



Cow Chips
January/February 2015

Register now for the GAA Annual Meeting and Banquet

Angus enthusiasts are invited to attend the 2015 Georgia Angus Association (GAA) Annual Meeting and Banquet set for Saturday, January 24, 2015. The event will be held at The Classic Center in Athens.

The evening will begin at 5:30 p.m. with the annual meeting where committee chairpersons will recap 2014 activities. The Georgia Angus Auxiliary will hold their Annual Meeting at 5:30 p.m. as well. Following these two events, the social will begin at 6:00 p.m. followed by the banquet at 7:00 p.m. The banquet will feature a steak dinner, presentation of awards, announcement of Miss Georgia Angus, Georgia Angus Princess, GAA Member of the Year, and the sale of the 2015-16 GAA Directory ads. The 2015-17 GAA Board of Directors will be announced too.

Adult buffet dinners cost \$25.00 and children's (12 and under) buffet dinners cost \$10.00 if purchased no later than Tuesday, January 20, 2015. All orders received after this date or at the door will cost an additional \$10.00 per plate. Please pre-register for this event to help the banquet committee allow for adequate space and food. All reserved banquet tickets will be available at the door at 6:00 p.m. No refunds will be given. All pre-orders are responsible for payment.

A block of rooms have been reserved at the Holiday Inn Athens located just a few blocks from the The Classic Center. Call the hotel directly at 706-353-6800 and ask for the Georgia Angus (ANG) block rate. The hotel is located at 197 East Broad Street, Athens, GA 30601.

The GAA Board of Directors hope you participate at this year's event! If you have any questions, please contact Christy Page at 770-307-7178 or info@georgiaangus.org. Please plan to bring a door prize to this year's event!

Directions to The Classic Center 300 North Thomas Street Athens, GA 30601

From the West: Take I-85 North to GA 316 east. Do not exit on the US 78E Business Athens-Monroe exit. Continue on GA 316 for 4.5 additional miles to Loop 10 Inner. (Home Depot will be within sight on the right.) Turn right onto Loop 10 Inner and travel to the Lexington Rd./Oconee St. (exit 8), Take US Highway 78 West into downtown Athens. At the traffic light at Oconee, Broad, and Thomas Streets (this will be a five way intersection) take a sharp right onto E. Broad Street. The orange and green building in the triangle will be on your right; travel one block; turn left on Foundry Street. The entrance to the parking deck will be on your left.

From the East: Take US Highway 78 West into downtown Athens. At the traffic light at Oconee, Broad, and Thomas Streets (this will be a five way intersection) take a sharp right

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From the North: Take US Highway 441 South into Athens. Continue straight at the intersection of US 441 and GA Loop 10. The street name will become ML King Jr. Parkway. Follow MLK Pky. Until you get to North Avenue. Turn right onto North Avenue. Stay to the left. At the light at Thomas and Dougherty the Athens Welcome Center will be on your right. Go one block on Thomas, turn left onto Strong Street. Travel to Foundry Street turn right. The parking deck will be ahead on your left.

From the South: Take US 441, US 129, GA 15 North around Watkinsville and into Athens. After the traffic light at White Oak cross 2 bridges (sign for Clarke County Line and directional sign to UGA), turn right onto GA 10/US 441 US 129/GA 15. Exit at Lexington Rd./Oconee St. (exit 8), Take US Highway 78 West into downtown Athens. At the traffic light at Oconee, Broad, and Thomas Streets (this will be a five way intersection) take a sharp right onto E. Broad Street. The orange and green building in the triangle will be on your right; travel one block; turn left on Foundry Street. The entrance to the parking deck will be on your left.

GAA BANQUET REGISTRATION

Name _____
 Farm _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 State _____ Zip _____
 Phone _____
 E-mail _____

Adult Banquet Tickets
 \$25.00 each _____
 Child's Banquet Tickets (12 & under)
 \$10.00 _____
 Total \$ _____

Please return no later than January 20 to:

Georgia Angus Association
 2681 Gum Springs Church Rd. ♦ Jefferson, GA 30549
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Letter from your President

Dear Friends and Fellow Angus Breeders -

I hope that each of you had a blessed Christmas with family and friends. This time of year gives us a chance to reflect on our accomplishments and perhaps shortcomings over the past year and look forward to a successful 2015. This can also be such a busy time on the farm. Spring calving is about to get underway and breeding those fall calvers demands so much patience and energy this time of year. I trust that each of you was able slow down and spend some time with your families during the holiday season.

