

# Junior Shows

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## Fall junior shows

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champion, EJRCC; late junior calf champion, LJRCC; senior calf champion, SrCC; intermediate champion, IC; junior champion, JrC; senior champion, SrC; division 1 champion, D1C. An R in front of an abbreviation above indicates a reserve.



### Mississippi State Fair Jr. Angus Show

Brett Barber, Channing, Texas, judged 90 entries at the Mississippi State Fair Jr. Angus Show Oct. 7 in Jackson. Grand champion female was **TRM Rita 255**, an Aug. 2012 daughter of BC Lookout 7024 owned by Haley Dye, Petal. Reserve grand champion female was **All Missie 237**, an April 2012 daughter of MCATL By-Product 269-1394 owned by Will Manning, New Albany.

Grand champion Miss.-bred female was JPW Whitlock 72 Style Susan, an Oct. 2011 daughter of Silveira's Style 9303, owned by Haley Walker, Potts Camp. Reserve champion Miss.-bred female was Black Star Child's Lucy 3Z, a Jan. 2012 daughter of SAV Brave 8320 owned by Matt Spradling, Mantachie.

Grand champion bull and grand champion Miss.-bred bull was **WCS Paid N Full 1023**, by Lane Walton, Mantachie. He's a Jan. 2013 son of Gamble's JAG 3508. Reserve grand champion bull was **WCC Commander Z93**, an

April 2012 son of KF Precision 361 owned by Dalton Hall, New Albany.

Reserve grand champion Miss.-bred bull was Patrick's Onward K024, a Dec. 2011 son of Monogram Forward 2238 owned by Rylie Melancon, Woodville.

Novice showmanship honors were won by Elizabeth Rone, Courtland, first; Dalton Cooper, second, and Haley Walker, third, both of Potts Camp; Camryn Fore, Picayune, fourth; Nicholas Beatty, Pulaski, fifth; Randon McDaniel, Thaxton, sixth; and Hunter Hester, Mantachie, sixth.

Junior showmanship honors were won by Gabrielle Simpson, Tupelo, first; Melancon, second; Hunter Garrett, Saltillo, third; John McFerrin, Mantachie, fourth; John Davis, New Albany, fifth; and Randi Terry, Coldwater, sixth.

Intermediate showmanship was won by Spradling, first; J.T. Prisock, second, and Colt Prisock, third, both of Sturgis; and Baleigh Sifford, Terry, fourth.

Senior showmanship was won by Miranda

Stevens, New Albany, first; Shania Farrow, Coldwater, second; Ashton Gandy, Potts Camp, third; Will Gibson, Newton, fourth; and Justin Milner, Jackson, fifth.

### Arkansas State Fair Jr. Angus Show

Gary Buchholz, Waxahatchie, Texas, evaluated 55 entries at the Arkansas State Fair Jr. Angus Show Oct. 12 in Little Rock. Grand champion B&O female was **TCC Chocolate Diamond 208Z**, a Feb. 2012 daughter of SAV Birthstone 8258 owned by January Tweedy, Imboden. Reserve grand champion B&O female was **TCC Bessie Queen 305A**, a March 2013 daughter of SAV Prosperity 9131 by January Tweedy.

Grand champion female was **MRCR KH Blackbird Lass 227**, a Feb. 2012 daughter of BC Eagle Eye 110-7 owned by Katlyn Tunstill, Fayetteville. Reserve grand champion female was **FF Miss Traveler 142**, by Carson Cole, Russellville. She's a Jan. 2012 daughter of

TRM Rita 255



WCS Paid N Full 1023



TCC Chocolate Diamond 208Z



All Missie 237



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TCC Bessie Queen 305A



MRC KH Blackbird Lass 227



FF Miss Traveler 142



JWF Sugar Britches 2931



KTT Phil D72



MCATL Pure Product 903-55.

Grand champion bull was **JWF Sugar Britches 2931**, a Jan. 2012 son of LCC New Standard by Morgan Watkins, Vandervoort. Reserve grand champion bull was **KTT Phil D72**, a Dec. 2012 son of SVAF Out Front 91T owned by Tunstill.

Showmanship honors were won by Cade Burden, Summers, peewee; and Jaden Tweedy, Imboden, peewee; Conner Cole, junior champion, and Carson Cole, junior reserve champion, both of Russellville; Allie Martin, Paragould, senior champion; and January Tweedy, senior reserve champion.

### Northern Int'l Livestock Exposition Jr. Angus Show

Quintin Smith, Lebanon, Tenn., judged 75 entries at the Northern Int'l Livestock Exposition (NILE) Jr. Angus Show Oct. 17 in Billings, Mont. Grand champion B&O female was **OCC Lucy 226**, a Feb. 2012 daughter of OCC In Sight 027 owned by Kane Olson, Saint Ignatius, Mont. Reserve grand champion B&O female was **JLF Queen Lexus 3282** by Jena Wagner, Billings, Mont. She's a Feb. 2013 daughter of Connealy Final Product.

