CHAROLAIS SHEPHERD Private Treaty Bull Sale

OPEN HOUSE SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020

Noon Lunch | Charolais Bid off 1 pm Angus Bulls For Sale First Come, First Serve



RESOURCE X FIELD REP X CLARICE Performance DOB | 1/6/19 BW | 77 AWW | 622 R | 108 Epds BW | -0.3 WW | 42 YW | 67 M | 16 TSI | 209.61

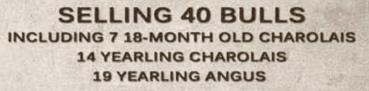


BIG FLIRT X NEXT STEP X ELVIRA *Performance* DOB | 2/28/19 BW | 83 AWW | 613 R | 106 *Cpcb* BW | 3.4 WW | 41 YW | 74 M | 12 TSI | 215.39



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Watch for Videos posted mid-February.





FARGO X COMMANDER X NANCY Performance DOB | 1/23/19 BW | 64 AWW | 646 R | 112 Epds BW | -2.2 WW | 40 YW | 76 M | 12 TSI | 218.96



 WATT X NEW STANDARD X MAMIE

 Performance DOB | 2/23/19
 BW | 87
 AWW | 635
 R | 110

 Epds BW | 1.6
 WW | 44
 YW | 78
 M | 17
 TSI | 221.82

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Sale Catalog & Bull Information available on our website: www.ShepherdCharolais.com



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OPEN HOUSE & SALE KICK-OFF SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020 NOON | COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH 1:00 PM | BID-OFF

Bulls are available to view at the farm prior to the sale or starting at 8:00 am on Kick-Off Day. Scrotal measurements, ultrasound data, and base price will be available one week prior to the Open House.

How the Bid-Off Works:

All bulls will be listed for sale with a base price. Interested buyers can commit to the base price listed for the bull(s) they are interested in. If more than one buyer is interested in the same bull, a bid-off will take place at 1:00 PM on Saturday, February 29 until a winner is determined. Buyers need not be present to place bids but must be available by phone at 1:00 PM. Bulls with multiple buyers listed will sell first in catalog order.

If any bulls are still available, they will be sold privately on a first come, first serve basis after Kick-Off Day. Bulls are considered sold once payment has been received.

Sale Location:

At the Farm | 1308 Quebec Ave | Stuart, IA 50250 From Stuart exit on I-80 (Exit 93):

3 miles south on Stuart Road. 4 miles west on 130th.

From Menlo exit on I-80 (Exit 88): 3 miles south on Pinewood Ave. 1 mile east on 130th.

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Videos:

Videos of sale bulls are available on our website at www.ShepherdCharolais.com approximately two weeks prior to the Open House.

Trucking and Delivery:

Free Delivery on bulls within 250 miles. \$100 will be deducted from each bull if taken home sale weekend on purchases over \$3,000.

Health:

All bulls have been semen tested and passed a breeding soundness exam. All bulls are virgin bulls. They will sell with proper health certificates issued by Stuart Vet Clinic, Stuart, IA. They have been boostered with ViraShield 6 and poured with Cydectin. All the work has been done. They are ready to turn out and go to work for you.

Bull Guarantee:

All bulls are guaranteed to be fertile and come with a one breeding season guarantee. This applies to reproductive soundness and feet. Breeding season is defined as 90 days following the first turn out of the bulls. Please notify us as soon as possible when an injury occurs. Injuries must be examined by a veterinarian. If a suitable bull is available for replacement, we will replace the bull. If there is no replacement available, you will be given sale credit at our next sale towards the purchase of a replacement bull minus salvage value.

Feeding & Care:

For your convenience, you can leave your bull here to continue to be developed until April 1st. This service is provided to customers free of charge for the base price listed on each bull. After April 1st, there will be a charge of \$4.00/head/day. We will do everything in our power to keep the bulls safe and healthy. However, once sold, they become the property and risk of the purchaser.

