

MINIX STOCKMAN CONTEST GUIDELINES

The NJAA along with the Events and Junior Activities Department of the American Angus Association will oversee the coordination of the Stockman's Contest. The contest will be held in association with the National Junior Angus Show. The NJAA is responsible for the execution of this contest.

Beginning in 2022 the contest has been renamed the Minix Stockman Contest in honor of the late Ed and Wilma Minix of Black Witch Farm, Athens, GA. The Minix's were passionate for youth involved with livestock and becoming leaders in the agricultural industry. Through their planned giving, a portion of the Minix estate was given to the Angus Foundation to benefit youth who participate in the Stockman Contest.

Only the top individual in each age division will be recognized. Each winner will receive a belt buckle, as well as cash awards; \$750 – Senior; \$500 – Intermediate; \$250 – Junior.

Eligibility of Participants

1. Participants must be junior, regular, or life members of the American Angus Association.
2. **This contest is available to the following age divisions, as of Jan. 1 of the current year: Junior (8-13), Intermediate (14-17) and Senior (18-20).** Prizes will be awarded in each division.
3. Multiple entries from a state are allowed in this event.
4. The contest is only for individuals. There are no teams.
5. Participants must participate in the Judging Contest, Quiz Bowl Written Exam, and the Skill-a-Thon.
6. Junior members are not required to sign-up for the Stockman's Contest. Juniors will automatically be entered for the competition if competed in the contests specific to the Overall Angus Stockman Contest.
7. Contest combines the ranking of the written Quiz Bowl exam, Judging Contest and Skill-a-thon for individuals in each age division.
8. No additional time will be allotted for members to participate in the affiliate contests stated above.