

Wisconsin Angus News

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Fall 2015

Angus Action 2015

September

September 12

Riley Bros. Angus Production Sale, Darlington, WI (5:00 pm)

September 18

Lausteds GreenMeadows Farm, Lanesboro Sales Commission, Lanesbor, MN.

September 19 and 20

KCJ Angus and Linder Reds Fall Pasture Sale, Platteville, WI
Fernvale Angus Private Treaty Angus Sale, Mineral Point, WI

September 24-27

Ar-Sar-Ben, Omaha, Neb

September 25-27

World Beef Expo, Wisconsin State Fair Park, West Allis, WI

September 26

World Beef Expo Showcase Sale, West Allis, WI

October

October 3

World Class Angus Sale, Sullivan, WI

October 4

Markhardt Land & Cattle Production Sale, Barneveld

October 10

Gaffney Family Cattle Production Sale, Barneveld

October 11

Mill Coulee Angus Farm Fall Female Sale, Prairie du Chien, WI

October 15

Minnesota Beef Expo, St. Paul, MN.
Fountain Farms, Endeavor, WI, Online Angus Sale

October 26

2K Cattle Enterprise, Glen Haven, WI Online Sale with Caldwell-Willoughby

October 27

Henning Farms, Janesville, WI Online Sale, Caldwell/Willoughby
S&R Angus, Weston and Tower Hill Farms, Rudolph Online Sale with Caldwell-Willoughby.

October 31

American Royal Junior Show and Angus ROV Show, Kansas City

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WP Junes Khloe, a June daughter of BEB Juneau 104, was named Supreme Champion Bred and Owned Heifer of the Wisconsin State Fair Junior Show. She was exhibited by Kole Lorentz, Woodville, WI.

2K Blackcap 1904, a September daughter of EXAR Classen 1422B, was named Grand Champion Angus and Supreme Champion of the Open Show for exhibitor, Reba Keene, Potosi, WI.



Standing Supreme

A Commitment To Herdsmanship

Jared Radcliffe Selected as Junior Herdsman Of The Year

A huge amount of effort went into cattle at the National Junior Angus Show (NJAS), even before they ever entered the showing. Two members of the National Junior Angus Association (NJAA) know this well. Jackson Wingert, Ottawa, Kan., and Jared Radcliffe, Weston, WI, were both recognized with the Junior Herdsman of the Year award at the 2015 NJAS, July 13-18 in Tulsa, Okla. They were selected for their commitment to the Angus breed and the NJAA.

"The NJAA has been a great organization to be involved with," Wingert says. "I've learned so much that I have been able to use and now share throughout my future."

The Junior Herdsman of the Year award recognizes NJAA members who show

dedication to their animals, a strong work ethic, the ability to work with consumers and other junior members, and the skills to prepare their cattle for show.

Every junior exhibiting cattle at the NJAS is eligible to vote for the member they believe deserves the award. Throughout the week, they watch their peers and determine who best exemplifies the qualities of a herdsman.

Radcliffe can be found standing by the showing whenever a fellow Wisconsin junior is showing, ready to lend a hand. A student at South Dakota State University, he is using his experience in the Angus industry to further his education.

"It means a lot to win this award," Radcliffe says. "Especially knowing that it's

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Angus Events

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November

November 1

Marda Angus Farms and Spring Creeks Cattle Company Production Sale, Lodi.

November 3-5

2015 Angus Means Business National Convention and Trade Show, Overland Park, Kansas.

November 15 and 16

North American International Livestock Exposition Angus Shows, Louisville, KY.

December

December 4-6

Badger Kick-Off Classic, Madison

Views From Your President

Greetings,

Fall is just around the corner! It has been a busy summer, with numerous shows and events to attend. Not to mention getting ready for the upcoming fall sale season. I look forward to seeing you out and about at the many upcoming production sales or at World Beef Expo coming up in Sept.

I would like to send a special thanks out to Kathy Miller, Tom Peters, Chad Stevenson, Mark and Elli Schmit, Lora Henning, Courtney Jentz, Jaci Williams, Carson Kicmol, and Ardel Quam



for donating their time to help the Wisconsin Angus Association fill a shift at the Wisconsin Cattlemen's Steak Trailer this year at State Fair. Thank You Very Much!!

We will also be putting together our annual breeder directory to head to print before Christmas so if you haven't already reserved your ad please give me a call with your questions and I can let you know your options.

