National Junior Angus Association (NJAA) Contest Information

View a complete list of contest rules at 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 or www.angusauxiliary.com *Limited to one entry per category and age division per state.

NJAA/Angus Journal Photography Contest

All photographs must be postmarked by May 15. All photos must be mounted on 10 x 14-inch black foam core.

NJAA Graphic Design Contest *NEW TOPICS*

The 2015 Graphic Design Contest entry theme is as follows: *Junior theme:* Design a Holiday postcard thanking your customer base.

Intermediate theme: Design a flyer promoting the benefits of eating beef for your peers.

Senior theme: Design a homepage website for your farm (This isn't an actual website, just the homepage layout).

Entries must be postmarked by May 15.

NJAA Writing Contest *NEW TOPICS*

The junior topic is: What has been your most memorable moment in the NJAA?

The intermediate topic is: Where do you see Angus Cattle in your future?

The senior topic is: Being approached by a Mom from and urban area, how do you convince her to prepare beef for her family over other alternative protein sources?

Entries must be postmarked by May 15.

NJAA Poster Contest

Turn entries in at the show office during the NJAS by 9:00 a,m, on Monday, July 13 (see schedule). DO NOT mail entries to the American Angus Association office. This contest is only available to the junior division (9-13).

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 2015 senior speech topic is: With increased environmental regulations, how do producers maintain a profitable and successful operation?

NJAA Career Development Contest

A contest created for the intermediate and senior divisions only. 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 9:00 a.m. on Monday, July 13.

NJAA Team Sales

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 9:00 a.m. on Monday, July 13.

NJAA Team Marketing *NEW CONTEST*

This contest is only available to Intermediate and Senior Divisions.

Deadline to submit PowerPoint by July 1. Please submit to jaintern@angus.org.

NJAA Team Fitting

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 9:00 a.m. on Monday, July 13. Please see list of complete rules on the website, www.njaa.info

NJAA Cattle Judging Contest

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 9:00 a.m. on Monday, July 13.

Quiz Bowl

Sign-up deadline at the NJAS is 9:00 a.m. on Monday, July 13.

NJAA Scrapbook Contest

Scrapbooks should be turned into the show office during the NJAS by 9:00 a.m. on Monday, July 13 (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. To participate in the mentoring program please attend the mentoring mixer on Monday, July 13.