

# US BELTIE NEWS



## THE BELTED GALLOWAY PREMIUM SALE

by Ashton Caron, Sale Committee Co-Chair

In case you haven't heard....the Premium Belted Galloway Sale is back!

We are excited to say that the Premium Sale is returning and will take place at the North American International Livestock Expo (NAILE).

Due to COVID, canceled events and unprecedented series of events, BGS has not hosted the Premium Sale since 2019.

This year's sale will be held in New Market Hall on Saturday, November 11th, in the evening. (exact time is still TBD based on when the Belted Galloway Junior Show is expected to end.) We will be having a live auction with an online bidding platform available for those who cannot attend in person.

The Premium Belted Galloway Sale is a unique opportunity to bring breeders and bloodlines from across the country to

showcase and sell their animals. This is also an excellent opportunity to purchase a diverse line up of genetics to bring back to your own herds.

Nomination forms and other necessary consignment paperwork will be made available soon, so keep an eye out for them on the Belted Galloway Society's Facebook page and website (beltie.org).

The committee has arranged transportation to be available to get your purchase to you if needed.

Feel free to reach out to either of us with any questions or concerns and we look forward to seeing you all and your cattle for this spectacular event!

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THE BELTED GALLOWAY PREMIUM SALE  
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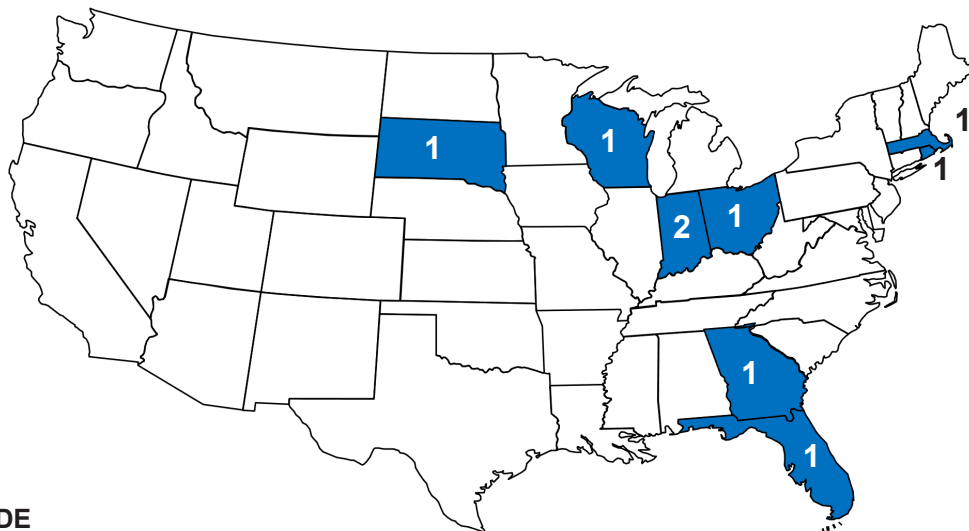
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*Welcome to the Belted Galloway Society!*

## CALENDAR

### Wisconsin Farm Tech Days

July 18-20, 2023  
Baraboo, WI

### Union Fair

July 26-30, 2023  
Union, ME

### Skowhegan State Fair

August 10-20, 2023  
Skowhegan, ME

### World Beef Expo

September 28-October 1, 2023  
West Allis, WI

### Fryeburg Fair

October 1-8, 2023  
Fryeburg, ME

### American Royal

October 5-8, 2023  
Kansas City, MO

### The Premium Belted Galloway Sale

November 11, 2023  
Louisville, KY

# APPLY FOR THE BGS JUNIOR COUNCIL

by Kiersten Hendershot (OH), Junior Council Member

**Attention all Juniors!** Junior Council applications are out now!

I personally encourage everyone to look through the application and consider applying. The purpose of the Junior Council is to create a space for Belted Galloway Juniors to promote the breed, develop leadership skills, represent the breed at events and improve the experience for incoming Junior members. Throughout my time on the Junior Council, I have enjoyed interacting with other breeders and juniors. I have been pushed beyond my boundaries while also gaining valuable leadership experience.

