

TEXAS SIMMENTAL/SIMBRAH NEWS

TSSA plans convention Simbrah Summit set

The 50th Anniversary TSSA Annual Membership Meeting and Convention will be held Aug. 10-12, 2018 in San Antonio, Texas at the Marriott Plaza Hotel. This promises to be a full day of networking, making plans for the future of the breeds on a state level and fun.

Early sponsors include 44 Farms, Zoetis, Purina, Vigortone, and FitaFirm.

For additional information on sponsorships, contact Casey Buzzard, TSSA vice-president at (979) 215-6349. Sponsorships can be mailed to the TSSA c/o Greg Burden, TSSA president 602 FM 1652, Grand

Saline, Texas 75140.

Pre-registration Cost: \$75/person, \$150 maximum per family

At Door Cost: \$100/person, \$200 per family

RSVP by July 30th online at the TSSA website www.texassimmentalsimbrah.com, or by mailing payment to TSSA, c/o Greg Burden.

Schedule of events

Friday, Aug. 10th

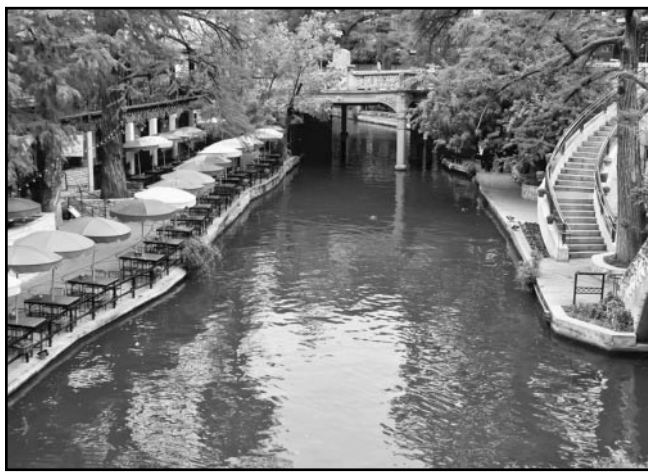
10 a.m.-5 p.m.-Simbrah Summit

Saturday, Aug. 11th

8-9 a.m.-Check-In/registration

9-9:30 a.m.-Welcome and general assembly

9:30 a.m.-Noon-TJSSA



report, World Congress update and presentations
Noon-1 p.m.-Lunch
1:00-2:30 p.m.-Presentations
2:30-3:00 p.m.-Commit-

tee breakouts
3:30-4:30 p.m.-General assembly, new business and committee reports
4:40-5:00 p.m.-Executive
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All Simbrah breeders and enthusiasts are encouraged to be in San Antonio, Texas on Aug. 10th for the Simbrah Summit. This is a joint project between American Simmental Association and the Simbrah Breeders Council. Wayne Reavis, Simbrah Breeders Council president says the focus of the meeting will be educational and also geared to develop a plan to gain a larger share of the commercial market. American Simmental Association Simbrah Committee Chairman Randy Moody and Reavis will be co-moderating the meeting. It will be held at the Marriott Plaza

**SIMBRAH
SUMMIT
Aug. 10th**

Hotel in the downtown area and will be the day before the Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association Convention, also at this location. The Summit will start at 10 a.m. and everyone is encouraged to be part of the planning process. At press time, speakers include Wade
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TJSSA Futurity selects champions and honors juniors

The annual Texas Junior Simmental and Simbrah Association Futurity was

held the second weekend in June in Bryan, Texas. It was one of the largest to date and

featured not only the cattle shows, but also leadership events. For complete show and

banquet results please refer to tjssa.com for those listings.



The Grand Champion Simmental Heifer honor was awarded to Ethan Wood with his W/C Loaded Up 1119Y daughter. She was also the champion bred and owned Simmental heifer.



The Reserve Grand Champion Simmental Heifer title went to Kayden Tanner with this LLSF Uprising Z925 daughter.



Morgan Culpepper exhibited the Grand Champion Percentage Simmental Heifer, a W/C Loaded Up 1119Y daughter.



The Grand Champion Simbrah Heifer honor went to Katy Berry with her BETM LMC Rafa 5B/1 daughter.



The Reserve Grand Champion Simbrah heifer was exhibited by Wes Reeder. The heifer was sired by TK/FCC Hard Body.



The Champion Percentage Simbrah Heifer honor went to Camryn Skaggs with her Hagan Shamoo daughter.