I wish you all a safe and prosperous fall!!

God Bless

Justin Diefenbach
Wisconsin Angus President

2015 Farm Tech Days Success In Sun Prairie

It was a great event at Statz Bros Dairy with great weather and lots of people asking great questions about the beef industry and the Angus Breed. The Angus booth was in the Wisconsin Cattlemen's Beef tent that the Cattlemen sponsor.

A special "thank you" to Crystal Schuster for bringing her cow calf pair in to be on display.

Jack Cummings and Jeff Beget manned the booth on Wednesday and Susan Howard and Mike Chadwick worked it on Thursday. Lots of printed materials and

directories were handed out.

In the tent were ten other breeds on display and Ag businesses related to the beef industry.

There were meat cutting and cooking demonstrations and Dr. Amy Redunz gave her presentation on the impact of the beef industry on Wisconsin.

Two auctions were held daily, put on by the Wisconsin Auctioneer's Association. Selling were donated items with the proceeds going to the Wisconsin chapter of the Make A Wish Foundation.

Speaker Sensation At The National Convention

The annual meeting of delegates to the American Angus Association will be held Thursday, November 5, in conjunction with the 2015 Angus Means Business National Convention and Trade Show which will be held in Overland Park, Kan. November 3-5.

Entertaining and educational, an impressive line-up headlines this Angus event.

Highlights of the week's events include an International Angus Genomics Symposium on Tuesday, Nov. 3, sponsored by Neogen®'s GeneSeek Operations, during which keynote speaker and genetics pioneer Richard Resnick will discuss the evolving progress of genomic technology. The afternoon will provide hands-on Genomics Innovation Workshops sponsored by Zoetis.

On Wednesday, Nov. 4, Angus University, sponsored by Merck Animal

December 19

County Lane Elite Angus Sale online with Caldwell/Willoughby.

January 2016

January 13 - 16

National Western Angus ROV Shows and Sales

Health, returns to follow "A Story of a Steak" and share insights on increasing quality in the nation's beef production chain. Ken Schmidt, former Harley-Davidson communications director is the morning keynote speaker.

The afternoon will feature 21 educational breakouts with emphasis on management, animal health, advertising and marketing, commercial cattle production, ag markets, social media training and low-stress cattle demonstrations.

"We are incredibly proud of the slate of education and entertainment available at the 2015 National Angus Convention," says Becky Weishaar, Creative Media director and lead contact for the event.

"We encourage cattle producers to reserve their place in advance of the early registration deadline of October 2 for only \$75 per person. Hotel reservations are also made on the convention website, and the hotel block features a variety of price points and amenities on a first-come, first-serve basis."

Go online to www.angusconvention.com to access a convention schedule, trade show map and more information on travel arrangements.



Gaffney Family Cattle 7th Annual Production Sale OCTOBER 10, 2015

Saturday, 3 pm CDT • Barneveld, WI

Special Guests: Crouch Angus Valley



**Gaffney
Lady Party 439**
18120712

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	DOC	HP	CEM	Milk	CW	MARB	RE	\$W	\$F	\$G	\$B
+10	+5	+73	+128	+22	+31	+13.6	+13	+27	+56	+79	+79	+85.67	+92.44	+34.25	+163.06

This lead off female in the 2015 sale is a direct daughter of KCF Bennett Absolute back to the top-selling female of the 2015 NWSS Foundation Female Sale, RB Lady Party 192-305. The dam is a full sister to the hottest bull in the industry, RB Tour Of Duty 177. She Sells!



RB Lady Party 192-305
Dam of Gaffney Lady Party 439.



**Gaffney
Game Time 370**
17805943

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	DOC	HP	CEM	Milk	CW	MARB	RE	\$W	\$F	\$G	\$B
+19	-3.8	+68	+121	+24	+14	+11.6	+20	+29	+29	+43	+97	+87.36	+90.52	+34.61	+114.99

The top-selling bull of the 2015 Spring Gaffney Family Cattle Annual Bull Sale is a featured Select Sires AI Sire. This outstanding bull has some of the best numbers of any son of Connealy Confidence 0100 in the country, back to the legendary RB Lady Standard 305-890.



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Wisconsin State Fair



SMA Watchout 482, Junior and Grand Champion Bull. Sugar Maple Angus, Bloomington, WI, exhibitor.



