

Between the Lines

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Fall/Winter 2017



American Lineback Cattle Registry Moratorium

- October 1st - December 31st, 2017
- Must be a PAID member
- \$2.00 discount on registration for animals 12 months and under
- Half price registration for animals over 12 months
- Applicable to Classic White, Dark Sided, & Dark Speckled Witrick, Gloucester and Unmarked patterns

Don't miss this affordable opportunity to catch up on registrations for your Lineback herd!

In Memory Of: John Paul Kuszlyk, I

John Paul Kuszlyk, I, age 69, proprietor of Kuszlyk Milk Haulers in Batavia, passed away on Tuesday, October 24, 2017 at Rochester General Hospital. He was born February 21, 1948 in Rochester, the son of the late John H. Kuszlyk and Catherine H. Kyrk Kuszlyk.

John started driving milk truck for his father when he turned 18 years old but was teaching drivers the milk truck route long before that. He took over the business in 1972, when his father moved to Florida. He and his wife developed Kuszlyk Cattle Co., where they have bred and promoted a lot of great cows and bulls in the Milking Shorthorn Breed. Their family had a feature article in the Fall 2016 edition of the American Milking Shorthorn Society magazine.

The former president of the Western New York Milk Carriers Association, Mr. Kuszlyk served as a past director for both the American Milking Shorthorn Society and American Lineback Cattle Registry. He was very involved in promoting the dairy cattle industry throughout the country. They have worked with the local youth in the area for years as well as leading a 4-H Club for several years.

He loved attending cattle shows with his family and collecting model trucks and hats. He enjoyed antiques, attending auctions and socializing with friends and family.

He is survived by his wife, Marjorie Acomb Kuszlyk, whom he married July 31, 1971; his children, John Paul (Jeanette) Kuszlyk, II of Naples, Florida, Robert Henry (Rachael) Kuszlyk of Batavia, Marjorie Anna Kuszlyk, III (Brett P. Hill) of Byron, Kevin Michael (Brooke) Kuszlyk of Stafford and Steven William (Susan) Kuszlyk of Bergen; nine grandchildren, John Paul Kuszlyk, III and Jeanna Kuszlyk, Kristofer, Kameron, Kaden and Colton Kuszlyk, Porter John Hill and Alexander and Anastasia Kuszlyk and several cousins.



-(The Batavian)

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The ALCR Officers, Board of Directors and members extend their deepest sympathy, thoughts and prayers to the Kuszlyk family.

Forever Remembered, Forever Missed

Editors Corner

Fellow Lineback Breeders,

I hope everyone is doing well! It is hard to believe another summer has come and gone! Show season for many has wrapped up and most are finishing up harvest. As the leaves have changed and clocks too, there have also been changes for me. I have recently made a career change and now work in a Fashion Clothing, Jewelry and Accessories Store, but don't worry I have not left my deep Agriculture roots behind.

As I reflect on other changes of 2017, it is with sadness that I announce the passing of my Excellent Lineback, a barn favorite Pretty Stitches Allstar Shania-Red, while she has left behind daughters and bull sons it surely will not be the same without her around. If you are interested in having a part of her legacy contact me for semen today.

A thank you to all those who helped with the collaborations during this Issue of Between the Lines. Don't forget to take advantage of the Moratorium going on and I am still looking for Lineback Show Results. Best Wishes!

-Deidra Bollinger

Presidents Message

Hello Fellow Lineback Members,

I'm sure everyone has been busy with harvest, hay, and cattle shows. As we are closing out the year I would like everyone to reflect back on all the events that this year has brought. There have been a lot of disasters throughout the country and world. I am hoping and praying for those involved in the affected areas. And special thoughts of all the dairy farmers still recovering, continue keeping them in your thoughts and prayers as well.

On a positive note looking forward, we have some exciting things happening. Currently, we have a moratorium going on until December 31st, 2017. Please take advantage of this great opportunity to not only save money but get caught up on any registrations that may have gotten behind. Additionally, please don't hesitate to contact Dennis Russell, our Registrar, or an Officer if you have any questions regarding registrations.

