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The Canadian Limousin Association office will be closed

December 24th to January 4th

We will re-open on January 7th

We wish our members a wonderful holiday season!



2019 Whole Herd Enrollment DEADLINE: January 15, 2019

Information concerning your 2019 WHE has been mailed to all members. If you are an online user we remind you that you will not have received any paper forms for your inventory. Please remember that Whole Herd Enrollment is due no later than **January 15, 2019**. Online users may find instructions on how to post their inventory on our website under DigitalBeef. Please remember, if you have not completed your disposals/assessment by January 15th all assessment age females will be enrolled for the current year. Refunds are only given on enrolled heifers calving for the first time providing disposal information has been filed by the member both on the heifer and her calf. There is no longer a \$10/day late penalty, your penalty for being late is that all assessment age females will be enrolled on January 16th and no refund will be given.

Transferring Animals Online

Please note that if a registration paper has been printed for an animal you are no longer able to transfer that animal online, you must instead fill out and sign the back of the registration paper and send it into the CLA office. You can transfer animals online if the registration paper has never been printed. Remember: leave the "Send me the Certificate?" option unchecked when registering calves if you do not require a hard copy registration paper - then you will be able to transfer that animal online at a later date. Please note CLA staff cannot transfer animals on your behalf via a phone or email request, but we are always happy to assist you in doing it online yourself.





Upcoming Events

[Medicine Hat All Beef Pen Show](#)

December 14-15
Medicine Hat, AB

[New Year's Resolution Frozen Genetics](#)

[Sale - Volume 7](#)
December 31
Olds, AB

[Limousin Voice](#)

Bull Issue Deadlines
Booking: January 8
Material: January 18
Camera Ready: January 25

[Peace Country Bull Congress](#)

January 11-12
Dawson Creek, BC

[Canadian Bull Congress](#)

January 25-26
Camrose, AB

R & R Acres 18th Annual "Beefmaker"
Bull Sale
February 2
At the ranch, Airdrie, AB

[Nordal Limousin & Angus Bull Sale](#)

February 14
SLS, Saskatoon, SK

[Crossroads Beef Expo](#)

February 16
Oyen, AB

[St-Martin Test Station Bull Sale](#)

February 16
Saint-Martin de Beauce, QC

[Stewart Limousin Bull Sale](#)

February 18
At the farm, SE of Stettler, AB

[Quebec Select Bull Sale](#)

February 23
Danville Auction Mart, Danville, QC

[J. Yorga Farms Production Sale](#)

February 25
At the ranch, Flintoft, SK

December 31st Deadline for Data Submission

The Canadian Limousin Association will once again be publishing Elite Herd and Elite Dam lists as well as statistical information pertaining to registrations by herd, whole herd enrollment by herd, etc.

Therefore, it is imperative that **all of your 2018 data be entered by December 31st** at the absolute latest. This includes recording/registering your 2018 calf crop and recording performance data.

Updates from CLA Board of Directors Meeting

The Canadian Limousin Association Board of Directors met on December 6 & 7, 2018 in Calgary, AB for their winter in-person board meeting.

Your CLA directors invite you to contact them should you have any questions or concerns regarding CLA board matters.

Your current CLA board of directors are:

President: Erin Kishkan, BC

Vice President: Bill Zwambag, ON

Treasurer: Cody Miller, AB

Past President: Terry Hepper, SK

Directors: Eric Boon, SK; Joe Cooper, NS; Dan Darling, ON;
Mike Geddes, ON; Matthew Heleniak, ON; Amanda Matthews-Haywood, AB

Committee Chairs:

Governance - Erin Kishkan & Bill Zwambag

Breed Improvement - Eric Boon

National Show & Sale & 50th Anniversary Liaison - Mike Geddes

Contact information for all directors and staff is available on the CLA website.

CLA Financial Update

The CLA Board of Directors has approved a surplus budget for 2019 and the Association is on target to meet the 2018 surplus budget.

EPDs Removed from Registration Papers

A motion was approved to remove EPDs from the published registration papers of all Canadian Limousin cattle and replace with a statement that says the most up to date EPDs can be found on DigitalBeef.

2019 CLA Director Nominations

CLA board member nominations need to be received by March 23, 2019 to the CLA office. A director nomination form, as well as information and timelines concerning the election of CLA directors and how to propose by-law amendments in 2019 will be available on the CLA website in the New Year. The 2017 approved CLA by-laws are available on the CLA website under Association -> Member Information.

