



## Total Herd Enrollment - THE

THE participants enroll all active registered females in their herd for a single fee per cow on an annual basis. All active females listed in a herd each year must either be enrolled or assigned a disposal/cull code.

Yearly enrollment fees cover:

- registration of single calf or twins;
- two transfers per enrolled female, one for the female if required during that enrollment year and the second transfer will follow the calf until utilized once in its lifetime;
- in-herd performance reports;
- complete herd data submitted through the THE program is sent to the genetic evaluation weekly through IGS using the BOLT system;
- embryo transplant calves will receive the same registration and transfer privileges as natural born calves for the same enrolled fee provided the donor dam or recipient dam is enrolled in Total Herd Enrollment Program. The first calf registered to such dam will be free and an enrollment fee will be charged for each additional transplant calf registered to the donor dam or recipient dam during the twelve-month period.

Fees are not refundable, except for 1<sup>st</sup> calf heifers, providing complete performance, disposal information and written request for refund is submitted. For all other females that are disposed of or sold between installment billings, the second installment is due and payable by the member who enrolled the female.

Should an enrolled female leave the Total Herd Enrollment Program and then rejoin, a reactivation fee must also be paid in addition to all other fees set by the Board of Directors.

### **THE Forms (for members who are NOT online participants)**

- **THE Enrollment forms** - for your cowherd are sent out each October.
- **THE Calving Data** - once your females are enrolled each year, you will receive a Registration Form and Performance Worksheet listing all your active enrolled females. Please complete calving records on all enrolled females, even if calf was born dead or died after birth.  
**Complete performance information is encouraged on all producing females, as it greatly improves the quality of the data, and the ensuing genetic evaluation.**
- **THE Weaning forms** - once weaning been received and entered, you will receive an updated worksheet, plus Growth Performance and Compliance Reports for any missing data.
- **THE Yearling forms** - once yearling been received and entered, you will receive an updated Growth Performance and Compliance Report for any missing data.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: CSA submits data and conducts evaluations weekly through IGS using the BOLT system. It is important to submit data as soon as possible after collection to ensure that genetic evaluations reflect all available information on an animal.**

### Fees for CSA members in Total Herd Enrollment

- Enrollment fees cover registration of single calf or twins
- Transfer of enrolled female
- First transfer of calf born to enrolled female
- Embryo transplant.... \$22.00 (Note: no charge if enrollment fee paid on recipient dam)
- Reactivation fee..... \$50.00

For complete Female Enrollment received by

- December 15 ..... \$22.00/head
- Online Simmental.com..... \$20.00/head
- Invoice for 1<sup>st</sup> installment (50% of assessment fee) ... **April 1**
- Invoice for 2<sup>nd</sup> installment (50% of assessment fee) ... **October 1**
- Cost to enroll between **December 16 & February 15**...\$27.00 (Invoice for total assessment on **April 1**)
- Cost to enroll after **February 15** ... \$38.00/head. (Invoice for total assessment on **April 1 or at time of enrollment**)

\*Fees not refundable (exception 1<sup>st</sup> calf heifers)

Fees do not include GST or HST. Please add applicable taxes.

**ONLINE SIMMENTAL.COM USERS WILL NOT RECEIVE PAPER FORMS FROM THE OFFICE. THE participants using the online system are required to submit enrollments, calving, weaning and yearling data through their online program.**

### FORMS & INFORMATION

- CSA Member Letter
- THE Instructions
- THE Instructions (Online)
- THE Performance Codes
- THE Reasons to Participate
- THE Performance Worksheet Instructions