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EDITORS MESSAGE

Greetings,

The leaves are turning and the air is getting cooler. It must mean it is Annual Meeting & Banquet time! It has definitely been a trying weather year no matter what part of the country you live in. The upside is the tremendous cattle market. With new record highs being set almost daily for feeder cattle and fat cattle, there is no better time to invest in top quality genetics.

The cattle advertised in the following pages are some of the best genetics in the world. If you are looking to add quality to your herd take some time reviewing this magazine and get in contact with the breeders represented.

The South Dakota Annual Meeting & Banquet will be held in the Best Western Hotel and Conference Center in Sioux Falls, SD on December 9, 2011. Please contact Kipp Julson at 605-351-9088 to RSVP by December 7th. The North Dakota Annual Meeting & Banquet will be held at the Best Western Ramkota Hotel in Bismarck, ND on December 16, 2011. The NDSA will be celebrating their 40th Anniversary at this year's banquet. Congratulations!!!

Sincerely,
Todd Finke

South Dakota SIMMENTAL ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL MEETING & BANQUET

Friday, December 9, 2011 | 7:00PM

Best Western Ramkota Hotel & Conference Center
3200 W. Maple Street | Sioux Falls, SD 57107 | Ph: 605-336-0650

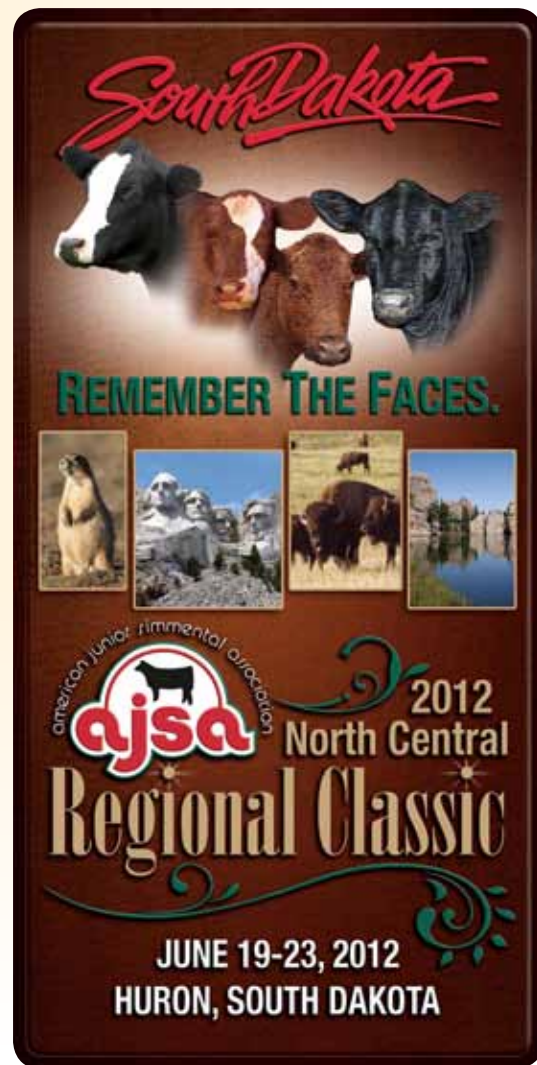
RSVP by December 7th | Tickets \$20.00 per person
Contact Kipp Julson - (605) 351-9088

We will be holding a Fundraiser for the North Central Regional Classic that will be held in Huron, SD on June 19-23, 2012. We are selling 250 Raffle Tickets at \$50 each and there will be a choice drawing held at the Annual Banquet. The first winning raffle ticket drawn will have their choice of prizes from the list below and each subsequent ticket will get their choice from the remaining list.