2K Cash 725, Junior Bull Calf Champion and Reserve Grand Champion. 2K Cattle Enterprises, Glen Haven, exhibitor.



CMS Total Lady 243 and Lady Liana 415, Champion Cow/Calf Pair. Crystal Schuster, Marshall, WI, exhibitor.

OPEN SHOW

Judge: Shane Lindsey, Iowa
Numbers: 42 Head; Heifers: 38 head; Cow Calf Pair: 1 pair; Bulls: 2 head

Heifers:

Senior Calf and Grand Champion, 2K Blackcap 1904, Reba Keene, Potosi, WI; Junior and Res. Grand Champion, Dameron C-5 Cheyenne 4131, Emily Brooks, Prophetstown, IL.

Junior Calf Champion: HF Blackbird 1501, Evan Henning, Janesville; Res., 2K Pride 625, 2K Cattle Enterprises, Glen Haven.

Senior Calf Champion: 2K Blackcap 1904, Reba Keene, Potosi, WI; Res., Hill Valley Elbina 456, Jack Henderson, East Troy, WI.

Intermediate Champion: Dameron Northern Miss 4147, Emily Brooks, Prophetstown, IL; Res.; Metters MS Copper Mtn 4108, San Henderson, East Troy, WI.

Junior Champion, Dameron C-5 Cheyenne 4131, Emily Brooks, Prophetstown, IL; Res., 4WA Emma 411, Jared Radcliffe, Weston.

Senior Champion, Champion Hill Juanada 8556, Grace Link, Deerfield; Res., S&R Proven Queen 350, Jack Henderson, East Troy.

Cow/Calf Pair

Champion, CMS Total Lady 243 and CMS Lady Liana 415, Crystal Schuster, Marshall, WI

Bulls

Junior and Grand Champion, SMA Watchout 482, Sugar Maple Angus, Bloomington, WI.

Champion Junior Bull Calf and Reserve Grand, 2K Cash 725, 2K Cattle Enterprises, Glen Haven.

Best Four Head: Thornberry Angus, Westby, WI
Premier Breeder: 2K Cattle Enterprises, WI
Premier Exhibitor: Thornberry Angus, WI



HF Blackbird 1501, Junior Calf Champion. Evan Henning, Janesville, exhibitor.



2K Pride 625, Reserve Junior Calf Champion. 2K Cattle Enterprises, Glen Haven, exhibitor.



Allison and Claire Hawthorn, Thornberry Angus, Westby, WI, were named Premier Exhibitor.



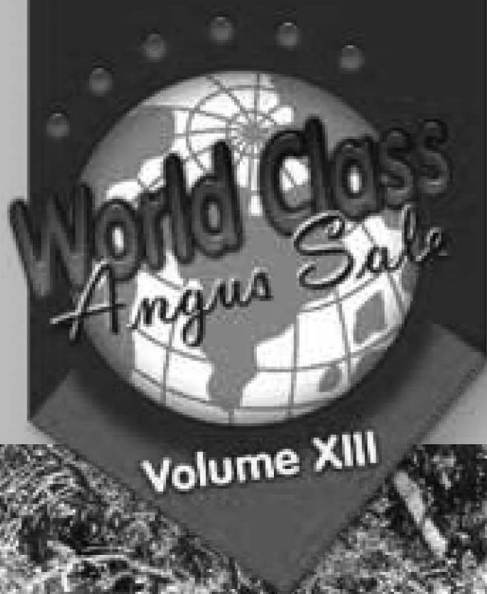
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Marda Blackbird Ursa 536

A full sister to the \$26,000 top-selling bull of the 2015 Midland Bull Test Sale, by Connealy Onward, from TC Blackbird Ursa 6087. Also selling a full sister bred with a sexed heifer calf by Connealy Black Granite, and a maternal sister by EXAR Upshot 0562B with a sexed bull calf by Connealy Black Granite.



Spring Creeks Rita 5015

One of six heifers selling by the \$340,000 EXAR Denver 2002B, whose first calf crop comprised nine of the ten members of the third-place 2015 National Western Carload of Bulls.

