



## South Dakota Hereford Association, Inc.

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Dear Extension Educators, 4-H Leaders and Other Interested Parties:

Each year the SD Hereford Association awards **\$100 to each exhibitor of a Hereford steer, heifer or feeder calf that placed County Champion Over All Breeds** in your county fair or achievement days. In order for the youth to receive the award money, a **photo** of the winner and the animal is required. If no photo of both the winner and the animal is available please send a photo of just the winner or the animal with the completed form to the above address.

If possible, we would like to present the \$100 award at your Recognition Banquet and would appreciate notification of your banquet date so that we may have a Hereford breeder or SDHA Director in attendance to present the award. If this is not possible, a check will be mailed to your office or to the recipient.

Another SDHA program is the Heifer Grant Program in which \$400 grants are awarded to youth who apply and are selected for the grant. Selected winners **MUST** be present in order to use the grant money toward a 2010 purchase. The grants may be used to purchase a Hereford heifer from our upcoming Steer & Heifer Calf Sale called the **South Dakota Excellence Sale**. This sale is scheduled to be held **Saturday, November 13th, 2010** in the SDSU Animal Science Arena in Brookings at 11:30 am. This is the 23rd year for the project and we encourage all of the 4-H Beef project members to apply for these grants. A copy of the application is enclosed. We appreciate your help in distributing these applications to the appropriate youth in your county.

If you have any questions regarding either of these programs, please do not hesitate to call or email.

Sincerely,  
Mark & Linda Goetz  
SDHA Managers

**Please complete form only if you have a  
Hereford County Champion Over All Breeds in 2010**

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, our County Overall Grand Champion (circle one) Steer, Heifer or Feeder Calf was a Hereford exhibited by: \_\_\_\_\_

Whose address is: \_\_\_\_\_

The date and location of our banquet is: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ County

\_\_\_\_\_ Extension Educators Signature

Please copy if you have more than one Hereford County Champion Over All Breeds

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Town: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

***Please include a photo!***

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