As I write this letter, it is raining, and it appears that all of you have been receiving some rain after an extremely dry fall. It may seem like too much at the moment, but we will take it as ground water levels had really dropped around the state.

Demand for Angus genetics remained strong this fall, and all indications suggest that demand for Angus cattle will continue for some time. Angus breeders are reporting record bull sales across the country and commercial cattle prices remain very strong. Consumers indicate that they are still willing to pay for a quality eating experience at current beef prices, and that is definitely good news for Angus breeders.

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your support of the GAA over the past year. Our Board of Directors and committee members work hard to make our association beneficial to our members. I want to specifically thank, Christy Page, for her devotion to the GAA and also thank our Regional Manager, David Gazda, for his commitment to our breed and us as breeders.

I look forward to seeing each of you at the GAA Annual Meeting & Banquet January 24, 2015 in Athens. The ladies of the Auxiliary always plan and exceptional banquet. We will have the very best CAB prime rib that you can find, and enjoy some Angus fellowship.

Best regards,

Smitty Lamb

Sale Report

- Bramblett Bull & Female Sale - 47 Lots Grossed \$229,000 and Averaged \$4,872
- Calhoun Bull Test - 45 Lots Grossed \$183,200 and Averaged \$4,071
- MM Cattle Bull & Commercial Female Sale - 23 Lots Grossed \$96,400 and Averaged \$4,191
- Hill-View Farm - 38 Lots Grossed \$105,200 and Averaged \$2,768
- Lemmon Cattle Enterprises - 103 Lots Grossed \$557,300 and Averaged \$5,410.

Do you want to advertise in the GAA Cow Chips?

Advertising space is available in the March/April Cow Chips:

Advertising Rates:

Full Page - \$100 1/2 Page - \$75
1/4 Page - \$50 Business Card - \$25

New: Classified Ads Free for GAA and GJAA Members. Send 25 words or less and contact information

Advertising Deadline: February 20, 2015
Submit all ads to info@georgiaangus.org



2015 Beef Industry Convention and Expo

The Georgia Cattleman's Association 2015 Beef Industry Convention and Trade Show will take place April 1-4 in Perry at the Georgia National Fairgrounds.

The Georgia Angus Association (GAA) will once again be sponsoring the Georgia Beef Expo Southeastern Angus Showcase Sale to be held at noon on Friday, April 3. Nomination forms were available in the November/December 2014 newsletter and can be found at www.georgiaangus.org. **All entries must be in by January 15 so the sale committee can determine if there are enough lots to hold a sale.** If you have not turned in your nomination form and would like to consign cattle, please contact the GAA office immediately at 770-307-7178 or e-mail info@georgiaangus.org. Screening of the cattle will take place soon!

This year's sale committee is being co-chaired by Mike McCravy, Bowdon, and Phil Page, Jefferson, and managed by the American Angus Hall of Fame. If you have any questions about the sale, please feel free to contact the committee, sale manager Jeremy Haag or the GAA office.

This sale is a great



opportunity for all Angus breeders to get involved. Whether you are a breeder from a smaller Angus operation or raise hundreds of cattle a year, this sale is for you. The sale committee is expecting another great set of quality cattle with excellent pedigrees and EPDs, and is anticipating a large crowd to be in attendance. Mark your calendars now for this exciting Angus event and Angus offerings!

GAA Membership renewals due February 15, 2015

Annual membership fees for the GAA are now due. In addition to paying your annual dues, membership records will be updated based upon your reply using the form provided in this mail out. This information is used in the associations membership directory and website.

All membership dues are to be paid no later than February 15, 2015. 2015 membership dues are \$50.00 and voting rights and membership for additional family members can be obtained for an extra \$10.00 per family member.

Please be sure to mail your membership form and check to the new GAA address:

**Georgia Angus Association
2681 Gum Springs Church Rd.
Jefferson, GA 30549**

Please do not use the provided ballot envelope for membership dues.

