

Juniors Compete in Regional Preview

Angus champions named at 2015 Atlantic National Regional Jr. Angus Preview Show.

Junior exhibitors from across the country exhibited 204 entries at the 2015 Atlantic National Regional Preview Junior Angus Show May 22-23 in Timonium, Md. John Rayfield, College Station, Texas, evaluated the 55 bred-and-owned (B&O) females, 111 owned females, three cow-calf pairs, 12 B&O bulls and 22 steers before selecting champions. Jon Davis, Gallipolis, Ohio; Kyle Grim, Thomasville, Pa.; and Jamie Marksbury, Buffalo, Ky., judged showmanship.

Bryce Fitzgerald, West Grove, Pa., led the grand champion B&O female. Cherry Knoll Rosebud 1454 is a June 2014 daughter of EXG RS First Rate S903 R3. She first won summer calf champion. S Sis Sandy 920 captured reserve grand champion B&O female for Sydney Schnoor, Chowchilla, Calif. The April 2014 daughter of Dameron

First Impression first won spring calf champion.

Sydney Schnoor led the grand champion owned female, Seldom Rest BRMF Bardot 890. The March 2014 daughter of EXAR Classen 1422B first won late spring calf champion. SCC SCH Phyllis 426 won reserve grand champion owned female honors. Lauren Grimes, Hillsboro, Ohio, owns the February 2014 daughter of Dameron First Class that first won early spring calf champion.

Catherine Cowles, Rockfield, Ky., led the grand champion cow-calf pair. Champion Hill Georgina 8092 is a November 2011 daughter of SAV Prosperity 9131. A January 2015 daughter of SAV Brave 8320 completes the winning pair. Frey's Cheryknol Arkpride U41 won reserve grand champion cow-calf pair honors. Jade Zimmerman, Reinholds,

Pa., owns the February 2009 daughter of G13 Stand Out. A November 2014 bull calf sired by Cherry Knoll Product 1182 is at side.

Brody Fitzgerald, West Grove, Pa., claimed grand champion B&O bull honors with Cherry Knoll Brigade 1404. He's a January 2014 son of SAV Brilliance 8077. He first claimed calf champion. Morgan Hutchins, Columbia, Tenn., showed the reserve grand champion B&O bull, Destiny's Sound 38. He's a February 2013 son of Whitestone Rogue Y242. He first won junior champion.

Cherry Knoll Class 1428 won grand champion B&O steer. Bryce Fitzgerald owns the March 2014 son of EXAR Classen 1422B. Daniel Rohrbaugh, Seven Valleys, Pa., led Triple N Black Label B517 to the grand champion steer title. He's a May 2014 son of Plainview Lutton E102. Adam Miller, Gridley, Ill., showed the reserve grand

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GRAND CHAMPIONS

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► Grand champion B&O female, **Cherry Knoll Rosebud 1454.**



► Grand champion owned female, **Seldom Rest BRMF Bardot 890.**



► Grand champion cow-calf pair, **Champion Hill Georgina 8092.**



► Grand champion B&O bull, **Cherry Knoll Brigade 1404.**



► Grand champion B&O steer, **Cherry Knoll Class 1428.**



► Grand champion steer, **Triple N Black Label B517.**

champion steer. PVF Priority 4089 is a March 2014 son of C&C Priority 1428B EXAR.

Brody Fitzgerald was named Premier Breeder, and the Illinois Junior Angus Association won the state group of five.

Showmanship was won by Alexis Wright, Philippi, W.Va., junior A champion; Reese Anderson, Chrisman, Ill., junior A reserve champion; Mary Wood, Willow Spring, N.C., junior A third place; Avery Dull, Westminster, Md., junior B champion; Madelyn Gerken, Cashion, Okla., junior B reserve champion; Eric Schafer, Owaneco, Ill., junior B third place; Lydia Dance, Hillsboro, Ohio, intermediate champion; Haley Sweitzer, Wellsville, Pa., intermediate reserve champion; Bradshaw Smoot,

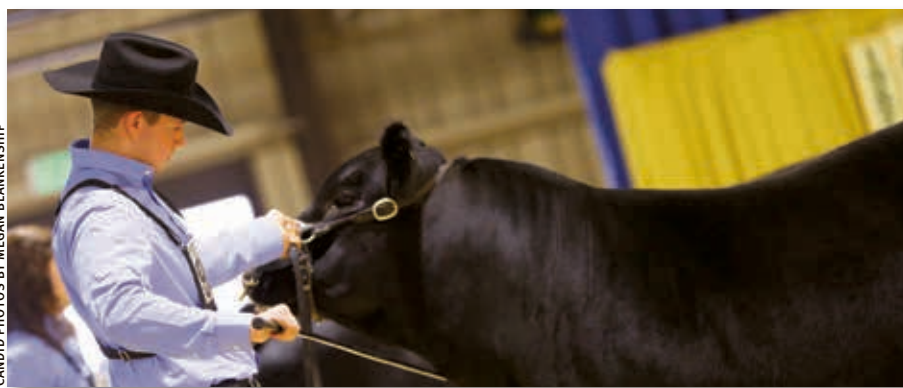
Campbellsville, Ky., intermediate third place; Kalie Rumbold, Wyandot, Ill., overall and senior champion; Carly Watt, Iva, S.C., senior reserve champion; and Chase Anderson, Chrisman, Ill., senior third place.