Also, we are working on planning our 25th National Lineback Sale for next spring. There will be more details to come, but please think about possible consignments or looking to expand your Lineback herd. We are hoping to make this sale our best one yet!

Finally, I hope everyone enjoys the rest of their Fall and Harvest season and we look forward to seeing everyone next spring.

Happy Harvest,
Joseph Stowe
ALCR President



2017 Lebanon Area Fair Lineback Dairy Show Results

Lebanon, Pennsylvania

Spring Calf- Rupland Mystic Majesty-Red
Owner: MacKenzie Miller Breeder: Jesse Ruppert

Winter Calf- Ayr-Back Jackson Tootsie
Owner: Kalli Schwenk Breeder: Ayr-Back Farm

Fall Calf- Ged-Dale Threat Candy
Owner/Breeder: Natalie Heagy

Summer Yearling- Pretty Stitches Rage Sydni-Red
Owner/Breeder: Deidra Bollinger

Spring Yearling- Blossomelle Tanner Savannah
Owner/Breeder: Kirk Shaub

Winter Yearling- Lyn-She Threat Jasmine
Owner/Breeder: Justin Schwenk

Fall Yearling- Plenty-Good BW Easton-Red
Owner/Breeder: Ravyn Bashore

**Youth Junior Champion- Winter Calf
Ayr-Back Jackson Tootsie, Kalli Schwenk**
Youth Reserve Junior Champion- Fall Yearling
Plenty-Good BW Easton-Red, Ravyn Bashore

**Junior Champion- Winter Calf
Ayr-Back Jackson Tootsie, Kalli Schwenk**
Reserve Junior Champion- Summer Yearling
Pretty-Stitches Rage Sydni-Red, Deidra Bollinger

Junior Best 3 Females- Plenty-Good Dairy

Junior 2 Year Old- Three-Rivers Ion Adel
Owner: Deidra Bollinger Breeder: Kalyn Renninger

Senior 2 Year Old- Plenty-Good Mystic Elynn-Red
Owner/Breeder: Ravyn Bashore

4 Year Old- Lyn-She Pro Mystery
Owner/Breeder: Kalli Schwenk

**Youth Senior & Grand Champion- Senior 2 Year Old
Plenty-Good Mystic Elynn-Red, Ravyn Bashore**
Youth Reserve Senior & Reserve Grand Champion- 4 Year Old
Lyn-She Pro Mystery, Kalli Schwenk

**Senior & Grand Champion- Junior 2 Year Old
Three-Rivers Ion Adel, Deidra Bollinger**
Reserve Senior & Reserve Grand Champion- Senior 2 Year Old
Plenty-Good Mystic Elynn-Red, Ravyn Bashore

Produce of Dam- Ravyn Bashore

American Lineback Cattle Registry

Editor's Note

Addition to the Summer 2017 Issue of Between the Lines, 2016 Classification Scores

<i>2016 High Scoring 2 Year Olds</i>		
Glen-Mar Shotline Sugar-Tw	Martha Hayward	Castleton, VT
Glen-Mar Shotline Spice-Tw	Martha Hayward	Castleton, VT
Glen-Mar Mystic Jumping Beans	Martha Hayward	Castleton, VT
<i>2016 Cows Scored Excellent</i> <i>*may previously have scored 90 or above</i>		
Glen-Mar Half Zippy	Martha Hayward	Castleton, VT

2017 Membership Totals

Lifetime - 2 Family - 15 Individual - 43 Junior - 16 * 30 of these are new memberships

2017 Registration Total

As of 10/16/2017 there have been 242 registrations completed, approximately 20 in processing and more expected with the moratorium continuing through to December 31st, 2017

Registration Rates

The current registration fees are based on the age of the animal. Below you can see it is very important to be a member.

Animal Age	Member	
0 to 6 Months	\$ 8.00	
6 to 12 Months	\$ 20.00	PLEASE MAKE CHECK(S)
12 to 24 Months	\$ 28.00	PAYABLE TO ALCR .
24 Months & Up	\$ 40.00	Mail to: Dennis Russell
Transfers	\$ 5.00	ALCR/Dairy Cattle Registry
Duplicate	\$ 5.00	P.O. Box 118 Bulter, MO 64730
Less than 30 days	\$ 10.00	

NOTE: MORATORIUM THRU 12/31/2017

NOTE: Membership MUST be current to register your animal at member rates.

