

# Iowa Limousin Association



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## Iowa Jr. Field Day ~ June 25-26

Will be held at the Clark County Fairgrounds in Osceola, Ia. Entry forms for this event were mailed out in May. Entry forms are still available online at [www.iowalimousin.org](http://www.iowalimousin.org) Click on the Jr. page to find that entry form. Late entries are \$25.00 per head and can be paid up till check in on Sat. June 25th.

Headquarter motel is the Americas Best Value Inn 641-342-2123. Rate is \$60.48 (King Bed) or \$62.72 (Two Full Beds) this rate INCLUDES all taxes. Ask for the Iowa Limousin Rate. This motel does not include a pool, but we hope to visit the Osceola aquatic center on Saturday.

On June 25th there will be a FREE BBQ for all Limousin enthusiasts and their families at the fair grounds. Make sure you mark your calendar to attend!! This will begin at 6:00 P.M.

### **\*\*Important Information\*\***

**Exhibitors will need to bring their own straw for tie outs!  
Wood Chips will be provided in the barn.  
Electricity should be adequate, but if you have a generator, you might want to bring it along just in case.**

## Iowa State Fair ~ August 13-15

**Entry deadline is July 1. We need your participation in this event!!!** It is Iowa's premiere livestock show and is a great way to showcase your cattle and gain potential customers. Cattle may begin arriving on Sat., Aug. 13, 8:00 AM and must be in by Noon. Cattle will be stalled in the new cattle barn. **4-H heifers can show in the Limousin Open Show for only \$7 more.** The show will be in the outdoor show arena on Monday, Aug. 15 at 10:00 AM. Cattle will be released following the show and must be out by midnight on Monday the 15th. You can enter on-line at [www.iowastatefair.org/entry](http://www.iowastatefair.org/entry)

**\*\*Important!!!** To ensure enough space, you may want to enter an extra animal or two on your entry form, especially if you are bringing a 2 yr. old bull or a cow/calf pair. Just buying extra bedded stalls will not guarantee more space. The State Fair reserves the right to take space away if it is excessive. You may want to contact Grant Anderson prior to Aug. 1 and let him know how many head you are bringing and if there are going to be 4-H cattle stalling with you. This will give Grant enough time to work it out with the State Fair Beef Superintendent.

## Important Dates to Remember

- JUNE 25-26 IJLA FIELD DAY OSCEOLA, IA
- JULY 1, IOWA STATE FAIR ENTRIES ARE DUE.
- JULY 9-15 NATIONAL JR. HEIFER SHOW, AMARILLO, TX
- AUGUST 13-15 IOWA STATE FAIR

## Iowa Beef Heifer Award

Any 4-H, FFA, or Junior Beef Breeds Assoc. member, who will exhibit a beef animal at the 2011 Iowa State Fair is eligible to compete for this award. The winner in each breed will receive a \$500 certificate toward the purchase of a registered female at the Beef Expo sale. Applications are due by July 31, 2011. You can pick these up at your county extension office.

## Show a Limi, Win a Limi

This year's heifer will be donated by **Lindsey Family Limousin of Spirit Lake, Ia.** The drawing will be held at the Iowa State Fair. You can still show at the Ia Limousin Field Day, your County Fair and the State Fair 4-H or Open Show. Just remember to e-mail or fax Grant Anderson the list of shows you attended by August 10, 2011 or call Grant if you have any questions. Phone/Fax: 641-587-2198 [ganderson@com1net.net](mailto:ganderson@com1net.net)





