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We had a very successful Simmental Tour

Will be weaning calves this week

Getting ready to start 3rd cutting hay, and chopping corn.

Stephanie & Travis are back in School



Clay, Stephanie & I went to WI to help Grace celebrate her first birthday, and then we got to bring Grace home with us for 8 glorious days. Stephanie, Travis, BreAnn & Grandpa juggled the babysitting chores. Sarah & Ryan came for the tour - we had the best week. Grace really enjoys being outside - she especially liked riding in Grandpa's buddy seat on his tractor.



On Friday August 29th we began our Eastern Montana Simmental Tour with registration. We heard from Dr. Bruce Hoffman, Animal Profiling, Int'l speak to us on BVD-PI, and the importance of testing. To conclude the evening Dr. Jerry Lipsey, Executive Secretary from American Simmental Association discussed the importance of crossbreeding. Saturday morning we boarded the bus and headed for breakfast at Begger's Diamond V Ranch. Bill and the rest of the Begger family served a great hot breakfast, and had a great display of cattle. Next stop was Nelson Livestock Company. Tom and his family had a number of herd bulls on hand, as well as a great display of their cattle. JayTemchack, Laughing Stock Fitting, served us Brazilian BBQ for lunch.. Next we boarded the bus and traveled to Skillesatd Ranch Simmentals. Jim and the rest of the crew had a great display of their cattle, and served us a cool drink and snack. The tour ended with a stop at Lassle Ranch Simmentals. Clay showed us a great display of both bull and heifer calves, as well as a handful of bred heifers. We then were treated to a great beef dinner. Warren Nelson served as tour guide on the bus, pointing out interesting sites along the way. At each stop we also had round table discussions, emceed by Jerry Lipsey. We would like to thank all of the producers that took time out from their busy schedules to join us. And also we would like to thank all of our sponsors that helped us put on this tour.

