

NJAA SWEEPSTAKES CONTEST

The NJAA Sweepstakes Contest was introduced at the 1992 National Junior Angus Show (NJAS) in Columbus, Ohio. This contest is designed to reward state junior associations for their members' participation in the various contests, exhibition of cattle and the National Junior Angus Showmanship Contest during the NJAS.

The contest will be split into 2 divisions based on the number of cattle actually checked in at the NJAS. The divisions are: 1) Less than 30 Head 2) 30 or more head. The top 3 in each of the 2 divisions will be awarded.

Points are awarded based upon the placings of the individuals (or teams). In contests where there is more than one division, points will be awarded for each division. Points are awarded for the highest placing individual, team, or animal from each state in each of the contest categories. In the case of a tie, winner will be determined by number of events.

Point systems are as follows:

CATTLE EXHIBITION (including Best 5 Head)

Grand Champ & Reserve	11
Div Champ & Reserve	9
1st Place	7
2nd Place	6
3rd Place	5
4th Place	4
5th Place	3
Participant	1
State Carcass Group Ch	11
State Carcass Group Res	9

CONTEST POINTS

1st Place	11
2nd Place	9
3rd Place	7
4th Place	5
5th Place	3
Participant*	1

***EXCEPT Team Sales, Quiz Bowl Verbal, Cook-Off, Herdsmanship & Fitting Contests, one Point is awarded for each team, not each participant. From there, each team who placed will still receive points for their respective placings.**

*If a team is split between more than two states, no state will be awarded points.

SHOWMANSHIP

1st - 5th Place	11
Finalist	9
Honorable Mention	5
Participant	1

CONTESTS INCLUDED

Auctioneering (3 divisions)

CAB® Cook-off (6 divisions (overall awards))

Career Development (2 divisions)

Cattle Judging Contest (5 divisions)

Creative Writing (3 age divisions)

Extemporaneous Speech (5 age divisions)

Graphic Design (3 age divisions)

Photography (3 age divisions) Top 5 in each category, of each age division will be awarded sweepstakes points.

Poster (2 age divisions)

Public Speaking (5 age divisions)

Quiz Bowl (3 age divisions) A participation point will be given for each member who took the written test. Then, as long as it is not a mixed team, the 1st place team gets 11 points and 2nd place team gets 9 points for each division. All others that made it to the verbal round get 1 point.

Skill-A-thon (3 age divisions)

State Herdsmanship (3 divisions)

Team Sales (3 age divisions)

Team Fitting