Classification Schedules & Information

2017 Classification Tour

Month	Area	Applications Due
January	KY, TN, NC, SC, GA, FL, AL, MS, LA, AR, MO, OK, TX	11/15/16
February	WI	12/15/16
March	CA, OR, WA, ID, MT, WY, NV, UT, CO, AZ, NM	1/15/17
April	IN, MI, OH, WV	2/15/17
May	NY, ME, NH, VT, MA, CT, RI	3/15/17
June	MN, ND, SD, IA, NE, KS, IL	4/15/17
July	PA, NJ, DE, MD, VA	5/15/17
August	KY, TN, NC, SC, GA, FL, AL, MS, LA, AR, MO, OK, TX	6/15/17
September	WI	7/15/17
October	CA, OR, WA, ID, MT, WY, NV, UT, CO, AZ, NM	8/15/17
November	IN, MI, OH, WV	9/15/17
December	NY, ME, NH, VT, MA, CT, RI	10/15/17

For more Information Contact: Brown Swiss Association, Classification Coordinator: Kathi Brown-Meier

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Outstanding Achievements of Lineback Junior Members- Millena Bashore & Ravyn Bashore



Millena Bashore, was selected as the Lebanon County Dairy Princess and her sister Ravyn Bashore was selected as a Lebanon County Dairy Maid together, and with additional Dairy Royalty they will promote the dairy industry, dairy farmers and dairy products over their reign. They will go to schools, stores, fairs, non-farm meetings, banks and other events promoting the dairy industry. They will also do public service announcements on the radio like, "Your body needs 3 servings a day and milk, at about 25 cents a glass, is a nutritional bargain," says, Ravyn.

They like to tie the Lineback breed into their promotions too. Recently they took "Myway," a red Lineback calf, along to the Apple Cider Festival. Children love to pet the calf and parents often ask questions about the breed., A win-win situation.



"Myway," was born when Millena got lost on the "highway" going to the State Dairy Princess Pageant. During the week-end of the competition, Millena competed along with 25 other young ladies, each representing different counties in Pennsylvania vying for the title of Pennsylvania Dairy Princess. At the pageant each County Princess participates in an Interview, Speech, Skit, Knowledge Test, Poster Display, Radio Spot, and Dairy Recipe Contest. Millena was voted Miss Congeniality by her peers.

Millena reminds you that "even as dairy farmers we need 3 servings of dairy every day. We need to set a good example if we want consumers to drink milk. Besides it's nutritious and delicious."

Congratulations to these two young Lineback Breeders on their Success! Best Wishes with Future Endeavors!

American Lineback Cattle Registry

Featured Bull



Semen Inquiry Contact:
Randy Quesnel Jr.
See Green Farm, LLC.
North Ferrisburgh, Vermont
Contact Randy:
(802)349-8520 www.seegreenfarm.com

S: Picston Shottle-Et

Registration #: 598172
Holstein

D: Jay-Leeview Nelly

Registration #: 005241
White Classic Witrick

S: Allandra Rice

Registration #: 019893
LD-Breeding Stock

D: Daona B1546
Holstein

Lifetime - 2368d 155,227m 5631f 849p
Sire: Ricecrest Duffield-Et

S: Rosybrook Shotline-Rc

Registration #: 008003
Dark-Sided Witrick

Milking Daughters of Hurricane
Above on Left
1 Week old Calves of Hurricane
Below on Left

D: Daona Rice 2726
Registration #: 019894
Black Glochester

1st - 369d 29,915m 1004f 904p
Lifetime -
2241d 171,647m 5599f 5062p

3rd Dam of Hurricane

1st - 381d 28,377m 866f 822p
Selected Hurricane because of visual
offspring, mothers production and
cow family history to improve our
linebacks by bringing in different ge-
netics. Hurricane produces large
calves with sound feet & legs.

-See Green Farm, LLC.

