

US Beltie News



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Announcing The Belted Galloway Society Premium Sale

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Calendar reminders:

GLBGA Midwest Classic

July 11, 2009 at Pecatonica, IL. Junior and open blow and go type show. Contact Julie Willis (815) 547-6912 or sbfarms@hotmail.com.

2009 Farm Tech Days

July 21-23, 2009 at Crave Brothers Farm, Waterloo, WI. Exhibition/display of Belted Galloway Cattle. Contact Joyce Eggleston (608) 527-4811 or docvic@tds.net.

Union Fair/Maine Wild Blueberry Festival

August 23-29 2009. Show on Thursday, August 27 Union, ME. Contact Loraine Prock (207) 832-4715 or prockfrm@midcoast.com.

Windsor Fair

August 30-September 7, 2009, Windsor, ME. Contact Curtis Prime (207) 621-4167.

Sandwich Fair

September 9-13, 2009, Sandwich, IL. Contact Julie Willis (815) 547-6912 or sbfarms@hotmail.com.

Annual General Meeting

September 11-13 Flagstaff, AZ. Meeting hosts Silver Antler Ranch. Contact Laura Glassmann (717) 677-9655 or beltiecows@aol.com.

The Big E (Eastern States Exposition)

September 18-October 4, 2009, Springfield, MA. Contact Entry office (413) 205-5011 or aginfo@thebige.com.

World Beef Expo

September 25-27, 2009 Milwaukee, WI. Entries www.worldbeefexpo.com. Entry office (414) 266-7052.

President Mark Keller

Happy summer to all my Beltie friends! After much discussion among Council, I am pleased to announce The Belted Galloway Society Premium Sale to be held in Louisville, KY. Cattle must be shown at the National Belted Galloway show in Louisville and nominations must be made by September 1. Please contact me (815) 248-4687 or mark@a-americancompanies.com to request nomination information and forms.

All the activities are in full swing here in the Midwest and it's very exciting. The boys and I had a fantastic time at the GLBGA Field day in Wisconsin.

Our next trip will be to Camp Hope in Joliet, IL. Chuck McCullough (IA) will be training us on fitting, clipping, feeding of our cattle. This is sure to be a great time for all, I get such a great feeling when I can see the young people in this breed take advantage of the resources that are available. If you haven't had the opportunity to attend one of these camps you are missing out. This camp will end with an open show and showmanship classes.

The Council, as always, is working on many issues. If you see me at any event and have comments that you feel will better our breed, feel free to bring them to my attention. I realize that these are very difficult economic times for the cattle industry, but I thank God every day for this breed of cattle. And more importantly ... the friends that I have been blessed with along the way.



Brood Cows at Caldwell Farms, Milladore, WI.

Amnesty Ruling

June 1 –December 31, 2009

Any female, over the age of 24 months, may be registered/recorded for the fee of \$50.

Chatfield Scholarships awarded

The A.H. Chatfield, Jr. Memorial Scholarship was established by members of the Belted Galloway Society in memory of A.H. Chatfield, Jr. of Rockport, ME. Mr. Chatfield's Aldermere Farm provided much of this country's foundational breeding stock. He spent 50 years raising Belted Galloways, preserving and promoting the breed.

The selection process includes judging each applicant's written essay, leadership participation, community service and scholastic standing. Belted Galloway Foundation is pleased to announce the scholarship recipients: Brandy Cleveland (NC), Brianna Flanagan (MA), and Megan Stephens (NY).

Brandy Cleveland (NC) said that Belted Galloway cattle sparked her interest in seventh grade and she showed them for 3 years. A recent high school graduate and honor roll student, Brandy plans to attend Kansas State University and major in animal science. Throughout high school she has earned many awards through FFA and 4-H; and in 2008 was a member of the North Carolina State Champion FFA Meat Evaluation Team and the North Carolina State Champion FFA Poultry Judging Team. She was high scoring individual on both teams. Brandy held many offices in FFA and 4-H, during her senior year of high school she was the president of her FFA Chapter. Brandy describes herself as determined, hard-working, passionate, and a leader who will go the long mile.

