

First Round, Blackbird Win North American

VA First Round and EXAR Envious Blackbird 1760 claim top honors at 2012 North American super ROV.

Angus enthusiasts led 221 entries while competing for top honors at the 2012 North American International Livestock Exposition (NAILE) Super-point Roll of Victory (ROV) Angus Show and National Angus Show Nov. 12-13 in Louisville, Ky. Brian McCulloh, Viroqua, Wis., judged the 179 females, 41 bulls and one cow-calf pair before selecting the winning animals.

VA First Round claimed grand champion and intermediate champion bull honors. Chestnut Angus Farm, Pipestone, Minn.; Country Lane Farm, Ringle, Wis.; and Michael Vajgrt, Newhall, Iowa, own the May 2011 son of Dameron First Class. EXAR Stoney 0262B won reserve grand champion bull for Callahan Cattle Co., Edmond, Okla., and Express Angus Ranches, Yukon, Okla. The January 2010 son of EXAR Titlelist T011 first won senior champion.

EXAR Envious Blackbird 1760 captured grand champion female honors for Ashley Cox, Eagle Point, Ore. The March 2011 daughter of Dameron First Class first won junior champion. James Full, Woodbine, Md., owns the reserve grand champion female. Dameron Lucy 102 is a January 2011 daughter of Dameron First Class. She first claimed reserve junior champion.

JKS Miss Cheyenne 2267 won grand champion cow-calf pair. Jamie Smith, Lebanon, Tenn., owns the March 2007 daughter of Boyd On Target 1083. An April 2012 bull calf sired by SAV Pioneer 7301 completes the winning pair.

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CANDID PHOTOS BY KASEY MILLER

► **Above:** Brian McCulloh, Viroqua, Wis., evaluated 221 entries in the super-point ROV show.

► **Left and below:** Exhibitors from across the country brought 41 bulls through the ring on Monday morning.



North American International Livestock Exposition Super-Point ROV Angus Show

Nov. 12-13 • Louisville, Ky. • No. entries: 221 • Judge: Brian McCulloh, Viroqua, Wis.

GRAND CHAMPIONS



► Grand champion bull, **VA First Round**.

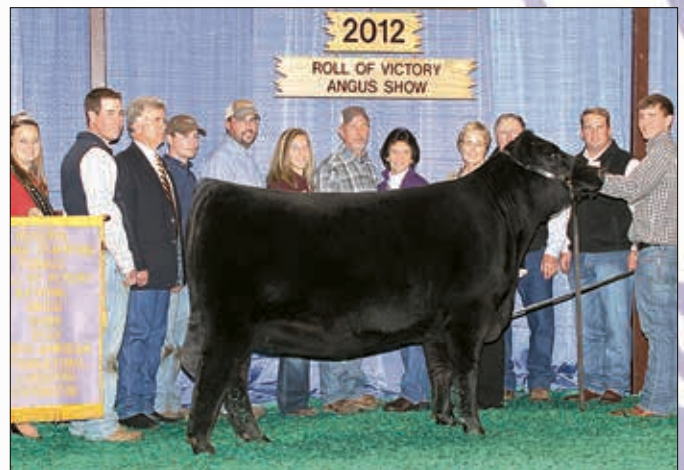
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPIONS



► Reserve grand champion bull, **EXAR Stoney 0262B**.



► Grand champion female, **EXAR Envious Blackbird 1760**.



► Reserve grand champion female, **Dameron Lucy 102**.



► Grand champion cow-calf pair, **JKS Miss Cheyenne 2267**.



► Lydell Meier gets congratulated after VA First Round was selected as grand champion bull.

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▣ BULL SHOW



►Spring calf champion, **CKF Duke 202**, by Herr Angus Farm, Nottingham, Pa.



►Reserve spring calf champion, **MCM Solution 256**, by Caleb Smith, Whitestown, Ind.



►Winter calf champion, **2K Rafiki 612**, by Kelli Retallick, Glen Haven, Wis.



►Reserve winter calf champion, **Rosewood Fairbanks 1072**, by Kevin Rose, Salem, Ill.



►Reserve senior calf champion, **EXAR Post Time 5091B**, by Express Angus Ranches.



►Reserve intermediate champion, **Gamble's Cyclone 5511**, by Holly Gamble, Clinton, Tenn.; and Evan Neese, Gosport, Ind.