Grand champion owned female was **Malson's Jilt 13Z**, a Feb. 2012 daughter of WK Pow-Wow owned by Kyla Olson, Saint Ignatius, Mont. Reserve grand champion owned female was **Malson's Burgess 88Z**, a March 2012 daughter of WK Uptown 9372 owned by Cole Page, Kalama, Wash. Division winners included: **JrCC**—OCC Montana Dream 334, by Kane Olson; **RjrCC**—OCC Erica 318, by Kyla Olson; **SrCC**—Top Line Abigale 1285, by Katelyn McCoy, La Grande, Ore.; **IC**—McCoy Proven Queen 248-0151, by Cory Predoehl, Omak, Wash.; **RIC**—Green's Savannah 2809, by Ryan Green, Hardin, Mont.; and **SrC**—JLF Reba 1212, by Benjamin McRae, Jordan, Mont.

Jonwyn Ayres, Stevensville, Mont., won grand champion cow-calf pair with Ayres Celine Eline Dion 581, an April 2011 daughter of Ayres Montana Upgrade 248, and her March 2013 daughter of SAV Bismarck 5682. Trista Bates, Manhattan, Mont., won reserve grand champion cow-calf pair with Cherry

OCC Lucy 226



JLF Queen Lexus 3282



Knoll Elisha 1146, an April 2011 daughter of Leachman Saugahatchee 3000C, and her March 2013 son of SSCO Dateline TwentyTen X003.

Grand champion B&O bull was Green's Twenty Twelve by Savannah Green, Hardin, Mont. He's a March 2012 son of HF Tiger

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5T. Reserve grand champion B&O bull was Camblin Duff OL 319, a March 2013 son of Duff Outer Limits 750 owned by Mackenzie Camblin, Maybell, Colo.

In showmanship, top honors were won by Eva Hinrichsen, Westmoreland, Kan., junior champion; Trista Bates, reserve junior champion, and Avery Bates, intermediate champion, both of Manhattan, Mont.; Kylee Bailey, Shelby, Mont., reserve intermediate champion; Page, senior champion; and Kyla Olson, reserve senior champion.

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### Junior shows online

*Junior Angus shows with 50 head or more are reported in the "Junior Shows" section. The American Angus Association's Public Relations Department posts a listing of show results online. To access, select Events › Show Coverage from the navigation bar at [www.angus.org](http://www.angus.org), or go directly to [www.angus.org/Show/ShowResults.aspx](http://www.angus.org/Show/ShowResults.aspx). There you will be able to access results for some of the following shows with fewer than 50 head exhibited:*

- **Georgia Nat'l Fair Jr. Angus Show**, Perry, Oct. 5; 34 entries; judge: Emily Griffiths, Kendallville, Ind.
- **Alabama Nat'l Fair Jr. Angus Show**, Montgomery, Oct. 12; 23 entries; judge: Clint McWaters, Sebring, Fla.
- **South Carolina State Fair Jr. Angus Show**, Columbia, Oct. 19; 18 entries; judge: Wes Hudson, Harrison, Ark.
- **State Fair of Louisiana Jr. Angus Show**, Shreveport, Oct. 23; 46 entries; judge: Steven Lastovica, Salado, Texas.

### Growing opportunity in genomic testing

Angus Genetics Inc. (AGI) and GeneSeek®, a Neogen Corp. subsidiary headquartered in Lincoln, Neb., confirm full integration of the high-density GeneSeek Angus GGP-HD into AGI's weekly American Angus Association National Cattle Evaluation (NCE).

GeneSeek and AGI are longtime collaborators, beginning with the release of the Igenity® Profile for Angus in 2009. In 2012, Neogen acquired the Igenity bioinformatics system for integration with GeneSeek laboratory operations. During this time, the entities have worked together to research and implement genomic technology for Angus cattle. That technology is rapidly gaining use within the beef industry as more seedstock breeders and their commercial customers realize the value of genomic-enhanced expected progeny differences (EPDs).

"High-density DNA tests are of great benefit to Angus breeders seeking to improve their herds through genomic-enhanced EPDs," says Bill Bowman, Association COO and AGI president. "These EPDs incorporate all known sources of information, including pedigree, performance records and genomic results."

The GeneSeek Angus GGP-HD test, or GeneSeek Genomic Profiler, provides opportunities for breeders who seek to improve EPD accuracy through the use of genomic technology, particularly for non-parent animals. The custom, high-density GeneSeek Genomic Profiler features single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNP) selectively chosen from studies on thousands of animals.

Bowman says a key goal with the GeneSeek Angus GGP-HD test is to provide an avenue for Angus breeders interested in genomic-enhanced EPDs, while offering a cost-effective way to include additional tests. The GGP-HD is priced at \$75 and includes parentage at no extra charge. Add-on tests are available for a number of genetic conditions for as little as \$8 per test.

"The technology we provide at GeneSeek allows us to deliver high-density genomic testing, underpinned by quality lab procedures from North America's largest animal genotyping facility, at an attractive price," says Stewart Bauck, GeneSeek General Manager. "We value our relationship with AGI and members of the American Angus Association, and see the GGP-HD as an exciting next step in the evolution of genomic technology."

To learn more about AGI's genetic evaluation process and options, visit the website or access AAA Login.

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