

IOWA FOUNDATION for AGRICULTURAL ADVANCEMENT

Facts about IFAA

IFAA is a non-profit organization comprised of agricultural enthusiasts dedicated to encouraging 4-H and FFA livestock, poultry and agricultural project members to pursue ag-related careers. IFAA manages the annual Iowa State Fair “Sale of Champions” and the impressive “Winner’s Circle” Scholarship and Awards program. IFAA was established in 1988 and since that time . . .

- More than **280** agricultural industry leaders have volunteered more than **254,000** hours participating on the IFAA Board of Directors and as Associates.
- Over **834** Scholarships have been awarded to Iowa young people totaling more than **\$1,037,875**.
- **263** “Sale of Champions” exhibitors have sold their livestock totaling **\$2,259,300**.
- **489** Performance and Carcass Awards have been handed out totaling **\$117,950**.
- More than **3,400** individuals and companies have sponsored Iowa’s 4-H and FFA youth through contributions to IFAA.
- That’s a total of **\$3,414,455** raised to support the future of Iowa’s 4-H and FFA youth.

The Iowa Foundation for Agricultural Advancement (IFAA) sponsors the following awards at the 2008 Iowa State Fair.

4-H Division:

- Supreme Champion 4-H Breeding Heifer will receive \$1,500 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Lauterbach Farms, Van Meter.**
- Reserve Supreme Champion 4-H Breeding Heifer will receive \$1,000 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Darwin & Karen Koutny, Springville.**
- Champion 4-H Beef of Merit High Cutability Grid Market Carcass – Window A in the Beef of Merit Contest will receive \$500 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Vermeer Charitable Foundation, Pella.**
- Champion 4-H Beef of Merit High Quality Grid Market Carcass - Window B in the Beef of Merit Contest will receive \$500 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Al & Jeanne Conover, Baxter.**
- Third Place Champion 4-H Market Hog will receive \$1,000 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Iowa Elite Show Pig Breeders - Shane Brinning, Forsythe Bros., Tye Lettow, Tim Marek and Jayme Sieren.**
- Champion and Reserve Champion 4-H Market Pig in each weight division in the Gilt and Barrow Shows will receive a walnut plaque from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Swine Genetics International, Ltd., Cambridge.**
- Champion 4-H Live Derby Hog will receive \$1,000 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Allflex USA, Inc.**
- Reserve Champion 4-H Live Derby Hog will receive \$500 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Dick Juhl Memorial.**
- Champion and Reserve Champion 4-H Derby Pig in each weight division in the Gilt and Barrow Shows will receive a walnut plaque from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Swine Genetics International, Ltd., Cambridge.**
- Champion 4-H Derby Carcass will receive \$1,000 and Reserve Champion 4-H Derby Carcass will receive \$500 from “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **Kent Feeds, Muscatine.**
- 3rd through 10th place 4-H Derby Carcasses will receive \$1,000 from “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and **LPB Inc. – Lars Boerre, Earlham, with the following payment schedule: 3rd - \$250, 4th - \$150, 5th through 10th place - \$100/each.**
- Champion 4-H Commercial Gilt will receive \$1,000 from the “Sale of Champions”/“Winner’s Circle” and Iowa Swine Breeders: **Marc Compart Family, Joe Eggers, Frye Pigs, Dusty & Amber Greiman, Shon Grimm, HTF Swine Genetics – Dick Swenson, Moeller Show Pigs – Terry & Liz Moeller, Craig & Rosemary Olson, Stan Pearson – Rex Hoppes Show Pigs, Warren & Lonnie Ploeger, Kirk Swanson, Bill Tucker & Family and Ken & Clint Van Hauen.**

- Champion 4-H Purebred Breeding Gilt will receive \$600 and Reserve Champion 4-H Purebred Breeding Gilt will receive \$400 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Cain Super Sires**, Chariton; **John Huinker**, Decorah; **Jim Grimm**, Maynard and **Al & Kandy Schminke**, Van Horne.
- Champion 4-H Live Purebred Derby Hog will receive \$600 and Reserve Champion 4-H Live Purebred Derby Hog will receive \$400 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Brink Hampshires**, Elkader; **Dick Kuecker & Sons**, Algona; **Gene Rouse**, Huxley and **Stewart's Duroc Farm**, Waverly.
- Champion 4-H Purebred Derby Carcass Hog will receive \$500 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **LeRoy Steffensmeier & Family**, West Point and **Commercial Edge Boar Stud**, North English.
- Reserve Champion 4-H Purebred Derby Carcass Hog will receive \$250 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **Custom Builders**, **Rob Bohnsack**, Tipton.