LIST OF PRIZES TO CHOOSE FROM INCLUDE:

- Flush & 45 day stay at the Polzin Flush Center -
- 3 units of sexed Dream Catcher semen -
- Runnings gift card -
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- 10 Units of R&R Chamberlain semen -
- Cabela's Gift Card -
- Genetic Profile from Igenity -
- Flush & 3 Transfers from Trans Ova Genetics -
- Calf Warming Box -
- Semen Collection of 150 units from Western Sire Service -

Renowned Artist John Green will paint and donate a cattle/farm scene at the annual meeting



BOARD MINUTES

APRIL 2011

The North Dakota Simmental Association board of directors met April 13, 2011 at Ramkota Hotel, Bismarck. Directors present: Pat Thorson, Luke Keller, R b Gannaway, Chris Nicholson, Kevin Elliot, Mike Johnson, J R Aufforth, and Doug Bichler. Also present: Bob Grant – Sec/Treas NDSA.

Pat called meeting to order

Motion Luke, second Doug to accept the agenda. Carried.

Motion Gannaway, second Luke to accept the January 11, 2011 meeting minutes as amended with the addition of the sentence: Committee assignments were made. Carried.

Financial report was given by Bob. April 12 bank balance -- \$4,344.89. CD balances -- \$5,000 and \$3,892.51. Board reviewed and discussed the cash flow sheets. Bob presented the ASA cost share and check off programs updates. Bring up at the annual meeting to register all animals eligible (heifers, steers, bulls). The number of registrations drive our share of the dollars. Motion Kevin, second JR to accept the report. Carried.

ND/SD Magazine report. Bob presented the financial report for Mike Traxinger. Discussion about placing board minutes and magazine on the North Dakota Simmental Association web page.

Doug will put newsletter together and mail again. Bob to get membership list to Doug in early June for mailing.

Bob went through the advertising to date and for the rest of the year. Membership to date was also discussed.

Committee assignments were finished with sheets passed around.

Board discussed Annual meeting; Showcase/Classic Sale and planning to date. Discussion as to why no production sales and only the Showcase/Classic and Northwest Select sale females have been eligible for the Futurity. Originally the two (2) consignment sales were included to have more eligible numbers and spread the cost of the show. Motion and second to continue with the two consignment sale open heifers eligible for the Futurity Show. Carried.

State Fair Picnic -- Bob Gannaway in charge.

Grill -- JR. Monday -- same tree -- 5 ish

Correspondence passed around.

Beef Improvement Federation (BIF) will meet in Bozeman. A letter from the ASA was read in which conference call information was given to all board members. This conference call is at the request of Jerry Lipsey to visit with the board. Motion J R, second Mike to pay registration and hotel room for any board member(s) to attend. They are asked to report to the board and the membership at the annual meeting. Carried.

Fall meeting date -- September 20, 2011 at 10:30 am.

Submitted; Bob Grant, Sec

SEPTEMBER 2011

The North Dakota Simmental Association board of directors met September 20, 2011 at the Ramkota Hotel, Bismarck, ND. Directors present: Pat Thorson, Kevin Elliot, Luke Keller, Chris Nicholson, Erika Kenner, Doug Bichler, JR Aufforth, and Mike Johnson. Others present: Kevin Thompson, ASA regional trustee and Bob Grant, Sec/treas of NDSA.

Meeting was called to order at 10:30 am. Additions to the agenda and will move around for the order.

Bob passed out correspondence and copies of the April 13, 2011 board meeting. Bob read the minutes. Motion Kevin, seconded by Mike to accept the Minutes. Carried.

Bob passed out financial sheets with cash flow from Dec. 1, 2010 to date. Tax statement copy was also handed around. Bob reviewed the financial data with the board. Chris and Pat will contact those that still owe for advertising in last year's sale catalog. The September 19, 2011 checking account balance is \$6,408.01 and the total of the two (2) CD's is \$8,892.51. Update on the bonus and regular check off dollars from ASA. Motion Luke, second JR to accept the financial report. Carried.

Kevin Thompson visited with the board about the issues the ASA board is currently working on. If anyone has any issues or concerns about the direction the ASA is moving or things they would like to discuss, please give Kevin or Roger Finke a call.

Erika visited with the board about the Young Cattlemen's Conference of which she was a part.

The ND/SD Magazine was discussed by the board. Sending about 4,000 bulk mailings.

The board discussed the possibility of putting together a directory in the near future.