Top Ten Seniors Overall (Seated left to right, 1st to 5th) Amelia Stavinoha, Teegan Mackey, Hayden Bradshaw, Logan Perry, Kayden Tanner. (Standing left to right 6th-10th) Annah Kate Morris, Katy Berry, Jacob Friedrich, Zachary Mills and Meghan Hein (not pictured).



Top 5 Collegiate Overall (Seated left to right, 1st to 5th) Josh Evans, Payton Meuth, Jenna Hein, Joel Mackey, Mackenzie Powell. Also in photograph Nadine and Darrell Evans.



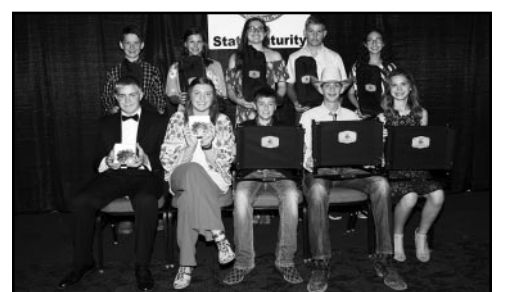
TJSSA Scholarships were also awarded. Winners, along with committee and donors are pictured (left to right) Jim Ethridge, Nancy Tom, Tyler Denny, Teegan Mackey, Andrew Cano, Megan Rogers, Calley McGinley, Jacob Friedrich, Betty Frazier and Victor Guerra.



Bronze Merit winners included (left to right): Jacob Friedrich, Grant Hinckley, Jake Williams, Braden Roehling, Halle Orth, Kaydence Orth and Calley McGinley.



Top Ten Juniors Overall (Seated left to right, 1st-5th) Camryn Skaggs, Presley Rushing, Madison Moseley, Morgan Culpepper and Jace Phillips. (Standing 6th-10th) Lane Hagan, Rory Die, Carlos Guerra, III, Avery Hunt and Taylor Anderson. Also in photograph, Victor Guerra (far left) and Kaleb Fontenot (far right).



Top Ten Intermediates Overall (Seated left to right, 1st to 5th) Robert Stavinoha, Miranda Skaggs, Jake Williams, Bradley Meuth and Ryleigh Whitaker. (Standing 6th-10th) Cooper Mau, Mackenzie Groce, Braxton Butler and Ava Vela.

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The TJSSA Friend of the Year honor was presented to Ellen Tom, who is pictured with TJSSA members (left to right) Robert Stavinoha, Payton Meuth, Ellen Tom and Amelia Stavinoha. The award was sponsored by the Stavinohas.



The Fighting Heart Award was presented to Garrett Jones. He is pictured with TJSSA members, Elise Hesseltine (left) and Mikaela Talley (right).



TJSSA Royalty (left to right): Mia Barba (outgoing sweetheart); Lorelai Hill, incoming sweetheart; Megan Rogers, incoming queen and Amelia Stavinoha, outgoing queen.

Summit...

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Shafer, executive vice president of ASA, Dr. Joe Paschal, Chip Kemp with ASA, Maurice Janda with ASA, Graham Land and Cattle.

For more information contact Wayne Reavis, 956/207-1447 or jwreavis@aol.com or Randy Moody 256/655-5255 randymoody@ardmore.net. Follow the event on Simbrah World's Facebook page or at www.simbrahworld.com.



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Convention...

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Board meeting
5:30-6:30 p.m. Cocktail reception

6:30 p.m.-Dinner and live auction

Hotel information:
Marriott Plaza San Antonio
555 South Alamo St.

San Antonio, TX 78205
(201) 229-1000
TSSA Block Room Rate-
\$130 + tax (Rate available
Thurs 8/9-Sat 8/11) Block
cutoff date is 7/23.

CALENDAR

- Aug. 6-8-TAM Beef Cattle Short Course, College Station, Texas
- Aug. 25-28-LMC GenePLUS XXIV Online Sale
- Sept. 15-Heart of Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association Sale, Granbury, Texas
- Sept. 21-23-Synergy XI, Giddings, Texas
- Sept. 24-28-World Simmental Fleckvieh Federation Congress, Fort Worth, Texas
- Oct. 6--Annual La Muneca Jr. Roundup & Futurity, Linn, Texas
- Oct. 27-7P Ranch Annual Production Sale, Tyler, Texas

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