2019 CLA Annual General Meeting

The 2019 CLA Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday, July 20, 2019 in conjunction with the CJLA Impact Show in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan July 18-21, 2019.

Have you booked your *Limousin Voice* advertising?

Contact Tessa
by **January 8th**
to book in the
February
BULL ISSUE

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HAVE YOU ORDERED YOUR LIMOUSIN TAGS YET?

Order online from the CCIA Webstore
www.canadaid.ca or by phone 1.877.909.2333

Masterfeeds Canadian Limousin Show Cattle of the Year



The Masterfeeds Show Cattle of the Year Awards recognize the top show bull, top show female, top show sire and top show dam for that year as determined by a point system based on placings at qualifying shows. In order to qualify for points a show must have a minimum of 30 head of Limousin cattle. In addition, Limousin animals who win a Supreme Champion title at a show with a minimum of 30 head of cattle of any breed receive additional points. The Canadian Limousin Association and our members sincerely thank Masterfeeds for their support of this program! Congratulations and thank you to all Limousin breeders who invested the time and resources into showing their cattle this year. You represented the breed very well at shows across the country, and your efforts shine a very positive light on the Limousin breed, for which everyone benefits.

2018 QUALIFYING LIMOUSIN SHOWS

Central Ontario Limousin Showcase at Barrie Fair, ON ♦ Owen Sound Fall Fair, ON ♦ Lindsay Exhibition, ON ♦ Glencoe Fair, ON ♦ Ontario Limousin Provincial Show at Markham Fair, ON ♦ Stockade Roundup, SK ♦ Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, ON ♦ Farmfair International, AB ♦ Canadian Western Agribition, SK

LIMOUSIN ANIMALS WERE ALSO SUPREME CHAMPIONS OVER ALL BREEDS AT THE FOLLOWING EVENTS

Westlock Agricultural Fair, AB ♦ Darwell Agricultural Fair, AB ♦ Quinte Exhibition, ON ♦ Picton Fair, ON ♦ Warkworth Beef Expo, ON ♦ Oro World's Fair, ON ♦ Farmfair International, AB



SHOW BULL OF THE YEAR
ARLEY'S FLO RIDA

Owned by Arley Cattle Co. / Arcon Cattle Co.