Calhoun Bull Test



Marvin Zeigler, MPAC Angus, Bamberg, S.C., consigned the high-indexing Angus bull to the 2014 Calhoun Bull Evaluation Performance Test and Sale, Dec. 5 in Calhoun, Ga. MPAC Magnum 162 124 is an October 2013 son of Nichols Quiet Lad T9. He posted an average daily gain of 4.71 pounds, with an adjusted yearling weight of 1,427 pounds. Pictured from left are Marvin Zeigler, Consignor; and Brenda Jackson, University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Service.

**NEW ADDRESS FOR GAA
2681 Gum Springs Church Rd.
Jefferson, GA 30549**

GAA in search of new Angus royalty

The GAA will crown two ambassadors for the state association on January 24 during the GAA Banquet. Miss Georgia Angus is eligible to those young ladies between the ages of 15 and 21, and Georgia Angus Princess is eligible to those young ladies between the ages of 9 and 14, as of January 1, 2015. These young ladies must be a member of the Georgia Junior Angus Association and their parents must be a members of the GAA.

The role of Miss Georgia Angus and Georgia Angus Princess is to promote Angus cattle and Angus activities, and to represent the state Angus association. These ambassadors should represent the GAA and the Angus breed by attending shows, field days, banquets, meetings, etc., at their own expense.

If you are interested in serving as Miss Georgia Angus or Georgia Angus Princess, please contact Carolyn Gazda, queens committee chairperson, no later than January 15, 2015 at 706-540-2222 or gazdacattleco@bellsouth.net. This is a great opportunity for junior Angus members to get involved!

HERBSTER ANGUS FARMS

Bull Sale ~ March 28, 2015

~Selling 45 Reg Angus Bulls, 2 Reg SimAngus Bulls and 40 Commercial Females ~
Marysville Livestock Auction, Marysville, KS

Sportsman
HERBSTER SPORTSMAN ~ AAA 17338113



Selling 6 sons
\$40 unit/\$40 certificate

CED	BW	WW	YW	Milk	Marb	RE	Fat	\$W	\$F	\$G	\$B
+7	+8	+70	+129	+40	+51	+94	+018	+60.90	+86.86	+30.81	+128.82

Six young herd sire prospects out of the production and phenotypic powerhouse, Herbster Sportsman, sell on March 28th. Sportsman is the most exciting son of SAV Pursuit to date. He ranks in the top 1% of current sires for YW, Milk and CW all while being in the top 5% for WW, RE, \$W, \$F and \$B. His mother, Herbster May 0102, continues to be our greatest female achievement to date, producing progeny with an award winning phenotype all while maintaining a superior EPD profile. A stand-out maternal brother to Sportsman by SAV Fieldmaster also sells.

In addition to the Herbster Sportsman sons, we will be offering a great set of pound-maker bulls sired by the breed growth sensations SAV Harvestor, SAV Ringmaster, SAV Pursuit, SAV Fieldmaster, SAV Recruit, SAV Revere and Herbster Huntsman. Our bulls are the cowman's kind!

Recruit



\$40 unit/\$40 certificate

SAV Recruit ~ 17318895 4 sons sell

SAV Recruit sires "get-up-and-go." We are very excited to offer the first Recruit sons this spring! Other than SAV Ringmaster, the growth and power of the SAV Recruit calves are unparalleled in our herd. Recruit produced the heaviest ADJ WW bull in the offering. In addition, he is also backed by the \$375,000 maternal masterpiece, SAV Abigale 5650.

Pursuit



\$40 unit/\$40 certificate

SAV Pursuit ~ 16687663 13 sons and 9 Grandsons sell

Headlined by Herbster Sportsman at \$17,500, the Pursuit sons have been the most sought after progeny in our last two sales. Young herd sires by Pursuit that sell are extremely quick growing and functional in their design. They will add pounds to weaning and quality on the rail.

SAV Harvester ~ 16687737 3 sons and 2 Grandsons sell

Harvester has concreted himself as the go-to growth bull of the Angus breed. His sons are soft and thick with impeccable structure while his daughters have excelled during their first year of production. The sons and grandsons selling in our bull sale will be sale features. We are selling two full brothers in blood to the \$400,000 Angus phenomenon, SAV International.

