

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 **350** agricultural industry leaders have volunteered more than **257,000** hours participating on the IFAA Board of Directors and as Associates.
- Over **1,235** Winner's Circle Scholarships have been awarded to Iowa young people totaling more than **\$1,563,875**.
- **330** Sale of Champions exhibitors have sold their livestock totaling **\$3,302,750**.
- **841** Performance and Carcass Awards have been handed out totaling **\$184,200**.
- More than **3,700** individuals and companies have sponsored Iowa's 4-H and FFA youth through contributions to IFAA.
- That's a total of **\$4,782,525** 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 2012 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 **Polk County Cattlemen's Association** – Jim Nelson, Mitchellville.
- Grand Champion 4-H Market Heifer will receive \$500 Kent Habeger Memorial Award from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and the **Habeger Family** - Burt.
- 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.
- Champion 4-H Commercial Gilt will receive \$1,000 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and Iowa Swine Breeders: **Neil Albertson** – Fremont, **Dusty & Amber Greiman** - Hudson, **HTF Swine Genetics** – **Dick Swenson** - Albia, **Moeller Show Pigs** – **Terry & Liz Moeller** – West Point, **Craig & Rosemary Olson** - Newhall, **Stan Pearson** – **Rex Hoppes Show Pigs** - Waukee, **Schulte Brothers** – Cambridge, **Ken & Clint Van Hauen** – Grundy Center, **John Weinhiemer** – Greenfield.
- Reserve Champion 4-H Commercial Gilt will receive \$500 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Fischer Show Pigs - Mike Fischer** – Burkburnett, TX.
- 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** - Keota, **Forsythe Bros.** – Charles City, **Tye Lettow** - Woodward, **Tim Marek** - Riverside and **Jayne Sieren** - Keota.
- Fourth Place Champion 4-H Market Hog will receive \$500 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Harold (Bud) Nichol** – Ames.
- 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.** - Ames.

- 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 Nutrition Group, Inc.** - Muscatine.
- 3rd through 10th place 4-H Derby Carcasses will receive \$1,000 from Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Hubbard Feeds & ShowRite**, with the following payment schedule: 3rd \$250, 4th \$150, 5th through 10th place \$100/each.
- 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; **Crimson & Gold** - Leland; **Jim Grimm** - Maynard; **Al** and **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, **Dick Kuecker & Sons** - Algona; **Ken Lane** and **T & T Feeds** – Spragueville, **Gene Rouse** - Huxley; **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 **Jim Krug** – Ames, **McCulloh Family** – Delmar, and **Kirk Swanson** – Red Oak.
- Supreme Champion 4-H Commercial Ewe will receive \$500 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Wheaton Hampshires** – Charlotte, MI.

FFA Division:

- Supreme Champion FFA Breeding Heifer will receive \$1,000 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Hamilton County Beef Producers** – Webster City.
- 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 **Hawkeye Breeders Service, Inc. – In Memory of Lloyd & Doris Jungman & Carl Jensen** - Adel
- Champion Lean Lite Beef Carcass in the FFA Performance Beef Competition will receive \$500 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle, **CSB – Community State Bank** – Ankeny, and **Alan Edler** and **Paul Edler** - State Center
- 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, **Edler Club Lambs** – Doug Edler – State Center and Phil Edler – Cedar Falls
- Reserve Champion FFA Lamb Carcass will receive \$250 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Rich Krafka Family Suffolks in Memory of Caroline Krafka**.
- Third Place Champion FFA Market Hog will receive \$1,000 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Jarrod & Jordan Bakker** – Dike, **Dan Burzlaff** – Delmar, **Brice Conover** – Baxter, **Rod Greiner** - Silver City, **Ken Ro Farms – Kenny & Robin Hamer** – Woolstock, **R. H. Family Show Pigs - Rich Heeren** – Stanhope, **Mark Hurd** – Cleghorn, **A. J. Lewis** – Center Point, **Eric Polich** - Woodward, **Steve Sell** – Glenwood, and **Nathan & Grant Weisinger - Weisinger Farms** – Ft. Madison.
- Fourth Place Champion FFA Market Hog will receive \$500 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Harold (Bud) Nichol** – Ames.
- Champion FFA Commercial Gilt will receive \$1,000 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle, **Harold** and **Dixie Hodson** – Ankeny and **Fischer Show Pigs – Mike Fischer** – Burkburnett, TX

- Reserve Champion FFA Commercial Gilt will receive \$500 from the Sale of Champions/Winner's Circle and **Keaton Greiner** – Keota, **Jeff & Brett Grings** – Wilton, **Morgan Genetics - Kurt Morgan** – Eagle Grove, **Matt Rohrig** – Orient, and **Vegas Show Pigs – Kelly/Cole/Patrick & Jean Sheets** – Nevada.
- 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, **Franklin Albertsen** – Toledo, **Iverson Farms** – Grinnell, **John Huinker** – Decorah, **Wayne Huinker** – Decorah, and **Dave Martin** - Marion.
- 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 and **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, **EPS Buildings – Bill Brown** - Graettinger and **Webster City Custom Meats, Inc.** – Webster City.

Premier Beef, Sheep & Swine Exhibitor Division:

Three winners in Beef and Sheep, and five winners in Swine 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** – Bernard, **Blueprint Cattle Co.** – Otley, **Independence Dairy Queen – Janel & Doug Rathbun** – Independence, **Klein Farms – Leon, Lonnie & Dianne Klein** – Sherrill, **Todd & Alisa Neil & Family** - Fairbank, **Paulson Cattle Co.** – Preston.

\$1,000 1st Place Premier 4-H Beef Exhibitor
 \$500 2nd Place Premier 4-H Beef Exhibitor
 \$250 3rd Place Premier 4-H Beef Exhibitor

Premier 4-H Sheep Exhibitor: **Mountain States Rosen Company** – Brad Anderson

\$1,000 1st Place Premier 4-H Sheep Exhibitor
 \$500 2nd Place Premier 4-H Sheep Exhibitor
 \$250 3rd Place Premier 4-H Sheep Exhibitor

Premier 4-H Swine Exhibitor: **Iowa Purebred Swine Council** – Clive

\$1,000 1st Place Premier 4-H Swine Exhibitor
 \$500 2nd Place Premier 4-H Swine Exhibitor
 \$500 3rd Place Premier 4-H Swine Exhibitor
 \$300 4th Place Premier 4-H Swine Exhibitor
 \$200 5th Place Premier 4-H Swine Exhibitor

Sale of Champions

The **Sale of Champions** is sponsored by the Iowa Foundation for Agricultural Advancement and held on Saturday August 18th. The Grand Champion 4-H Market Steer, Reserve Champion 4-H Market Steer, Grand Champion 4-H Market Heifer, Reserve Champion 4-H Market Heifer, Grand Champion 4-H Market Hog, Reserve Champion 4-H Market Hog, Grand Champion FFA Market Hog, Reserve Champion FFA Market Hog, Grand Champion 4-H Market Lamb, Reserve Champion 4-H Market Lamb, Grand Champion FFA Market Lamb, Reserve Champion FFA Market Lamb, Grand Champion 4-H Broiler Pen, Reserve Champion 4-H Broiler Pen, Grand Champion 4-H Meat Goat and Grand Champion FFA Meat Goat will all sell on Saturday, August 18, 2012, 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 24th. There will be a portion (25%) 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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