Charolais Breed Average OPDs

 CE
 BW
 WW
 YW
 Milk
 MCE
 MTL
 SC
 CW
 REA
 FAT
 MARB
 TSI

 Epcls
 5.3
 0.3
 30
 56
 10
 5.3
 25
 0.9
 20
 0.69
 0.008
 0.10
 202.10

Calving Ease Direct (CE) is expressed as a difference in percentage of unassisted births in first calf heifers. A higher value indicates greater calving ease. It predicts the average difference in unassisted births with which a sire's calves will be born when bred to first-calf heifers.

Birth Weight EPD (BW) The expected difference in average birth weight (pounds) of progeny. Birth weight reflects prenatal growth.

Weaning Weight EPD (WW) The expected difference in average weaning weight of calves. The evaluation reflects the genetic influence on pre-weaning growth rate.

Yearling Weight EPD (YW) The expected difference in average yearling weight of progeny. The evaluation reflects genetic influence on both pre-weaning and postweaning growth rate.

Maternal Milk EPD (Milk) The genetic ability of a sire's or dam's daughters to express in pounds of weaning weight in her calves due to her maternal ability through mothering instinct and milk.

Calving Ease Maternal (MCE) is expressed as a difference in percentage of unassisted births in first calf daughters. A higher value indicates greater calving ease. It predicts the average difference in unassisted births with which a sire's daughters will calve as first-calf heifers when compared to daughters of other sires.

Total Maternal EPD (MTL) A value to predict the weaning weight performance of calves from a animal's daughters due to genetics for growth and maternal ability. Total Maternal is calculated by adding ½ the WWT EPD to the Maternal Milk EPD.

Scrotal Circumference EPD (SC) The expected difference in scrotal circumference (expressed in centimeters) of a bull's or dam's male offspring at yearling compared to progeny of all other animals evaluated. Research has also indicated a relationship between increased SC EPD and decreased age at puberty for daughters.

Carcass Weight EPD (CW) Expected progeny differences for Carcass Weight is a predictor of pounds of retail product at a constant age endpoint. Selection for increased values should result in heavier carcasses, while selection for decreased values should result in lighter carcass weights at the same age endpoint. Carcass Weight EPD are expressed in pounds and is a predictor of the differences in hot carcass weight between parents progeny at an age constant endpoint.

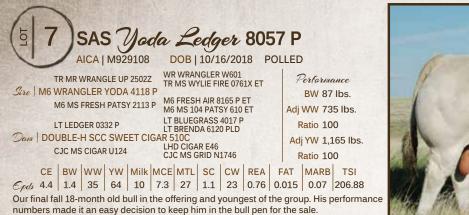
Ribeye Area EPD (REA) Ribeye area is measured from a cross-sectional area of the longissimus dorsi muscle at the 12th rib. Ribeye area is a major component of the USDA yield grade equation and selection for increased ribeye area should result in larger ribeyes and lower yield grades between animals with the same carcass weight. Ribeye area has a positive relationship with weight, the larger the animal the larger the ribeye area. Ribeye Area EPD are expressed in square inches and is a predictor of differences in ribeye area between parents progeny at a constant age endpoint.

Fat Thickness EPD (FAT) Fat thickness is measured at the 12th rib and is the primary component to the USDA Yield Grade equation. Fat thickness has a negative relationship to cutability; therefore, selection base on decreased fat thickness should result in lower yield grades and leaner cattle given the same age endpoint. Fat Thickness EPD are expressed in inches and are a predictor of differences in fat thickness between parent's progeny at an age constant endpoint.

Marbling Score (MARB) Marbling is a subjective measure of the amount of intramuscular fat in the ribeye muscle. Marbling score is the primary component of USDA Quality grade and selection for increased Marbling Score EPD should result in cattle with higher quality grades at the same age endpoints. Marbling score has a small genetic correlation with fat, therefore producers may select for increased marbling score EPD while not changing external fat thickness when cattle are harvested at the same age-constant endpoint. Marbling EPD is a prediction of the differences in the USDA subjective marbling score between parent's progeny at an age constant endpoint.

