



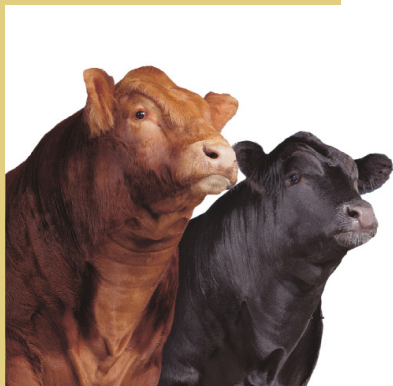
CANADIAN LIMOUSIN ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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Coming Events

Olds Fall Classic
October 2-10
Olds, AB

The Foundation Sale
October 3
Bowling Green, KY

Advancing Women in Agriculture
Conference
October 5-6
Toronto, ON

Expo Boeuf
October 9-11
Victoriaville, QC

Livestock Gentec Conference
October 13-14
Edmonton, AB

Ag For Life Harvest Gala
October 23
Calgary, AB

Manitoba Ag Ex
October 26-31
Brandon, MB

Royal Elite All Breed Sale
November 6
Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, ON

National Limousin Show
November 7
Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, ON

Farmfair International
November 11-15
Edmonton, AB

Combest Limousin Dispersal
November 16
Erskine, AB

Show Cattle of the Year Points

As the excitement of the fall show season mounts please remember that the following rules apply to receive points towards the Masterfeeds Show Cattle of Year awards:

- Each show must complete the following in order to have the results of their show count towards points:

1) Submit a POINTS SHOW QUALIFICATION FORM (available on the CLA website) along with complete show results to the CLA office within two weeks of the completion of the show to keep the point tallies current. Show results must include registration number, name, tattoo, birth date, and exhibitor for all animals in the class, not just the top placers.

- A SUPREME POINTS FORM (available on the CLA website) must be filled out within two weeks of the completion of the show for all supreme winners in order to receive points.

- In order to count towards points, a show must have a minimum of 30 purebred and/or fullblood Limousin animals on-site. Percentage Limousin cattle do not count towards the head count at the show.

- All animals have to be registered at the time of the show to get points, including calves at side of females in pair classes.

- All animals born in 2016 or later must be tagged with a Limousin branded pink CCIA tag. All animals born in 2015 or earlier are grandfathered into this rule and may show with the traditional yellow CCIA tag. Animals/pairs not adhering to this rule will still count towards the overall head count at the show, however the animal/pair itself will not qualify for points.

The CLA thanks Masterfeeds for their continued support of this award.

Inbound Buyer Program Application

Please remember to inform your international contacts about the Inbound Buyer Programs at Farmfair International and Canadian Western Agribition. Both shows have Inbound Buyer Programs that reimburse international guests potentially interested in Canadian beef genetics for 50% of their eligible travel expenses up to \$1,500 CAD. Inbound buyers are also treated to special tours and events during their time at either of the shows. More information and applications can be found online on the Farmfair International and Canadian Western Agribition websites as well as the 'International Buyer' page under Resources on the CLA website.

Australian Looking for Work

Briony Jonkers is a 24 year old Australian gal looking for work helping to get a show string ready for/helping at Farmfair or Agribition and/or long term farm work on a Limousin operation. She worked for a fitting service in Australia and helped her sister who manages Longreach Limousin in Australia. She can be reached at 587-582-8904 or happycow2009@hotmail.com.



Have you ordered
your Limousin tags yet?



Highlights from the Maritime Limousin Association Junior Show



Grand Champion Female :: RPY Paynes Blossom
Shown by William Cooper
Owned by East Coast Limousin



Reserve Champion Female :: Darling Bella Star 2B
Shown by Alex Smith
Owned by Balamore Farm



Grand Champion Bull :: Othberg's Chad
Shown by Gabrielle Clevand
Owned by Fritz & Sandra Othberg



Reserve Champion Bull :: Balamore Cracker Jack
Shown by Camryn Patton
Owned by Balamore Farm



CJLA Scholarship & Award Opportunities



CJLA Monetary Scholarships

Two (2) \$500 scholarships and two (2) \$250 scholarships are awarded to CJLA members annually. To apply please e-mail eboon3@hotmail.com describing your involvement in the Limousin breed. Deadline to apply is October 31st annually. Successful applicants will receive their funds in the year they are awarded. As of August 2015, scholarship recipients may only receive a CJLA monetary scholarship once.

NEW Australian/Canadian Limousin Youth Exchange

The CJLA is excited to announce a new opportunity exclusively for CJLA members age 16-21. More information coming soon!

Thanks

T Bar Invitational Golf Tournament raised \$3,124.28 this year for the CJLA. A cheque presentation will be made at Canadian Western Agribition. The CJLA sincerely thanks T Bar for their continued generous contribution to our junior program.

Combest Limousin will be donating a heifer to the CJLA to be sold in their herd dispersal sale November 16th, 2015. Funds from the sale of this heifer will go towards the CJLA scholarships and Australian/Canadian Limousin Youth Exchange. Thank you Lynn & Tyra Combest!

Venture Livestock is generously contributing \$500 to the CJLA scholarship funds. Thank you Wayne & Anne Burgess!

Canadian Western Agribition Scholarship

Canadian Western Agribition offers 3 different scholarships to provide financial support and incentive to students in order to pursue post-secondary and graduate education. If you are a grade 12, post-secondary or graduate student and have participated in Canadian Western Agribition as an exhibitor don't miss the opportunity to apply for \$1,500 and \$2,500 scholarships. The Canadian Western Agribition scholarship application form is available on the Canadian Western Agribition website under Education.

Buddy Leachman Beef Cattle Learning Award

In memory of the late Buddy Leachman of Big Gully Farm an award has been organized to recognize and reward young people invoke the values, character, and strength's he possessed. Two awards in the amount of \$1500 will be awarded annually to one young man and one young woman 16-25 years of age as of January 1st of the calendar year of application. The value of each award will be utilized to offset expenses incurred by each recipient while initiating a beef cattle experience that will instill lifelong skills and knowledge. These experiences could include, but are not limited to:

- Participation in a beef cattle event (exhibition, show, conference, convention, etc.)
- Participation in a clinic, camp or workshop (judging, fitting, showmanship, nutrition, etc.)
- Participation in extra-curricular course (artificial insemination, embryo transfer, auctioneer, etc.)
- Opportunity to visit and learn from a respected person or potential mentor who is agreeable.

For full information, eligibility requirements and to apply please visit the CLA Facebook page to see an image with full details.

Free Commercial Calf Sale Listing Service on CLA Website

Please remember that the CLA offers complementary commercial calf sale listings on www.limousin.com

Producers can list Limousin influence calves that will be sold privately or through public auction by simply filling out a brief form describing the calves. This is also a great tool for breeders to promote to their bull buyers!

The CLA website also offers listings for breeding stock, semen and embryos at a cost of \$50/listing. There is no time limit for the ad posting.

Whole Herd Enrolment Reminder

Information concerning your 2015 WHE will be mailed to you in October. If you are an online user we remind you that you will not receive any paper forms for your inventory. Please remember that Whole Herd Enrolment is due no later than January 15, 2016. Instructions for online users on how to post their inventory will be posted on our website soon and included in the next newsletter.

CONDOLENCES

CLA member Ernie Childs of Pine Haven Farm, Carp, Ontario passed away on Wednesday, September 16th at 68 years of age. The CLA sends their deepest condolences to Ernie's family.