The summer newsletter was sent in July. The newsletter for summer communication with the membership will be used again this next year.

Jr Association -- The futurity show was held at New Salem with Chad Ellingson doing the judging. Motion Erika, second Luke to thank Chad and send him \$100. Carried. Futurity placings as follows: 1st -- Morgan Cummings; 2nd -- Hadlie Hansen; 3rd -- Patrick Schumacher.

Simmental influence feeder calf sales at Napoleon and Kist Livestock Auctions will be the first week in January. Luke will represent NDSA at Kist. Chris will represent NDSA at Napoleon.

Annual meeting // banquet discussion -- comments --- 40th anniversary of NDSA--send invitations to past members. Ask for RSVP's. Jerry Lipsey will be the speaker. Agenda will be similar to the past few years. Director election -- terms up --- NE -- Kevin Elliot; NW -- JR Aufforth; SW -- Luke Keller. All are eligible for another 3 year term. Pat will act as the nominating committee. ASA representatives and Trustees will be asked to give updates on ASA issues. NDSA board members will give reports. Lunch by Kim/ Lori will start at 11:00, with the annual meeting to start at 12:00. Kevin and Erika are to give reports.

Banquet : Nominations, discussion, and voting by the board for the following awards: Pioneer Promoter & Commercial Cattleman of the Year. Make lists of past board members, officers, Promoters, Pioneers, etc. Ask Perry and family to handle the coloring contest. Agenda will include: Jr Awards; Jr Auction; Semen Auction (Erika); Drawings (same as last year).

SHOWCASE // CLASSIC SALE -- DISCUSSION / PLANNING / DUTIES / RESPONSIBILITIES:

LUNCH - Kim / Lori - start at 11:00

BARN BOSS - JR / Chris / Luke Futurity -- Same

SALE COMMITTEE

Mike Johnson, Erika Kenner, JR Aufforth, Kelly Hanson, Tim Clark, Tyler Kinn

DONATION HEIFER RAFFLE - Luke get permit

STALL CARDS -

CONSULTANTS -

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES

Health (PG in Dec), Liens against livestock (will have form) due to Bob on Friday

NOMINATION FEE / DEADLINE / PENALTIES

\$200 / ranch - November 1 (to Bob) - \$400 late fee

REVIEW THE MAILING LIST

CARD ADS - board divided up the contacts--ads due by October 15th

There was no State Fair picnic. Hopefully next year.

Kevin Elliot reported to the board on the Beef Improvement Federation meeting in Bozeman.

Discussion by board -- Could NDSA hold a field day / workshop / speakers ? It would need to be interesting, be a time and place for all to socialize and learn. Time of the year that could help attendance is a major factor. We have done things like this in the past, but eventually quit for lack of attendance. What would the full membership feel could be done and when?

Reorganizational meeting will be held following the annual meeting, with a meeting early to mid-January that looks at Simmental weekend for evaluation and comments.

The advertising and membership status was brought up by Bob. The dollars spent on Radio and magazine to date and planned. Cost sharing dollars were maxed out.

Submitted; Bob Grant, Sec

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HAPPY 40TH ANNIVERSARY NORTH DAKOTA SIMMENTAL!

ERIKA KENNER

40 years ago this year, the North Dakota Simmental Association was officially incorporated by the State of North Dakota. We can thank a progressive group of cattle producers who took the initiative to form the association. There were some Simmental bulls being used by AI and cattle producers were excited about the added pounds from the Simmental, according to Orville Deckert, Arena, ND.

The first official meeting took place on October 9, 1970 at 7:00 pm in the Far West Room of the Holiday Inn, Bismarck, ND. Here they decided the official name, declared the aims and objectives, set up the membership classes and dues and elected their first Board of Directors.