Brianna Flanagan (MA) has been helping manage the UMass Belted Galloway Group for the past four years. Brianna said the UMass Belted Galloway group shaped her college career serving as president, vice-president, reproduction and records manager, and teaching assistant for the group. Brianna has stated that Belted Galloway cattle have not only become her passion, but have given her purpose in life. She has worked privately as an intern at Belted Galloway farms; was the farm director and business director for Camp Howe (a 4-H camp) in Goshen, MA. Brianna (a member of the dean's list) graduated in May 2009 from UMass Amherst with a bachelor's degree in animal science and will continue to pursue a doctorate in veterinary medicine. Brianna's goal after she obtains her DVM, is to actually own Belted Galloway cattle and have a farm in New England and teach people, especially children, about the importance of agriculture.

Meaghan Stephens (NY) involvement in Belted Galloway cattle began when she was 9 years old. She has met many breeders across the country and she feels she has made many connections that will be useful throughout her life. Meaghan will attend Connors State College in Oklahoma and pursue an animal science degree. Meaghan founded the Junior Livestock Sale at her local fair and chaired it for 3 years. Meaghan was also a delegate representing the state of New York at the National 4-H Conference. She was selected as the Community Member of the Year through 4-H because of her leadership, dedication and overall love for 4-H. Meaghan was active in the Beltie Youth Group from 1999-2005 showing her first heifer "Martha" that she was awarded through The Belted Galloway Foundation. Meaghan feels she has the agricultural background to become a youth program director for a breed association and her experiences in 4-H, FFA and BYG helped shape her career choices.

Area 1 Leader



Lori Prock Guptil (ME) is the new BYG leader in the Area 1 region. Lori has had plenty of hands-of-experience as she has been raising and showing Belted Galloway cattle at Prock Ridge Farm for 32 years. At 13, Lori entered a judging contest at her local 4-H fair.

The prize was a Belted Galloway heifer. Lori won the contest two years in a row and Belted Galloway cattle have been a multigenerational endeavor. Lori's parents, Merle and Loraine, her siblings, her nieces and nephews, and Lori's own children; Joe (21) and Lauren (13), actively raise and show Belted Galloway cattle.

Lori told us Belted Galloway cattle are a unique breed that thrives well in the Northeast. Lori told us she likes Belties for their moderate size, mothering ability and their carcass traits. Lori is a full-time medical assistant and a 4-H leader. She works on her days off and in the evenings on the farm with her cattle. Welcome Lori to Area 1!

2009 Royal Melbourne Show

The 2009 Royal Melbourne — Australia has been a signature event in Melbourne since 1848, when it started as a plowing competition in Moonee Ponds. Organized by the Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria (RASV), The Show is Victoria's largest and longest running annual public entertainment event. It is iconic in its own right, attracting around half a million visitors each year.

While there's no doubt it has grown with the times, expanding to eleven days and nights jam-packed with non-stop entertainment and activities, it still retains its connection with the land, featuring some of the largest and most prestigious exhibitions of animals and rural life in the southern hemisphere.

The Galloway Family has been selected as the Feature Breed of the 2009 Royal Melbourne Show which will be held from September 21- 27 2009. Show day will be September 24. This is an honor reserved for breeds of beef cattle recognized throughout the beef cattle industry. Feature Breed status provides Australia-wide exposure for both the breed and its sponsors. Current indications are that there will be in excess of 100 Galloways featured, with Keith Jones, Driftwood Plantation, Awendaw, South Carolina judging. Planning to attend the down under event? Contact Ashleigh Michael <ashleigh_michael@yahoo.com.au>.

Tattoo reminder...

The Year Code on tattoos for animals born in year 2009 is

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Council nominations

Vic Eggleston, Immediate Past President

On behalf of the Nominating Committee, we are introducing a talented list of candidates who are willing to serve the BGS membership. These individuals possess a desire to guarantee that our organization operates efficiently. Council members work on a volunteer basis and we are very thankful for their readiness to volunteer.

Regular and Lifetime members are eligible to vote either by mail prior to the deadline set forth on the ballot or in person at the Annual General Meeting. Each membership number is allowed one (1) vote. A ballot is provided below.