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 \$G: 44.06
 \$B: 152.40

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 Reg: 17468974

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BW -9 • WW 97 • YW 159 • \$B 181.08

Mill Coulee Blackbird 907

Reg: 16568479
 BD: 02/16/2009

Sire: SAV Final Answer 0035 | AI bred to Tour of Duty

Mill Coulee Barbara 413

Reg: 17994838
 BD: 01/26/2014

BW: 1.7
 WW: 61
 YW: 106
 Milk: 26

Sire: Connealy Final Product
 AI bred to Stevenson Rockmount RX 933 (Reg. 16647203)

Mill Coulee Lady 520

Reg: 18161793
 BD: 01/25/2015

BW: 1.0
 WW: 57
 YW: 99
 Milk: 24

Sire: Connealy Final Product

Auctioneer: Dustin Carter 712-898-9972

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 • Reg: 15773642 | BD: 01/26/2007 Bred to: AAR Ten X
 • 537 Heifer calf at side



Dam: *Mill Coulee Barbara 860*
 • Reg: +16568486 | BD: 11/10/2008

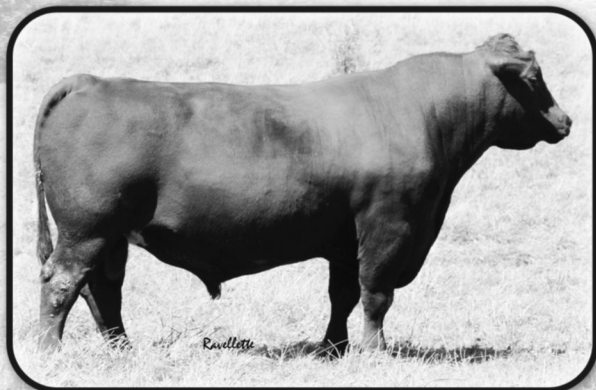


Dam: *Mill Coulee Barbara K 443*
 • Reg: 18061195 | BD: 02/24/2014 Bred to: MC Frontman



Dam: *Mill Coulee Blackbird 907*
 • Reg: 16568479 | BD: 02/16/2009 Bred to: Tour of Duty
 • Heifer calf: Mill Coulee Blackbird 506; Reg. 18150099

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 BW: -2.1 • WW: 63 • YW: 110 • Milk: 35 • \$B: 141.76

Fall Female Sale

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2015 | 2PM CST | AT THE FARM, PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, WI

At The Backdrop

Wisconsin State Fair

Junior Show Champions Are Named



S&R Proven Queen 350, Senior and Grand Champion Heifer. Jack Henderson, East Troy, exhibitor.



CLF Lady 84B, Junior and Reserve Grand Champion. Allison Hawthorne, Westby, WI, exhibitor.



Kin Gem 8128 1108 and Heifer Calf, Champion Cow and Calf, Signe Kind Jefferson, exhibitor.



Thornberry Mystery, Reserve Senior Calf, Champion Senior Calf Bred and Owned and Reserve Grand Champion Bred and Owned Heifer.



Black Ace Ms Lutton 055 ET, Senior Calf Champion. Anna Schoen, Eau Claire, exhibitor.



Gaffney Lady Party 448, Reserve Intermediate Champion. Paige Gaffney, Barneveld, exhibitor.



Top Line Ellie 3067, Reserve Senior Champion. Kolin Huth, Richland Center, exhibitor.



City-Side Sara 14, Reserve Junior Bred and Owned Heifer. Kori Beisbier, Reedsburg, exhibitor.

JUNIOR SHOW:

Judge: Lydel Meier. Numbers: 36 Head

Heifers:

Senior and Grand Champion, S&R Proven Queen 350, Jack Henderson, East Troy; Junior and Res. Grand Champion, CLF Lady 84B, Allison Hawthorne, Westby, WI. Bred and Owned Intermediate and Grand Champion, WP Junes Khloe, Kole Lorentz, Woodville; Bred and Owned Senior Calf Champion and Res. Grand Champion, Thornberry Mystery, Claire Hawthorne, Westby.

Senior Calf Champion, Black Ace Ms Lutton 050 ET, Anna Schoen, Eau Claire; Res. and Champion Bred and Owned, Thornberry Mystery, Claire Hawthorne, Westby. Res. Bred and Owned, Gaffney Blackcap 486, Bree Gaffney, Barneveld.

Intermediate Champion and Champion Bred and Owned, WP Junes Khloe, Kole Lorentz, Woodville.; Res., Gaffney Lady Party 448, Paige Gaffney, Barneveld.

