



YOUNG CANADIAN SIMMENTAL ASSOCIATION (YCSA)

APPLICATION FORM

Member # _____

MEMBERSHIP NAME (Maximum 30 Letters) Fill in if operating as a farming entity, otherwise will default to Member Name

NAME OF MEMBER (Note: Only **ONE** Member Name for this Membership Category)

ADDRESS

TELEPHONE

ADDRESS

ALTERNATE TELEPHONE NUMBER

CITY/TOWN & PROVINCE

E-MAIL (for online services)

POSTAL CODE

ALTERNATE E-MAIL

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THIS APPLICATION INCLUDES

- This completed APPLICATION FORM
- PROOF OF AGE (birth certificate, driver's license, passport, or other provincially accepted proof)
- Completed APPENDIX A
- Under 18 years of age, completed APPENDIX B
- Optional APPENDIX C
- Optional APPENDIX D
- Optional APPENDIX E

I confirm to the eligibility criteria and the By-Laws of the Young Canadian Simmental Association.

Applicants Name

Applicants Signature

Guardian Name (if Applicant is under the age of 18)

Guardian Signature, if necessary

APPENDIX A

Credit Card Authorization Form

Please complete all fields. You may cancel this authorization at any time by contacting us. This authorization will remain in effect **until cancelled**.

Credit Card Information			
Credit Type (select one)	Mastercard	VISA	AMEX
Cardholder Name (as shown on the card)			
Card Number			
Expiry Date (mm/yy)			
Security Code / CVV			

I, _____ hereby authorize and request that the Canadian Simmental Association charges my credit card above for agreed upon fees and services charges related to the account of _____. I fully understand that my credit card information will be saved to the file for future transactions on the account of _____.

Card Holder Name

Card Holder Signature

Application Fee- \$25.00 + applicable taxes

Additional service and administrative fees:

Fee Schedules can be found on www.simmental.com

APPENDIX B

APPLICANTS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE

Guardian Authorized Account Users

Applicants under age 18 require at least one guardian to be provided signing authority on the account. This authorization can only be cancelled by the member after the age of 18 years.

Guardian Authorized Account Users

User Name	User Address	User Telephone & Email Address

I understand that all additional authorized account signors have full access to this account, including transfers. I understand that I hold the responsibility to notify the Canadian Simmental Association in writing if any authorized account signors authorization is to be cancelled.

Applicants Name

Applicants Signature

Guardian Name (if Applicant is under the age of 18)

Guardian Signature, if necessary

I understand that my access can be revoked or removed at anytime by the member/applicant of the account.

Guardian Account User Name

Guardian Authorized Account User Signature

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Guardian Authorized Account User Signature

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Guardian Authorized Account User Signature

APPENDIX C

Authorized Account Users

Complete to authorize additional account users/account signors. Non-member signors can be added, or removed by the member/applicant at anytime by providing written notice to the Canadian Simmental Association. Authorized users, beyond the member/applicant do not receive online access.

Authorized Account Users

User Name	User Address	User Telephone & Email Address

I understand that all additional authorized account signors have full access to this account, including transfers inventory. I understand that I hold the responsibility to notify the Canadian Simmental Association in writing if any authorized account signors authorization is to be cancelled.

Applicants Name

Applicants Signature

I understand that my access can be revoked or removed at anytime by the member/applicant of the account.

Authorized Account User Name

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APPENDIX D

Master Herd Affiliation

Complete when requesting a herd affiliation. This is relevant when herds are co-mingled or when herds are managed by a master user. Master herd affiliation permits the master herd user to register, transfer, or dispose of animals under this account. A Master herd affiliation requires the master herd user to be both a registered and active CSA member, as well as an online user.

Performance data submitted with a Master herd affiliation will be combined with the master herd data and reported as a single herd. The data is included in performance reports and genetic evaluation as a single combined herd for both the applicant/member animals, and the master herd.

Master Herd Affiliation

Master Herd Name	CSA Member ID

Applicants Name

Applicants Signature

Guardian Name (if Applicant is under the age of 18)

Guardian Signature, if necessary

I accept that by affiliating my herd with the applicants herd the performance of my herd (including EPD calculation) may be impacted by this affiliation.

Master Herd Authorized Account User Name

Master Herd Authorized Account User Signature

Master Herd Authorized Account User Name

Master Herd Authorized Account User Signature

APPENDIX E

Completed only if intending on registering animals. Please read FULL instructions/explanation before completing request.

REQUEST FOR HERD (tattoo) LETTERS

Please allot the Herd Letters:

_____ **1st Choice**

_____ **2nd Choice**

_____ **3rd Choice**

_____ **4th Choice**

for tattooing Simmental Cattle. Please list 4 letter choices as many combinations may not be available.
Note: Herd Letters consist of 3 to 4 letters and CANNOT contain numbers or the letter "Q".

REQUEST FOR HERD NAME PREFIX

Please allot the Herd Prefix:

_____ **1st Choice**

_____ **2nd Choice**

_____ **3rd Choice**

_____ **4th Choice**

The Herd Name is used in conjunction with Herd naming. The entire name (including prefix, etc.) must not consist of more than *twenty-five (25)* characters. The Herd Prefix must be acceptable to the CSA

Registration of prefixes and naming animals

“Herd Prefix” means a unique combination of letters and numbers allotted to a member by the Association for that member’s exclusive use as the first word(s) in the name of each animal registered by that member with the Association.

Herd Prefix must not be confused with farm name. The Canadian Simmental Association does not register farm names; this is done through your corporate registry office. However, we will register a Herd Prefix for your exclusive use in **naming** your Simmental animals.

When choosing a Herd Prefix, please keep in mind that the full name of an animal is limited to 25 combined characters and spaces. Therefore, it is always wise to choose a short prefix, made up of two letters or more with no spaces.

For instance, a member whose farm name is GOOD TIME SIMMENTAL RANCH may wish to register the Herd Prefix **GOODTIME** for his/her exclusive use in naming his/her Simmentals when he/she registers them. Please note that a Herd Prefix must be registered as **one word** and, if made up of more, the words must be linked by a hyphen (e.g. **GOOD-TIME**) or by omitting the space between the words (e.g. **GOODTIME**). The Herd Prefix GOODTIME, having 8 letters, leaves the member 17 spaces for the rest of the name he/she gives his animal. For example: GOODTIME XTREME 214X would use up 20 of the 25 combined characters and spaces allowed.

The registered Herd Prefix must precede any other name given to the animal in order to ensure exclusiveness. E.g. **GOODTIME MR XTREME 214X** is correctly using the Herd Prefix, while MR GOODTIME XTREME 214X is incorrect.

You may also choose to register your Tattoo Letters as your Herd Prefix. For instance, if Good Time Simmental Ranch’s Tattoo Letters are GTSR he/she may also register GTSR as his/her Herd Prefix and all his/her registered Simmental cattle would bear GTSR in front of their names. E.g. **GTSR MR XTREME 214X**.

The purpose of using a Herd Prefix is to make your cattle herd identifiable and consistent. It indicates, by name, where that animal was bred and by whom it was registered.

To ensure that you are using the correct Herd Prefix, contact the CSA office.