►Junior champion, **Werner Eagle Eye 1029**, by Werner Angus, Cordova, Ill.; and Point Petre Springs, Aurora, Ont.



►Reserve junior champion, **WCC Spoiler Y1**, by Wilson Cattle Co., Cloverdale, Ind.; and Hunter Hamilton, Heltonville, Ind.

▣ FEMALE SHOW



►Spring calf champion, **EXAR Lady Blanche 6392**, by Madison Cox, Eagle Point, Ore.



►Reserve spring calf champion, **SH Lucy 2110**, by Sterling Reichenbach, Bath, Mich.



►Winter calf champion, **Cherry Knoll Elsa 1210**, by Kathryn Coleman, Modesto, Calif.



►Reserve winter calf champion, **RMA Miss Style 0012**, by Leslie Rogers, Patoka, Ind.



►Reserve senior calf champion, **Dameron Countess 1134**, by Logan Steed, Carrollton, Ga.



►Intermediate champion, **Top Line Lady 1176**, by Connor Holvoet, Wever, Iowa.



►Reserve intermediate champion, **Cherry Knoll Richta 1159**, by Bryce Fitzgerald, West Grove, Pa.



►Senior champion, **WCC Forever Lady X244**, by Jack Fort, Knightstown, Ind.



►Senior calf champion, **DAJS After Effect 714**, by Doug Satree Angus, Montague, Texas.



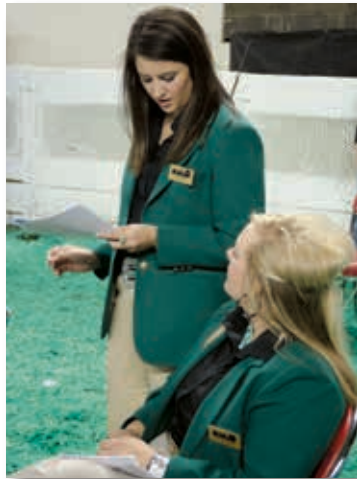
►Reserve senior champion, **Silveira's Watchout 0514**, by Silveira Bros., Firebaugh, Calif.



►Senior calf champion, **Cherry Knoll Pride 1191**, by Matthew Mitchell, Reinholds, Pa.



►Reserve senior champion, **Champion Hill Cheyenne 7796**, by Caroline Cowles, Rockfield, Ky.



►National Junior Angus Association Directors Jacy Alsop (left), Arkansas, and JanLee Rowlett, Tennessee, discuss the show's events.



►VA First Round was selected as grand champion bull right after the crowning of Miss American Angus.

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►Tuesday 179 females strolled across green shavings for the ROV female show.

SHOWING

Show Schedule

► Information about **ANGUS** shows

► **JANUARY**
PENNSYLVANIA FARM SHOW
Location: Harrisburg
Date: Jan. 7
Time: 8 a.m.
Entry Deadline: Nov. 3
Judge: Joel Cowley

NATIONAL WESTERN STOCK SHOW**
Location: Denver, Colo.
Date: Jan. 17-18
Entry Deadline: Nov. 20
Judge: Doug Parrett

SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR
Location: West Palm Beach
Date: Jan. 23
Time: 9 a.m.
Entry Deadline: Dec. 1
Judge: Terry Vigil

► **FEBRUARY**
SOUTHWESTERN EXPO & LIVESTOCK SHOW*
Location: Fort Worth, Texas
Date: Feb. 2
Time: 10 a.m.
Judge: Brian Cates

DIXIE NAT'L LIVESTOCK SHOW & RODEO*
Location: Jackson, Miss.
Date: Feb. 10
Time: 7:30 a.m.
Entry Deadline: Jan. 22
Judge: Brad Gohr

HOUSTON LIVESTOCK SHOW
Location: Houston, Texas
Date: Feb. 26
Time: 8 a.m.
Entry Deadline: Jan. 5
Judge: Amy Stertzbach

► **JUNE**
THE ALL-AMERICAN ANGUS BREEDERS' FUTURITY*
Location: Louisville, Ky.
Date: June 16-17

► **JULY**
NAT'L JUNIOR ANGUS SHOW
Location: Kansas City, Mo.
Date: July 5-11
Time: 8 a.m.
Entry Deadline: May 15

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*Denotes ROV show

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