SHOW FEMALE OF THE YEAR
LAZY A DESIRE ME

Owned by Lazy A Limousin & Hollee Limousin



SHOW SIRE OF THE YEAR
GREENWOOD CANADIAN IMPACT ET

Owned by Greenwood & Nordal Limousin & Angus



SHOW DAM OF THE YEAR
PINCH HILL ZUMBA 203Z

Owned by Pinch Hill Limousin

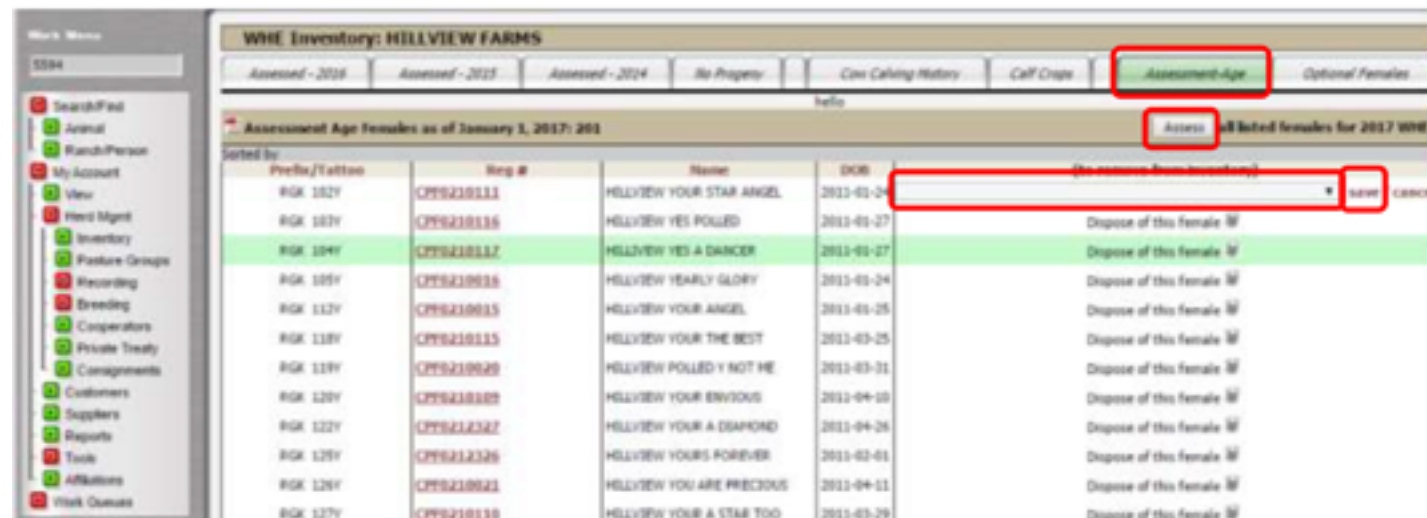
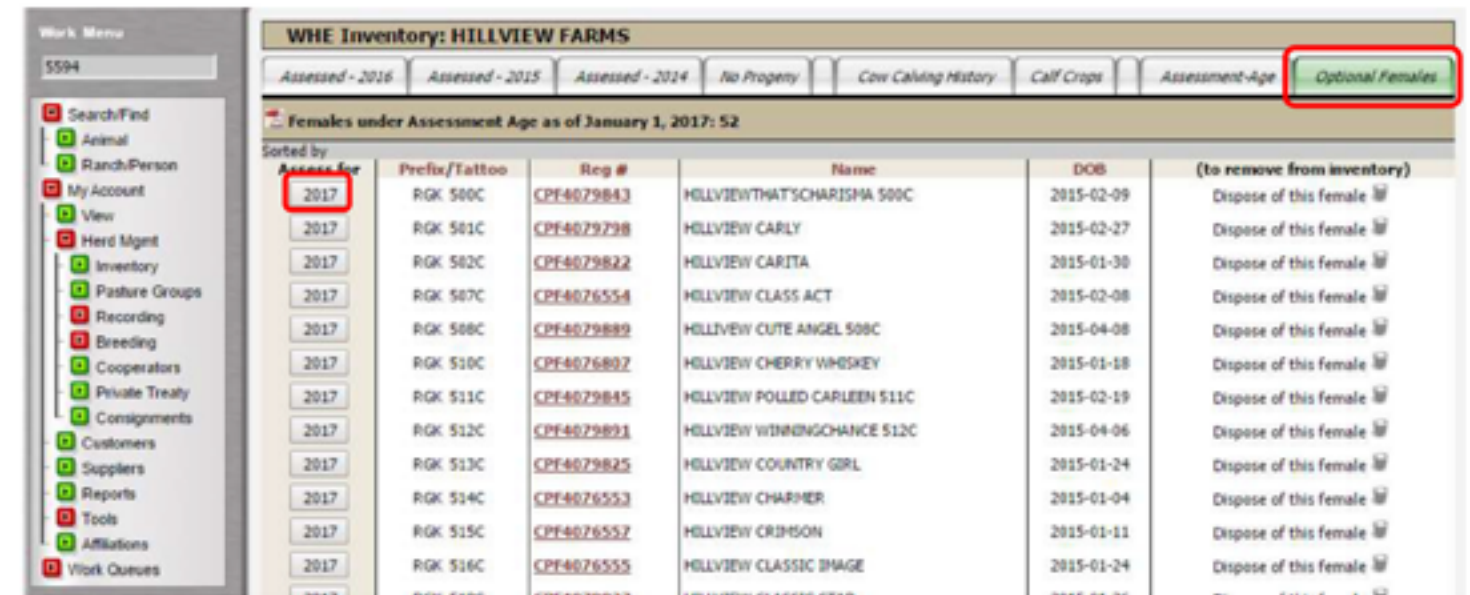
DigitalBeef WHE Instructions for Online Members

- 1) Log into your online DigitalBeef profile using your member number as your username and your password that the CLA office staff gave you. If you do not yet have a DigitalBeef password please contact the CLA office.
- 2) In the grey left hand bar click on Herd Management then click on Inventory
- 3) Select the Assessed – (previous year) tab
- 4) For any cows who do not have a calf recorded to them in that year click Record Calf if you intend to record/register a calf from that cow for that year, this will start a birth recording work queue with the selected cows in it. For any cows who DID NOT have a calf you wish to record please click on the yellow paper scroll button under Reported Info. This will give you a dropdown box where you can select the appropriate code for why that female did not raise a recorded/registered calf that year. Ensure you click Save after each code you select for a cow. Please remember DigitalBeef allows you to record calves without ever having to register them (simply un-check the Register box during registration). Members are encouraged to record all of their calves, even those who will be intended for commercial market, slaughter, and even calves that are deceased. If a cow had a calf, the recording of that calf, regardless of whether you will ever register it, improves the Limousin genetic evaluation. Furthermore, giving females reason codes for why they did not record a calf in a given year is essential for the genetic evaluation, particularly stayability EPDs.

