



Silent Auction Sets Record

Angus supporters supply record \$14,076 in proceeds.

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► An Angus supporter places a bid on a set of Angus-themed coasters. The coasters were a popular item at this year's silent auction.

Angus supporters at the National Junior Angus Show (NJAS) in Tulsa, Okla., helped the Angus Foundation Silent Auction gross a record-breaking \$14,076 in proceeds to benefit education, youth and research for the Angus breed. The annual auction, which was July 3-7 in conjunction with the NJAS, featured 82 items donated by Angus enthusiasts from across the country.

Two pieces of historical Angus memorabilia and an embryo package were the top-selling items at the 13th annual silent auction. Dean and Gloria Hurlbut, Saint Joseph, Mo., donated a popular Angus bull-patterned carpet, as well as a framed print of Frank Champion Murphy's pastel sketch "The Angus Breed is Launched in the United States of America." The carpet, which sold for \$2,200, was purchased by Bob, Jeannie and Jennifer Ann Smith, all of Marshall, Texas. The print, which sold for \$1,400, was purchased by Vance and Connie Uden of TC Ranch, Franklin, Neb.

An embryo package, donated by Circle S Angus Ranch, Kingman, Kan., and the Kansas Junior Angus Association rounded out the three highest-selling items. Bill and Betty Werner, Rapids City, Ill., purchased the item with a bid of \$1,100.

Angus Foundation President Milford Jenkins attributes the record-breaking success of the auction to the numerous Angus supporters involved in this year's auction. "All credit is to be given to the donors of the wonderful gift-in-kind items and the enthusiastic bidders who helped us realize another record-setting silent auction at the NJAS."

Jenkins also notes that such enthusiastic support creates opportunity to further benefit the Angus breed. "It is always exciting to observe the fun, yet highly spirited and competitive bidding occur, especially at the close of the auction," Jenkins says. "The proceeds from this fundraising activity will further empower the Angus Foundation to fund education, youth and research activities for the advancement of the Angus breed and benefit of Angus breeders and youth."

The Angus Foundation was established in 1980 as a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization to support Angus education, youth and research. To learn more about the Angus Foundation and the programs it supports, call the American Angus Association at 816-383-5100 or go to www.angusfoundation.org.



► **Left:** This fleece blanket was one of numerous Angus-themed items available for Angus enthusiasts to bid on at this year's record-setting silent auction.

► **Below:** Junior members Katelyn Corsentino, Denham Springs, La., (left) and Cheyenne Jones, Franklinton, La., partake in the auction by monitoring bids on a set of Angus-themed coasters.



► **Above:** Attendees admire the historical bull-patterned carpet at this year's silent auction. The unique piece of Angus history was originally installed in the library of the American Angus Association when it opened its Saint Joseph, Mo., offices in 1956. It was removed in 1993 and has remained a popular item among Angus enthusiasts.

► **Left:** Bob Smith, Marshall, Texas, places the winning bid on the bull-patterned carpet. The carpet sold for \$2,200.

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