Terminal Sire Index (TSI) The AICA Terminal Sire Index (TSI) is a formal method of combing EPDs – BWT, WWT, YWT, REA, HCW, MARB and FAT – into one single value on which to base selection decisions. The TSI uses estimates of the genetic relationships between traits with an economic default value based on three year rolling USDA data. The TSI represents a dollar index per terminal progeny produced for a bull in the AICA database, ranking them for profit potential.





Top 20% SC.



LT Ledger 0332 P | Sire of Lots 2, 9 and 9. Maternal sire of Lots 7 and 20.



SAS Forty Creek 9001 | Lot 8

LOT

5 8 SAS Porty AICA M931227	Creek 9001
AICA M931227	DOB 1/6/2019 DEHORNED
Stre CCC WC RESOURCE 417 P WC CCC BLUE GIRL 1528 P SR/NC FIELD REP 2158 P ET SR/NC FIELD REP 2158 P ET Dam RF CLARICE 005 P	T RIO BRAVO 3181 P T BRENDA'S EASE 3055PLD T BLUE VALUE 7903 ET CCC BAD GIRLFRIEND U146 P ET HD MR PERFECT Y416 SR LADY EASE 914 ET NCR PRIME CUT 764 PLD WK CLARICE J139 ET Ratio
CE BW WW YW Milk MC Epth 6.1 -0.3 42 67 16 5.2 The first yearling bull will sure stand c with his EPDs that he offers some call 9001's sire, Resource, is quickly become	$ \begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $

successful in the showring. We bought 9001's dam bred from Ridder Farms in MO

just prior to calving. She carries the Clarice J139 and Field Rep genetics – both cow making machines. She's a stout 9-year-old that continues to get the job done.

Top 10% WW and CW. Top 25% YW and REA.

SAS Crown Rayal 9031 P ET AICA | EM931260 DOB | 1/28/2019 POLLED

LT BLUEGRASS 4017 P Sire | LT LEDGER 0332 P

LT BRENDA 6120 PLD

LT PEARL'S BREEZE 2236 P LT RIO BRAVO 3181 P LT BRENDA'S EASE 3055PLD LHD MR PERFECT V416 LHD MS CLASSIC BELL X613

LT ASSERTION 1277 P

Danu RE-BARA MS CIGAR 409 ET D&D MS CLARICE 2809 PLD ET M6 GRID MAKER 104 PET JWK CLARICE J139 ET

 CE
 BW
 WW
 YW
 Milk
 MCE
 MTL
 SC
 CW
 REA
 FAT
 MARB
 TSI

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 7.0
 0.4
 31
 61
 7
 7.9
 23
 1.4
 25
 0.88
 0.035
 0.09
 206.24

 Top 10% SC. Top 20% REA.



 CE
 BW
 WW
 YW
 Milk
 MCE
 MTL
 SC
 CW
 REA
 FAT
 MARB
 TSI

 Cpdu
 7.0
 -0.2
 34
 65
 7
 7.9
 24
 1.4
 25
 0.88
 0.035
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 209.72

 Top 10% SC. Top 20% REA.

Performance BW 94 lbs. Adj WW 515 lbs. Ratio 98 Adj YW Ratio Here are a pair of full brother ET calves. Their sire, LT Ledger, is one of the most widely used bulls in Charolais breed because he sired both good bulls and females that worked. Donor dam 409 is out of another breed changing sire – LHD Cigar – from the DeBruycker Charolais herd and a M6 Grid Maker x Clarice J139 bred cow. Grid Maker is one of the bulls that put the M6 herd in TX on the map. Clarice J139 is a foundation donor for Wright Charolais in M0 and can be found in many of the pedigrees of their top bulls. The spring embryo calves are born and raised as part of our commercial herd in the NE Sandhills so the weaning weight numbers are real world, big pasture, grass-only growth. These bulls look the part and will do a great job. The only thing I'm disappointed in is that I don't have full sisters in my replacement pen. You'll have to study them and decide for yourselves which one you prefer.

