

TEXAS HEREFORD

The Official Publication of the Texas Hereford Association

January 2026



Thanks for making our 2025 Bull Sale our best yet "Bar None"!

**GKB CATTLE & BARBER RANCH SPRING BULL SALE
THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2026 • DESDEMONA, TEXAS**



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(YouTube Shorts, FB/IG
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From all of us at Barber Ranch, **THANK YOU!**

We are grateful for all of the support from each and every person who viewed our 2025 sale cattle either in person or online, and especially to those who bid and bought.

We can't wait to see what they produce for their new owners!

99 Hereford Bulls — averaged \$13,550

20 Hereford Bred Heifers — averaged \$6,475

We can't wait to show you what we have lined up for our 2026 offering!



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CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MM	M&G	MCE	MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI5	BIIS	CHBS
5.2	0.1	77	128	0.8	1.8	22.2	38	76	7.0	108	1.60	1.50	102	0.064	0.90	0.04	471	562	147

- This Final Print son is the epitome of power and muscle. You would be hard pressed to find a bull with his kind of dimension and stoutness, while still offering a functional build. This is an excellent opportunity for any operation.
- Owned with Delaney Herefords Inc. and Thomas Herefords
Semen: \$90/Straw, volume discounts available; No Certificate

RST 0016 Gold Print 3031

(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF) | P44482475 2/12/23 • LE 3031

BOYD 312 BLUEPRINT 6153 (SOD)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	R LEADER 6964 (SOD)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, DBF)
RST FINAL PRINT 0016 (CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF)	NJW 91H 100W RITA 31Z ET (DLF, HYF, IEF)
P44178105 RST MS X651 TESTED 8032 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	EFBEEF TFL U208 TESTED X651 ET (SOD)(CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF)
	RST MS 0124 TIMESAWASTIN 6094 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF)
RST 167Y TRUST 8132 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	NJW 337B 100W TRUST 167Y (SOD)(CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF)
RST MS 8132 TRUST 1021 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	RST MS 44U DURANGO 2016 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, DBF)
P44297803 RST MS 5051 SMALLTOWNKID 9057 (MDF, DBF)	KT SMALL TOWN KID 5051 (SOD)(CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)
	RST MS 2218 LEGEND 5143 (DLF, HYF, IEF, DBF)



CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MM	M&G	MCE	MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI5	BIIS	CHBS
9.2	1.9	71	113	0.9	0.8	27.2	41	76	5.9	91	1.40	1.50	100	0.054	0.82	0.43	556	670	176

- Chili Pepper is a quick to grab your attention whether you see him on foot or in a picture. He is incredibly well balanced and long sided. For us it's his added muscle and shape, on an excellent skeleton, backed by his genomic profile that should push him to the top of anyone's list.
- Owned with Thomas Herefords
Semen: \$100/Straw, volume discounts available; No Certificates



KT WF Chili Pepper 4017

(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF) | P44595980 2/10/24 • LE 4017

NJW 79Z Z311 ENDURE 173D ET (SOD)(CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	KCF BENNETT ENCORE Z311 ET (SOD)(CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)
CMF 1720 GOLD RUSH 569G ET (CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	BW 91H 100W RITA 79Z ET (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF)
P44108010 L III TFL C609 VICTORIA 1720 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF)	EFBEEF RESOLUTE CEO (SOD)(CHB)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)
	L III X651 RITA A045 (SOD)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF)
BG LCC 11B PERFECTO 84F (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	LXC PERFECTO 11B ET (SOD)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF)
KT MS 84F PERFECTO 2088 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)	BG 100W NICKY 31C (SOD)(DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF)
P44378994 KT MS 704 SENSATION 9014 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF)	CRR 028X SENSATION 704 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF)
	KT MS 5051 SMALLTOWNKID 7103 (DLF, HYF, IEF, MSUDF, MDF, DBF)



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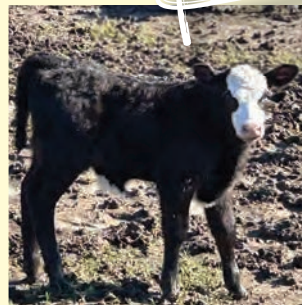
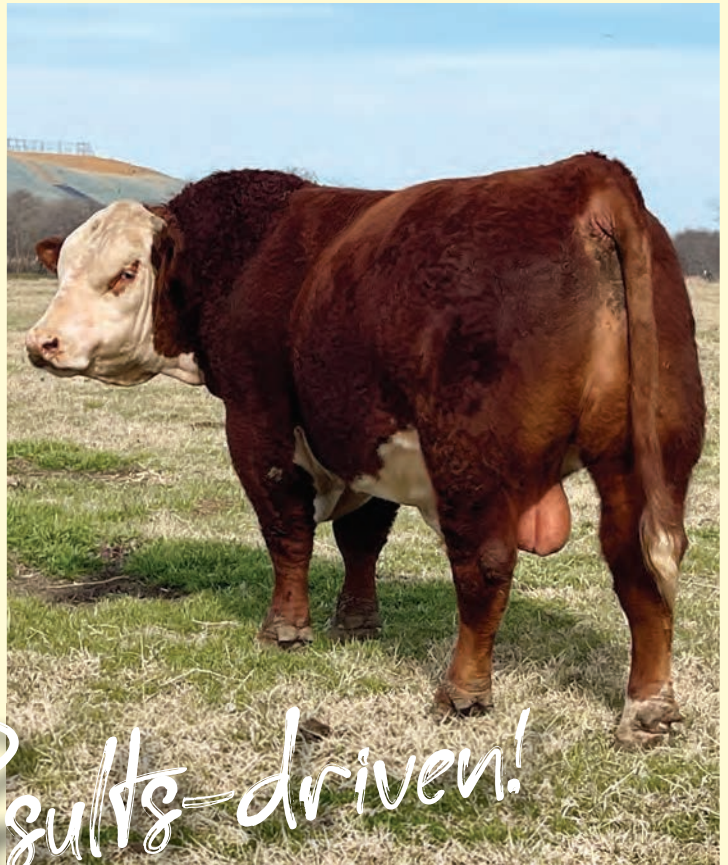
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Let's Hereford

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We have bulls and females available year 'round.