WHE Inventory: HILLVIEW FARMS						
Assessed - 2016						
Invoice	Prefix/Tattoo	Reg #	Name	DOB	Reported Info/Update Options	
View	RGK 102Y	CPF0210111	HILLVIEW YOUR STAR ANGEL	2011-01-24	Record Calf	
View	RGK 103Y	CPF0210116	HILLVIEW YES POLLED	2011-01-27	Record Calf	
View	RGK 104Y	CPF0210117	HILLVIEW YES A DANCER	2011-01-27	Record Calf	
View	RGK 105Y	CPF0210016	HILLVIEW YEARLY GLORY	2011-01-24	Record Calf	
View	RGK 112Y	CPF0210015	HILLVIEW YOUR ANGEL	2011-01-25	Record Calf	
View	RGK 118Y	CPF0210115	HILLVIEW YOUR THE BEST	2011-03-25	Record Calf	
View	RGK 119Y	CPF0210020	HILLVIEW POLLED Y NOT HE	2011-03-31	Record Calf	
View	RGK 120Y	CPF0210109	HILLVIEW YOUR ENVIOUS	2011-04-10	Record Calf	
View	RGK 122Y	CPF0212327	HILLVIEW YOUR A DIAMOND	2011-04-26	CPF408300 - Born 2016-01-15	
View	RGK 125Y	CPF0212326	HILLVIEW YOURS FOREVER	2011-02-01	Record Calf	
View	RGK 126Y	CPF0210021	HILLVIEW YOU ARE PRECIOUS	2011-04-11	CPF408301 - Born 2016-02-09	
View	RGK 127Y	CPF0210110	HILLVIEW YOUR A STAR TOO	2011-03-29	Record Calf	

- 5) To complete the present year's WHE, select the Assessment-Age tab at the top of the page, this will show a list of your females that are of assessment age.
- 6) Go through the list of animals and dispose of females by clicking on the grey trash can and then using the appropriate disposal code from the dropdown menu. Disposal codes are listed Canadian Limousin Association Performance Code Sheet which can be found on www.limousin.com under Resources -> Forms. For your convenience, the list of possible disposal codes is also listed below.
- 7) It is essential that you click save after each disposal code you give to a cow, otherwise it will not save.
- 8) If you have made a mistake and do not want to dispose of a particular female click Cancel.
- 9) If you have a first calf heifer that will be held over and not bred until the next year please select code 51 – Limousin heifer held from breeding – you will not be penalized for her missing her first year of WHE.
- 10) When all females needing disposal have a disposal code selected, you may then click Assess in the top right hand corner and all listed females for that given year who have not been disposed of will be assessed in your WHE.

- 11) Before you finish, click on the Optional Females tab and go through the list of optional females for WHE that year. This list may contain animals that have been recently transferred to you as well as your first calf heifers and current year heifers. If any females in this list should be on WHE in the present year click on the Assess for ____ (present year) button beside each female you wish to have on the present year's WHE.



Cow Disposal Codes

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| 1 or blank – Active | 308 - Culled, aborted |
| 201 - Died – Illness | 309 - Culled, prolapsed |
| 202 – Died - Injury / Accident | 310 - Culled, reproductive disease |
| 203 – Died - Calving Difficulty | 311 - Culled, poor body condition (unthrifty) |
| 204 – Died - Old Age | 312 - Culled, teat & udder soundness problems |
| 205 – Died – Other / Disease | 313 - Culled, feet & legs |
| 301 - Sold for breeding purposes, certificate not transferred | 314 - Culled, structurally unsound |
| 302 - Culled, calf performance / productivity | 315 - Culled, disposition |
| 303 - Culled, low production value \$ (not reproduction or performance related) | 316 - Culled, injury |
| 304 - Culled, old age | 317 - Culled, sickness or disease |
| 305 - Culled, infertile | 318 - Culled, genetic defect |
| 306 - Culled, cow calved but did not wean a calf | 319 - Culled, cancer eye, etc. |
| 307 - Culled, calving difficulty | 320 - Leased |
| | 321 - Missing or stolen |
| | 51- Limousin heifer held from breeding |