Performance BW 90 lbs. Adj WW 546 lbs. Ratio 104 Adj YW Ratio



RE-BARA Ms Cigar 409 ET | Dam of Lots 9 and 10

Zoming Two Near Old Bulls & Nearling Bulls

5 11 SAS Rich and Rard AICA EM931262 DOB 2/2/2011)33 F Polled		
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B/T SMART CHOICE M207 ET M&M MS SMART CHOICE 7056 PLD E VCR MISS DUCHESS 433 VCR MISS SMOWMA	_D N 734	Adj R	atio 98 YW atio	
CE BW WW YW Milk MCE MTL SC CW Epcls -2.0 2.1 39 66 12 0.8 32 1.2 16			MARB 0.12	TSI 211.81

Look at those EPDs! Now be sure to check out the bull in the pen. You're sure to have a bull that can produce calves that grow, do well in the feedlot, and on the rail. 9033 is a yearling ET son out of M6 Bells & Whistles, the same sire as fall-born Lot 1. His donor dam 7056 was our choice from the M&M Dispersal in OK. She's a deep bodied, thick, performance cow that has produced some great ones. A daughter is the dam of Lot 19 and grand-daughter is the dam of lot 12. Again, this bull was raised in our commercial herd in the NE Sandhills until weaning. Check out his yearling performance data prior to the sale because he sure has taken off!

Top 2% FAT. Top 10% REA. Top 20% WW, Mtl, and SC. TSI in top 25%

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V	/ #	ICA	M93	1230		DOB				CU	RS		
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CE	BW	ww	YW	Milk	MCE	MTL	SC	CW	REA	F		MARB	
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9004 boasts the highest adjusted WW of the yearling bulls. He's out of a first-calf heifer who did a great job raising him! Both the top and bottom side of this pedigree have calving ease genetics and performance genetics just like his EPD numbers suggest. Don't forget about the carcass EPDs. Wow, are they off the charts! His sire, many time multiple trait leader, M6 Cool Rep is also the sire of M6 Bells & Whistles (see Lots 1 and 11). You'll find his granddam 7056 mentioned in other pedigrees as she is a donor for us.

Top 2% WW, 7% YW, 3% REA, 8% SC, Top 15% TSI and FAT.

SAS Pendleton 9005

AICA | M931232

SPARROWS FARGO 811U Sire | RBM FARGO Y111 HC RHINESTONE 5100

EJ COMMANDER 815 70

WINN MANS LANZA 610S SPARROWS DELIGHT 74L

LT EASY PRO 1158 PLD HC JACK 2082 **EJ TWINDS COMMANDER 50P**

DOB | 1/23/2019

Dam | SAS MS NANCY COMMANDER BELL406 M6 MS 927 NANCY 694 P ET M6 MS H45 NANCY 382 ET

SCURS

Performance

Adj WW 646 lbs.

Ratio 112

Adj YW

Ratio

BW 64 lbs

 CE
 BW
 WW
 YW
 Milk
 MCE
 MTL
 SC
 CW
 REA
 FAT
 MARB
 TSI

 Cpdy
 13.2
 -2.2
 40
 76
 12
 8.7
 32
 1.2
 38
 0.78
 0.021
 -0.01
 218.96

This bull has been one of our favorites since he was born. He has the 2nd highest adjusted WW of the yearling bulls and the lowest birthweight. That spread is what we're all looking for - low birthweight and gains. This guy will do it for you! Plus, take a look at his EPDs. I almost had to list them all below as being in the top of the breed.