THA Business Notes

Nominating Committee

THA President EC Rosson has appointed the nominating committee to recommend officers and directors for 2026. Terri Barber will serve as chairman with Lee Haygood and Chad Breeding on the committee.

Potential By-Law Change starting in 2027

There will be new business at the annual meeting regarding a potential change in the structure of the directors. According to the current by-laws there must be 20 directors serving three year terms. The executive committee is suggesting this change to 12. A formal proposal will be presented at the annual meeting with the membership voting on the by-law. ★

Scholarships for High Placing Juniors in Fort Worth

The THA Foundation has again committed to present scholarships to Junior members exhibiting in the 2026 Open Hereford Show in Fort Worth on February 2, 2026. These funds will be distributed to high placing juniors. To be eligible to receive these awards, the exhibitor must be a member of the junior association and be eligible to show in the junior show the previous week (exhibitor does not have to exhibit at the junior show) and be at the halter of his/her heifer. No cow/ calf is eligible. The ownership rules for the junior show must be met as stated in the FWSSR rules. ★

Membership Dues for 2025

You should have received a notice for your dues for 2026 by now. If you have not or are not yet a member, let us know! We want to grow our membership and subscription base and are working on several campaigns for this right now. If your address has changed, it is very important to let the office know. It costs money when we get returned mail so please help us save money!

Silent and Live Auction during Annual Meeting

A highlight of the annual meeting each year is the silent auction and this year's will offer more items that were set aside from last year's sale of the THA building. But if you have something you would like to donate we would appreciate your donation! Do you have a condo on the beach? Airline points? A basket of goodies with a bottle of wine always sells well along with tickets to events. Whatever you are willing to donate! We already have these framed pieces donated by Terry Reagan (Livestock Exchange Building print), Barber Ranch (Wayne Baize print) and Diane Johnson (needlepoint framed piece) I discovered this piece and couldn't resist. The lady who did this spent more than 700 hours during Covid!

If you can let Diane know ahead of time, it will help tremendously in the planning and organizing. Drop an email to texashereford@sbcglobal.net, call or text to the THA number too - 817-831-3161. The proceeds go towards the annual meeting expenses which keeps the reception as a complimentary occasion. ★



A shout out to Bar A Cattle Co. and GeneSource for being one of the hosts for the Texas/Oklahoma post-tour after the World Hereford Conference in October. Apologies for not acknowledging them in our previous coverage. Thank you Dave, Becky, Tyler, Mason and Landry! ★

Come and get 'em **March 7**

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12-Trait Leader

STARDANCE M8086 [CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF] #43989449 02/25/2018

CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MILK	M&G	MCE
+11.2	-0.2	+60	+104	+0.6	+1.6	+23.7	+52	+82	+11.7
MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	BII	CHB
+75	+1.00	+1.10	+92	+0.134	+0.55	+0.96	+\$522	+\$661	+\$215

RED = TRAIT LEADER

- HH ADVANCE 932J 1ET [SOD,CHB,DLF,IEF]
- HH ADVANCE 1045L [CHB,DLF,IEF]
- HH MS ADV 896H 1ET [DOD,IEP]
- DS 1045 ADVANCE 3575N [CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF]
- DS TROY 6805
- DS 6805 MS TROY 8605 [DLF,HYF,IEF]
- DS MS NORSTAR 41119
- STARDANCE M8086 ET** [CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF] #43989449 • 02/25/18
- UPS DOMINO 3027 [SOD,CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF,MDF]
- CHURCHILL SENSATION 028X [SOD,DLF,HYF,IEF,MDF,DBF]
- CHURCHILL LADY 7202T ET [DLF,HYF,IEF]
- CHURCHILL LADY 284Z ET [DLF,HYF,IEF]
- GH NEON 17N [SOD,CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF]
- CHURCHILL LADY 6109S ET [DLF,HYF,IEF]
- CHURCHILL LADY 202 [DLF,HYF,IEF]



Featuring his offspring

SR PINPOINT 252K [DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF,MDF] #44364419 03/15/2022

CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MILK	M&G	MCE
+2.1	+3.1	+59	+111	+1.3	+1.2	+8.6	+40	+69	+3.8
MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	BII	CHB
+63	+0.80	+0.80	+75	-0.006	+0.55	+0.33	+\$234	+\$317	+\$132

- UPS NAVARRO [SOD,CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF]
- SR BAKKEN 62Z [SOD,DLF,HYF,IEF]
- SR SCRIPTIA 926W [DOD,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF]
- UU BAKKEN 8027F [DLF,HYF,IEF]
- CHURCHILL AUTHORITY 027X [SOD,DLF,HYF,IEF]
- UU MS AUTHORITY 4240 [DOD,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF]
- UU MS AUTHORITY 4240 [DOD,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF]
- SR PINPOINT 252K** [DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF,MDF] #44364419 • 03/15/22
- LS MARKDOMINO 1321 [CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF,MDF,DBF]
- CHURCHILL MARK DOM 697D [CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF]
- CHURCHILL LADY 463B [DLF,HYF,IEF,MSUDF]
- SR AURITA 9094G
- SNS 40W WESTERN LAD 8A [DLF,HYF,IEF]
- SR ESTER 7115E
- B&S TAMEREEN 866 ET [DLF,HYF,IEF]

Don't forget: If you want to be able to sleep through the night during calving season, order your Stardance semen.



Doyle Hereford Ranch Visitors always welcome!

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It's 3:02 am and I'm trying to come up with the words to put here. Do I go melancholy? Reflective? Motivational?

It's quite trite to overuse the "Oh what a great year it's been" and "Looking forward to 2026". So I'll just put that out there.

Yes, it has been a wonderful 2025 and a new year gives us the motivation to do better in all things. Personally I had a great year in 2025 and yes, plan on a good 2026.