Junior Champion, CLF Lady 84B, Allison Hawthorne, Westby; Res., PVF Proven Queen 4075, Evan Henning, Janesville. Junior Champion Bred and owned, HF Georgina 1418, Evan Henning, Janesville. Res. Junior Bred and owned, City-Side Sara 14, Kori Beisbier, Reedsburg.

Senior Champion, S&R Proven Queen 350, Jack Henderson, East Troy; Res., Top Line Ellie 3067, Kolin Huth, Richland Center.

Cow/Calf Pair:

Kind Gem 8128-1108 and Calf, Signe Kind, Jefferson.

Showmanship:

Reserve Supreme Showman: Jack Henderson

13 Year Old: Sam Henderson, 2nd; Kole Lorentz, 3rd.

14 Year Old: Grace Link, 1st

15 Year Old: Jack Henderson, 1st

16 Year Old: Claire Hawthorne, 2nd

18 Year Old: Allison Hawthorne, 2nd; Heidi Tremaine, 3rd

19 Year Old: Derek Horstmeyer, 3rd.

Premier Exhibitor

Hannah Tremaine, ninth

NJAA Offers Extended Internship

The National Junior Angus Association (NJAA) offers an extended internship position for one college student each year, allowing them an inside look at what it takes to organize youth events across the country. The internship runs from January to August 2016 and allows students to spend eight months assisting with junior activities and traveling to a number of events.

"The deadline to apply for the paid internship is Oct. 15. For more details on internships offered through the Association, visit www.angus.org.

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Greetings From The Auxillary

The Wisconsin Angus Auxiliary will hold their Annual Meeting on Saturday, Sept. 26, at 11:00 am during the World Beef Expo, Wisconsin State Fair Park. Please plan on joining us for lunch and Chinese Auction. Kori Beisbier will talk about her experience during her year as Wisconsin Angus Queen. Planning 2016 events will also be on the agenda.



While the summer has been quiet for the Auxiliary, our Ambassador team has been busy. Many in the group attended the National Junior Angus Show in Tulsa, OK. Not only did they show cattle, compete in the contests, but also represented Wisconsin well at the Queen's Brunch and in the showing. They've all been busy with their county fairs but found time to meet up at the Wisconsin State Fair helping with awards in the Junior and Open Shows. Thanks for all your help guys! We look forward to seeing you one more time this year at the World Beef Expo in Sept.

Both our 2014 and 2015 WI Angus Queens headed off to Iowa State University recently. The Auxiliary is proud to help them with their education by providing scholarships and travel grant to NJAA LEAD conference. Please see the

article about Kori's recent trip.

Best wishes to all the students entering their senior year of high school and those continuing their education. The Auxiliary is proud to offer scholarships through the generous support of Angus Breeders. Check out requirements and applications on the Wisconsin Angus website / Auxiliary page. There is also additional information posted on the WJAA page for trade/business scholarships. Keep a calendar of deadlines so you don't miss any opportunities.

2016 Scholarship and Ambassador applications are due January 30, 2016.

It's never too early to plan ahead. With Christmas right around the corner (almost) make your customers and "hard to buy" for folks on your list happy with a Cheddar cheese and CAB sausage gift box from the Auxiliary. We ship direct. Volume and bulk orders welcome. Look to the Auxiliary page at Wisconsinangus.org for an order from or contact Kathy Miller, 262-857-7168 or kjmiller7@frontier.com.

The mission of the Auxiliary is to support the adult and youth Associations. If you would like to join the Auxiliary dues are just \$5 annually or \$25 for a life membership. Contact Val Gaffney, gfc@mhtc.net or 608-924-1029, or download the membership form at www.wisconsinangus.org.

Scholarship Opportunities

Wisconsin Angus Auxiliary

2016 graduating High School Seniors
Post-Secondary students having completed one year of education.
Applications online at Wisconsinangus.org/Auxiliary
Contact Becky Henderson 262-514-4022 or crhenderson@tds.net
Due: January 30, 2016

WLBA - Master Stockman Scholarship

High school seniors graduated in 2016 through young adults age 19 years or younger by January 1.
All Master Stockman applicants and/or their immediate families must be paid WLBA member.
Membership applications and complete rules can be found online www.wisconsinlivestockbreeders.com.
Check January deadline.