He's an EPD powerhouse! You'll only see one bull out of RBM Fargo this year. He was an AI sire we used on a few select cows and heifers to see how he would do. We like what we saw and have heard good reports from other Charolais breeders. You'll see more out of this sire in the future. 9005's dam, 406, has been doing an outstanding job for us. This is her 4th calf - all bulls - and every single one has made it into the bull sale pen and consistently with that BW to WW spread we talked about. She will replace her dam in our donor pen after she calves this year (vet called a heifer so I'm hoping he's right!). Her dam is also the dam of the Lots 1 and 2 bulls. You can see this cow family sure works!

Top 3% CE, 2% CW, Top 15% BW, WW, YW, SC, and TSI.



M6 Bells & Whistles 258 P | Sire of Lots 1 and 11. Full sister to dam of Lot 3.



SAS Seagrams 9004 | Lot 12



SAS Pendleton 9005 | Lot 13

RBM Fargo Y111 | Sire of Lot 13



SAS Canadian Club 9008 | Lot 14



These are the first bulls out of a new walking herd sire for us, M&M Watt 6564. We used him on a smaller group of cows the first year and really liked what we saw. He's an outcross sire to our herd that we're seeing adds depth and thickness with good feet and structure. Watt's sire was the National Champion Bull in 2013 who shares genetics with one of our favorite donors and a full French bull. His dam was a proven donor at M&M that goes back to a foundation cow for that herd. LT Blue Value is a son of the calving ease specialist, Bluegrass. 9008 shows what these Watt bulls will do. Here's a performance and carcass bull for you.

Top 10% WW, YW, Milk, CW, REA, and TSI.



M6 Grid Maker 104 PET | Maternal sire of Lots 4, 15 & 17 and in pedigrees of many others

Street.	(15) SAS Seffersons 9010 P
No.	AICA M931237 DOB 2/26/2019 POLLED
「ころのため」という	BJCF WATT Z36 HAMM BRAMARD 12R M6 MS 0383 MAMIE 764 P ET Performance Stre M&M WATT 6564 ET BW 87 lbs. M&M MS BLUE VALUE 1073 PLD ET LT BLUE VALUE 7903 ET BALDRIDGESWEETHEART320ET Adj WW 489 lbs. M6 GRID MAKER 104 PET WCR SIR TRADITION 066 VCR MISS MAC IV 317 Ratio 85 Dam M6 MS 104 GABRIEL 755 P ET BF MISS GAIN & GRADE 386 M6 GAIN & GRADE 927 PLD BF MISS GRAZER 1057 Adj YW Ratio
	CE BW WW YW Milk MCE MTL SC CW REA FAT MARB TSI Epdu 3.8 1.8 30 54 14 7.3 29 0.7 23 0.73 -0.007 0.18 201.47
大学をい	This bull had a rough start in life. He is the last natural calf out a 12-year-old donor. She didn't have any milk when she calved and we immediately fostered him onto another cow who I think had started to dry up. Knowing what she can raise and liking what I was seeing out of the Watt calves as they developed, I decided not to cut this guy to see if he caught up after weaning. He sure has! Look for his yearling

numbers right before the sale. You can buy with confidence knowing the genetics

Top 20% FAT and Marbling.

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SAS Black Velvet 9011 P 0 6 AICA | M931239 DOB | 2/28/2019 POLLED CJC TRADEMARK H45 CJC BIG SKY X623 P Performance CJC MS SPUR R38 Sire | SAS BIG FLIRT 593A BW 83 lbs. LT RIO BLANCO 1234 P SVY FLIRTN FORCERTIN413P SVY FLIRTINFORCERTIN928J Adj WW 613 lbs. M6 FRESH AIR 8165 P ET Ratio 106 M6 NEXT STEP 164 P M6 NEXT STEP 164 P M6 MS BRAVO GRID 831 ET Dam | SAS MS NEXT ELVIRA MAKER 507 M6 MS ELVIRA MAKER 217 M6 GRID MAKER 104 PET Adj YW M6 MS ELVIRA MAKER 317 DOUBLE-H ELVIRA 639S ET Ratio CE BW WW YW MIIK MCE MTL SC CW REA FAT MARB TSI Epds 2.4 3.4 41 74 12 4.7 33 1.1 30 0.87 -0.008 0.07 215.39 If you want to raise pounds, 9011 puts together a really impressive package. You can see by his picture that he's thick, deep, and made right. He's out of our walking herd sire, Big Flirt, who we're still using at seven years of age. His dam puts together some