Whatever our struggles are may they go out the door! I didn't eat black eyed peas nor ate the 12 grapes that supposedly are for good luck starting at New Year's. But I did watch a lot of football. That's my good luck.

When it comes to resolutions, the only one I make is to make no resolutions. Why fail on January 2nd?! So as we go into 2026 give some true reflection (like sit down with no noise) and think how lucky we are to live in this country. How fortunate we are to have the opportunities to work hard yet be rewarded for our honesty, consideration and respect.

So I went melancholy and reflective. But motivation is what we need to keep moving upward and onward. I'm here, present and look forward to seeing and being a part of what a wonderful world we live in.



- If a person habitually places their phone face down on the table it is often a sign of protective behavior. While they might just be avoiding distractions, it frequently suggests they are guarding their privacy or hiding incoming notifications from you.
- The direction of the feet: The feet rarely lie. Even if someone is facing you and smiling, if their feet are pointed toward the door, their mind is already gone. We subconsciously point our feet where we actually want to go.
- They Asymmetrical Smirk: A true smile involves both sides of the face and the eyes. If you notice a half-smile where only one side of the mouth lifts, be careful. In body language, this often signals contempt, hidden disapproval or forced politeness rather than genuine interest.
- Look for the person who stays quiet but speaks with precision and impact. Highly intelligent individuals often spend more time processing information than broadcasting it. When they finally speak, their words are usually high-value, showing a deep level of analytical thinking.
- If you want someone to stop talking, drop something on the ground, and as you pick it up, interrupt them.

Ha! So if you see me dropping things....

Happy New Year friends. And let's make good in all things.

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WW 81 | YW 129 | TEAT 1.40 | CW 110 | REA 1.08



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BW 2.9 | SCF 26.3 | TEAT 1.5 | MARB .3 | BMI 528



STRIKE 4505M SHERMAN x 3121L

BW 1.1 | YW 113 | TEAT 1.50 | MARB .74 | BMI 570 | CHB 216



LEGACY 5117N STANFIELD x 3121L

BW 3.7 | WW 75 | YW 121 | MILK 44 | TEAT 1.50 | BMI 477



BEAR 5113N SMOKEY x LONG HAUL

BW 1.2 | WW 80 | YW 135 | BMI 559 | CHB 178



LADY 4507M SHERMAN x 3121L

YW 102 | TEAT 1.70 | MARB .73 | BMI 541 | CHB 200

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Saturday, January 31, 2026

1:00 pm at the West Arena during the Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo

Selling 92 Hereford and F1 Baldy Females from some of the most respected ranches in Texas. Showing and selling pens of 10. Some pens will offer option to split pen into groups of 5. Many of the females will sell with registration papers at the buyers request.

Class 1: Heifers calved after September 1, 2024

All sell open. 10 head in each pen. All Herefords

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Class 2: Heifers calved 1/1/24 to 12/31/24 Herefords

10 head in each pen

W4 Ranch

Jeff Chaffin, 254-396-2785 (PE 5/7/25 - 8/2/25)

10 head in pen

Class 7: Heifers calved after 9/1/2024, Black White-Faced English Cross

Flying 5 Herefords

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White Rock Hereford Ranch

EC Rosson, 254-582-2998

Heritage Heifers

Three pens of 5 Herefords will sell and one lot of 7 black white-faced English cross.

All calved after September 1, 2024 and will sell as open yearlings.

For more information contact **Missy Coffelt, 682-309-7555** or sale manager, **Dustin Layton, 405-464-2455**

FOR FREE ADMISSION and parking go to the Justin Arena Garage Parking Lot and tell the gate keepers you are attending the "Powerhouse Female Sale."

Texas Hereford Association Activities during the Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 2026

8:30AM Texas Junior Hereford Association Meeting

1PM Junior Polled Hereford Heifer Show, followed by Horned show

Judge: Ryan Cotton, Ponce Inlet, Florida

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 2026

Noon Judging of Commercial Heifer Sale consignments

Judges: Justin Barber, Bradley Hodde and Hank Hermann

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31, 2026

10:30AM Texas Hereford Auxiliary Annual Meeting & Luncheon
Hilton Garden Inn (new location)
912 Northton St., Fort Worth

1PM Powerhouse Commercial Heifer Sale including 22 head of donated heifers for the Heritage Pen to benefit the Texas Hereford Association, Watt Arena on the WRMC grounds

4PM Annual Meeting of the THA and recognition of award honorees
Hilton Garden Inn
912 Northton St., Fort Worth
Followed by social

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2026

8AM Curtis Younts National Hereford Show and the Dale Ousley National Polled Hereford Show
Judge: Tom Hawk, Earlville, Illinois



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OHT 145 KING DOMINO 404 [IEF] #44544497 ▶ 03/09/2024

CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MM	MG	MCE
+6.7	+2.1	+50	+88	+0.2	+1.6	+18.9	+34	+59	+5.5
MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	BII	CHB
+66	+1.30	+1.30	+58	+0.024	+0.24	+0.15	+\$376	+\$448	+\$108



OHT 145 KING DOMINO 412 #44544506 ▶ 03/18/2024

CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MM	MG	MCE
+8.9	+1.0	+51	+85	+0.3	+2.1	+18.3	+35	+60	+7.1
MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	BII	CHB
+72	+1.20	+1.30	+62	+0.024	+0.31	+0.18	+\$371	+\$446	+\$112



Selling Open Yearling Heifers (5 each) in Beeville & San Antonio.
Partial offering shown here.

