

AUXILIARY NOTES



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“Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much.”

– Helen Keller

Thank you to all who have participated in, supported, volunteered, and promoted the mission of the Auxiliary this year. Special thanks go to the donors, bidders, and buyers of the 3rd Annual Full Circle Online Auction. Please look to our Auxiliary website for recognition of these folks and continue to support the small businesses that are so important in donating items for this online auction.

As rural America shrinks, our agricultural organizations are more important than ever. We all have the opportunity to influence our community and the next generation of consumers.

Our Angus connections and resources play a huge role in what we can do individually. The Auxiliary promotes advocacy through workshops, programs and encouraging juniors to be vocal and local advocates with knowledge of livestock and Angus programs.

This year, as we celebrate 50 Years of Miss American Angus, our members can take pride in the Angus breed as a premier advocate and the work accomplished by

many young women who have held the title. These gals take on every opportunity to speak on our behalf.

Miss American Angus is just one, but we are many. The Auxiliary continues to support you in preparing our young people to become leaders of tomorrow. In our communities and youth associations, we need the service of our members to carry out this important mission.

“Education is the most powerful weapon you can use to change the world.”

– Nelson Mandela

Teamwork divides the task and multiplies the success. Please join us as we take on

the adventure of a new year. Your support through any avenue, financial, becoming a member, working on a committee, or strengthening your state Auxiliary and youth program, will have an enormous impact on our future. Continue to look toward the Auxiliary as part of your support team as we tackle the challenges of American agriculture. **AJ**

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