Leanne Fogle (IL) grew up on a dairy farm in central Illinois. She and her husband, David, have maintained a beef herd for 25 years. They moved to the Congerville farm in 1986 and began building fence over the portions of the land that had zero profitability. In 1997, Belted Galloway cattle were purchased and they found the cattle were not only excellent grazers, but went to work cleaning out the underbrush and flora of the farm's timber. The farm sells breeding stock/semen, and supplies feeders to a Beltie beef feedlot. She is a member of the Great Lakes Belted Galloway Association, has participated in regional and national shows/sales, and has done breed promotion at the Illinois Beef Expo. Leanne is a radiographer at Illinois State University. She is the former editor and recording secretary for the Great Lakes Belted Galloway Association. Since 2001, she has held the position of editor of the *U.S. Beltie News*. Leanne is currently serving on the Annual meeting, Newsletter, Advertising, and Show committees.

Jerry Moore (KY) and his wife, Jennifer, live in south central Kentucky in the small town of Smith's Grove. The Moores purchased their first Belted Galloway in 1992 and began showing in 1999. Their cattle have appeared in shows across the country. Jerry was the past herd superintendent at the Georgia National Fair. The family strives for breed preservation, maintaining high quality animals. On their farm, they also raise alfalfa, grass hay, tobacco, and sweet corn. Jerry is a high school social studies teacher and coach. He enjoys his teaching career and raising Belted Galloway cattle.

Loren Olson, MD (IA) has been involved with Belties since 1995. Loren is a strong proponent of grassfed Beltie beef. Loren served as President of the Great Plains Belted Galloway Association and also served as the editor of that regional group's newsletter. He was the driving force behind the first Belted Galloway Bull Performance Test held at Guthrie Center, IA in 2000, and conducted his second

forage-based bull test utilizing forage based feeding programs. Loren has previously served on Council for a number of terms serving as Chairman of the Newsletter and Marketing Committees. He currently is the Long Range Planning and Newsletter Chairman. He conducted extensive studies on The Belted Galloway Foundation's Rose Herd project, focusing on the identification of bloodlines most suitable for the production of quality, grass-fed beef. His cattle were featured on RFD TV *Living the Country Life*. He currently serves on The Belted Galloway Foundation.

Kris von Dohrmann (NH) grew up in a very small town in northern New Hampshire. Kris raised horses until 1995 when she got involved with Belted Galloway cattle at East View farm in Vermont. With an active 4-H club and up to 100 head of Belties, the farm showed, and sold animals across the country. In 2002, the herd was sold and Kris relocated back to her own farm in New Hampshire. In 2003, Kris' Otokahe Farm became a reality. Kris and husband, Bert, have a herd which has grown to 20 head, selling breeding stock, freezer beef and mentoring new Beltie enthusiasts. The latest project is the development and marketing of "Belted Beef Jerky" which will be on the market regionally in the summer of 2009. Kris' secondary education is in forest management and business. She is employed by the state of New Hampshire Forest Protection as a forest fire lookout tower watchman and as secretary to North Region Headquarters. Kris is a retired 4-H leader, certified by the National Serve Safe Food Safety Network for safe food handling, and member of New England Galloway Group, supporting their heifer project and sales. Kris currently serves as a member of the Chatfield Scholarship Committee.

Ballot

VOTE FOR FOUR (3) candidates for 2-year terms on the Belted Galloway Society's Council and (1) candidate for 1-year term. Additional names may be written in if you wish. The Ballot (or a clear photocopy) must be mailed to the office postmarked September 1 or earlier in an envelope marked "Ballot," may be faxed by September 1, or submitted at the Annual General Meeting at Flagstaff, AZ.

- Leanne Fogle (IL)**
- Jerry Moore (KY)**
- Loren Olson (IA)**
- Kris von Dohrmann (NH)**

Ballot submitted by Member # _____

Member Signature _____



GLBGA Annual Field Day

Great Lakes Belted Galloway Association held their May 30-31 annual meeting and Beltie tour in the big cheese state of Wisconsin and attendees had a grand time. The event was featured on the front page of *The Country Today*, a mainstream Wisconsin weekly ag publication.