CAB Colvin Scholarship

College juniors and seniors
\$20,000 will be split among six undergraduate scholarships
\$5,000 graduate level scholarship will be awarded to a deserving full-time masters or doctorate student conducting research related to high quality beef production.
The top undergraduate and graduate scholarship recipients can win an all-expense-paid trip to the Certified Angus Beef® Annual Conference.
www.certifiedangusbeef.com
Due: December 1, 2015

Wisconsin Angus Auxiliary Annual Meeting

Saturday - September 26 - 11:00 am - Wisconsin State Fair Park

Lunch served by WCA, Chinese Raffle – donations accepted

Watch for Informational Email - RSVP Val Gaffney 608-924-1029 or gfc@mhtc.net

Beisbier Receives LEAD Grant

Kori Beisbier, Reedsburg, was the recipient of the Wisconsin Angus Auxiliary LEAD grant. Beisbier attended the NJAS LEAD conference "Success in Seattle" held August 3-5.

"LEAD was an incredible experience," said Beisbier. "I met so many people as Miss Wisconsin Angus during the Junior Nationals in Tulsa and it was great to reconnect with them."

Beisbier had attend LEAD in 2012 held in Boulder Colorado. "Success had a different feel than the Colorado conference where the focus was on cattle: touring ranches, a bull stud and having Temple Grandin speak. Seattle's LEAD was primarily about exploring other types of agriculture including various things the western states are known for and expanding our understanding of agriculture. I especially enjoyed the shellfish farm, learning about how they grow and are marketed" explained Beisbier. "I was glad to have the opportunity to experience both conferences."

Beisbier, daughter of Mark and Amy Beisbier, received the grant through the Auxiliary Ambassador program.



Wisconsin Angus Ambassadors attended the NJAS Queen's Brunch. Pictured (from left), Bree Gaffney, Bameveld; Grace Link, Deerfield; Kori Beisbier, Reedsburg.

Ambassador Program

Open to all WJAA members age 11 to 21 as of January 1, 2016.

Support the WI Angus Association and Auxiliary during events, shows, projects. Scholarship and LEAD Grants offered.

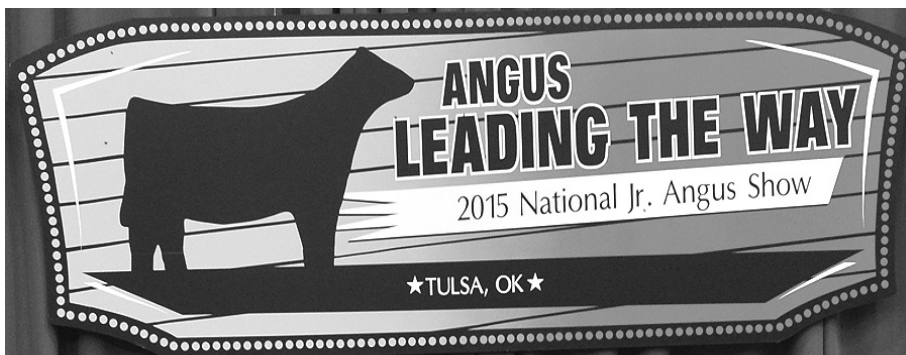
The Ambassador application is online at wisconsinangus.org/auxiliary

Contact Leslie Mindemann 262-593-8836 or lesmindy@gmail.com

Application Due: January 30, 2016



The Auxiliary Cheddar Cheese and CAB Sausage Gift Box make excellent Christmas Gifts.



Nearly 800 Angus juniors and their families traveled to Tulsa, Okla., to compete in the 2015 National Junior Angus Show (NJAS) July 13-18.

National Junior Angus Association (NJAA) members represented "Angus Leading the Way" as they exhibited 1,169 entries during the weeklong event that included more than a dozen educational contests in addition to the cattle show.

Kevin Jensen, Courtland, Kan., judged the 707 owned heifers; Chris Effling, Highmore, S.D., assisted in judging the owned heifers; Jim Pipkin, Republic, Mo., judged the 277 bred-and-owned heifers, 43 cow-calf pairs, and 73 bred-and-owned bulls; Dave Nichols, Manhattan, Kan., assisted in judging the bred-and-owned heifers and cow-calf pairs; and Matt Leo, Snelling, Calif., judged the 69 steers.

Wisconsin had 19 juniors showing 30 plus entries with a number of youth competing in the educational contests. The group was awarded second place in Herdsmanship.