SELLING IN HOUSTON LIVESTOCK SHOW ALL BREED BULL SALE | MARCH 4



OHT 9218 SUSTAINING RANGE 410 [DBP] #44544504 ▶ 03/16/2024

CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MM	MG	MCE
+0.3	+3.7	+58	+95	+0.4	+1.0	+18.9	+34	+63	+2.0
MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	BII	CHB
+90	+1.20	+1.20	+78	+0.054	+0.50	+0.06	+\$392	+\$465	+\$116



OHT 145 CONCHO PRINCE DOM 402 #44538709 ▶ 03/01/2024

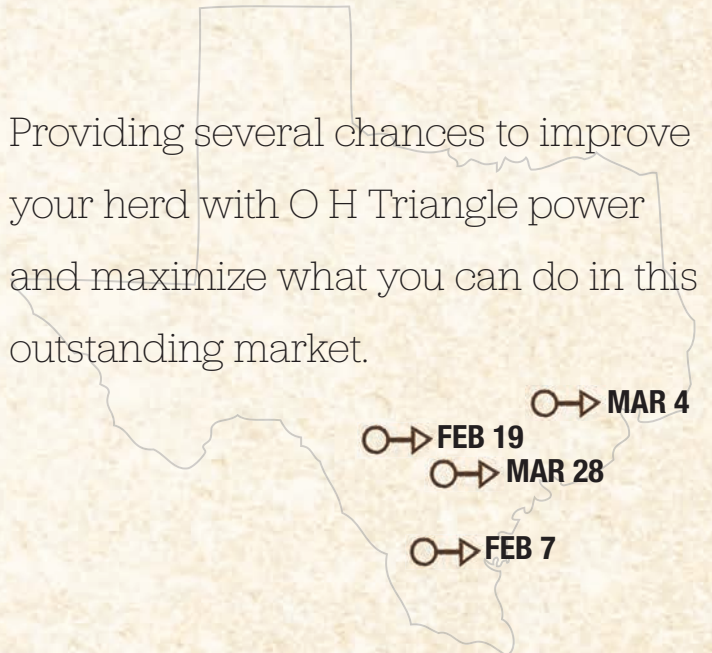
CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MM	MG	MCE
+1.4	+3.6	+56	+96	+0.3	+2.2	+18.3	+33	+61	+3.5
MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	BII	CHB
+80	+1.30	+1.40	+61	+0.014	+0.29	+0.14	+\$372	+\$449	+\$110



OHT 814 CASE SENSATION 407 #44544501 ▶ 03/10/2024

CE	BW	WW	YW	DMI	SC	SCF	MM	MG	MCE
-3.0	+5.4	+53	+98	+0.2	+1.3	+15.9	+35	+61	-0.8
MCW	UDDR	TEAT	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	BII	CHB
+91	+1.10	+1.10	+55	+0.004	+0.11	+0.16	+\$333	+\$407	+\$107

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POWERFUL OPPORTUNITIES OFFERED STATEWIDE

- February 7** South Texas Hereford Association Spring Sale
Selling 7 Bulls and 5 Open Heifers
- February 19** San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo All Breeds Bull Sale
Selling 2 Bulls and 5 Open Heifers
- March 4** Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo All Breeds Bull Sale
Selling 3 Bulls
- March 28** Karnes City Auctions' Special Replacement Sale
Selling 2 Registered Bulls



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In a cold night, who doesn't love a good stew? I remember growing up, my mom used to make what she called 'Everything But The wKitchen Sink' soup, where she'd use what she had and add hamburger to make it a warm meal. It was always a favorite of ours, and I've made my own version of it over the years.

Soon it'll be time for the Fort Worth Stock Show and National Hereford Show in Cowtown, and feeding the hungry family and crew is always a challenge. Early mornings and late nights are the norm these weeks. Everyone is excited to be there, but worn out by the day's end.

My husband commented a few years ago after eating what he dubbed my 'Fort Worth Stew' that it would be the perfect thing to have ready as the cattle eat before we tie them out to stall. He's right, and I plan on making this 'stew', or as some might call it, a soup to freeze and reheat one night while we are there.

Stews and soups are always better the next day, and this recipe should freeze and travel well. ★

Fort Worth Hamburger Stew

- 2 pounds of ground hamburger, cooked until all pink is gone
- 1 large onion, diced
- 2 stalks of celery, chopped
- 2 carrots, chopped
- 4 red potatoes, chopped into cubes
- 5 - 6 cup(s) water
- 1 can stewed tomatoes (small -chopped variety)
- 1 can Rotel Tomatoes with Green Chilis
- 1-2 teaspoons garlic salt
- 1 tablespoon Tony Chachere's Creole Seasoning
- 3 tablespoon(s) chili powder
- 1 teaspoon black pepper
- 3 tablespoons oregano
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Grand Champion Horned Female
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Grand Champion Polled Female
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Mason Roeder



Reserve Grand Champion Polled Female
TCC 208 Georgia Kay 509M ET
Luke Hamlin



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Reserve Grand Champion Bull
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Mini Herefords Open Show



Grand Champion Mini Female
Lena
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Market Steer Show



Grand Champion Market Steer | Shown by Bennett Stone



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	-30.5	-26	-51	+31	-61	-140	-241	+36	+76	-05	-103	-140	-130		-29.4	-36	-69	-5.0	-102	-140	-140
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RJ RARE AIR 4002	03-21-24	44595709		✓	BR RARE AIR 1294
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RJ RARE AIR 4004	04-10-24	44595720		✓	BR RARE AIR 1294
RJ MANIFEST 4025	04-15-24	44713413	✓		NJW 175E 87G MANIFEST 173J
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Grand Champion Mini Market Steer
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Grand Champion Horned Female
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Reserve Grand Champion Horned Female
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COATES RANCH

Coates Ranch was established in 1905 by P.H. Coates in Reagan County. The registered cowherd originated in 1927 with the purchase of 15 heifers and two bulls at the Anxiety 4th sale in Snyder, Texas, and our cowherd now traces back to that purchase. We also raise registered Quarter Horses, and have expanded our operation to Crockett, Menard, and Upton counties. Our goal is to raise functional cattle and horses that the cattle industry and commercial customers demand, and we sell horses and approximately 100 bulls by private treaty annually.



DUDLEY BROS RANCH

Dudley Bros Ltd is a family-owned and family run registered Hereford operation in Comanche County Texas. Now operated by fourth generation cousins, J.H.