After the GLBGA annual meeting, a bus tour began at Wisconsin River Farm owned by John and Diane Hamm and family of rural Mauston. Guests enjoyed being photographed by the very large Belted Galloway bull at the entrance of the farm. The farm established in 1936 by Louis Hamm (John's grandfather) began raising Belted Galloway cattle in 1995 when son, Kyle, purchased a Belted Galloway steer for his 4-H project. They were impressed by the steer's carcass and purchased more animals to establishing their herd. Guests enjoyed wagon rides around Wisconsin River Farm viewing cattle and the farm gardens. Tours of the family business, Wisconsin River Meats were given, learning about the carcass evaluation of 4 Belted Galloway grassfed and grainfed hanging carcasses. Wisconsin River Meats processed a side of Belted Galloway beef and further explained the cuts, marbling, grading, hanging time, and wrapping for optimum storage. The Wisconsin River Meats store was open and guests enjoyed product samples. The store offers a variety of fresh meat, sausages (their specialty Landjaeger sausage), grilling products, Wisconsin cheeses and butter, fresh baked pies, and of course, a meat case exclusively for Belted Galloway beef. The business serves retail, custom processing and wholesale customers throughout Wisconsin and products are sold online at their virtual store. After a catered lunch by Wisconsin River Meats, the bus was off to Milladore.



GLBGA. The group paused for a photo in front of Wisconsin's largest Beltie. John Hamm and David Mauer of Wisconsin River Meats evaluate Belted Galloway carcasses and teach grading, marbling and types of cuts.



Milladore, WI is the home of Michael and Lorna Caldwell of Caldwell Farms. In 2003, the farm became certified organic and now is home to approximately 200 Belted Galloway cattle. Caldwell Farms cattle are strictly grassfed and rotationally grazed. A large portion of the herd was purchased from John Jeffords of Wyoming, providing an imported genetic base of cattle very similar to those still found in Scotland. Caldwell Farms direct market certified organic grass-fed Belted Galloway beef to health food groceries, restaurants, personal chefs, and maintain their own online butcher shop. Caldwell Farms spent two years developing their brand of summer sausage with the expertise of Pete's Meat Service, LLC in Rudolph. It was a magnificent view from the bus with over 200+ black or dun animals grazing in the lush Wisconsin pastures. The Caldwell herd will begin calving soon, with 70 expected to be born in July. Michael Caldwell gave an overview of the farm including the certified organic process and standards they must follow to maintain. The Caldwell's keep extensive records regarding their herd, which includes DNA, tenderness and production data. All of the bulls used at Caldwell Farms are



Beltie Steaks ready for the grill. Wisconsin River Farm brood cows.





designated a 6 to 10 on a tenderness scale of 10. Caldwell presented in brief, the nutritional analysis conducted by the Belted Galloway Foundation regarding Belted Galloway beef. Guests munched on samples of Caldwell Farms Beltie Beef summer sausage, Wisconsin cheese, and Kolache (a Bohemian pastry). Tours of the farms' cattle handling facility and pastures were given. Guests boarded the bus and they returned to Mauston for a steak fry hosted by Wisconsin River Farm, silent auction, and socializing.

Sunday morning the group traveled to rural Tomah, WI; the home of Whirling Thunder Ranch owned by the Ho Chunk Indian Nation. The GLBGA was greeted by Director of Public Relations Anne Thundercloud, President Wilbert Cleveland and Administrative Assistant Lois Behrens all of the Ho Chunk Nation. President Cleveland explained that the Ho Chunk Nation owns various lands and businesses throughout the United States. The Ho Chunk nation has 6000 members who do not reside on reservations. The Ho Chunk Nation has its own government and laws, including a judicial court. Guests enjoyed a beginning drum ceremony honoring the American flag. Ranch manager Bill Holpenkah, formerly from New Mexico, explained he has spent the past 7 years establishing the beef herd and business for the Ho Chunk Nation. Whirling Thunder Ranch is comprised of 386 acres of rolling vistas and fields including 67 Belted Galloways. Their original stock was purchased from Caldwell Farms. They are certified organic and totally grassfed with 202 acres in hay production. The ranch reached the certified organic designation in January 2008. Whirling Thunder is expecting 28 calves throughout the summer and fall. Guests toured the ranch, viewing replacement heifers, the bull pen and brood cows. The tour ended with a song and drum ceremony giving thanks and lunch was served.