The intermediate team placed well in the CAB Cook-off with their Poor Boy Roast; the group provided cheese curds for the Tailgate Party and WJAA sponsored a hole for the golf outing as well as donated Crystal Schuster's drawing for the Foundation Silent Auction. Paige Gaffney and Claire Hawthorne were the voting delegates for the WJAA.

Adult members, Dave and Shannon Horstmeyer, Kim Hawthorne and Val Gaffney made up the Golf Team.

Jon Tolle received the Star Award from Belle Point Ranch. Hailey Jentz and Ty Gaffney were among the Juniors taking part in the mentoring program.



4WA Emma 411 won owned reserve junior champion heifer--division 6 at the 2015 National Junior Angus Show. Jared Radcliffe, Weston, owns the winning heifer. Photo by Pearls Pics on behalf of the American Angus Association



Hill Valley Elbina 456 won bred-and-owned heifer class 2 at the 2015 National Junior Angus Show (NJAS). John Henderson, East Troy, owns the winning heifer. Photo by Pearls Pics on behalf of the American Angus Association



HF Georgina 1418 won bred-and-owned heifer class 19 at the 2015 National Junior Angus Show (NJAS). Evan Henning, Janesville, owns the winning heifer. Photo by Pearls Pics on behalf of the American Angus Association.

Recognition at NJAS

In his final year of the National Junior Angus Association Activities Jared Radcliffe, Weston, earned his Gold Awards at the 2015 National Junior Angus Show (NJAS) Awards Ceremony. Radcliffe also placed in the top 15 showmen during the prestigious NJAS Showmanship contest. Representing Wisconsin, Suzanne Henning, Janesville, and Jared Radcliffe, Weston were among 52 showmanship contestants displaying their skills during the 2015 NJAS held July 13-18. Radcliffe placed in the top 15 and continued to the final round of the contest.

Radcliff received Owned Reserve Junior Champion honors with 4WA Emma 411 and was selected Junior Herdsman of the Year by his peers ending his junior career on a high note.

Allison Hawthorne, Westby, placed fourth in scholarship competition from the American Angus Auxiliary. The Auxiliary



Jared Radcliffe, Weston, left, and Suzanne Henning, Janesville, right, represented Wisconsin at the 2015 National Junior Angus Showmanship Contest. Fifty-two youth from across the country competed for top honors in the 49th annual event. Photo by Pearls Pics on behalf of the American Angus Association.



Allison Hawthorne, Westby received a \$3,000 scholarship from the Foundation. Allison is pictured with Milford Jenkins, Angus Foundation President. Allison also received fourth place in the American Angus Auxiliary scholarship competition.

awards scholarships to the top five girls and top five boys. Placing first in the state Auxiliary competition allowed her to continue to the national contest.

Hawthorne also received a \$3,000 scholarship from the Angus Foundation. Since 1998, the Angus Foundation has awarded more than \$2.1 million in undergraduate and graduate scholarships to Angus youth.



Kelly and Paige Gaffney, Barneveld, competed in the Photography Competition at the National Junior Angus Show. Kelly placed third in the Intermediate Division for Angus Cattle. Paige was third in the Intermediate Landscape Division. Photos by Pearls Pics on behalf of the American Angus Association.

Special Angus Heifer and Steer Classes Are Offered

Junior beef exhibitors will find a number of positive reasons to select Angus steers and heifers. Besides having a quality animal for a project, the WI Angus Association and Junior Angus Association offers two special classes.

The Associations offer an Angus steer class for Wisconsin bred and nominated steers that is held during the Wisconsin State Fair Junior Steer Show. To compete, these steers must be eligible for state fair and identified and DNAed.

Nomination fee is \$50 and will be paid by the breeder and all nomination fees will be paid to the Junior Exhibitors.

The Futurity Class is for heifers bred by WI Angus Association or Junior Angus Association members and sold to an exhibitor that is a member of the WAA or WJAS in good standing. This class is held in conjunction with the Wisconsin Supreme Angus Preview Show.

Nomination fee is \$50 and will be paid by the breeder. For more information go to www.wisconsinangus.org.

Wisconsin Angus breeders are developing ideas to enhance and expand the Angus steer show at the Wisconsin State Fair. Angus breeders' input is welcomed. Breeders are encouraged to take their ideas to a WI Board Member.



These livestock youth were the top ten judges in the State 4-H Livestock Judging Contest. Alexis Timmel, Jefferson and Heidi Tremaine, Waukesha, far right first row, were first and second in the contest.