FFA Division:

- Supreme Champion FFA Breeding Heifer will receive \$1,000 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **Pearson Investments**, Winterset.
- Reserve Champion FFA Breeding Heifer will receive \$500 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **Vermeer Charitable Foundation, Inc.**, Pella
- Champion Choice Retail Beef Carcass in the FFA Performance Beef Competition will receive \$500 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **McCormick Company**, Des Moines.
- Champion Lean Lite Beef Carcass in the FFA Performance Beef Competition will receive \$500 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Alan Edler & Paul Edler**, State Center and **Nichols Cryo-Genetics – Jay & Danielle Steenhoek**, Ankeny.
- Champion Hotel-Restaurant Beef Carcass in the Performance Beef Competition will receive \$500 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **Iowa Machine Shed Restaurants**.
- Champion FFA Lamb Carcass will receive \$500 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **Edler Club Lamb Group – Doug Edler**, State Center
- Reserve Champion FFA Lamb Carcass will receive \$250 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **Krafka Harakema Suffolks in Memory of Caroline Krafka**.
- Third Place Champion FFA Market Hog will receive \$1,000 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Jarrold & Jordan Bakker**, Dike; **Dan Burzlaff**, Delmar; **Brice Conover**, Baxter; **Rod Greiner**, Silver City; **Jeff & Brett Grings**, Wilton; **Ken Ro Farms – Kenny & Robin Hamer**, Woolstock; **R. H. Family Show Pigs - Rich Heeren**, Stanhope; **Mark Hurd**, Cleghorn; **Eric Polich**, Woodward; **Matt Rohrig**, Orient; **Steve Sell**, Glenwood and **Randy Williamson**, Ladora.
- Champion FFA Commercial Gilt will receive \$1,000 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Dan Burzlaff**, Delmar and **Harold & Dixie Hodson**, Ankeny.
- Champion and Reserve Champion FFA Market Pig in each weight division in the Gilt and Barrow Shows will receive a walnut plaque from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and **Swine Genetics International, Ltd.**, Cambridge.
- Champion FFA Derby Pork Carcass will receive \$1,000 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Swine Genetics International, Ltd.**, Cambridge and **International Boar Semen**, Eldora.
- Reserve Champion FFA Derby Pork Carcass will receive \$500 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Energy Panel Structures – Bill Brown**, Graettinger and **NPP, LLC**, Columbus, NE.
- Champion FFA Purebred Breeding Gilt will receive \$600 and the Reserve Champion FFA Purebred Breeding Gilt will receive \$400 from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle"; **Eddie Farms**, Storm Lake; **Iverson Hamps & Yorks**, Grinnell; **Wayne Huinker**, Decorah and **Dave Martin**, Marion.

Premier Beef, Sheep & Swine Exhibitor Division:

Three winners in each species will receive a Scholarship and Plaque from the "Sale of Champions"/"Winner's Circle" and the following sponsors:

Premier 4-H Beef Exhibitor: **Iowa Beef Breeds Council/Iowa Beef Expo**, **B & R Cattle**, **Blueprint Cattle Co.**, **Bart Elder & Family**, **Habeger Show Cattle**, **Holtkamp Cattle Co.**, **Kelly Cattle Co.**, **Allan Kohlhaas & Family**, **Lynch Show Cattle**, **Todd & Alisa Neil & Family**, **Paulson Cattle Co.**

Premier 4-H Sheep Exhibitor: **Iowa Lamb Corporation and Stockman's Inn, Lyle Kreps Family**
Premier 4-H Swine Exhibitor: **Iowa Purebred Swine Council**

Sale of Champions

The "**Sale of Champions**" is sponsored by the Iowa Foundation for Agricultural Advancement and held on Saturday August 16th. The Grand & Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Market Steers; Grand & Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Market Heifers; Grand & Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Market Hogs; Grand & Reserve Grand Champion FFA Market Hogs; Grand & Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Market Lambs; Grand & Reserve Grand Champion FFA Market Lambs and Grand & Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Broiler Pens will all sell on Saturday, August 16, 2008, beginning at 2:00 p.m. in the Cattle Barn Media Center. Buyers must relinquish the champions for carcass data. All animals will be available for viewing at the Iowa State University Meat Lab on August 22nd. There will be 20% of the proceeds from the "Sale of Champions" deducted from the sale checks. These funds are retained by the Foundation for scholarships.

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