Education. Michael & Lorna Caldwell explain DNA retrieval and nutritional analysis of Belted Galloway beef. Also, the steer pasture at Caldwell Farms .



Ho Chunk Nation. Wilbert Cleveland, President of the Ho Chunk Nation, welcomed guests to Whirling Thunder Ranch. A large group of replacement heifers watched the festivities.



New members

Junior Madison Blakesley, BIG ROCK FARM, 60700 Myrtle Road, South Bend, IN 46614 (574) 299-1945.

Junior Emily Rose Lopata, LOPATA FARM, 212 Bridgewood Lane, Rockton, IL 61072 (815) 624-8159.

Junior Madison Lopata, LOPATA FARM, 936 York Imperial Drive, Oconomowoc, WI 53066 (262) 567-4979.

Cheryl Pickolick, GUTTRIDGE RANCH, 2893 Grande Camino, Walnut Creek, CA 94598 (925) 817-0384.

Juniors Adam & Luke Schochenmaier, OAHE WINDS FARM, 610 Holly Road, Pierre, SD 57501 (605) 224-0675.

Greg Starr, FOUR STARR BELTIES, 26441 West 109th Terrace, Olathe, KS 66061 (913) 634-3494.

Marty & Juanita Tripp, Sr., MAGNOLIA TRACE FARMS, 3037 Melvin Mason Rd. S.E., Brookhaven, MS 39601 (281) 216-0378.

Associates Holly & Bob Tuck, TUCK FARM, 72 Falls Road, Neebing, ON P7L 0C9 CANADA (807) 475-6921.

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For Sale

MAINE. For sale beltie cows with calves. E&H Millie (an Aldermere Ajax daughter) 17604B with heifer calf at side sired by E&H Newman; E&H Chilly (a Shiralee Moonshine daughter) 21872B with bull calf at side sired by Driftwood Kingsize; E&H Casey (a wide belted Aldermere Ajax daughter) 24496B who has been bred to E&H Newman and is due in July; and, finally Driftwood Reisling (a Mochrum Kingfisher daughter) 24810B who has been bred to E&H Newman and is due in September. Call Randy Hall at Pine View Farm, E. Dixfield, Maine. 207-645-4976 or edfdchief@hotmail.com. 7/30


CONNECTICUT. Registered Belted Galloways for sale: Open yearlings heifers, two year old open heifers and cow-calf pairs. One yearling bull available. Call Tiggie Gerli at Marben Farm in Sharon, CT. 860-364-2161. 7/30

MICHIGAN. Herd reduction sale. For sale six registered belted galloway cows, Big Rock Periwinkle 7993B, d.o.b. 6/13/00, yearling heifer calves eligible for registration. These animals are from the following bloodlines: Stonecroft, Anderson Hill and Ocoela. They are primarily grass-fed animals, well-marked and easy to handle. Vance Kincaid, Rolling Acres Farm, Gobles, Michigan. Please call 269-628-2903 or 269-370-3421. 7/30

VERMONT. Two registered black belted bulls sired by Rose Farm Edgar. Floodwoods Pericles 10667B, d.o.b. 5/7/06, dam Floodwoods Faith, and Floodwoods Pythagoras 10665B, d.o.b. 4/25/06, dam Floodwoods Elite. Both bulls have been raised entirely on grass, have great confirmation, good belts and have been vet tested. George Richards, Waitsfield, VT. 802-496-2113 or email grichards@madriver.com. 7/30

MISSOURI BELTIES. Four outstanding, growthy, halter-broke bulls sired by Driftwood Prime Time (AI) (ET) 10843B, a black belted bull sired by Ashleigh Signature 617-AUS and out of Highland Farm Louise. The bulls available are: Middlebrook Oak Rocky 11469B, d.o.b. 9/29/07; Middlebrook Oak Prince 11473, dob 10/12/07; Middlebrook Oak Biscuits 11471, d.o.b. 10/12/07 and Middlebrook Oak Spock 11475, d.o.b. 10/31/07. Pedigrees and pictures available. Larry & Deanna Loeffler, Middlebrook Oak Farm, Flemington, MO. (417)282-1699 or loeff@wildblue.net. 7/27