Harvester



\$40 unit/\$40 certificate

Visit our web page at www.herbsterangus.com for more information. To order semen or a sale book, please contact our Executive Vice President, Brittany E. Barker, by e-mail at brittany@herbsterangus.com or by phone at (402) 440-4205



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Meet your GAA Board of Director candidates

Enclosed in this newsletter, you will find a ballot for the 2015-17 Georgia Angus Association (GAA) Board of Directors election. GAA members have the opportunity to vote for their directors by returning the enclosed ballot in the ballot envelope by January 20. Here is a brief bio on each candidate.

Todd Alford, Bowman, alongside his wife Holly and son Ky, own and operate Alford Livestock Service. For over a decade, the Alford's have assisted many of the top registered Angus operations throughout the country with their production sales. Todd has been involved in all stages of planning, preparing, and putting legs on many of the more prominent Angus sales in Georgia. He has served as coordinator for the Bull Power sale for the last three years. In addition to sale coordination, Todd is partial owner in Cattle In Demand, LLC an online marketing avenue. Cattle In Demand is a multi-purpose marketing firm that hosts online sales and helps coordinate live auctions for multiple breeds of cattle. For the last three years, Todd has taken on the responsibility of marketing manager at Britt Angus Farm of Hartwell where they run 300 head of registered Angus and commercial cattle. Todd and his dad Calvin, also run a small herd of Angus based cows with a focus of producing top end bulls for the commercial producer and a few show heifer prospects for the juniors. Todd has been around junior livestock projects all of his life and has a passion for helping the next generation of Angus breeders and beef industry leaders. Todd has attended nearly all of the NJAS in the last twelve years helping the juniors prepare their projects for that show. In 2014, Todd judged the Eastern Regional Angus showmanship contest and has put on numerous fitting and clipping demonstrations for Angus youth.



Greg Bennett grew up and lives in *Cartersville*, where he owns and operates Katie Colin Farm LLC. He and his wife Tammy have two children - Katie Ruth and Colin. Greg has been in and around farming and livestock his whole life but began a focus on Angus cattle in 2004. He is a seed stock producer and runs around 50 head providing replacement females to other purebred operations and bulls to commercial cattlemen. He is also a member of the Georgia Cattlemen's Association, Red Carpet Cattlemen's Association and Georgia Club Calf Producers Association. When not working with his cattle, Greg also is a residential home builder/developer and owns Greg Bennett Homes LLC which builds homes in and around the northwest Georgia and north metro areas.



Larry Bramblett, Elberton, has served as president of the Georgia Angus Association and on the Board of Directors of the Association. He and his son operate Bramblett Angus which has been in existence since 1980. Bramblett Angus has an on farm performance tested bull sale each year and recently they have added registered Angus females to that sale. He is married to Virginia Bramblett and they have two children, John and Laura. He is now serving on the Board of Tax Assessors of Hart County. He is a member of Hartwell First Baptist Church. For the past three years he has been actively involved in securing funding for an Ag Center to be administered by the Hart County Board of Education. That phase of the project successfully culminated with the passing of the splash funding in the November 2014 general election. Over the years, the Bramblett's have been actively involved in the Junior Angus program and were successfully in the Junior show ring.



Alan Bridges, Lexington, is a third generation Angus breeder where he grew up on Bridges Angus Farm. During his youth, he was active in 4-H and was member of GJAA. He showed steers and heifers and was a member of the Oglethorpe County 4-H Livestock Judging team through High School. Alan is a graduate of the University of Georgia where he was a member of the Alpha Eta Chapter of Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity. While in college, Alan managed Bridges Angus Farm and worked for his grandfather Ralph Bridges. In 2005, Alan along with his brother Phillip purchased Bridges Angus Farm, LLC from his grandparents. Today the herd is 100% A.I. and embryo transfer and Bridges Angus hosts their own Production sale in April.



