

COMMERCIAL HEIFERS

Lots 201- 374

CROSS DIAMOND BRED HEIFERS

This offering of commercial heifers consists of our own home raised heifers, as well as those from five operations run by great friends and customers. Gilroy Land and Cattle, consists of Jim and Roseanne Gilroy of Dalton, Neb. and their son and daughter-in-law, Dan and Laurie, Alliance, Neb.; George and Sondi Smith, Bertrand, Neb.; Melvin and Karen Suchy, Tryon, Neb.; Chip Kuck, Bertrand, Neb. and John Covalt, Alliance, Neb.

We're thankful that we were able to purchase great genetics from these reputable commercial cattle operations. We feel these operations share similar philosophies with us in producing fertile, capacious, easy-fleshing mother cows for the greater good of the beef industry. Buy with confidence that these females will have a positive impact on your replacement program.

The health programs in these herds are excellent.

Fall Health Program

- all BVD tested negative
- poured with Ivomec, injected with Cydectin
- vaccinated with ViraShield VL5 and Guardian

Breeding

- synchronized and AI'd: 5/3- 5/4
- Sires: 7U Julian Twice 662I and Crs Diamnd Julian 66I
- clean-up bulls in: 5/5- 6/10

Clean bulls were all low birth weight Red Angus bulls.

Projected calving dates: Feb. 10- Mar. 20, 2008

These heifers have been on grass all summer. They will run on winter range with protein supplement until sale time.

These heifers will sell in groups of five or more FOB Cross Diamond headquarters, Bertrand, Neb. The groups have been sorted according to weight-- heaviest to lightest.

166 head
straight red heifers

8 head
black heifers

Lots 375-429

PAXTON RANCH BRED HEIFERS

The Paxton Ranch, John and Jessica Warren, of central Nebraska are premier commercial cattlemen, known far and wide for their hard work, great cattle and excellent management. We are pleased and honored to work with John and Jessica to sell a package of their bred heifers.

The entire Paxton Ranch replacement group was ultrasounded in October. This group of 55 heifers were the earliest bred and will start calving March 10 for about a week.

Fall Health Program

- poured with Cydectin
- vaccinated with Vibrio/Lepto 5

Breeding

- natural service
- bulls in June 12
- Sires: Low birth weight Beckton Red Angus bulls.

Projected calving dates: March 10 for 7 days

These heifers have been on grass all summer. They will run on winter range with protein supplement until sale time.

These heifers will sell in groups of five or more FOB Paxton Ranch headquarters, Stapleton, Neb. They will sell in gate-cut groups of five or more.

55 head
straight red heifers

Ranch Broke Horses

Honest, hard workers
to get the job done.

430

MERADAS RHETT (RHETT)

BORN: 6/15/2004 REG #: 4659699 SORREL

FRECKLES MERADA
LEO MERADA
HICKORYS LEO GIRL

FRECKLES PLAYBOY
LENAETTE
DOC'S HICKORY
MISS WAR CHIPS

PEPPY SAN BADGER
PEPSINA
DOC'S RETSINA

MR SAN PEPPY
SUGAR BADGER
DOC BAR
JANDON

Coming 6-year-old gelding, 15.1 hands.

Ranch broke, gentle, no buck. Used in the feedlot, doctored cattle in the pasture and started team roping. He's a cowy, athletic gelding with outstanding breeding behind him.

-consigned by Brian Siekman, Bertrand, Neb.
Phone: 308/991-5954



RHETT

431

BASHFUL BOOKIE (LINUS)

BORN: 6/2/2005 REG #: 4894740 PALAMINO

MILLIONDOLLAR JESI
BOOKIES JACKPOT
LADY BOOKIE

COLLINS JESSIE
THIRSTY RAIDER
THE BOOKMAKER
LADY TRACY

SINS SATIN SATAN
BASHFUL SATAN
BASHFUL BEAUTY

BOULDER'S SNIP
SABRAS MADAM SIN
THE LACER
REFUELED SALLIE

Coming 5-year-old gelding, 15.3 hands.

Ranch broke, used in the feedlot, checked pastures all summer, started team roping. A big shapely young gelding with a great future as a kid's horse, trail horse, ranch horse. Just go do what you want to do on him.

No buck, gentle for the whole family.
-consigned by Brian Siekman, Bertrand, Neb.
Phone: 308/991-5954



LINUS

432

FS SAN CHEX FREEDOM

BORN: 4/30/2005 REG #: 4784587 BAY

WIN VAL PEPPY
SONITAS MIGHTY SAN
PEPITA LAC SANN

SONITAS REYSON
NIK VAL SANN
MIGHTY DECK TWO
NIK VAL SANN

DOC OTOE CHEX
CHEXS SECRET OTOE
BASHFUL BEAUTY

CLYMER CHEX
DOCOTOES KID
SILENT BRITCHES
HICKORY WAR FLY

4-year-old gelding, 15.2 hands.

Super nice 4-year-old gelding. Lots of eye appeal and gentle for anyone. He's seen all aspects of ranching.

-consigned by Matt Wilken, Bertrand, Neb.
Phone: 308/991-5944



DUKE



HOW TO PARTICIPATE AS AN ABSENTEE BUYER

We prefer for each of you to be in attendance on sale day. Realistically, we know there will be some scheduling conflicts and distance limitations. In these cases, we have arranged for you to be able to participate in the sale on an absentee basis.