THE FIRST ELECTED BOARD CONSISTED OF:

Southwest Region	Bill Stegner, Jake Larson, and Lyle Dawson
Northwest Region	Einer Broderson, Dallas Hystad, and Bob Larson
Northeast Region	Wayne Topp, Noel Lofthus, and Robert Otto
Southeast Region	Denver Rosberg, LaMar Jennings, and Leroy Weckerly
At-Large	Dean Olson

AFTER THE MEETING, THE BOARD MET AND ELECTED ITS OFFICERS:

President	Bill Stegner
Vice President	Wayne Topp
Secretary/Treasurer	Lyle Dawson

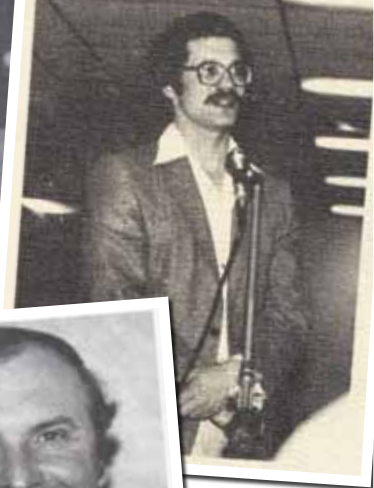
OTHERS WHO ATTENDED THE MEETING IN OCTOBER WERE:

Don Vaniman	Executive Secretary of American Simmental
Warren Brue	Minnesota Valley Association
Terry Wilkins	Curtis Breeding Association
CJ Schauss	Attorney
Mrs. CJ Schauss	Recording secretary for meeting

Bob Syvrud, Bob Erickson, Mitchel Ellison, Darrell Papka, Rodney Grenz, Cleon Striegel, Dave Dockter, George Adams, Dave Merwin, Percy Hegelsted, and Orville Deckert.

The official North Dakota incorporation date was March 26, 1971.

According to Deckert, "Those were exciting times!" Which is why we would like to ask everyone to come to the ND Simmental Annual meeting and banquet on December 16 to help us celebrate the 40 years of Simmental in North Dakota! All members past and present are welcome to attend and reunite and reminisce!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DECEMBER 2011

- 5 Eichacker Simmentals Mature Cowherd Dispersal - Salem, SD
- 10 South Dakota Select Simmental Sale - Sioux Falls, SD
- 16 North Dakota Simmental Association Annual Meeting - Bismarck, ND
- 17 North Dakota Simmental Showcase/Classic Sale - Bismarck, ND

JANUARY 2012

- 9 Edge of the West Female Sale - Mandan, ND
- 21 Double J Farms Private Treaty Opening Day Bulls Sale - Garretson, SD
- 25 Sioux Empire Farm Show - Sioux Falls, SD

FEBRUARY 2012

- 1 Lazy H 3 & A/H Cattle Company Private Treaty Bull Sale - Britton, SD
- 1 Begger's Diamond V Ranch Production Sale - Wibaux, MT
- 4 Black Hills Stock Show - Rapid City, SD
- 4 Stavick Simmental's Annual Sale - Veblen, SD
- 7 James Creek Simmentals Private Treaty Bull Sale - Heaton, ND
- 7 Wicks Cattle Annual SimAngus Bull & Female Sale - Richardton, ND
- 7 Bata/Olafson Production Sale - Rugby, ND
- 8 Breeding for the Future Production Sale - Napoleon, ND
- 9 Lassle Ranch Annual Production Sale - Glendive, MT
- 10 Watertown Winter Farm Show - Watertown, SD
- 10 TNT Simmentals Annual Genetic Explosion Bull Sale - Almont, ND
- 11 Kenner Simmental Ranch 12th Annual Production Sale - Bismarck, ND

- 12 Traxinger Simmentals Private Treaty Bull Sale - Claremont, SD
- 13 Dakota Power Bull Sale - Valley City, ND
- 13 Benda Ranch Simmentals Annual Sale - Kimball, SD
- 16 Bichler Johnson Annual Production Sale - Linton, ND
- 17 Dakota Xpress Simmental Sale - Bismarck, ND
- 17 R&R Cattle Co. Annual Production Sale - Chamberlain, SD
- 18 Hoiby Simmentals Annual Production Sale - McGregor, ND
- 18 Ellingson Simmentals Production Sale - Rugby, ND
- 18 Ekstrum Simmentals Annual Bull Sale - Kimball, SD
- 19 Northern Plains Simmental Private Treaty Sale - Bowbells, ND
- 25 Double T Simmentals Private Treaty Sale - Turtle Lake, ND
- 28 Larson's XL Simmental Production Sale - Mandan, ND