big names in the Charolais industry. EPDs to match this powerhouse.

Top 10% CW. Top 20% WW, YW, Mtl, REA, FAT, and TSI.

SAS Black Velvet 9011 P | Lot 16

5 17 SAS Windsor 9013 P AICA M931241 DOB 3/6/2019 POL	LED
CJC BIG SKY X623 P CJC TRADEMARK H45 CJC MS SPUR R38 SVY FLIRTN FORCERTIN413P SVY FLIRTINFORCERTIN413P SVY FLIRTINFORCERTIN928J	Performance BW 99 lbs. Adj WW 602 lbs.
M6 GRID MAKER 104 PET Dam SOUTHERN LARA 45557 M6 MS E46'S DUKE 248 PET HD CIGAR E46 M6 MS DUKE 009 PLD	Ratio 105 Adj YW Ratio
	AT MARB TSI .014 0.03 215.36

Here's another impressive Big Flirt son. I keep using Big Flirt because he does a good job in raising bulls I can stand behind – the structure is sound and they put pounds on. Plus, he's a gentle giant that's easy to work with in the pasture or wherever he is. His sons are the same way. The dam of 9013 is a full sister to the dam of multiple trait leader, M6 New Standard, who you will see in many of the pedigrees in this catalog and my herd.

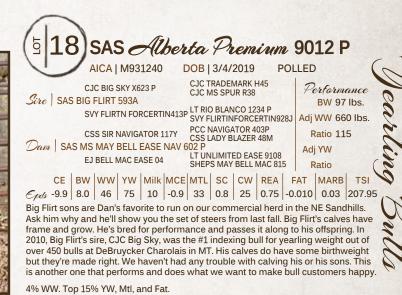
Top 3% WW. Top 10% YW and Fat. Top 20% Mtl, REA, and TSI.



SAS Windsor 9013 P | Lot 17



SAS Mastersons 9009 P | Lot 19





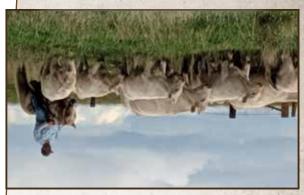
This is one of the last M6 Wrangler Yoda sons we'll offer. We have semen but he's no longer a walking herdsire here. 9009 is stout. He'll catch your eye in the pen as a bull that will add meat and muscle to his offspring as you watch them grow. His dam is a large framed cow out of our choice of donors from the M&M Dispersal in OK. One of her sons sells as Lot 11 and she is the granddam of Lot 12.

SAS Canadian Mist 9002 P DOB | 1/11/2019 AICA | M931229 POLLED WR WRANGI FR W601 TR MR WRANGLE UP 2502Z Performance TR MS WYLIE FIRE 0761X ET Sire | M6 WRANGLER YODA 4118 P BW 78 lbs. M6 MS FRESH PATSY 2113 P M6 FRESH AIR 8165 P ET M6 MS 104 PATSY 610 ET Adj WW 544 lbs. LT BLUEGRASS 4017 P LT BRENDA 6120 PLD LT LEDGER 0332 P Ratio 94 Dam | SAS MS COOL GRID LEDGER 505P Adj YW M6 COOL DUDE 6463 P ET M6 MS COOL GRID 819 ET M6 MS 104 DUKE 540 P ET Ratio CE BW WW YW Milk MCE MTL SC CW REA FAT MARB TSI Epds 5.5 0.0 28 52 11 7.0 25 1.1 17 0.71 0.009 0.13 199.82

Last but not least. A Yoda son out of a consistent producing Ledger daughter that goes back to some foundation M6 genetics. With a lighter birth weight and built in calving ease through two heifer bulls you can put that hybrid vigor to work when you use him on commercial cows. A 3/4 brother sells as Lot 7 in the coming two-year-olds.

