

# National Junior Angus Association (NJAA) Contest Information

View a complete list of contest rules at [www.angus.org/njaa](http://www.angus.org/njaa).

## All-American Certified Angus Beef® Cook-Off

Sponsored by the American Angus Auxiliary and the NJAA.

Entry Deadline is May 15.

Enter online at [www.angus.org/njaa](http://www.angus.org/njaa)

\*Limited to one entry per category and age division per state.

## NJAA/Angus Journal Photography Contest

All photographs must be postmarked by May 15. LATE

ENTRIES NOT ACCEPTED. All photos must be mounted on 10 x 14-inch black foam core.

## NJAA Graphic Design Contest \*NEW TOPICS\*

The 2013 Graphic Design Contest entry theme is as follows:

*Junior theme:* Design a flyer supporting the Angus Foundation.

*Intermediate theme:* Design a flyer promoting the Green Coats: Coast to Coast program.

*Senior theme:* Design a flyer promoting the Angus Ambassador program.

**Entries must be postmarked by May 15.**

## NJAA Writing Contest \*NEW TOPICS\*

*The junior topic is:* Who or what has sparked your interest to become active in the NJAA, and why?

*The intermediate topic is:* Explain how your involvement in leadership programs is vital to your success in the NJAA and in life?

*The senior topic is:* As you evaluate the current issues in the beef industry and the information available to you as an Angus breeder where do you see the breed in 5 years?

**Entries must be postmarked by May 15.**

## NJAA Poster Contest

Turn entries in at the show office during the NJAS by 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 6 (see schedule). DO NOT mail entries to the American Angus Association office. This contest is only available to the junior division.

## Video Contest

Topic: Produce a commercial that promotes the National Junior Angus Association.

**Entries must be postmarked by May 15.**

## NJAA Public Speaking Contest \*NEW TOPIC\*

A typewritten, double-spaced outline of all speeches should be mailed to our office and must be postmarked by **May 25**. LATE ENTRIES NOT ACCEPTED.

The 2013 senior speech topic is: Discuss the current cow inventory and its impact on the beef industry.

## NJAA Career Development Contest

A contest created for the intermediate and senior divisions only.

**\*\*The Intermediate Division has been split into two age divisions\*\***

*Intermediate A: Ages 14&15*

*Intermediate B: Ages 16&17*

*Senior: Ages 18-21*

**Job descriptions and resumes are due in the office by May 25 (postmark date).**

## NJAA Extemporaneous Public Speaking Contest

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 6.

## NJAA Team Sales

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 6.

## NJAA Team Fitting

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 6. Please see list of complete rules on the website, [www.njaa.info](http://www.njaa.info)

## NJAA Cattle Judging Contest

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 6.

## Quiz Bowl

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 6.

## NJAA Scrapbook Contest

Scrapbooks should be turned into the show office during the NJAS by 12:00 noon on Saturday, July 6 (see schedule). DO NOT mail entries to the American Angus Association office.

## NJAA Coloring Session

The coloring session is offered to youth ages 9 and under.

Pictures of cows, barns, tractors, etc. will be available for those that are too young to show their cattle, but still want to participate in the NJAS. Please encourage your junior to join in on the NJAS fun! It's a great way for them to build friendships within the NJAA.

## NJAA Best State Herdsmanship Contest

Judged over the duration of the show based on appearance of the cattle, aisle, bedding signs, equipment and personnel. Awards will be presented in five size divisions.

## Sweepstakes Contest

Awarded to the state with the highest point accumulation from participation in contests and cattle competitions. Awards will be presented in two size divisions.

## NJAS Mentoring Program

This is an opportunity for junior Angus members to utilize their experience at the NJAS to assist first- and second-time exhibitors at this event. It gives juniors of all ages the chance to meet and interact with members from different states. Older juniors who have attended multiple NJAS are encouraged to volunteer to serve as mentors.