



BEEFMASTER BREEDERS CATTLEWOMEN

MISSION

- Assist Beefmaster Breeders United in the promotion of the Beefmaster breed of cattle
- Educate the public to the merits of the breed
- Assist in Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association program with scholarship
- Any other charitable projects deemed appropriate by its members

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Dear Cattlewomen Members,

What a year! We hope you and your family are practicing the guidelines during this pandemic and everyone is healthy. Hopefully this time together brings families closer, both sharing and creating wonderful memories. As you are probably aware, this year's BBU Convention in Ft Worth has been cancelled. With that cancellation, our annual Cattlewomen membership meeting and breakfast has also been cancelled. We regret not having this meeting to celebrate ourselves as women and as breeders and we want each of you to know how much you are missed and appreciated. We share our appreciation to Saundra Lieke as she served as secretary and now to Mona Scherer for accepting this position.

Your officers and committee chairs have focused on our mission this past year and we were able to award \$12,000 in scholarships due to the outstanding fundraising efforts among our members. Our scholarship recipients this year were Kirby Russell, Abi Hooper, Rylee Howton, Kutter Karns, Luke Dallmeyer, Preston Dallmeyer, Graicie Bouchard and Nikki Brady. You can read more about each of these recipients later in this newsletter. The Cattlewomen were very proud to again be a major sponsor at the JBBA National meeting held in Belton and we also want to send a huge thank you to Sheila and Bill Wilson for purchasing the 2019 Scholarship Quilt.

Since we will not have an annual membership meeting, it is very important that we have continuity in our organization and ask that you fill out the attached form which includes renewal of your membership by sending your 2020-2021 dues, your vote for the offices of president (2 year term) and vice president (2 year term) and hopefully, your decision to serve on a committee. We need your expertise, your ideas and your presence so that everyone will recognize what an exceptional group of ladies we Cattlewomen are. Please place this form in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope and mail to Kathy Walther at your earliest convenience. **Elections will close on November 1st so mail early!**

We thank you for your support and look forward to the time we can see everyone...without wearing a mask! If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact any of your officers listed below.

Best regards, *Margie Lowery, President*

Kathy Skinner, Vice President *Kathy Walther, Treasurer*

Mona Scherer, Secretary *Marie Welkener, Ex-Officio*

2020 CATTLEWOMEN SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



**Abigail Grace
Hooper**

Joaquin, Texas
Attending:
Texas A&M College Station

**Kirstin Nicole
Brady**

Carrizo Springs, Texas
Attending:
Southwest Texas Junior College



**Preston Lee
Dallmeyer**

Poth, Texas
Attending:
Ranger College

**Kutter John
Karns**

El Indio, Texas
Attending:
Texas Tech University



**Luke Wayne
Dallmeyer**

Ledbetter, Texas
Attending:
Texas State Technical College

**Rylee Jean
Howton**

Three Rivers, Texas
Attending:
Texas A&M Kingsville



**Graicie Dawn
Bouchard**

Azle, Texas
Attending:
Weatherford College

**Kirby Carson
Russell**

Bridgeport, Texas
Attending:
West Texas A&M University



Congratulations and best of luck in the future!

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Yearly Dues \$25/Member
Yearly Dues \$40/Mother & JBBA Daughter Combination
Checks to be made out to BEEFMASTER BREEDERS CATTLEWOMEN.

PLEASE PRINT

NAME _____ BIRTHDAY (MONTH/DAY) _____

ADDRESS _____ TELEPHONE _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____ CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

JBBA DAUGHTER _____ BIRTHDAY (MONTH/DAY) _____

ELECTION BALLOT

Please mark your ballot and vote for the following offices.

PRESIDENT (2 year term): _____ KATHY SKINNER [Dalton and Kathy have raised registered Beefmasters in Katy, TX since 2002. Kathy has been a longtime member of the Cattlewomen serving as its officers and as the Scholarship Committee Chair. She serves on numerous BBU committees and is active in their cattle operations. Kathy is currently retired from their commercial landscape company founded in 1984.]

