

Burns Farms, Pikesville, Tenn.; and Lazy J Herefords, Birchwood, Tenn., with BF Fully Smart 622 ET

Polled Show Female of the Year

Nathan Hopkins, Winchester, Tenn., with HPH 533W Lizzy 101D ET



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