

TBBA Miss America SALE Soars!

1 Herd Sire Prospect grosses \$5800 to average \$5800

2 Fall Pairs gross \$9500 to average \$4750

9 Spring Pairs gross \$40,400 to average \$4489

7 Fall Bred Females gross \$21,450 to average \$3065

16 Open Heifers gross \$51,300 to average \$3207

35 Total Lots gross \$128,450 to average \$3670

Brangus breeders and enthusiasts gathered in Salado, TX for good cattle, fellowship and food at the annual Texas Brangus Breeders Association weekend. Friday night was the annual membership meeting and social followed on Saturday with the TBBA Miss America Sale.

Thirty five head representing 18 breeders across Texas sold on a beautiful day and were well received by the buying public. 53 buyers representing TX, AL, MS and MO were on hand to evaluate the offering. The high selling lot was Lot 8, CB MS Blanda 415X5 with an LTD bull calf at side, consigned by Cavender Ranches and purchased for \$7,250 by Rancho Los Pinos of Hempstead, TX. Following her was another spring pair, Lot 7, MS HLC Next Step Pathfinder 381Y2 with a Captian Jack heifer calf at side consigned by Hodde Land and Cattle bringing \$6,000 to Genesis Ranch, Columbus, TX.

The high selling open heifer was Lot 27, a Black Gold granddaughter consigned by Triple Crown Ranch and selling to Myles Hackstedt of Needville, TX for \$6,000. The second high selling open heifer was lot 34, a Jethro daughter sold by Schoenig Land and Cattle to McMurtry Farms of Troy, TX for \$4,000.

The high selling fall pair was DCC Ms Blackhawk News 2 T2 consigned by Dillard Land and Cattle, selling for \$5,000 to Donnie Dippel of LaGrange, TX. One herd sire prospect was consigned by Indian Hills Ranch and sold for \$5,800 to McCreary Farms of Evergreen, AL.

A donation lot consigned by Skyhawk Brangus, Lingg Brangus and JLS International sold for \$3,700 to Triple Crown Ranch, Angleton, TX. This lot was sold for the benefit of the TJBBA.

Volume buyers include Las Tres Hermanas, Larry Franke, of Karnes City, TX; Doguet's Diamond D Ranch of McCoy, TX; and Genesis Ranch, Mike & Gloria Weathers, of Columbus, TX.