



# BUELINGO NEWSLETTER

February 2022

## Presidents Message:

2022 finds the BueLingo breed in a good position. We have a good base of cattle with owners that are genuinely interested in caring for and improving the breed. Now that we have a good foundation, we need to look forward to the next few steps even if they may be small, slow steps due to the size of our organization. A database of genetic reference needs to be established so that we can better market our breed to commercial operations and growers. The Midwest BueLingo Association is making strides toward starting this process by collecting calving reports, placing cattle in programs to collect data, and starting the discussion of setting up EPD's or something similar.

Getting everyone involved is the best way for a smaller organization to accomplish its goals. If you have an interest in starting a local or regional group for meetings or just a get together to discuss cattle among friends, feel free to reach out to the BueLingo office for any help we can give. Also join other groups, such as the Midwest BueLingo Association, that are starting or working on projects that you are interested in being a part of.

Always keep in mind as we try to improve our breed and to collect data, please follow the procedures and instructions. The better the data coming in, the more accurate and informative the result will be. Also, since we are a small group with very distinctive marking we need to always remember to represent the breed well.

Thanks again for assisting in the creation of a great calendar to showcase our cattle. I look forward to the day when we have multiple members on each page due to the fact that everyone wants to be a part of it.

Looking forward to seeing you at the National Convention. Make sure to find the details in this newsletter and save the date. Also, look for details of the upcoming BueLingo auction. Happy Bidding.

Thanks, Sean.

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## 2022 BueLingo Calendar: A few still available

\$12.00 each Includes shipping

Filled with the BueLingo Belted Beauties for your enjoyment all year long.

Call 815-745-2147 to order your calendar. Checks accepted. Sorry don't accept credit cards.

## MEMBERSHIP 2020/2021

Thank you to all who have renewed their memberships for 2021/2022. It won't be long and the renewal reminders will be coming out for 2022/2023. Membership runs from June 1 through May 31 of each year. We have 111 members including Junior - Associate - Regular/gift/lifetime - and Hall of Honor.

Help support and promote the BueLingo Beef Cattle Society with your membership and participation of cattle registrations of the BueLingo Breed of cattle. Please feel free to contact any board member with questions or concerns about the BueLingo breed of cattle or the BueLingo Beef Cattle Society. They all enjoy talking about BueLingo!

# BueLingo Beef Cattle Society 2022 National Convention July 14 - July 16



Hosted by: Dave & Karen Gallion \*\* Mike Halpin \*\* Danny Meyer

- July 14: Wisconsin Farm Technology Days at Roehl Acres in Loyal - on your own  
Evening social/fire at Dave & Karen's if enough interest/attendance
- July 15: 11 AM - Meet at Mike Halpin's to organize car pool for days events  
1 PM - tour of Marieke Gouda (parlor observation, barn, cheese making, cheese sampling – tour lasts about 90 minutes)  
Tour of feed lot or tour of large dairy facility  
Afternoon stop for ice cream at Hawkeye Dairy Store  
Wisconsin fish fry at Nutz Deep II in Spencer for supper  
Return to Mike Halpin's for night cap and pick up vehicles
- July 16: 9 AM - Youth show at Danny Meyer's  
11 AM - Tour of Gallion farm/cattle  
12:30 PM - Lunch at Mike Halpin's  
1 PM - Annual Meeting with speakers  
Supper and Auction following

[ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR HOTELS, etc. COMING SOON AND POSTING TO NATIONAL HOMEPAGE](#)

A Block of rooms are being held at the

## Winfield Inn & Suites

1651 N Central Ave  
Marshfield, WI  
54449

(715) 387-2233

Indicate you are with the BueLingo National Convention for block pricing of \$79.99/night plus tax, fees.

Indoor pool and lounge

There are several places of lodging in the Marshfield area available with accommodations for all types of interests and activities.

PROMOTIONAL ITEMS AVAILABLE!

T-SHIRTS

CAPS

BUELINGO FLAGS (sorting sticks)

Call the office for sizes/prices available  
815-745-2147

[office@buelingo.com](mailto:office@buelingo.com)

## CALVING REPORT 2022!

**It's important to our Society to collect calving and weaning reports.**

While your waiting on your new crop calves, take time to fill out the weaning report from last fall's calves. Then when you finish calving this season, both will be ready to mail in your results. If you have the records, consider sharing them with the Society to help establish average weights, markings, twins, and color.

A collection form is included with the newsletter, or you may copy it off of the [www.buelingo.com](http://www.buelingo.com) web page "forms and fees". Thanks for supporting the BueLingo Beef Cattle Society.

**PMT TESTING!** 815-745-2147 or office@buelingo.com

We are still contracted for PMT testing through UC DAVIS. We will maintain the benefits of a formal agreement without being bound to minimum testing requirements. All testing will be done through the Society office to verify and validate the results within our PMT database. **Cost \$30.00 per test.** This covers the cost of the test itself, collection cards, as well as the postage and handling fees. UC Davis has been returning test results within 5-10 days. Request collection cards from the office, and I will send them out directly with instruction of collection. Return the sample with the \$30.00 fee and I will contact you with the results once received.

**Secretary's Message:**

Board of Directors met January 22, 2022 in Prairie du Chien, WI

Nominations were closed for the 2022-2025 B of D. Grace Meyer and Tonya Albarado are the nominees.

A Hall of Honor Animal has been selected. Join us at the 2022 Convention for the reveal.