Daona Shotline Hurricane

DOB: 12/13/2013
91LD05754 Dark-Sided Witrick
Registration #: 172501193

***Semen available for
purchase***



ALCR T-Shirts Available

Navy Blue T-Shirts with ALCR logo
Adult sizes S, M, L, XL, 2XL & 3XL
\$18.00 each includes shipping*
Mail payment to (also make checks payable to):
Becky Quesnel
300 Juniper Lane
North Ferrisburgh, VT 05473

Include the size(s) needed and your shipping ad-
dress with payment.



Above (L-R): Back of T-shirt, Front of T-shirt

2017 Elizabethtown Fair Lineback Dairy Show Results

Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania

Winter Calf- Ayr-Back Jackson Tootsie
Owner: Kalli Schwenk Breeder: Ayr-Back Farm

Fall Claf- Plenty-Good Mission Possible
Owner/Breeder: Royell & Terry Smith

Summer Yearling- Pretty Stitches Rage Sydni-Red
Owner/Breeder: Deidra Bollinger

Spring Yearling- HMA PG Mission Goanna-Red
Owner: Grace Hostetter Breeder: Ravyn Bashore

Winter Yearling- Lyn-She Threat Jasmine
Owner/Breeder: Justin Schwenk

Fall Yearling- Plenty-Good BW Easton-Red
Owner/Breeder: Ravyn Bashore

Youth Junior Champion- Winter Calf
Ayr-Back Jackson Tootsie, Kalli Schwenk
Youth Reserve Junior Champion- Winter Yearling
Lyn-She Threat Jasmine, Justin Schwenk

Junior Champion- Winter Calf
Ayr-Back Jackson Tootsie, Kalli Schwenk
Reserve Junior Champion- Summer Yearling
Pretty-Stitches Rage Sydni-Red, Deidra Bollinger

Junior Best 3 Females- Pretty-Stitches Linebacks

2 Year Old- Three-Rivers Ion Adel
Owner: Deidra Bollinger Breeder: Kalyn Renninger

3 Year Old- Plenty-Good Cashflow Downy-Red
Owner/Breeder: Maze Bashore

4 Year Old- Lyn-She Pro Mystery
Owner/Breeder: Kalli Schwenk

Dry Cow- Plenty-Good Pro Even-Rc
Owner/Breeder: Ravyn Bashore

Youth Senior & Grand Champion- 3 Year Old
Plenty-Good Cashflow Downy-Red, Maze Bashore
Youth Reserve Senior & Reserve Grand Champion- 4 Year Old
Lyn-She Pro Mystery, Kalli Schwenk

Senior & Grand Champion- 3 Year Old
Plenty-Good Cashflow Downy-Red, Maze Bashore
Reserve Senior & Reserve Grand Champion- 4 Year Old
Lyn-She Pro Mystery, Kalli Schwenk

Dairy Herd- Pretty Stitches Linebacks
Dam & Daughter- Kalli Schwenk
Produce of Dam- Plenty-Good Dairy

2017 Ephrata Fair Lineback Heifer Show Results

Ephrata, Pennsylvania

2017 Marks the 1st year for an Official Lineback breed division at the Ephrata Fair!

Fall Calf- Pretty-Stitches Jackson Cola
Owner/Breeder: Darryl & Ruby Bollinger

Summer Yearling- Pretty Stitches Rage Sydni-Red
Owner/Breeder: Deidra Bollinger

Spring Yearling- Blossomelle Tanner Savannah
Owner/Breeder: Kirk Shaub

Junior & Grand Champion- Summer Yearling
Pretty-Stitches Rage Sydni-Red, Deidra Bollinger
Reserve Junior & Reserve Grand Champion- Fall Calf
Pretty-Stitches Jackson Cola, Darryl & Ruby Bollinger

Junior Best 3 Females- Pretty-Stitches Linebacks

ALCR Spring Sale 2018

The 2018 ALCR Spring Sale planning is underway! The committee is working diligently to secure a location and date. The committee is looking for new consignors as well as return consignor's. The ALCR is utilizing the sale as a way to promote the beloved Lineback breed. The sale facilitates the merchandising of Lineback Cattle and promotes consignors cattle and their selected breeding programs. As previous years, the committee will be looking for animals of each pattern and color, and has interest in polled animals and A2A2 tested Linebacks. The committee will be reviewing and accepting consignments for both Type and Production, to ensure the sale has something for everyone interested in Linebacks!