MARCH 2012

- 2 LaBatte Simmentals Annual Bull & Female Sale - Moose Jaw, SK
- 3 McMillen Ranching Ltd. Annual Bull Sale - Carievale, SK
- 5 Doll Ranch Annual Production Sale - Mandan, ND
- 8 Spring Creek Simmentals Production Sale - Moosomin, SK
- 10 Northwest Select Group Sale - Stanley, ND
- 12 Keller's Broken Heart Ranch Annual Sale - Mandan, ND
- 12 7N Simmental Ranch Annual Production Sale - Medina, ND
- 16 3C Christensen & NLC Ranch Production Sale - Wessington, SD
- 19 Genetic Source Bull & Female Sale - Brandon, MB

APRIL 2012

- 6 Edge of the West Bull Sale - Mandan, ND
- 7 Tri E Simmentals Private Treaty Bull Sale - Clifford, ND
- 28 Christensen Simmentals Annual Production Sale - Wessington Springs, SD

JUNE 2012

- 19-23 North Central Regional Classic - Huron, SD

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HOOKS SHEAR FORCE X TNT GUNNER

CE	BW	WW	YW	MCE	MM	MWW
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Sioux Empire Farm Show

Wednesday, Jan. 25th • 2012 Sioux Falls South Dakota
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Black Hills Stock Show

Saturday, Feb. 4th 2012 • Rushmore Plaza Civic Center, Rapid City, South Dakota
Show 8:00 AM MST • **Sale 1:00 PM MST** • Contact Steve Reimer 605.680.1939

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Bred Heifer

HSR Ms Conservative X512 Reg. 2592538
Bred To: TNT Tuition

CE	BW	WW	YW	MCE	MR	MWW	API	TI
0	-2	44	88	0	6	28	128	77



Open Heifer

MLC Ms Tanker Y464
Reg. Pending

CE	BW	WW	YW	MCE	MR	MWW	API	TI
8	1	47	89	1	4	27	105	68



Open Heifer

HSR Ms Touchdown Y125
Reg. 2600273

CE	BW	WW	YW	MCE	MR	MWW	API	TI
0	1	33	65	0	5	22	96	59

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(WS Independence T18 x Granite)
ASA # 2549534
Bred to ER Big Sky carrying a heifer calf



JBS MISS PACE 340X
(ASR/GLS Pacesetter U862 x Bando 97)
ASA # 2549564
Bred to Welsh's Dew It Right carrying a heifer calf



JBS MISS MO BETTER 418X
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ASA # 2549577
Bred to TNT Ever Ready carrying a heifer calf

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Sire: KS Black Diamond (680S x Kayla)
EPDs: 4 3.8 49 91 5 2 26
BW: 93 lbs. ADJ WW: 662 WW Ratio: 108
Homozygous Polled & Homozygous Black



KLSR Full Label Y8 • ASA# 2590384
Sire: TNT Top Gun R244
EPDs: 8 2.8 44 82 2 -1.5 21
BW: 95 lbs. ADJ WW: 684 WW Ratio: 111

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Y125

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Y136

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117Y

Open Polled Purebred
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CCE Lady A 142Y • BD: 2/15/11

Sire: Wheatland Red Ace 747T

Dam: CCE Ms Virtoria 901W (Wheatland Red Teddy 457P)

CE 5 BW 0.8 WW 41 YW 77 MCE 1 MM 6 MWW 26

142Y is a purebred open Simmental heifer out of a first calf heifer and one of our top cow families.



CCE EKR Ms Bravo 030X • BD: 2/17/10

Sire: KS Bravado P68

Dam: CCE EKR Ms TC 819U (TNT Top Cut P274)

CE 8 BW 0.1 WW 37 YW 71 MCE 0 MM 10 MWW 28

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