Dudley Jr acquired land on the Comanche/Mills counties line in 1885, part of which continues to be operated by DB Ltd. Gail, Tom and Eltos Dudley, grandsons of J.H. Dudley established a partnership in 1927. Originally in the auto, tire and gasoline business the brothers began to acquire additional ranchland throughout the 1930's and 1940's and entered the registered Hereford business in 1938. The principals of the partnership are John, Ginger, Jim, Margaret, T.J., Kerry, Julia (Allison), Tom, Melissa, Ray, Monica, Harry, and Rhonda Dudley. Lane and Jordon Dudley fifth generation) are full-time with the ranch. (The clan numbers 65). Dudley Bros. Ltd produces bulls for the commercial cowman and will host its 64th Annual Sale, October 2, 2025. Females and baldies are sold private treaty.



EH ED BRAINARD LL

E. H "Ed" Brainard II (1927-1999) joined his parents ESF "Bud" & Sallie Lee Brainard in their operation after military service in occupied German. In the tradition of early pioneers of the Panhandle, Ed was allowed for three years to select 25 head for his own out of his parent's herd. He branded his com-



mercial Herefords with Lazy B- but with a bar added. In 1977 he would purchase the Lewis Humphry's family of Kansas commercial Hereford cattle & lease their brand "IV". Upon his parents' death in 1993 & 1996, Ed would hold together their land and their two cattle operations Brainard Cattle Co & Bud Brainard. When the Heritage Pen was formed to support the Texas Hereford Association, he instructed his son, Swasey, to send two heifers: one from his herd...one from his gather's herd. Ed's wife Lilith & his five children continue to honor his wishes and support the Texas Hereford Association. Three centuries Canadian River Valley, Century Commercial Herefords, Seven Generations Beef Industry.

BUD BRAINARD

E.S.F. (Bud) Brainard (1904-1996) was a son of the pioneer rancher E.H. (Ed) Brainard & Kittie Belle Fullerton. Lazy B was registered by Bud's father E.H. who proved up a homestead in 1895 in Roberts County, known as John's Creek, four sections at a time and secured other land through dissolution of large ranches such as the Bar CC and the Hansford Land & Cattle Co. Bud's parents bought their first Herefords from Lee Bivins Family of Amarillo, Texas 1903. They engaged in commercial Hereford cow/calf, yearling/stocker, and feedlot operations.

In 1944 Bud and his nephews, Ben and Bill McIntire, and niece, Mary K. McIntire Christner, formed the Brainard Cattle Co. Bud would buy out his partners in 1990. Bud Brainard's Hereford cattle continue to roam the Canadian breaks as they did in the early days and the herd continues the standards of high quality that has been characteristic of Brainard cattle for over 100 years. Bud is in the American Hereford Association Hall of Fame.

LAZY O RANCH

We manage about 60 registered Hereford cows and focus on maintaining top genetics in our herd bulls. We also engage in artificial insemination and embryo transfer work. Additionally, we sell registered Hereford bulls to nearby ranchers and have around 250 commercial cows. My grandfather, Bob Owen, raised Hereford cattle in Jack County, as did my father, Raymond E. Owen. We continue to run cattle in both Jones and Jack counties, with our headquarters located in Nugent, just north of Abilene.

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McKNIGHT RANCH COMPANY

McKnight Ranch Company is a family operated ranch. Headquartered near Fort Davis, Texas, MRC has raised Hereford and crossbred cattle in far West Texas for many generations. Hereford cattle have been the mainstay and strength of the generations for 100+ years. A small, registered herd of Herefords has been maintained on the ranch for many years to provide breeding bulls for the commercial cattle. Their registered herd is closely monitored for performance and carcass quality to use on our commercial herd.



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NOLAN HEREFORDS

Nolan Herefords has been raising quality registered Hereford cattle since 1998 in Gilmer, Texas. Primary a seedstock producer, they run over 200 head annually with cattle sold by

private treaty and at the annual Fall Classic Hereford Bull Sale in Buffalo, Texas.

Scott, Alise, Ilissa, Bethany and Audrey Nolan along with the ranch and herd manager, Steve Decker, have raised and shown many champions at state stock shows that they are very proud of. Most significantly Nolan Herefords raised a bred and owned Grand Champion at the Fort Worth Stock Show during Audrey's show career. They have also raised Grand Champions at the State Fair of Texas and Houston Livestock Junior Shows along with multiple division winners at national open shows.

Giving back to the Texas Hereford Association and its members is paramount to the Nolan family from years of roles in leadership for their daughters and themselves that have made them realize the impact the association and its members have had on their lives. The donation to the Heritage Pen is yet another way they can further the mission of the Texas Hereford Association and continue their involvement with a breed that is done so much in their lives.



O H TRIANGLE RANCH

The O H Triangle Ranch has been a landmark of West Texas owned by the Sugg family since 1898. It is spread out over several counties in the Concho Valley with a large portion of the Middle Concho River running through it.

The Sugg family has been running Hereford cattle for nearly 100 years and has one of the oldest closed, pure horned Hereford commercial herds in the state. Currently the O H Triangle Ranch runs roughly 1,000 head of commercial Herefords, 200 head of commercial black Angus and 250 head of high-end registered horned Herefords. We consign cattle of all classes across the state and consign some of the top selling bulls at some of the best sales in Texas.

We hope to raise and provide good-doing, hardy cattle that will perform well for us and our customers wherever they may be. Let some proven power from O H Triangle Ranch improve your herd this year. Look for us all around Texas!

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Grand Champion Polled Female
TCC 208 Georgia Kay 509 M ET
Luke Hamlin



Reserve Grand Champion Polled Female
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Mason Roeder



Grand Champion Mini Female
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POWELL RANCH

The Powell Family has been ranching in Texas for five generations. Today, Jimmie Powell's family ranch operation is raising registered Hereford cattle, commercial Angus and Hereford cattle, and Rambouillet sheep. The registered herd was started decades ago by Jimmie's father, Virgil. The operation will be holding its 28th annual bull sale this coming October 2025 and are proud to be a part of this year's Heritage sale.