FLORIDA. Registered black Beltie heifer. Caney Branch Trudy 28602B, d.o.b. 1/1/2007. Sire: Driftwood Merlin 9095B. Dam:



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MISSOURI HEIFERS AND BULL CALVES: Bear Creek Mae West 30306B, 9/25/08, fast gaining, full bodied, well balanced heifer out of one of our larger cows, Klover Korners Nina. Bear Creek Marilyn Monroe 30308B, 10/8/08, out of CCF Lisa. We like the conformation and disposition of this line. Bear Creek Julie Andrews, 8/26/08, out of Ridgeview Juliana--who is our all time favorite cow. Bear Creek Marshall Dillon 11785B, 9/10/08, very deep and thick, an exceptionally fast gainer with correct conformation, out of Schmidt Acres Nettie. All perfectly marked, sired by our champion bull, Oak Valley Lone Ranger. Mary Sapp, 573 442-6230 or email sappml@umsystem.edu. 7/21

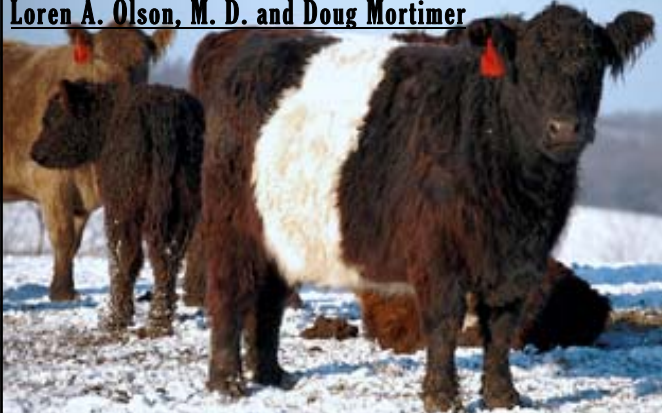
LOUISIANA. 11 month old registered red and white yearling heifer, Boggy Bayou's Red Bella 29888R D.O.B. 5/23/08. Sire: Froggy Hollow's Red Man 9775R. Dam: Boggy Bayou's April 26226B. Her pedigree includes Hide-A-Way Hill Red Trubador, Driftwood Mercury, and back to Aldermere. I would rather trade for another red and white heifer, and or cow, but will sell. Also 2 registered black and white yearling bulls. Boggy Bayou's Jet Bella 11705B. DOB 5/24/08, birthweight 58 pounds. Sire Cookie Creek Ryan 7791B. Dam: Froggy Hollows Bella Bell 23516B. Second bull calf: Boggy Bayou's Mag Jet 11707B 5/30/08. Birthweight 60 pounds. Sire: Cookie Creek Ryan 7991B Dam: Froggy Hollow's Magnolia 23516B. All have good belts and very easy going for more information and photos email Don & Pam Enlow, Boggy Bayou Belties and Paints, Jonesville, LA. Evenings before 9pm (318) 386-4158 or email fly4cc@aol.com. 6/30

OHIO. Registered bull: Laken Kye Eclipse 11797D, d.o.b. 8/28/07, sire Blossom Ridge Jhock, dam Stonehedge Lila. Bull is fertility and DNA tested. Pictures available. Gordon Litt at Laken Kye Farm, Lancaster, Oh. (740) 536-0338 or glitt@bricker.com. 6/29

MICHIGAN. Two registered heifer calves, 6 mos. Bloodlines include Eastview Elmo, Mochrum Kingfisher, Prock Ridge Wally and Dirigo Dallas. Also 10 year old cow with bloodlines which include Aldermere Berk. Jay Turpin at The Adela Rose Farm, Caledonia, MI. (616) 608-2935 or jav@theadelarose.com. 6/27

BLACK REGISTERED BULL, Stine's Oreo Acres Reese 11639B, d.o.b. 7/12/07; halter broke, shown at county fair, vet tested for quantity and motility. Dam Stines Oreo Acres Candy and sire Cornerview Bob. Also, registered bred cow 4 years old, dam Stines Oreo

