



CALIFORNIA JUNIOR ANGUS ASSOCIATION

State Field Day/Preview Show

Stanislaus County Fairgrounds – Turlock, California



The California Angus Association and the California Junior Angus Association invite you to participate in the 2018 State Field Day being held at the Stanislaus County Fairgrounds in Turlock, California, May 26th and 27th. The following is information that should help to produce another wonderful show. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Bedding: Bedding will not be provided. Bedding will not be available for purchase at the fairgrounds. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning out stalls before leaving fairgrounds.

Classes: All classes will follow the American Angus Association rules. After steers are weighed classes will be broken into three divisions – Angus Steers, Black X Steers, and All Other Color Steers.

Show Categories: Bred and Owned Bulls, Bred and Owned Heifers, Owned Heifers, Cow/Calf (heifers may be exhibited in either Owned or Bred and Owned, not both), Pair of Females. Champions will be selected in each category. Entries will be listed in order of age (youngest to oldest) and will be shown in the same order. All animals must be registered in the sole name of the exhibitor. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate on each animal for inspection at the show. Any animal, upon check-in, which does not have a legible tattoo corresponding to its registration certificate is ineligible to show. Exhibitors must show their own animals, unless they have more than one animal in the same class. Juniors competing in this event must be at least 9 years of age and not yet 21 years of age as of January 1, 2018.

Due to popular request we are formatting our show classifications similar to the Western Regional Junior Angus Show, which is held in Reno, NV each year in April.

- Classes will be made up after cattle have been checked in and may not follow standard classifications in age breakdown.
- Show classifications:
 - Heifers: January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2017
 - Bulls: January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2017
 - Cow-Calf:
 - Cow, born on or before December 31, 2015 with most recent natural calf at side born on or after June 25, 2017.
 - *Important Note: Calf must be registered and tattooed by show date and have original registration paper.*
 - There will be no separate division for bred-and-owned vs. owned cow-calf pairs.

All breeding animals must be registered and tattooed prior to entering the grounds. This includes calves as well!

Entries must be done online at www.caljackpotshow.com: Entry fees are \$45 for breeding animals and \$45 for steers. Early registration ends 5/20/18. There will be a late fee of \$15.00 per entry beginning 5/21/18. Online registration closes 5/23/18. Late entries will be accepted at the show. Original registration papers must be checked in prior to 10:00am on Saturday, May 26, 2018. No duplicate or photocopied registration papers will be accepted.

Did you buy your heifer at Angus Days? Is your heifer or bull from a cow you purchased at an Angus Days sale? Don't forget to register for the CAD Jackpot show. A separate entry is needed - Please make sure to enter the "Angus – CA Angus Days Jackpot" division online at www.caljackpotshow.com. There is no fee to enter!

SHOWMANSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- Member of the American Angus Association with a member code.
- Member of the California Junior Angus Association.
- Must be at least nine (9) years old but not yet twenty-one (21) years old as of January 1, 2018.
- Member must own Angus cattle.
- Member must have actively shown or participated as an Angus breeder/exhibitor in the past twelve months.

The California Angus Association has approved the above requirements as guidelines in selecting one showmanship contestant and one alternate as representatives of California for the National Jr. Angus Show in July 2018. The funding and financial support provided by the California Angus Association is greatly appreciated.

NEW FOR 2018:

Cornhole Tournament & Ice Cream Social: Hosted by Bianchi Ranches on Friday, May 25th at 6:30pm. Everyone is invited to attend!

BACK FOR 2018:

LEAD Scholarship: Are you interested in getting more involved? Then the annual Leaders Engaged in Angus Development (LEAD) conference is for you. This year it will be held in Billings, MT from August 2-5, 2018. The theme is “Angus Under the Big Sky” and the conference is open to NJAA members who turn at least 14 years old in 2018. If you are interested in attending “free of charge” please fill out the LEAD scholarship form found at www.californiaangus.com.

COOK OFF: Get your team ready now!!!! There will be games, prizes and great food. There are 3 divisions: Tri-Tip, Chili or Dessert. Teams can enter more than one division. This year there will be a panel of judges. Each team should plan on preparing 3 tri-tips and/or one large pot of chili. Please plan on giving out bite-size samples to the crowd as well as having special samples set aside for the judging panel. Entry forms are available at www.californiaangus.com. Please contact JJ Reinhardt at (916) 712-3696 or jj@barrangus.com for further details.

Saturday Evening Dinner: Bread, green salad, iced tea and lemonade will be provided. If you have a favorite homemade side dish you would like share please do so.

Queen Contest: Divisions are: Queen – age 16-21, Princess – age 13-15, Jr. Princess – age 9-12. Each division will participate in a showmanship contest. The Queen candidates will take a general knowledge quiz. Anyone interested in competing in the California Jr. Angus Queen or Princess Contest should contact Amanda Leo at (209) 483-8507 or e-mail amanda@caloreseed.com for an application.

Show Supplies: Sullivan’s Show Supply will be on hand for your show supply needs.

Possible Hotels: Comfort Suites – 191 N. Tully Road, Turlock, CA (209) 667-7777
Holiday Inn Express – 3001 Hotel Drive, Turlock, CA (209) 664-9999
Fairfield Inn & Suites – 3301 Courtryside Drive, Turlock, CA (209) 668-3800
Best Western Orchard Inn - 5025 N. Golden State Blvd., Turlock, CA (209) 667-2827



National Jr Angus Assoc. Awards Available

Bronze and Silver Awards -- The National Junior Recognition Program provides an opportunity for young Angus breeders to become nationally recognized for continued achievement. This program is based on activities over a Junior member's entire career. There are three levels of recognition; Bronze, Silver, and Gold. Bronze and Silver Awards can be earned at any age. The Gold Award, however, will be given only during the last year of eligibility as a junior member. Winners of the various levels receive a specially designed pin, cast in the metal of the respective award (Bronze, Silver, or Gold). Recipients of the National Junior Recognition Program Awards also receive local, regional, and national recognition through media and at Angus functions. (See the actual application form for more information.)

Gold Award -- This is the next level of award after achieving the Bronze and Silver awards described above. (See the actual application form for more information.)

For more information please visit www.angus.org/NJAA or www.njaa.info