RANCHO VIESCA HEREFORDS MARK ELLISON

The Ellison family began raising registered Hereford cattle in the early 1930s. My grand-

father and grandmother received a Hereford bull for their wedding gift from my grandmother's father. My grandfather, Carlton Wright Ellison, purchased his first registered females from the Texas A&M College registered herd in the early 1930s and members of our family have been raising Herefords in Milam County since then. We are now in our fifth generation of Hereford breeders and operate our herd as Rancho Viesca Herefords. We focus on producing seedstock that can thrive in Central Texas and that can meet the needs of our commercial cattlemen customers.



ROCKER b RANCH

The history of the Bar S Ranch, later known as the Rocker b Ranch, showcases a legacy of innovation and growth in cattle ranching and horse breeding. Beginning in 1871, Philetus Sawyer acquired land along the Middle Concho River, and by 1887, the Sawyer Cattle Company was born following the acquisition of the Bar S Brand. As pioneers in West Texas ranching, they were the first to fence holdings and drill water wells. The ranch expanded from a single section to 172,000 acres by 1910, emphasizing quality Hereford cattle and horses under successive leadership, including L.L. Farr, Sr., and Jr.

The ranch's influence extended beyond Texas, with notable acquisitions like the San Cristobal Ranch in New Mexico. Its reputation for quality breeding grew, registering its first AQHA horse in 1940. William A. Blakley's 1954 purchase introduced the Rocker b brand, which thrived under his leadership, culminating in its donation to the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children in 1964.

Through decades, the ranch evolved with advancements in breeding practices, reintroducing registered Herefords in 2016 and emphasizing performance-based horse bloodlines. From its origins as a frontier operation to a modern-day ranch, the Rocker b Ranch remains a symbol of agricultural excellence.

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Lloyd Whitehead has been ranching since the day he was born in Brady, Texas. Lloyd's grandfather, C.B. Whitehead, began breeding Hereford cattle in 1903. In 1958, Lloyd bought Rocking Chair Ranch, and in 1963, Lloyd began developing his herd of Hereford cattle. Lloyd and his wife, Carol, have two children and four grandchildren. Lloyd has committed many years of his life to service and the Here-

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ford breed. Loyd is a past president of the American Hereford Association and served as a director. He is a former president of the Texas Hereford Association and spent 15 years as a director.

SCHARBAUER CATTLE COMPANY

Founded in 1883, Scharbauer Cattle Company is a fifth generation operation that began in Marienfeld (now Stanton), Texas. It grew to have ranches in other areas of West Texas, the Texas Panhandle and southeastern New Mexico. For over 140 years now only the best registered Hereford bulls have been used to generate the base of the cow herd. The cattle are all now raised on the North Curtis Ranch, just north of Midland, the Alamositos Ranch west of Amarillo and Scharbauer Farms in the north Texas Panhandle.



SMITH HEREFORDS

Smith Herefords is a fourth generation family owned and operated ranch located in George West, Texas. Smith Herefords takes great pride in raising sound, profitable, hardy, registered and commercial Herefords in South Texas. The ranch is operated by third generation rancher, Charles Smith. His late wife of 55 years, Sammie, was an integral part of the operation. They worked side-by-side doing what they both were born to do and that was to ranch. They have three children and their son, Ward Smith, is the fourth generation that is carrying on his family's Hereford legacy. Smith Herefords have been raising quality cattle for 110 years and is one of the oldest Hereford operations in Texas.



SNEED-POOL CATTLE

Sneed-Pool Cattle has been composed of Hereford cattle for almost a century. Hereford cattle have been the distinct symbol of Sneed-Pool Cattle Co., Inc. JT Sneed Jr. began buying registered Hereford cattle in 1928. He believed that their exceptional adaptabil-

ity to the Panhandle climate, grazing conditions and good foraging abilities allowed them to gain weight evenly on limited grassland. Since JT died in 1940, the family has continued to use Herefords as the primary dominant breed. In about 1998 Sneed-Pool began trying some other breeds to cross with the Hereford cows but Herefords have remained the reliable foundation herd. We look forward to many years of raising this wonderful breed of cattle.



W4 RANCH

The original ranch, consisting of 1000 acres which borders Lake Whitney, was purchased by James Walker in 1961. Today, the ranch consists of over 12,000 acres and is actively operated by family owners, James, Joe, and Joey Walker, with the help of Ranch Manager, Jeff Chaffin. W4 Ranch is committed to the Hereford breed. With over 700 cows, the ranch offers registered and commercial breeders top quality animals. We host two sales each year – the third Saturday in April and the third Friday in October. In addition to producing their own cattle, W4 Ranch has purchased cattle from many other breeders including Weldon Edwards, Westmoreland Cattle, Lee Campbell, K74, Coopers, Holdens, Churchill and Marvin Berry. After purchasing the K74 herd in 2002 to enhance the genetics of the W4 herd, the ranch is focusing on producing future generations of quality Hereford cattle.

WHITE ROCK HEREFORD

White Rock Hereford Ranch, located 45 miles south of Fort Worth, Texas, is a proud producer of purebred Hereford and Hereford cross cattle. Family owned and operated for over 70 years, the ranch currently has over 80 horned and polled cows. White Rock Hereford Ranch, established in 1953 in Hill County, Texas, has a long-standing legacy of breeding high-quality Hereford cattle. The ranch's journey began when O.C. Rosson and Eldon C. Rosson purchased their first Herefords. Since then, the ranch has been dedicated to preserving and advancing the Hereford breed. Today, Eldon C. Rosson, Jr. (EC) and his family continue this rich tradition, focusing on producing top-tier cattle known for their performance, conformation, and genetic excellence. While his children and grandchildren are not on the ranch full-time,



they were actively involved at the junior level with their show cattle and are still involved at high level with the ranching operations. The ranch remains a respected name in the Hereford industry, committed to quality and sustainability. ★

THA to Honor Curtis Younts as 2026 National Show Namesake

The THA is proud to announce that Curtis Younts has been selected as the namesake for the 2026 National Hereford Show, which will be held February 2 in conjunction with the Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo. This honor recognizes Younts' decades-long commitment to the Hereford breed, his leadership within the association, and his unwavering support of Hereford youth. Notably, Younts joins a distinguished family legacy, as his father was selected as National Hereford Show namesake in 2007.