If you have any questions regarding the sale, are interested in joining the committee or have animals you're thinking about for sale consignment, please contact Sale Chairman Barnard Baily at (484)883-2819 or Joe or Jesse Stowe at (240)304-5735.

Where to Find Lineback Semen

- Private Breeders
- ST Genetics (800)525-2953
- Global Genetic Resources (866)790-2855
- CRV USA (608)441-3202

American Lineback Cattle Registry

Composite Dairy Cattle Registry Update

Registration inquiries call: Dennis Russell (816)738-4179

Lineback Breeders, Owners and Enthusiasts,

It seems like this year has flown by and here we are in the fall of 2017. It has been a busy year as several new members have joined the Association and registrations are also up, which is good. There is an increased interest in the American Lineback breed. Congratulations to all the Fair winners. Showing take a lot of hard work but the rewards can sure be gratifying.

If there is anything that we need to ask members to do, it is in the registration process. When you submit your registration applications, PLEASE, PLEASE make sure the information is complete. We have lost count of how many applications that weren't completely filled out. On the sire, please provide more than just a single word name, there are a few bulls that have the same word in their name making it hard to figure out which bull you are referring to.

The dams, we do not accept just an entry of "Grade", if you know the ancestry behind your animal, include it. An animal does not have to be a registered animal for the ancestry to be included. We understand that many times when a cow is purchased no information is available. But, we need the dams date of birth (or approximate), if has a state metal tag number example "23ABC1234", then please provide us with that number. Also if you are on DHI, then provide the dams ID that she has for DHI.

Pictures, we need 2 pictures of each side of the animal, (THE WHOLE SIDE), not from the body up, missing part of the hind quarters, or that cute picture of the calf lying down with its legs up underneath of it. We have to be able to see the legs, the side of the animal and we would like for one of the pictures to show the head.

Many are taking pictures with their smart phones. You can message the pictures of your animals to us at 816-738-4179, just be sure on the first message to tell us who the pictures are from. Then you can send the pictures 1 at a time or both pictures of an animal, just please be sure to tell us who the animals are in the picture.

When information is missing that we need, we will call and leave a message, if it is a cell phone we will text you and if we have an email we will email you letting you know that we need additional information. Until we receive the additional information that we need it will hold your registrations from being completed. Please respond as quickly as possible.

These basic simple steps help and aid us in being able to complete your registrations in a timely manner.

-Dennis Russell, President/CEO Composite Dairy Cattle Registry



Composite Dairy Cattle Registry

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2018 Membership Application: Now available to be completed online!

Complete Application, Cut Along Dotted Line, Must send with Appropriate Fees

_____ New Member _____ Membership Renewal (Member No. _____)

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone H/C: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

_____ Yes, I would like to receive the "Between the Lines" Newsletter via email.

Membership Type (Check One):

_____ A) Junior Membership (under 21) – a one-time fee of \$20.00

***MUST** include date of birth: _____

_____ B) Individual (with Spouse) - \$20.00

_____ C) Family/Farm - \$30.00

***MUST** include Name(s) & Birthdate(s) of children under 21:

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

_____ D) Lifetime Membership - \$300.00

Make Checks Payable: **ALCR**
Mail Form & Payment:
**Composite Dairy Cattle
Registry/ALCR
P.O. Box 118
Butler, MO 64730**

****Memberships expire December 31st
of each year.**

****Memberships must be paid 30 days
prior to National Annual Meeting in
order to having Voting Privileges.**

Time to Renew Today!

2017 Registry Events

- Registration Moratorium
October 1st, - December 31st, 2017
- ALCR Sale
Spring 2018

Membership Benefits

- Voting Privileges
- Lineback Promotion
- Tri-Yearly Newsletter
- Reduced Rates:
Registering & Transferring Linebacks

Have you visited our website?

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