Angus Juniors Earn Top Honors At State 4-H Livestock Judging

The State 4-H Livestock Judging Contest was held on Monday, July 27 at the Lodi Agricultural Fairgrounds, Lodi.

This was a new location for the annual venue that allowed the top eleven junior and eight senior county 4-H Livestock judging teams the opportunity to apply their skills in evaluating beef, swine, sheep and meat goat classes in hopes of qualifying for a national livestock judging event this fall. Contributing their skills these WJAA members rose to the top: Alexis Timmel, Jefferson; Heidi Tremaine, Waukesha; and Hannah Tremaine, Waukesha.

The top two teams in the Senior Division will go on to represent Wisconsin

at a National Judging Contest this fall. A team from Manitowoc County took top honors in the senior division. The second place senior team was Jefferson County. Team members include: Alexis Timmel, Hannah Schultz, Ryan Isaacsen and Taylor Chwala. They are coached by Ed Bielinski. Third place team was: Waukesha County, Heidi Tremaine, Mason Roscizewski, Josie Sindorf and Hannah Tremaine. They were coached by Karen Tremaine.

The top senior individual judges: 1st: Alexis Timmel, Jefferson, 2nd: Heidi Tremaine, Waukesha Congratulations to these WJAA members on their accomplishments.

Commitment To Herdsmanship

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voted on by other junior members, and that they think I am an admirable herdsman."

Wingert is a student at Kansas State University and a true leader for those involved in the NJAA. Even when he is not having the best day, he will lend a hand to a fellow member and cheer them on.

This year's tied vote for the Junior Herdsman of the Year was out of the ordinary; however, Radcliffe and Wingert are both deserving of the honor thanks to their hard work and dedication to the Angus breed and the NJAA.

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PVF Proven Queen 4075 won grand champion owned female at the 2015 Eastern Regional Junior Angus Show, June 19-21 in Lewisburg, W.Va. Suzanne Henning, Janesville, Wis., owns the March 2014 daughter of Dameron First Class. She first won late junior champion. Randy Perry, Prather, Calif., evaluated the 245 entries. Photo by Chris Jeffcoat, American Angus Association.



Silveiras Wendy 4535 won owned late heifer calf champion at the 2015 Eastern Regional Junior Angus Show, June 19-21 in Lewisburg, W.Va. Evan Henning, Janesville, Wis., owns the winning heifer. Photo by Chris Jeffcoat, American Angus Association



4WA Emma 411 won owned reserve early junior champion heifer at the 2015 Eastern Regional Junior Angus Show, June 19-21 in Lewisburg, W.Va. Jared Radcliffe, Weston, Wis., owns the winning heifer. Photo by Chris Jeffcoat, American Angus Association.

Badger Kick-Off Classic
December 4-6
Madison, WI

Greetings everyone,

It is hard to believe that the summer is almost over. The Wisconsin Juniors had another successful Junior National Angus Show and Wisconsin State Fair!



"Angus Leading the Way" was this year's theme for junior nationals. I would like to thank

everyone who helped the Wisconsin Juniors make it a successful trip.

Juniors who participated at the NJAS this year were: Emma Hermsdorf, Kori Beisbier, Jack and Sam Henderson, Allison and Claire Hawthorne, Paige, Kelly and Bree Gaffney, Jared Radcliffe, Suzanne and Evan Henning, Hailey Jentz, Andrew Wachter, Kelby Peterson, Jonathon Tolle, Derek Horstmeyer, and Grace Link. Congratulations to juniors who participated in contests, they are:

~Quiz Bowl was well represented with

two junior teams and one intermediate team.

~Jared Radcliffe represented Wisconsin well in the showmanship competition placing in the top 15, congratulations Jared!

~Many Juniors also participated in the Judging contest and photography contest as well.

This year Wisconsin sent four junior members to the National Junior Angus LEAD conference in Seattle, Washington. Those juniors include: Paige Gaffney, Kori Beisbier, and Evan and Suzanne Henning and our retiring NJAA board member Jessica Radcliffe.

Congratulations to all the Wisconsin juniors, great job representing Wisconsin this year!

I look forward to seeing some of you at World Beef Expo in September, have a great rest of summer!

Sincerely,

Allison Hawthorne, WJAA President

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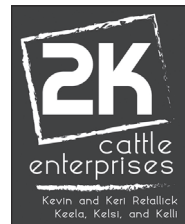
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