2022 Calendars were a great fund raiser for the Society. A profit of \$1200.00 so far. Thank you to all who sponsored a page and provided pictures. Keep snapping pictures of those belted cattle and share them with us for the 2023 Calendar. If you submit one that is selected for the FRONT COVER, you will receive one free calendar. Remember to have a HIGH RESOLUTION picture that we can blow up to an 8 x 10. If you take your pictures on the phone, be sure and send them all original size. I will let you know if it is sufficient to print. Sending via email is the best option: office@buelingo.com. Keep up the good work.

Registrations are down again this year to 154 animals. 83 Black, 8 BIF black, and 3 BIF WF black...56 Red, 8 BIF red, and 1 BIF WF red.

If you have any questions about registering cattle, filling out the form, or any questions in general, give me a call or an email and I will be happy to answer them. Sincerely Belted, Susan Blair

**FOR SALE**

BueLingo Bred Cows to start Calving April/May

**Black Berry Farm  
Tom Sukowatey**

W3028 County Rd G

Elmwood, WI 54740

Ph: 715-317-0578

**BueLingo World Deadline:**

**April 30, 2022**

To be included in the Spring Issue May 2022

Ads, (options from Business card size up to full page) Color or Black and White. Can help with set up if needed. Stories, pictures, Cattle Anything of BueLingo interest.

Submit: office@buelingo.com or mail:

15904 W Warren Rd. Warren, IL 61087

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 \* **OFFICE HOURS:** \*  
 \* OPEN most days about 9 or 10, occasionally as early as 7, but SOMEDAYS as late as 12 or 1. \*  
 \* WE CLOSE about 5:30 or 6, Occasionally about 4 or 5, but SOMETIMES as late as 11 or 12. \*  
 \* SOMEDAYS or afternoons we aren't here at all and Lately we've been here all the time, Except \*  
 \* when we are someplace else. \*  
 \* I hope this clears up any confusion of when to contact the office either by phone or email: \*  
 \* Have a safe and productive calving season. We started calving last weekend and the herd is growing. \*  
 \* The weather is all over the board. 40 degrees yesterday and down to 9 this morning. There has been \*  
 \* some manure hauling so the yards aren't building up too badly. My folklore predicts we should have \*  
 \* 48 snowfalls. Only 42 to go. Be careful around those new mommas, and get the Convention on your \*  
 \* calendar for 2022. They have a great line-up to keep us entertained and educated. Always fun to stay \*  
 \* in touch with old friends and a great opportunity to make new ones. Sincerely Belted, Susan Blair \*  
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Would you like your own little herd of BueLingo?

Check out these adorable stuffed belted beauties. They can be purchased through The Belted Cow Orchard in Kirkwood, IL. Owned by the Meyer family. Check out their web page: And Shop. They offer more than just these stuffed belted cuties at their site.

HELP PROMOTE BUELINGO!



### **National BueLingo Beef Cattle Auction 2022**

**Sponsored by: Midwest BueLingo Cattle Association** Hosted on the Facebook page: “BueLingo Beef Cattle Society

**All consignors:** Please send in pictures, pedigree, location, starting bid, and any other information about livestock being sold that you want added to the post by or before **MARCH 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022**. There will be one post per animal up for sale. This post will include pictures, a pedigree, location, starting price, and other information the seller wishes to include. Please comment your bid underneath the post in the comment section so the administrators will be able to see your bids in the correct order. Consignments will be posted on **Saturday March 5, 2022** for bidding to commence, and **lots will start closing in increments of 10 minutes at noon on Saturday March 12, 2022**. We will turn off commenting on the posts at the end of sale time.

**CATTLE WILL BE POSTED IN THE ORDER THAT THEY ARE RECEIVED!**

#### **To Post Animals and/or questions:**

Contact: Grace Meyer: [gracemeyer321@hotmail.com](mailto:gracemeyer321@hotmail.com)

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#### **GUIDELINES TO SELLERS**

- \* Be members of the BueLingo Beef Cattle Society and live in the continental USA
- \* All consigned animals must be registered or eligible for registry (cow/calf pair sold as one unit), and PMT status must be disclosed on the post. The seller guarantees to the buyer that the pedigree, performance data, and individual genetic designation of the animal, as represented in any sales materials (including sale book, supplement sheet, or day-of-sale announcements) are accurate.
- \* Cost will be \$25 to post animal and an additional \$25 if animal sells made payable to:  
BBCS (BueLingo Beef Cattle Society) - 15904 W Warren Rd. Warren, IL 61087
- \* Opening Bid is set by the seller.
- \* Must allow prospective buyers to view live animals posted for sale by appointment
- \* Must not allow sold animals to leave your premises until payment is received via Cashier's Check by the BueLingo Beef Cattle Society and the office verifies money has been received.

#### **PROSPECTIVE BUYERS**

- \* All bids must be in \$50 increments. You can bid \$100 or \$200 over just stay on 50's
- \* Please remember to refresh your screen regularly to see if you have been outbid.
- \* Payment of purchased animals must be made within 5 days after sale. Please send **payment via Cashier's Check** to the BueLingo Beef Cattle Society office (15904 W Warren Rd. Warren, IL 61087)
- \* Each animal will be sold to the highest bidder. The person in charge will settle any disputes as to bids, and his decision on such matters will be final.
- \* The Buyer is responsible for transportation of purchased animals.
- \* Contact consignor within 5 days after sale and make arrangements for transportation and necessary health papers.

**Buyer's Risk:** The risk of loss and injury of each animal passes to the buyer as soon as it is sold; but it is the obligation of the seller to ensure the animals are fed and cared for free of charge to the buyer until loaded for shipment or until the expiration of 5 days after the sale, whichever occurs first.

**Please follow our Facebook page called “BueLingo Beef Cattle Society” for upcoming updates or posts related to the auction. Posted items on the Facebook page take precedent over this announcement.**

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