

# BEEF ASSOCIATION AWARDS

## SIMMENTAL ASSOCIATION AWARD

Marilynn Carr, MSA Sec/Treas., Rte. 3 - Box 456, Hot Springs, MT 59845, (406) 741-2523

Any 4-H or FFA member showing and declaring their animal Simmental influenced - being 50 percent or better and sired by Simmental bull - at the county fair level will receive a baseball cap.

Also the board has decided to continue with the \$50 savings bond for the 2010 county fairs. **Requirements for receiving the bonds are:** Will be awarded to steers, breeding projects, and carcass winning Grand Champion placing. The animal must be 50 percent Simmental or better sired by a Simmental Bull. The youth must request the bond by sending a picture with animal along with their full name, address, social security number, beneficiary name, and whether a live or carcass placing to Marilyn Carr, MSA Sec/Treas. (This information if required in order to purchase a bond.)

## CHAROLAIS ASSOCIATION AWARD (Montana)

Charolais Sired Grand Champion

Grand Champion Market Beef..... Belt Buckle

Grand Champion Carcass.....Belt Buckle

## BLACK ANGUS HEIFER, COW OR COW CALF PAIR BELT BUCKLE

The **Montana Angus Auxiliary** sponsors a Montana Silversmith Angus Belt Buckle, on the county level to the OUTSTANDING JUNIOR EXHIBITOR (anyone under age 21 years old) with a **BLACK ANGUS HEIFER, COW, COW/CALF PAIR** in the breeding project when so judged by the county agent, livestock committee or the judge in charge on that occasion. The award may be announced at the fair, but the buckle might not be available until achievement Day unless the sponsor of the buckle is available at your fair, or for this first year, we get a buckle to you in time.

Some guidelines in selecting the winner are:

\*Black Angus Breeding stock are eligible, Red Angus **do not** qualify

\*The animal must win a blue ribbon in the show

\*Quality of the exhibitor's project **must** be considered

\*Number of animals exhibited in that project & completed record system could be taken into consideration

\***STEERS** will **NO LONGER** be considered for this award

The above guidelines would be especially helpful in the event of a close decision. Just because the buckle is available does not mean it has to be awarded. This is a special award given by Black Angus producers. If no one is deserving of the award, the award will be kept for next year. The donor and the Angus Auxiliary appreciate hearing from the winner of this award.

## CHAMPION BLACK ANGUS OVERALL BREEDING PROJECT JACKET AWARD

The **Montana Angus Association** is offering a jacket award. This award will be given to the winning Champion Black Angus Breeding Project.

To claim the jacket, the following guidelines must be met:

1. Exhibitor must be a 4-H or FFA member only (an open class exhibit does not qualify).
2. The winner must have completed and won his/her class.
3. The winner then must win an overall class against three (3) other breeds. (If there are not three (3) other breeds in an overall class, there will be no winner of the jacket).
4. The winner must be straight bred BLACK ANGUS - - registered or commercial. (RED ANGUS does not qualify).
5. Exhibit maybe halter shown or a pen display.
6. In a multi-county fair, EACH county has an opportunity to qualify for this award.
7. Winner may be either in junior or senior division.
8. If an individual wins this award at more than one fair, the Montana Angus Association will substitute a \$100 savings bond for the second jacket.
9. Qualifying breeding projects include:
  - Cow/Calf Pairs
  - Yearling Bred Heifers
  - Heifer Calves
  - Bulls

## **MONTANA RED ANGUS ASSOCIATION - -**

The **Montana Red Angus Association** will award to any champion or reserve champion red Angus steer a Montana Silversmith Belt Buckle. They must be named champion or reserve champion at the fair. Red Angus steers are to be progeny of a registered red Angus bull or out of a registered red Angus cow. This does not mean they are registered, but does give a blood percentage.

Contact:: Bob Southern, Spooner Creek Lane, Stevensville, MT 59870, Phone: (406) 642-3487

## **BLACK ANGUS MARKET BEEF AWARD - Galpin Angus Ranch, Glen & Stephanie Meier**

Galpin Angus Ranch will award \$50.00 to the highest placing Angus Market Beef, beginning with the Overall Champion and on down. The animal must have a black coat of hair and be from a black Angus parent. The award will be presented at the Valley County 4-H & FFA Livestock Sale.

## **LIMOUSIN AWARD**

Animals must have 50 percent blood or better. Must be able to show proof of breeding. If an individual wins in more than one area in a given year, they will only receive (1) belt buckle.

The following will receive a Belt Buckle

- Market Steer Grand Champion
- Market Steer Reserve Champion
- Carcass Grand Champion
- Carcass Reserve Champion
- Breeding Animal, Grand Champion
- Male or female of all breeds
- Breeding Animal, Reserve Champion,
- Male or female of all breeds

Contact: Debbie Yerger, Box 339, Harlowton, MT 59036 or call (406) 632-4716.

## **HEREFORD AWARDS**

Contact: Lorrie Wachter, Secretary  
Montana Hereford Association  
143 Muddy Loop Road, Plentywood, MT 59254  
Phone: 406-895-2670

The Montana Hereford Association will award a Hereford Wind Breaker jacket to a county or multi-county **Grand Champion Steer** of the live show if properly documented as a Hereford.

The Montana Hereford Association will award a Hereford Wind breaker jacket to a county or multi-county **Top Steer of Merit** or equivalent (i.e. in counties using ultrasound rather than actual plant measurements) if properly documented as being at least 50% Hereford ancestry.

The Montana Hereford Association will award a Hereford Wind Breaker jacket to a county or multi-county **Supreme Champion Female** or equivalent (i.e. over all breeds and ages showing if documented as being a purebred Hereford).

The Montana Hereford Association will award a certificate of Achievement to a county or multi-county **Champion Hereford Steer or Female** if documented as being Hereford.

## **MARKET BEEF CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPIONS**

The **Glasgow Stockyards, Inc. and Glasgow Veterinary Clinic** will be awarding individual prizes to the Champion & Reserve Champion 4-H animals in Market Beef.

## **RED ANGUS MARKET BEEF - - "LIVE PLACING"**

Providing the highest placing Red Angus Market Beef sired by a Red Angus Bull and are red hided, the following awards will be presented: Highest Placing Award \$60.00

By: Leland Red Angus, Melvin & Luella Leland, Todd and Beth Leland, 192 ND, HW 16N, Sidney, MT 59270  
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## **MARKET BEEF - RATE OF GAIN**

The **Farmer's Elevator** will award a lettered jacket to the 4-H member whose Market Beef has the best Average Daily Gain (ADG) - - To be eligible, your Market Beef had to be weighed at the designated county Weigh-In day.