Top 10% WW. Top 20% YW and FAT.

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Sara and Dan

See you February 29thi

Please don't hesitate to contact Dan or I if we can be of any help with your bull selection. We look forward to doing business with you.

doesn't end when we deliver the bulls as the relationships we have with each one of our buyers is what is really important. makes it possible to continue to offer bulls like these to you. Your success is our success. The sale Thank you for taking a look at our offering. The continued support of our customers is what

have for sale please give us a call or visit our website. These bulls will be on display as part of our .9200 House. opportunity we couldn't pass up. If you want to learn more about the Angus herd or the bulls we way to diversify our herd, complimenting the Charolais, have Dan more involved and frankly an and strong genetics – continuing to aggressively improve our offering. This move offers us a are changing any facet of our Charolais operation. You can continue to expect quality bulls and had been helping them with their herd the last several years. This does not mean that we After 38 years in the business, they decided to retire. Sara has known the family her whole life of a purebred Angus herd from Wilhelm Family Angus (Dr Rex and Hope Wilhelm of Stuart, IA). With that reminder, at the beginning of 2020, we made an addition to our herd with the purchase

in the markets. The year on the calendar may have flipped but many of us are still seeing the impact. We will persevere. flooding, mud, and all that mother nature threw at us added to the trade wars and uncertainty pray for our fellow cattlemen, farmers, and ranchers who were faced with death loss, sickness, 2019 was hard. We are glad to see it behind us, as I'm sure many of you are too. We continue to

better product year after year. We think this is the best and deepest group yet. We are excited for last year. Each of the bulls was born and raised here. Our goal is to keep improving and making a bulls. As is true with previous years, no bulls have been presold. No bulls are carry-overs from our herd has continued to grow. You are getting the first choice of all our fall and spring born easily to the top. This year you will continue to see an expanded fall bull offering as that part of After the hard winter, wet spring and fall, and dry stretch this summer, the cream of the crop rose

operation (excuse us if we have to check the calving barn during the sale). our customers, about your bull buying decision and you the opportunity to see the heart of the relaxed atmosphere for our customers and bulls. It gives us the opportunity to visit with you, New and returning customers are welcomed to the farm just outside of Stuart, IA. It is a

You are personally invited to our Open House and Private Treaty Bull Sale Kick-off on Saturday,

Dear Friends and Fellow Cattlemen,

Walking Herd Sires at Shepherd Charolais



M&M Watt 6564 ET **BJCF WATT X BLUE VALUE X DUKE 914**



Southern Rio Bravo 35129 Cpds BW | 8.3 WW | 47 YW | 81 M | 8 TSI | 214.06 Cpds BW | 0.7 WW | 45 YW | 81 M | 10 TSI | 224.10 Cpds BW | 2.8 WW | 43 YW | 74 M | 12 TSI | 215.44



SAS Big Flirt 593A CJC BIG SKY X RIO BLANCO X FLIRTINFORCERTIN RIO BRAVO X WYOMING WIND X BUDSMYDAD



M6 Wrangler Joda 4118 P WRANGLE UP X FRESH AIR X GRID MAKER Epds BW | -0.2 WW | 37 YW | 63 M | 10 TSI | 206.58 Epds BW | -1.3 WW | 34 YW | 62 M | 9 TSI | 206.81



SAS Cool Ledger 8010 LEDGER X COOL REP X STEALTH



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