We also have had the opportunity as a group to create our own set of bylaws so be sure to check those out!

We usually meet once a month via zoom to discuss various upcoming events and what we can do as a council to make it the best it can be.

Additionally, we have an in person meeting at the North American International Livestock Exposition. During the North American International Livestock Exposition, we will have various activities such as breakfast, games to get to learn more about other juniors, and much more.

The opportunities while being part of the Junior Council are endless. Between getting to meet other juniors across the country, building rapport with new people, and the opportunity to plan the first ever Belted Galloway Junior Nationals in 2024. Stay tuned to hear more about when and where Junior Nationals will take place.

## A.H. CHATFIELD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

by Jayde Reilly (WI), US Beltie News Editor

### About the A.H. Chatfield Jr Memorial Scholarship

This fund was established shortly after the Aldermere Farm founder's death in 1999. The purpose was to establish an annual scholarship in his memory available to a member of the Belted Galloway Junior Association or to any other deserving student interested in pursuing a career related to beef production.

### 2023 Scholarship Recipients

The 2023 Annual A.H. Chatfield Jr Memorial Scholarship recipients have been selected!

Ashton Caron (ME)  
Aidan Harbage (OH)  
Hailey Craig (GA)

These three individuals show dedication to the improvement of the beef industry as well as a strong interest in building the Belted Galloway breed for generations to come. More information about these scholarship winners will be featured in the upcoming Annual Belted Galloway Society Journal.

*Congratulations,  
Scholarship Recipients!*

## BGS COUNCIL MEETING SUMMARY

The Council met for a special meeting on July 11th via Zoom to discuss the new findings pertaining to CLRC alternative options.

The committee had new information to present to the Council based on the previous questions for clarification. The Council voted to proceed forward with Digital Beef registration platform through a 3rd party breed association servicer. Details are still being determined as in when the official transition will take place and the new processes and procedures for membership when registering their animals.

The Council acknowledges this will be an adjustment for membership but is optimistic about its success in propelling the association forward by advanced technology, reducing labor from contractors and ease of use.

The Council will be releasing training programs and how-tos for membership to help with the transition.

The Council also addressed some registration concerns from a member while on the call.



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out our website*



# GLBGA FIELD DAY

by Terry Willis (IL), GLBGA President

On May 19th and 20th, the Great Lakes Belted Galloway Association held its Annual Field Day in Belvidere, IL at Sunnybrook Farms. Hosted by Terry and Julie Willis (IL), the event proved not only to be educational but a fun Beltie reunion as well!

The event started at the Paulson's Agriculture Museum where attendees were offered an interactive and informative tour of the Museum and its artifacts. Everything from a hand cranked corn shucker, to horse drawn antique farm equipment, to a miniature scene of the town are on display.

John Hamm (WI), of Wisconsin River Meats, talked about marketing your Beltie Beef. Providing his expertise on feeding, growing, selling, and what the current market is looking like for beef producers in our area. John shared his experience with the various auction facilities and how to achieve the best market prices. Open discussion offered even more feeding and selling information for Beltie producers at every stage.

Terry Etheridge (WI), of TEK Cattle, offered his experience and knowledge on a cost-effective way to pregnancy check your females using a simple but accurate blood draw. Demonstrating how to find the correct vein in the tail and offering hands-on experience for those attending. Many that attended shared their experience and techniques for pregnancy checking – including ultrasound.

Julie Willis (IL), of Sunnybrook Farms, demonstrated and provided a great opportunity for discussion on clipping your cattle. Techniques and their clipping schedule were discussed as well as the reasonings behind why they clip their herd to include increasing rate of gain by keeping their animals cool and comfortable, especially in the Illinois summer heat.

Attendees toured Willis's facility and see how they set up their main herd pen, calf pen, bull pen, and heifer pen. Offering new ideas for those attending on ways to creep feed calves for optimum growth and sharing their successes with their setup.

GLBGA held a silent auction, raising money to help support the association and provide more opportunities for our fellow Beltie breeders. John Hamm and Wisconsin River Meats catered for the event with their delicious steaks and sides – no one walked out hungry that is for certain!

