

# Illinois Limousin Breeders' Association Newsletter

## March 2011

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### Mark Your Calendar

The Illinois Limousin Field Day will be held June 18-19 in Carlinville at the Macoupin County Fairgrounds. The Open Show will be held on Sunday, June 19. Lots of fun activities are being planned for Saturday, June 18. The Annual Meeting will be held at the Magnuson Grand Hotel - 1906 W Frontage Road, Raymond, IL formerly the Best Western. A block of rooms will be held for members. Call 217-324-2100 for reservations.



### Trying to save money

Like everyone else the ILBA is trying to save money. So, in a cost savings move, we would like to step into the 21<sup>st</sup> century and use the technology we have available to communicate with our members. Please when you are filling out your dues information, write down your email information. We will not give this information out to any other source, but use it to send pertinent information to you. Thank you for your help in this matter.



### Just for your information

Information on Illinois Breeders' Limousin Association can be found on our website [www.illinoislimousin.com](http://www.illinoislimousin.com). Minutes of the meetings, the newsletters, and upcoming events are posted. Members can also advertise any cattle they have for sale. Also, an advertising spot is available for any member wishing to advertise their farm. Keep informed on your organization, advertise your cattle, and make use of this website. It is there for you!

### NEWS from Springfield

Contacts are needed to your state Representative to urge them to **OPPOSE** the Adoption of an Amendment to Sunset Sales Tax Exemptions for Agricultural Purchases (Including seed, feed, fertilizer, equipment, fencing, livestock breeding semen, and some breeding horses).

### Junior Advisor

The ILBA Board accepted the resignation of Ashley Etherton as the Junior Advisor. Ashley did a wonderful job and the Board thanks her for her dedication to the Limousin breed. This leaves a vacancy that needs to be filled. Anyone interested in applying for this position may notify President Joan Meyer at 217-594-7758.