If possible, you can come by and evaluate the animals prior to sale day. If distance is a problem, we can also provide you with a DVD of all the cattle for home viewing. All of the lots in the sale will be available for viewing online prior to sale day at www.superiorlivestock.com as well.

Customers tell us that the video does a good job of showing conformation, structural correctness, and how the cattle travel, etc. Our sale catalog, with complete data on each animal, is very helpful. Please feel free to call us with questions.

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS

Please call Superior Productions at 800-431-4452 and pre-register for your buyer's number. A registration form needs to be filled out and returned to Superior Productions with a signature on it. This registration form is also available on the website at www.superiorlivestock.com under the Superior Productions tab where it can be printed, completed and either faxed or mailed in. Upon receipt of this information Superior will call you with a buyer's number and the bid line number that you will use on sale day to place bids over the phone.

The sale will be broadcast via satellite on RFD-TV - Dish Network channel 231 and DirecTV channel 345. Also, Superior Productions now offers the convenience of participating on sale day by following the auction on the internet at www.superiorlivestock.com. Simply go to the website and in the Yellow Announcements Box on the home page click on the link titled "To watch today's Auction - click here". Regardless of internet connection, you will be able to view and listen to the same video feed as seen on the satellite. The bidding process is the same – follow the auction on the internet and call the bid line number to place your bids. Your computer must have Flash Media Player installed to view the auction.

Bidders who are successful in making purchases via satellite or internet will be contacted by Cross Diamond Cattle Company after the sale to settle payment and shipping arrangements.

The sale preview will begin at 12:30, CST on Dec. 14; sale will begin at 1:00, CST. Please contact Cross Diamond Cattle Company for a DVD of the sale offering, or see the offering on the web at www.superiorlivestock.com.

Photo Gallery



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GLOSSARY & ABBREVIATIONS

AOD-- age of dam
BCS-- body condition score-- taken at preg. checking
B.Wt-- birth weight-- actual weight taken at birth
Hd. Circ.-- head circumference-- see page 5
Dam's Wt.-- weight taken at pregnancy checking
MPPA-- Most Probable Producing Ability-- the weaning and yearling ratio averages of all offspring of a cow.
CED-- calving ease direct EPD
BW-- birth weight EPD
WW-- weaning weight EPD
YW-- yearling weight EPD
MILK-- milk EPD
STAY-- stayability EPD
ME-- maintenance energy EPD
M & G-- milk and growth EPD
BVD-- Bovine Viral Diarrhea
IMF-- Intramuscular fat-- representation of marbling
REA-- Ribeye area between the 12th and 13th rib
FAT-- carcass fat thickness, over the rump and 12th rib

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1. BIDDING:** The Auctioneer in charge will settle any disputes as to bids, and his decision on such matters shall be final.
- 2. TERMS:** Terms of sale are cash unless satisfactory credit arrangements have been made with Sale Management prior to sale.
- 3. PURCHASER'S RISK:** Each animal becomes the risk of the Buyer as soon as sold, but it shall be the obligation of the Seller to see that animals are fed and cared for free of charge to Buyer, until loaded for shipment or until the expiration of 48 hours after the sale, whichever occurs sooner.
- 4. CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRY:** A transferred certificate of registry will be furnished to the Buyer for each registered animal.
- 5. HEALTH:** All animals are eligible for interstate shipment, except as otherwise announced. Interstate health papers will be furnished for each animal requiring tuberculosis and brucellosis tests in accordance with Federal Regulations.
- 6. ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Any changes from information of any kind in this catalog will be announced from the auction box and such announcements shall take precedence.
- 7. BREEDING GUARANTEE:** All animals are guaranteed by the seller as outlined in the Red Angus Association of America Code of Ethical Sale Practices and the Genetic Defect and Parentage Guarantee.
- 8. LIABILITY:** Neither owners, clerks, nor anyone connected with the sale assumes responsibility- legal or otherwise for damages of any kind. All persons who attend the sale do so at their own risk.
- 9. CONTRACT:** The above terms and conditions shall constitute a contract between the buyer and seller of each animal sold.

SEMEN INTEREST

1/3 semen interest will be retained on all Cross Diamond bulls. The buyer receives full possession and full salvage value.

INSURANCE

Insurance available through American Livestock Insurance, TV Jones, agent-- (307)632-5118.



RED ANGUS FCCP

Starting in September of 2006, the Red Angus Feeder Calf Certification program (FCCP) added "Age" to its Process Verified Claims. This didn't change any of the other benefits of the program, but has taken a major step forward in, once again, being a leader in the beef industry. Now, when an animal carries the FCCP tag it means it is age, source and genetically verified. Another plus when these cattle are sold at any point in their life cycle.

With the age verification added, some of the enrollment procedures have been changed. Although we won't be able to order the tags for producers as we did in the past, we will still cost-share with producers who buy our bulls or commercial bred heifers. The FCCP tags are available in either the original dangle tag or EID tag. We will gladly pick up half the tab for either of these tags.

Please check with the Red Angus website, www.redangus.org or call the Red Angus Association at (940)387-3502 to learn about ordering these valuable tags.



08 Sale Shots

Thanks for coming!

2008 sale day photos by Shaylee Paxton.

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View the entire sale offering online
at www.superiorlivestock.com.



Lot 24

We hope to see you on Dec. 14th!