Atlantic National Merit Scholarships were awarded to Cheyenne Jones, Franklinton, La.; Carly Watt; Lauren Grimes; Matthew Mitchell, Reinholds, Pa.; Corbin Cowles, Rockfield, Ky., who also won the Greg Krueger Scholarship; Connor Orrock, Woodford, Va.; Daniel McFarland, Keithville, La.; Lindsay Upperman, Chambersburg, Pa.; Emily Velisek, Gaithersburg, Md.; and Alana Eisenhour, Wellsville, Pa.



►Above: John Rayfield, College Station, Texas, evaluated the 55 B&O females, 111 owned females, three cow-calf pairs, 12 B&O bulls and 22 steers before selecting champions.

►Left and below: NJAA members concentrate in the ring to best present their animals.



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RESERVE GRAND CHAMPIONS



►Reserve grand champion B&O female, **S Sis Sandy 920.**



►Reserve grand champion owned female, **SCC SCH Phyllis 426.**



►Reserve grand champion cow-calf pair, **Frey's Cheryknol Arkpride U41.**



►Reserve grand champion B&O bull, **Destiny's Sound 38.**



►Reserve grand champion steer, **PVF Priority 4089.**

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▣ DIVISION WINNERS, B&O females



► Fall calf champion, **Cherry Knoll Lady 1481**, by Brody Fitzgerald.



► Reserve fall calf champion, **Maple Crest Shadoe L4204**, by Lauren Grimes.



► Reserve summer calf champion, **Pleasant Valley Elsa 1428**, by Shelby Stabler, Gaithersburg, Md.



► Reserve spring calf champion, **Maplecrest SCC NellieGirl 437**, by Lauren Grimes.



► Senior heifer calf champion, **LRD Georgia 3676**, by Lydia Dance.



► Reserve senior calf champion, **DDA Northern Miss 1343**, by Chase Anderson.



► Intermediate champion, **CCC Kate A400**, by Cheyenne Jones.



► Senior champion, **CCC Ava 2236**, by Cheyenne Jones.

▣ DIVISION WINNERS, owned females



► Fall calf champion, **Dameron FR Sandy 4178**, by Sydney Schnoor.



► Reserve fall calf champion, **PVF Lucy 4175**, by Madelyn Gerken.



► Summer calf champion, **PVF Missie 4149**, by Esther McCabe, Elk City, Kan.



► Reserve summer calf champion, **Dameron Lucy 4137**, by Kalie Rumbold.



► Reserve late-spring calf champion, **Dameron Northern Miss 4124**, by Eric Schafer, Owaneco, Ill.



► Reserve early-spring calf champion, **PVF Proven Queen 4014**, by Kory Kovert, Crothersville, Ind.



► Senior calf champion, **DDA Northern Miss 1344**, by Austin Nowatzke, Michigan City, Ind.



► Reserve senior calf champion, **APS Forever Lady Stella**, by Cheyenne Jones.

▣ DIVISION WINNERS, owned females



► Intermediate champion, **PVF Proven Queen 3177**, by Christopher Moxley, West Friendship, Md.



► Reserve intermediate champion, **HLF Luna 344**, by Amanda Shultz, Keymar, Md.



► Junior champion, **Cherry Knoll Princess 1314**, by Catie Hope, Berryville, Va.



► Reserve junior champion, **Champion Hill Blackbird 8369**, by Reese Johnson, Slaughters, Ky.



► Senior champion, **Champion Hill Georgina 8308**, by Madeline Taylor, Lavaca, Ark.

▣ DIVISION WINNERS, B&O bulls



► Reserve calf champion, **DDA Touch of Class 1401**, by Chase Anderson.



► Reserve junior champion, **KF Shot of Cash A304 X005**, by Alexis Cash, York, Pa.

▣ OTHER WINNERS



► Premier Breeder, **Brody Fitzgerald**.

▣ SHOWMANSHIP



► Winning the junior A division are (from left) **Alexis Wright**, champion; **Reese Anderson**, reserve champion; and **Mary Wood**, third place.



► Winning the junior B division are (from left) **Avery Dull**, champion; **Madelyn Gerken**, reserve champion; and **Eric Schafer**, third place.



► Winning the intermediate division are (from left) **Lydia Dance**, champion; **Haley Sweitzer**, reserve champion; and **Bradshaw Smoot**, third place.



► State group of five, **Illinois Jr. Angus Ass'n**.



► Winning the senior division are (from left) **Katie Rumbold**, champion and overall champion; **Carly Watt**, reserve champion; and **Chase Anderson**, third place.

▣ SCHOLARSHIPS



► Merit scholarships, presented by scholarship committee members (from left) Paul Hill, Betsie Michael and Dianne Hale, were presented to (continuing from left) **Cheyenne Jones**; **Carly Watt**; **Lauren Grimes**; **Matthew Mitchell**; **Corbin Cowles**, who also won the Greg Krueger Scholarship; **Connor Orrock**; **Daniel McFarland**; **Lindsay Upperman**; **Emily Velisek**; and **Alana Eisenhour**. Also presenting is Alan Miller, scholarship committee member.