Several alumni BYG youth members were challenged to a showmanship contest: Chris and Steve Willis (IL), and Adam McConnell participated. Some of the showmanship skills were a little rusty but the trash talking made for great fun and entertainment for the people watching. Current youth member, Hailey Hillhouse, volunteered to be the fourth participant. Our official judge, Dozier Hendershot, declared Chris Willis the winner.

The evening concluded with the Band, Super Brick, providing entertainment. They did a great job and everyone enjoyed their music. The band was sponsored by John Hamm.



# GLBGA REGIONAL ROUND UP

The 3rd Annual Regional Round Up was held June 8-11 in Ottawa, IL. The GLGBA Youth Group sponsored the event. All expenses for the shows, clinics, food, and awards were provide at no charge to the juniors who attended. There were 13 juniors and 34 adults in attendance. The numbers were lower this year but it provided the opportunity for a lot more one on one time with the juniors.

The event kicked off on Thursday evening with a pizza party and the Juniors received a bucket containing the Before the Banner book by Jon Gevelinger, a GLBGA backpack and a t-shirt.

On Friday, we conducted a showmanship clinic by Brooke Schiftenbauer of Tonica, IL followed by hands on showmanship training for all the Juniors. After a build your taco lunch the showmanship contest was held.

## Showmanship

### **Champion Pee-Wee Showman**

Tanner Dwyer

### **Reserve Pee-Wee Showman**

Ryan Vogel

### **Champion Junior Showman**

Cora Barnard

### **Reserve Junior Showman**

Henry Dwyer

### **Champion Intermediate Showman**

Hailey Hillhouse

### **Reserve Intermediate Showman**

Carson Barnard

### **Champion Senior Showman**

Ally Utegg

### **Reserve Senior Showman**

Kiersten Hendershot

Julie Willis presented a clinic on dying the hair on your Beltie and general hair care. Following the clinic, a general discussion was held on various topics with questions from the people in attendance that were discussed and answered.

Pete Miller gave a hoof trimming demonstration and discussed hoof care. He then trimmed feet for any of the Junior's cattle that wanted it done. Steve Florschuetz from Hueber Feeds LLC talked about nutrition in the beef herd.

The evening concluded with a John Hamm delicious steak dinner and music by Super Brick. Sunday was the Doug Abney Memorial Open Show.

*Congratulations,  
Exhibitors!*

## Junior Show



**Grand Champion Heifer**  
Sunnybrook Lilly 47843-B  
Cora Barnard (IN)



**Grand Champion Steer**  
Sunnybrook Maestro 47882-B STEER  
Hailey Hillhouse (IL)



**Grand Champion Appendix Heifer**  
Rock Creek Dottie  
A48239-B1/2BGXX,M1  
Hailey Hillhouse (IL)



**Grand Champion Appendix Steer**  
Rahe Family Beltie's Korn Dog  
48514-B STEER  
Kiersten Hendershot (OH)



**Grand Champion Appendix  
Cow/Calf Pair**  
HMD Chocolate Chip  
A46732-B1/2BGXX  
Tommy McGuire (IL)

# FOR SALE

**CA** - Ravenwood Farm is pleased to offer for sale the following registered female Belted Galloways: Ravenwood's Alexa reg. # 47645-B, DOB: 4/16/21, served by our bull Ravenwood's Norman reg. # 36908-B and confirmed by Vet to be bred and due appx. mid August 2023.

Ravenwood's Aurora reg. # 47647-B, DOB: 5/7/21, served by our bull Ravenwood's Norman reg. # 36908-B and confirmed by Vet to be bred and due appx. mid August 2023.

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**IA**- Open Heifer Sutliff's Kendra 48866-B. DOB 10-02-2022 Sire Sunnybrook Griffen 40045-B; Dam Double M Grace 44525-B Greg & Pat Hipple, Sutliff Belties Solon, IA. Call 319-430-6664 or email at [sbelties@gmail.com](mailto:sbelties@gmail.com)

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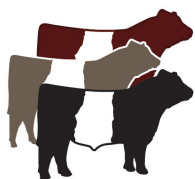
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