



2024 Nebraska Jr. Angus Show

May 31-June 2, 2024

Fairgrounds – Broken Bow, Nebraska

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May begin arriving anytime on Friday, May 31, 2024

Cattle Check-in: Saturday from 9-noon (**cattle must be on the grounds and checked in by noon**)

National Team Contests Saturday afternoon (fitting, sales, quiz bowl)

Junior Meeting Saturday Afternoon

Family Meal on Saturday at TBD.

Show Begins Sunday, June 2, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Early Entries & Early Entry Fees due May 15, 2024

Bedding will be provided in the barn. Tie outs will be available; you will need to provide your own bedding for tie outs.

Straw is allowed in tie outs.

The Nebraska Junior Angus Show is a “No Fit” show defined as exhibitors may NOT use glue, adhesive, foam, coloring or paint products. Oils and “Kleen Sheen” type products are allowed. No stomach pumping or artificial fillers allowed.

A. ELIGIBILITY OF EXHIBITORS AND ENTRIES

1. Exhibitors must be members of the NeJAA and must be between the ages of 8-21 as of January 1 of the current year. Junior membership shall be issued only to an individual and shall expire upon attainment of age 21. Participation is acceptable through the calendar year of the individual’s 21st birthday.
2. Animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor.
3. Eligibility of entries will be determined by age and the National Junior Angus Association show classification.
4. Exhibitors in the bred-and-owned categories must be the breeder and first and continuous owner of the animal entered.
5. Exhibitors may show up to six entries in the owned heifer category and up to four entries in the steer category. They may also show as many bred-and-owned bulls, bred-and-owned heifers, and cow-calf pairs as they wish.
6. Must present original certificate or electronic registration at check-in. All tattoos must be legible.
7. The show will be blow and go.
8. The ownership deadline for the State Angus Show shall coincide with the National Junior Angus Show, May 15th, 2024.

B. CLASSES

1. The classes will be the same as recommended by the National Junior Angus Association. There will be classes for bred-and-owned heifers, bred-and-owned bulls, owned heifers, phenotype/genotype heifers, registered steers, cow/calf pairs, and predominantly black hided crossbred steers and heifers. There must be at least 5 or more head to have a separate bred and owned division.
2. There will be an additional class for best pair of heifers. Both heifers must be shown by the same exhibitor on show day to qualify as a pair.
3. There will be a Supreme Champion selected from the Champion owned heifer, bred-and-owned heifer, cow-calf pair, and bull.

C. SHOWMANSHIP

1. Showmanship classes will be divided according to age as of January 1 of the current year following the National Junior Angus Association’s age divisions for contests. The Junior Division: 13 and under, Intermediate Division: 14-17, and Senior Division: 18-21. To be eligible for showmanship contests, participants must be exhibiting an animal at the show.

Unless otherwise stated, National Junior Angus Show rules apply.

PARTICIPATING IN NATIONAL SHOWMANSHIP CLASS:

Two contestants will be selected to represent Nebraska at the National Junior Angus Show from a specified NJAS showmanship class at the State Junior Show. To represent Nebraska at the National Showmanship contest, the exhibitor must be a Junior or Life Member of the Nebraska and American Angus Association, and an active member of the Nebraska Junior Angus Association. All fees must be paid before entering the contest. Contestants by entering agree to abide by the NeJAA and NJAA rules.

- Active Member being defined as having participated in state, regional, or national Angus shows/activities in one of the past two years, current year excluded.

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2024 Nebraska Junior Angus Show Entry Form

*Exhibitor's Name _____ *AAA member code _____

*Parent's Name(s) _____

*Address: _____

*Home phone number: (_____) _____ Parent's Cell Phone (_____) _____

*Exhibitor's E-mail Address _____ Parent's E-Mail Address _____

*Registered Angus Heifer

**May 15th
Deadline**

Birth Date	Registration #	Tattoo	Name of Animal	Bred & Owned or Owned	Phenotype/Genotype**

*Registered Bred and Owned Bulls

Birth Date	Registration #	Tattoo	Name of Animal

*Registered Angus Steers

Birth Date	Registration #	Tattoo	Name of Animal

*Registered Cow/Calf Pairs (one entry fee per pair)

Birth Date	Registration #	Tattoo	Name of Animal

*Angus Crossbred Market Calves

Steer or Market Heifer	Calf Name	Sire (optional)	Dam (optional)

*Showmanship

Birthdate	Age January 1, 2024	Jr(8-13) Int(14-17) or Sr(18-21)

FAMILY MEAL—Saturday evening—no charge. Please give head count.

*Number of Adults Attending _____ Kids under 12 _____

SUNDAY LUNCH (We would like a rough estimate of attendants, any at the show are welcome)

*Adults _____ Kids under 12 _____

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****Phenotype/Genotype:** The objective behind the Phenotype and Genotype Show (PGS) is to create another avenue for juniors to show their heifers in an additional competition while providing an educational opportunity to learn about the value of Expected Progeny Differences (EPDs) as a part of the process in selecting seedstock. To enter the PGS all animals must have been genomic tested prior to entry deadline. After check-in, the PGS judge will receive judge's cards split in classes that include entry number, birthdate, and EPDs (CED, BW, WW, YW, Milk, Marb, REA, \$M, \$W, \$B, \$C) along with a percentile chart. For the PGS, the same judge will evaluate the EPDs and the phenotype classes. He/she will place the class based on his/her preferences. Results will be turned into the Association staff to compile prior to the show. The show will be run similar to other NJAA sponsored shows where the judge will evaluate the class in the same manner as a regular phenotype show. The judge will receive a judge's card with birthdates only for phenotype classes. The phenotype placings will be recorded and compiled with the genotype placings. The composite score will be made up of 50% genotype placing and 50% phenotype placings. In the event of a tie, the tie will be broke based on the phenotype placings. The judge will then receive a judge's card with the composite placing and respective EPDs to talk the class. PGS heifers may also be shown in the owned or bred and owned show by paying another entry fee. All information regarding PGS heifers needs to be RECEIVED by the NeJAA Secretary by May 15th.

***Required information to show. NO Exceptions. Please make additional copies of entry form as needed.**

Entry Fees

*Number of head: _____ X \$25 (postmarked 5/15/2024 or earlier) \$ _____

→ *If postmarked after 5/15/24, then entry fee is \$45 per head \$ _____

Total Fees: \$ _____

Mail Entry Form and Payment to:

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