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Acres Candy and sire Oceola Waldar Prince (AI). Pictures available. Donald Stine, Stines Oreo Acres, Findlay, OH. (419) 957-7262 or djstine@thewavz.com. 6/19

WISCONSIN. Three registered black Belted Galloway heifer yearlings. Raised grassfed from good bloodlines. Kevin Moore, Shady Lane Ranch, Plain, WI. (608) 546-6035 or kevin@dawnrd.com. 6/18

POTENTIAL HERD SIRE for sale or trade. Todd Hill Jacob 11683B, d.o.b. 9/12/08, sire Fearington Viper, dam Todd Hill Windsong. Also some black Beltie weaned heifers. Pics and additional info available. Can deliver within 300 miles. Randall and Barbara Blankenship, Todd Hill Farm, New Castle VA. (540) 864-7485. 6/9

LOOKING TO PURCHASE a few head of black Belties to start our fledgling herd. We are located in eastern Washington so would prefer to find some in the northwest. Darlene Neisess, Vision Quest Ranch, Fairfield, WA. (509) 245-3712 or visionquestranch@yahoo.com. 6/8

CENTRAL TEXAS. Two registered Belted Galloway black bulls 31 months old. J & N Ranch Gage 11049B, d.o.b. 7/26/07, sire Hide-A-Way Hill Joe Montana, dam Tidwells Kelly. J & N

Council has approved that an existing Society member, in good standing during the transfer of an animal to a non-member, may purchase a new Regular membership on their behalf. The discounted rate is half-price for their first year of membership with the Belted Galloway Society, Inc.

Ranch Dakota 11045B, d.o.b. 7/29/07, sire Hide-A-Way Hill Joe Montana, dam Tidwells Kilonie. Both bulls are stout and have great belts and have been vet tested. Email for pictures and prices. Nancy Vega, J & N Ranch, (512) 825-5674 or j_n_ranch@yahoo.com. 6/7

PROVEN BROOD COW. Wayside Valley Ruby 18426B, d.o.b. 2/21/01. Bred to Sunnybrook Camelot 10875B for September/October 2009 calving. Great opportunity to buy a bred, sound, functional brood cow. Leanne Fogle, Wayside Valley Farm, Congerville, IL. (309) 965-2759 or leannef@mtco.com. 6/7

WANTED -- black & white Beltie heifer calf, bottle baby or weanling. Doesn't have to be registered. Preferably located in KY or OH. Michelle McCall, Georgetown, KY. (859) 274-5897 or (606) 782-1985. 6/2

About advertising ... Classified ads are free to members and must reach the Society office before the last day of each month. All classified ads are automatically placed on the Hotline on the internet. Two-month limit on classified insertions. **Please include contact information as you wish it to appear — name, farm, location, phone, Fax and Email, if any.** Please Phone to (717) 677-9655 or beltie-cows@aol.com. We encourage members to submit ads the last two weeks of the month.

Advertising bulls ... It is required that registration numbers be included on bulls advertised for sale in the Hotline and newsletter.

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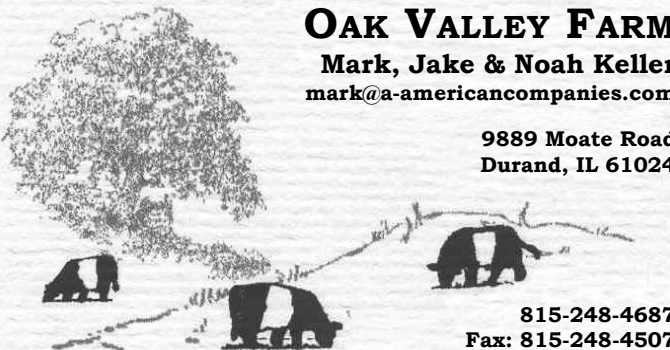
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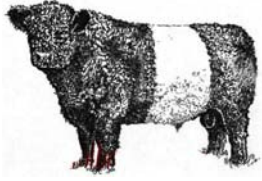
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