

# PA Jr. Angus Newsletter

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### 2020 NJAS Coming to PA!

The Pennsylvania Junior Angus Association will be hosting the National Junior Angus Show in 2020 at the PA Farm Show Complex! As the host state, we have various responsibilities that are broken up into many different committees. Below is a list of the committees including a brief description of each one. If you would like to be a chairperson or a member of one of these committees, please contact either **Daniel Rohrbaugh** (drohrbaugh99@gmail.com) or **Liz Voight** (voightwev@gmail.com) **by December 1st, 2018** via email. \*Notes:

The parent can not be the adult chair of the committee if their child is the junior chair.

- Communication is key and all committees will work with other committees.
- Think of creative themes!! We will decide on a theme at Farm Show!
- You can serve on more than one committee.
- **Executive:** Will oversee all of the committees. This committee will need 2-3 Jr. Chairs as well as 2-3 adult chairs. There will also be a Show Secretary and a Show Treasurer.
- **Fundraising**: Coordinate the effort to fundraise \$100,000. This includes selling program ads for the program booklet. They will also be in charge of exhibitor gifts.
- **Grounds:** They will coordinate the fair ground layout as well as assisting with unloading trailers. They will also help with the American Angus Association's facility needs. In addition, they will help with show ring maintenance.

Decorating: They will help to decorate the grounds as well as the show ring.

- Jr. Social: Coordinate activities for juniors such as a dance. The junior social will also take on the responsibility of the tailgate.
- **Welcoming:** They will have to supply welcome bags for the families. They will also have to organize a crew for welcoming the families.
- Queens Reception: Coordinate a social gathering that includes lunch. This committee also supplies each attendee with a gift.
- **Opening Ceremonies:** Coordinate the opening ceremonies program. Assist with state lineup for the opening ceremonies. Also conduct a community service activity for that night.
- Gifts & Awards: This committee will have to find class awards/educational awards as well as judges gifts.
- **Promotion:** Use social media to promote the show. They will also coordinate their efforts with the American Angus Association.

Education: Need to find contest judges as well as volunteers to help during the contests.

**Show Office:** Will assist with questions from exhibitors. Volunteer to help throughout the week wherever needed.

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By James Voight,

News Reporter

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# Pennsylvania Angus Members Honored at Angus Convention



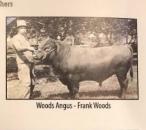
Several members of the Pennsylvania Angus community where honored at the annual Angus Convention. Dale Rains and family and Greg McKean and family were recognized with the Century Award. In addition, Madison Weaver was crowned Miss American Angus.

Congratulations on these prestigious awards!

#### **Century Award**

Woods Angus — Rains Angus and McKean Brothers

Frank Woods of Woods Angus bought his first Angus cattle in 1913 and settled in Mercer, Pennsylvania, and the Angus tradition has continued on to a fourth generation with Dale and Brenda Rains, owners and managers of Rains Angus, and Greg and Peggy McKean, owners and managers of McKean Brothers. The Rains' son, Chance, and McKeans' children, Cody, Marshall and Rachel, are the fifth generation of Angus breeders.







McKean family





# **Meat Raffle**

At the Breeder Show, the juniors voted to have a Meat Raffle rather than a Semen sale. A committee was formed and they have been working on putting together a raffle. They have obtained a Game of Chance License and Sysco has generously donated 32, ten oz. Boneless CAB Strip Steaks. Special thanks to Tory Meyer and Mrs. Danette Strause for helping to get this donation!

At the Farm Show meeting, each PJAA family will receive a certain amount

of tickets to sell. Each junior family will have approximately 5 months to sell these tickets. The winning tickets will be drawn at the Pa Angus Breeder Show. If we all do our part, this fundraiser will be a great success! Thank you in advance for your help! If you have any questions, please contact James Voight.



# **National Junior Angus Show 2018**

Pennsylvania was represented well at the National Junior Angus Show in Madison, Wisconsin over the summer! The PJAA members took part in the Tailgate Party and served four different types of bologna. Madison Weaver and Katelyn Taylor did a nice job of overseeing the state display. PA Angus Queen, Kaitlin Bell, represented us at the Queen Reception and handed out ribbons during the show. In the National Showmanship Contest, Brody Fitzgerald made it into the Top 15 finalists. Pennsylvania placed fifth in the Best Five Head in the Bred and Owned Show and third place in the Best Five Head in the Owned Show. PA's Intermediate Quiz Bowl Team consisting of Kaitlin bell, Katelyn Taylor, and Madison and Hayden Weaver made it to the finals. In

the Intermediate Division of the Photography Contest, Kaitlin Bell received second place in the Around the Farm or Ranch Category. Daniel Rohrbaugh and Madison Weaver were honored to receive both the Top Boy and Girl American Angus Ladies Auxiliary Scholarships. Elizabeth Voight was the recipient of the Foundation PA Angus Scholarship. Each year, the Angus Foundation awards several juniors with scholarships and this year there were three recipients from Pennsylvania: Grant Cash, Daniel Rohrbaugh and Elizabeth Voight. Many thanks to Carry Rutledge for doing a fine job completing a scrapbook for Pennsyl-



## **2018 PA Junior Angus Officers and Directors**

President—Daniel Rohrbaugh Vice President— Elizabeth Voight Secretary— Kaitlin Bell Assistant Secretary— Samuel Parr Treasurer— Grant Cash News Reporter— James Voight Assistant News Reporter— Madison Weaver



Directors:

2018-2019 Directors: David Bell, Michael Butz, Connor Grim, Carrie Rutledge 2017-2018 Directors: Haley Sweitzer, Katelyn Taylor, Kiersten Baker, Grant Fitzgerald

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Membership Information

Lifetime Membership Dues are \$5.

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Please include the member's name and birthdate with your payment.