Cole Elrod, Talmo, is the husband of Stephanie Marie Elrod and the father of Halley, Kate and the newest addition (and family namesake) Hoke. He owns and operates North Jackson Contractors which specializes in fencing and residential pools and also operates a seasonal hay wrapping business. Admittedly, the fences and pools buys diapers and puts food on the table, his passion and his preferred title remains as manager of Elrod Farms and joint venture Elrod and Tolbert, calving near 100 Angus cows annually. He's a past president of the Jackson County Cattlemen's Association where he spearheaded their march to a 2nd place finish in recruiting and chapter growth in the Georgia Cattlemen's Association. A proponent of performance programs as a consignor of the UGA Bull Test program and a strong supporter of youth livestock programs, serving as a chair of the Ed Tolbert Memorial Cattle Show and a member of the Junior Livestock committee for the Georgia Cattlemens Association. A small business owner, a breeder of champions both in the showing and on feed at Calhoun, a father and most importantly a member of Galilee Christian Church.



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Carolyn Gazda, Athens, and her husband David co-own Gazda Cattle Company. Carolyn has been a lifetime member of the AAA since 1981, and she and David have been married since 1983. Carolyn grew up in the GJAA serving as President, Vice President, Secretary and Queen, and showed in the 1982 National Showmanship Contest in Milwaukee, Wis. She was involved with the planning of the 1980 Eastern Regional Junior Angus Show held in Athens in 1980. Carolyn has a BSA in animal science from UGA and a Masters in agriculture with an emphasis in animal breeding and a minor in statistics from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, Texas. She served as the Secretary/Treasurer of the GAA from January of 1990 until January of 1997. She has also served two terms as President and Vice President respectively and was one of the adult co-chairs of the 2009 National Junior Angus Show. She was the advisor of the GJAA from 2003-2011. For 13 years she worked with the UGA Extension Animal Science in the junior livestock program and handled all entries for two different specie shows for the Georgia National Fair held in October and five different specie shows for the Georgia Junior National Livestock shows held in February. She has served as Vice President of both the Georgia Club Calf Producers Association and the Georgia Cattlewomen's Association and has also served as President of the Clarke-Oconee Cattlemen's Association. She and David have two daughters, Katie and Taylor, who have been lifetime members of the NJAA since 1990 and 1992 respectively. Katie served as the 2009 Miss American Angus. They have both been members of the GJAA since they were nine and have served in various officer positions.



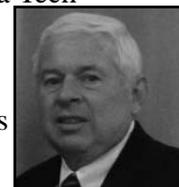
Kyle Gillooly is the manager of Smith Angus Farm in Wadley. A 4th Generation Angus Breeder from Indiana, Kyle graduated from Purdue University. Kyle is currently the Georgia Cattlemen's Association Vice President and serves as a director for Jefferson Co. Farm Bureau, and has served a two-year director term for the GAA. Kyle and his wife Jennifer also own and operate Predestined Cattle Co. They have two children, Grant and Diana Kate.



Terry Harris, Boston, spent 37 years working for USDA Ams Livestock Market News, applying the USDA live and carcass grading standards. He has helped establish market news programs in the US, Poland, Kazaskstan and Venezuela. He developed the Slaughter Cow Grading Standards and worked on Lean Meat Ratio's for Slaughter Hogs. He has worked in market news offices from Indiana, Iowa, Missouri, Florida to Georgia retiring in 2011. His family is running a mixed herd of commercial and Registered Angus cows. The main focus for Harris Livestok LLC is the beef eating experience using Terry's background and experience applying the USDA standards (taste, juiciness and tenderness). They feed and collect data on all commercial cattle, we use ultrasound, DNA and high acc dams and sires to move us toward a better beef eating experience. We feel the Angus breed does these things and look forward to many years as an Angus Producer.



Mike Jones, West Point, was raised on registered Angus cattle farm in Virginia. He graduated from Virginia Tech with a degree in Business Management and minor in Animal Science. Mike was on the 1972 Virginia Tech Livestock Judging Team. He served from 1973-1978 as the Eastern Field Representative for *The Drovers Journal*. He has been a self-employed, full-time, purebred livestock auctioneer since 1980 specializing in the marketing of Angus cattle. Mike owns and operates a small Angus herd of 40 cows in west central Georgia where he cooperates with Gordon Stucky and Randy McCabe in Kansas to market bulls and sell females thru state sponsored consignment sales. He has served on the GAA Board for the past three terms where he serves on the Hall of Fame selection committee and Georgia Expo Angus Sale committee. Mike has managed the Georgia Expo Commercial Heifer Sale for past 17 years. He is interested mostly in serving the small breeders in assisting with the marketing of their good Angus cattle.