Younts has been a dedicated Hereford breeder and enthusiast for many years, earning respect across the industry. His involvement with the THA spans multiple leadership and service roles, including serving as THA president 2017-2018. During his tenure, Younts worked to strengthen member engagement and advance opportunities for breeders across the state, always keeping the long-term health of the association and the breed at the forefront.

A passionate advocate for youth development, Younts has been a strong supporter of the TJHA. He was instrumental in the relocation of the TJHA State Show to Belton, where he helped secure the resources, partnerships, and local support necessary to establish a solid foundation for the event. His efforts have played a key role in the continued success of the show and in ensuring a positive, educational experience for junior members and their families.

Curtis and his wife, Diane, reside in Belton, Texas, where they continue to carry forward their family's legacy in the Hereford breed and the western way of life. Their dedication to agriculture, youth, and community reflects the values that have long defined the Hereford industry. The THA is proud to recognize Curtis Younts for his lasting impact and is honored to celebrate his contributions as the 2026 National Hereford Show namesake. ★

THA to Honor Dale Ousley as 2026 National Polled Hereford Show Namesake

The Texas Hereford Association (THA) is proud to announce that Dale Ousley, Fort Worth, Texas has been selected as the namesake for the 2026 National Polled Hereford Show, which will be held February 2 in conjunction with the Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo (FWSSR).

This honor recognizes Ousley's long time commitment to the Hereford breed as he has served as the superintendent of the THA Commercial Hereford Sale for more than three decades. He has faithfully served the FWSSR in other capacities, too, as the superintendent of the llama and sheepdog contests.

Ousley was quoted in an article in the Dallas Morning Times about the FWSSR saying, "A lot of the exhibitors come a long way to take part in this show, so we take it seriously."

This year will mark his 38th year to oversee the THA Commercial Heifer Sale and Ousley says that he cherishes the friendships he has made over this time and is looking forward to the 2026 event.

The THA is proud to recognize Ousley's dedication to the members of THA, the Hereford breed and his lifelong service to the FWSSR. ★



The 2017 Commercial Hereford Show and Sale was dedicated to the memory of Jimmy and Cheryl Klein of Gray Wynn Klein Ranch, LP. Gray Wynn Klein Ranch, or GWK as the family calls it, was founded in 1873 by the Sanzenbacher family, one of the first families to settle in Clay County. The ranch has been in continuous operation in Clay County for 144 years, raising Hereford cattle for most of that time, and is named for the daughters who have kept the family ranching tradition alive: great-grandmother Ida Sanzenbacher Wynn, grandmother Maxine Wynn Gray, mother Cheryl Gray Klein, and daughters Jana Beth Klein Johnson, Jennifer Klein, and Mary Sue Klein.

Cheryl and her husband Jim were involved with the Texas Hereford Association over the years, and were annual contributors to the Heritage Pen at this sale. After Cheryl's passing in 2013, Jim and the girls continued to support the Texas Hereford Association, and Jim began donating an extra heifer for the sale to start a scholarship in memory of Cheryl. Jim passed away suddenly, but the girls and grandson, Jackson Johnson, continue on the tradition of raising quality Hereford cattle and supporting the Texas Hereford Association. ★

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THA FRIEND OF THE YEAR

Bruce Miller of North Richland Hills, Texas, has been honored as a Texas Hereford Association (THA) Friend of the Year.

A native of a strong agricultural community in Illinois, Miller has been a recognizable presence in the purebred cattle auction industry since 1977. His move to Texas came in 1980, when he joined the The Cattleman staff in Fort Worth as a field representative after gaining early experience working for respected sale manager Don Cagwin.

A graduate of the Missouri Auction School, Miller launched his own auction business in 1982. One of his earliest assignments was calling the Central Texas Hereford Association's annual sale, and through the years he has worked numerous Hereford events along with sales for many other breeds. He also serves on the auction block each year for

the Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo Junior Sale of Champions.

Miller's commitment to the Texas Hereford Association runs deep. He donates his services to call the annual auction at the THA General Meeting and has contributed countless items to both the silent and live auctions. Two years ago, his idea to craft and donate custom walking canes topped with Hereford trophies resulted in a combined \$6,000 plus for the association.

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BR GKB Nadia N146 ET, born on 4/21/25, she was sired by KLD RW Marksman D87 ET. She was consigned by Barber Ranch, Channing, TX and sold to Coby Schacher, Dumas, TX for \$75,000.

Top Fall Open: GKB 229G Belle 4603, born on 9/2/24, she was sired by Green JCS Makers Mark 229G ET. She was consigned by GKB Cattle, Desdemona, OK and sold to Double Seven Ranch, Ft. Cobb, OK and Burns Farms, Pikeville, TN for \$52,500.

Top Fall Pairs: BR Jasmine 9052, born on 2/24/19, she was sired by KCF Bennett B716 D594. The male calf was sired by HB District. They were consigned by GKB Cattle, Desdemona, OK and sold to Coyer Herefords & Angus, Bruneau, ID for \$21,000.

BR Goldriel 1101, born on 2/20/21, she was sired by BR Special Order E044 ET. The female calf was sired by SFCC TRM Noble 2208. They were consigned by GKB Cattle, Desdemona, OK and sold to Stacie Woelfel, Campbellton, TX for \$20,000. ★

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His support goes far beyond the auction ring. When the THA office needed to be re-organized and packed for a move, Miller was there—sorting, lifting, and helping wherever needed.

“He has been a true friend of the THA by donating his time, his ideas, and helping turn fundraising concepts into reality,” said Diane Johnson, THA manager. “The THA has benefitted financially, but just as importantly, Bruce is always eager to promote the Hereford breed and the value of THA membership across the industry.” ★

THA HONORARY MEMBER

The THA will honor John Bill Oman with honorary membership during its general membership meeting in January in Fort Worth, Texas

Oman was raised in Ericksdahl, Texas, and has spent most of his life in that area north of Abilene, where his family’s operation, Oman Cattle Company, was located near Avoca. A former Texas State FFA officer, he earned his DVM degree from Texas A&M University.