VICE PRESIDENT (2 year term): _____ LINDA SMITH [Bob and Linda’s ranch has been located just outside of Goliad, TX since 2004. Prior to ranching, Linda devoted forty years to education from teaching, to a school counselor, to an Aransas Pass School Board member. She is a satellite member and has served on numerous BBU committees as well as the BBC Scholarship Committee.]

COMMITTEE SELECTION

Please circle the committee or committees on which you would like to serve. Most of the committee meetings will be conducted by phone conference. We need your fresh ideas and participation!

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE This committee shall aid in the recruitment of new members and keep an up-to-date list of the members.

SPECIAL PROJECTS COMMITTEE This committee shall plan and carry out fundraising projects.

JBBA COMMITTEE This committee shall assist in the junior program and inform the Cattlewomen of its special needs.

CONVENTION COMMITTEE This committee shall consider and make recommendation to the President and the Board of Directors regarding the membership meeting held in connection with the BBU Convention.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE This committee shall distribute information regarding scholarships, receive applications and serve as a selection committee with the Board of Directors from this organization.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE This committee shall consist of three (3) members appointed by the President. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate candidates for the officers to be voted on at the annual general meeting. Members of this committee may be nominated for any office of this organization.

Beefmaster Breeders Cattlegirls's Scholarship Quilt

For the past eighteen years, Beefmaster Breeders Cattlegirls along with the participation from Beefmaster breeders have purchased quilt squares depicting their brand or ranch design and together these squares blend colors and brands making each quilt a unique one-of-a-kind creation. The proceeds from the sale of these quilts support the Cattlegirls's college scholarship program which has awarded \$111,500 over these eighteen years to qualified and deserving JBBA members in hopes of furthering their college education.

If you have purchased a quilt square in the past, we thank you! If you would like to continue to have your square on the 2021 quilt, please send the following form along with your donation and we will add your square as we have in the past. (No need to add colors or brand!) If you have never had your square on our quilt, please complete the form in its entirety and send it as directed with your donation.

A huge thank you to all of the previous purchasers:

Charlie & Alma Harrod
Charles & Minda Hodges
Charles & Gladys Dunkin
Nickey & Carmen Priola
Mike & Rhonda Collier
Charles & Sherry Landrum
Barney & Margie Lowery
Dalton & Kathy Skinner
Bill & Dusty Carr
Andy & Kim Boudreau
Mackie & Norma Jean Bounds
Arthur "Bub" & Nancy Epley
Ray & Kathy Walther
Gary & Abradella Halepeska
Melvin & Marilyn Scherer
Dr. Jim & Pam Colvin
Tony & Karen Psencik
Bill & Sheila Wilson

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Scholarship Quilt Form

PLEASE PRINT

NAME _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

RANCH NAME (AS SHOWN ON QUILT):

RANCH CITY & STATE (AS SHOWN ON QUILT):

TELEPHONE # _____

CELL # _____

E-MAIL _____

QUILT SQUARE - \$40 EACH _____

QUILT SQUARE - \$150 EACH _____

PAID _____

YOU MUST DRAW YOUR BRAND OR ATTACH A
BUSINESS CARD WITH YOUR BRAND BELOW

Please select colors for:

Background & Ranch Name _____

Brand & Border _____

- WE HAVE 12 SQUARES IN THE CENTER OF THE QUILT. THEY WILL BE
SOLD AT \$150/SQUARE. THE OTHER SQUARES WILL BE \$40/SQUARE.

*****FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE*****

- CHECKS TO BE MADE OUT TO: **BEEFMASTER BREEDERS CATTLEWOMEN**

- MAIL TO: **BEEFMASTER BREEDERS CATTLEWOMEN**

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Reminder!

Election deadline is
November 1st.

Mail your ballots
now!