Phil Page, Jefferson, grew up on a Limousin farm where he exhibited Limousin cattle on a local, state and national level. He was a member of the FFA, Georgia Junior Limousin Association and the North American Limousin Junior Association where he served as President of the national organization in 1997. Phil is married to Christy (Bell) and they have two children - Savannah (10) and Carson (2). His family manages an Angus and Sim-Angus cattle farm in Winder, Ga., where they raise approximately 100 head of cattle annually. Additionally, they are breeding and showing purebred and commercial swine for their daughter Savannah who has become an active member in the 4-H program and the National Junior Swine Association. Phil currently serves as President of the Georgia Junior Livestock Foundation, just completed a term on the GAA Board of Directors, serves on the Barrow County Farm Bureau Board of Directors, and is a member of the Jackson County Cattlemen's Association, Georgia Cattlemen's Association, AAA, Georgia Simmental Association, American Simmental Association, and Jackson County Young Farmers. Outside of the agriculture community, Phil is employed by Community Health Care Services in Winder.



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David Williams of *Bishop* has been involved in the cattle industry his entire life. He exhibited Angus cattle on the local and state levels and participated in the National Junior Angus Showmanship Contest. He and his wife Connie currently maintain a small herd of Angus cattle with their three children. Their youngest child, Clay, is a past member of the Georgia and National Junior Angus Associations, and recently served as chairman of the NJAA. David has served one term on the GAA Board of Directors.



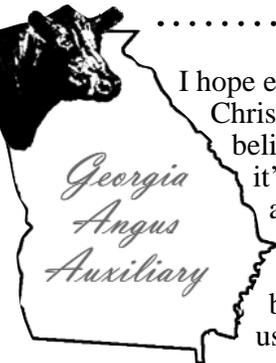
Robin Wilson, Jefferson, along with his family, two oldest sons, Brock and Drew, and their families, own and operate Rocking W Angus in Commerce and Jefferson. Their purebred Angus operation began in 2009 with 25 females and has now grown to over 300. They employ progressive AI and ET technologies in their efforts to provide sound, superior seedstock cattle. Robin is also a board member of the Georgia Junior Livestock Foundation, a member of the Jackson County Cattleman's Association and has been involved with many charity fund raising organizations. The Wilson family also owns and operates a software development and support firm based in Commerce. Rocking W Angus holds an annual production sale in April.



GAA ballots due January 20

GAA members have the opportunity to vote for the 2015-17 GAA Board of Directors and 2014 GAA Member of the Year. An official ballot has been provided in each applicable newsletter and should be returned in the enclosed ballot envelope no later than January 20 to the GAA office.

All nominations have been provided on the official ballot. A bio on each candidate has been included in this newsletter. Please vote for 7 individuals to be named to the GAA Board of Directors and please choose one GAA member to receive the GAA Member of the Year award.



I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and New Year! It's hard to believe 2015 is already here and that it's time to start thinking about our annual meeting. As we did last year, the Auxiliary will meet in conjunction with the GAA banquet and we hope you'll join us. We'll also be crowning new

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royalty that evening and full details can be found in the newsletter.

I hope you'll come get involved with the Auxiliary. We need you!

God Bless,

Tanya Eidson



Tanya Eidson, *President*

The Junior Corner - News from the Georgia Junior Angus Association

Next GJAA Meeting

All Junior members and their parents are invited to attend a meeting that will be held on January 24th during the GAA Annual Meeting at 6 pm. Information about scholarships, Raising the Bar, NJAS and upcoming events to be discussed.

Georgia Jr National Livestock Show

State Show is just around the corner if you are exhibiting a registered Angus steer or heifer make sure that your Georgia Junior Angus Association dues are paid by Feb. 1, 2015 for the year to be eligible for added premiums.

Leadership Conference

Raising the Bar Conference will be held in Georgia April 9th - 12th, 2015. The group will be staying in Atlanta and traveling to Athens for tours. Registration information can be found on the NJAA Conference website.

Next Summer

The National Junior Angus Show will be hosted in Tulsa, OK in July. There are many contests and events that Junior members can participate in other than in the show ring. If you would like more information about the contests please email throneja@hotmail.com, or visit the National Junior Angus Association contest website.