Throughout his adult life, Oman has practiced veterinary medicine while operating a diversified cattle and cotton/wheat operation. For many years he fed cattle out and worked as an order buyer. Herefords were the foundation of the cattle program and he purchased his first Herefords in 1973 from Lee Campbell. He and his wife, Belinda, a former Texas Junior Hereford Association (TJHA) Queen raised five daughters who successfully showed Herefords across Texas and were active members of the TJHA and the American Junior Hereford Association (AJHA). A home raised Hereford steer took daughter, Johnna to the San Antonio Reserve Hereford Steer honor in 1993.

Oman served as THA President in 1995–96, and he and Belinda served several years as advisors the TJHA. In 1992, they were honored as AJHA Advisors of the Year.

He was quoted in an article in the 1989 June/July issue of Texas Hereford, “Our business is the cattle business and we have used it to raise a family. It has taught us about competition and family effort. Showing cattle can get in your blood, as you either really like it or hate it.” His family really loved it and made their mark in the show ring.

Through his leadership, commitment, and decades of involvement, John Bill Oman and his family made lasting contributions to the THA and the state’s Hereford community.

“The THA is proud to honor our friend, John Bill and to recognize the impact of his family to our state association,” said E.C. Rosson, THA president. ★

2026 HERITAGE PEN SALE DONOR & THA HONORARY MEMBER INDIAN MOUND RANCH



The Lee Haygood family of Indian Mound Ranch (IMR), Canadian, Texas, will be honored as honorary members at the THA Annual Meeting on January 30.

Lee, his wife Jacqui, and their sons, Luke and Mark, continue a multi-generational legacy established by Lee’s great-grandfather, grandfather, and parents, Wayne and Gayle Haygood. The family’s Texas Panhandle roots trace back to the 1880s on Lee’s mother’s side of the family. Wayne managed the well-known Indian Mound Farm in New Harmony, Indiana, during the 1960s and 1970s. In 1981, Wayne and Gayle relocated to the Texas Panhandle and established Indian Mound Ranch, bringing with them all Hereford females under two years of age. Lee joined the operation approximately a decade later.

Following Wayne’s death in 2002, the herd was dispersed. Lee and Jacqui purchased 13 head from the dispersal, laying the foundation to rebuild the IMR Hereford program. Today, Indian Mound Ranch remains rooted in the values of traditional ranching while embracing modern technology to stay progressive and relevant.

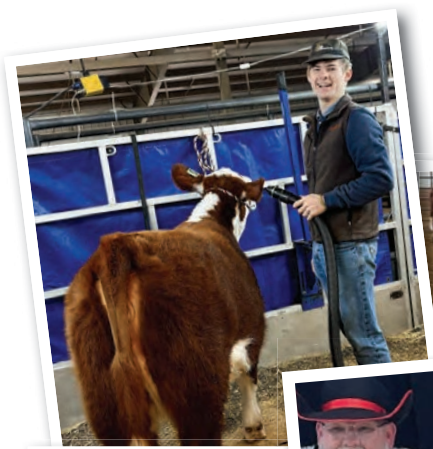
Prior to returning full-time to the ranch, Lee held a position with the American Hereford Association and later served on the AHA Board of Directors, representing Texas Hereford members.

The Haygood family has been a longtime supporter of the THA. Wayne served as THA president in 1988, and Lee held the position in 1999. Over the decades, Indian Mound Ranch has generously contributed its time, resources, and talents in service to the THA membership.

“It is an honor for the THA to award the Haygood family honorary membership and recognize them for their lasting contributions to our state organization,” said E.C. Rosson, THA president. ★

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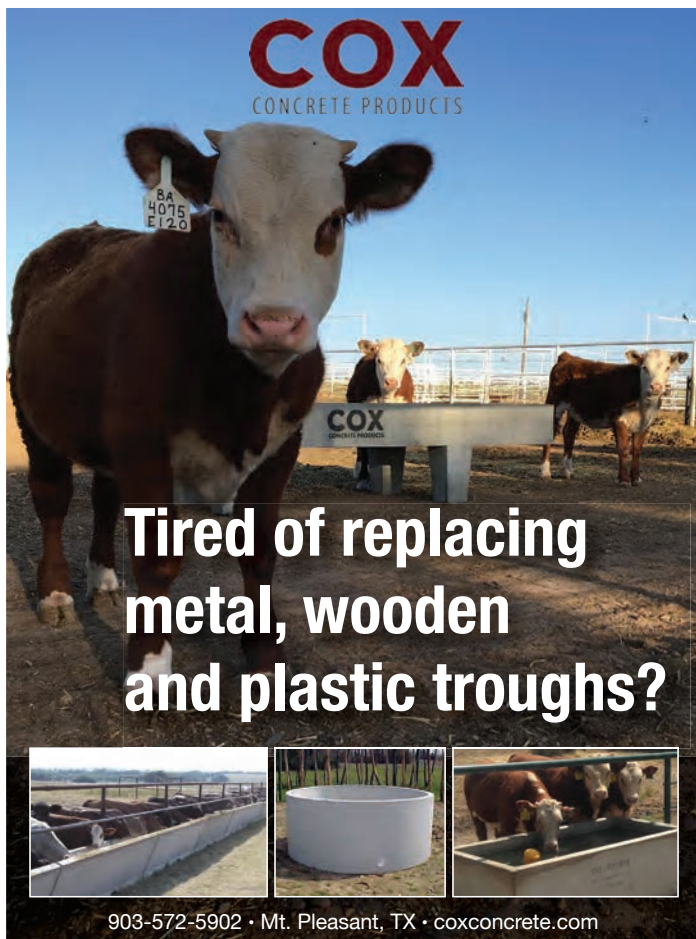
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