

# Welcome to Denver

In case you missed out, here's a review of NWSS events.

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►The week began with check-in of yards cattle (below), then the Angus junior show, judged by John McCurry (left). Throughout the week, the yards bustled with activity.

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► **Above:** Cattlemen gather in the yards to see great Angus genetics.

► **Right:** With a sale every night, NWSS is full of Angus activities.



► **Above:** Claire Taylor (left), Miss Arkansas Angus, and Mallory Trospen, Miss American Angus, prepare to award grand champion female honors.



► Denver is the place to be for a great discussion about Angus cattle. **Above:** Dick Beck (left) and Tom Burke are deep in discussion at the Foundation Female Sale Friday. **Right:** John Crouch explains Association programs at the Angus Listening Post.



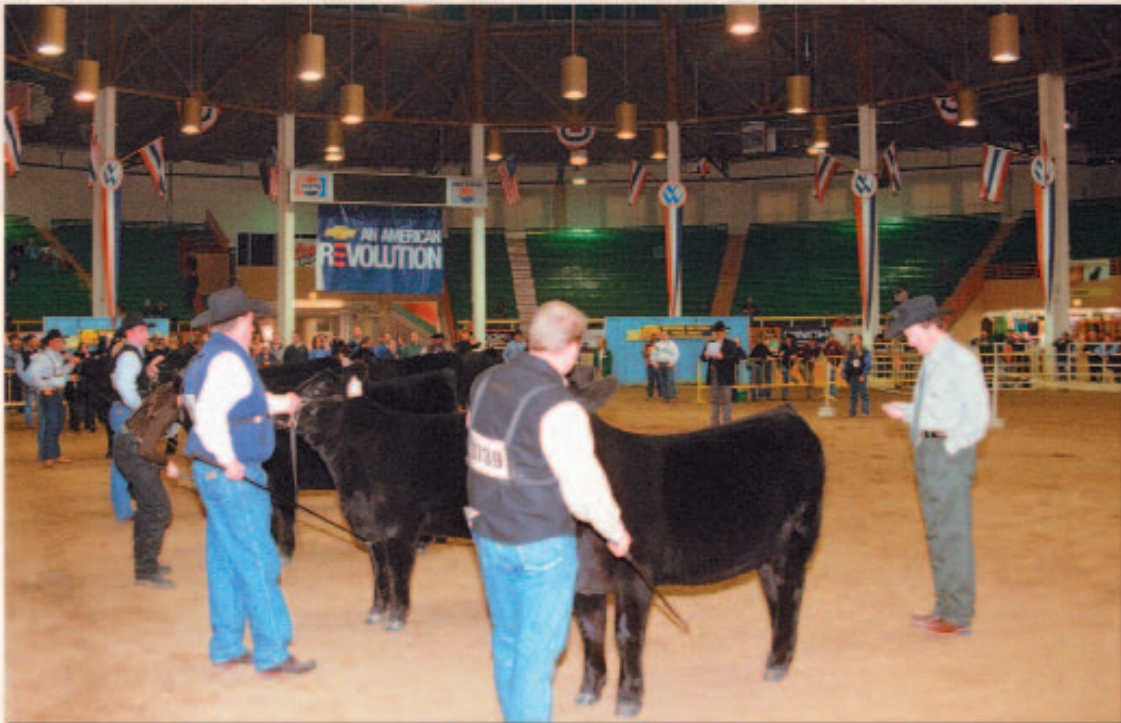




► Angus enthusiasts of all ages turn out for NWSS festivities.



► **Right:** Even though it increased workloads, cattlemen were proud to enter the largest number of Angus cattle in the last 20 years.



► **Left:** Brad McCurry evaluated females and bulls at the 2005-2006 National Angus Show.





► **Above:** Yards cattle are kept looking their best to tempt prospective buyers.



► **Right:** The NWSS Angus Bull Sale is the only American Angus Association-sponsored sale.



► **Below:** The Association honored the NWSS for its 100th anniversary.



**Above:** A panel of five judges evaluated 53 sale bulls.





►Prospective buyers studied sale books (above) at the packed-beyond-capacity Angus bull sale (right). API General Manager Terry Cotton (left) asks for just a little more.



►Left: The brisk January weather brought out the spirit in the yards cattle.



►Above: Scott Johnson (right) answered questions about AIMS at the Angus booth on the hill.



►Right: Producers showed their support for youth by bidding on items to support the NJAS during the Angus Reception Thursday evening.



►Above: The Angus Reception provides a place to mingle and catch up on the Angus world.

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►Above: NWSS volunteers gave tours to celebrate the 100th anniversary.

►Below: On Saturday, an educational workshop on alternative energy sources gave farmers and ranchers money-saving tips on using rural energy.



►Below: Uniform groups of Angus bulls are presented as examples of "The Power of One Bull."



►Right: Mountain Meadow Cattle Co. provided Certified Angus Beef® (CAB®) hamburgers to visitors in the yards.

