# Entry Packet



July 17 - 23, 2021

# General Information

#### Facilities:

Bell County Expo Center 301 W Loop 21 Belton, TX 76513

#### In the Barns:

- No one will be allowed in before 12 p.m. on Saturday, July 17th
- Stalls will be pre-assigned based off entries.
- No dogs, alcohol, or generators.

#### Tie - Outs:

- First come, first serve
- Please only take the amount that you need
- Tie Outs are only available in the Stalling Barn or the pens adjacent to the Equine/Livestock Complex. Animals may NOT be tied-out anywhere else.

### Shavings:

- East side of Stalling barn will be pre-bedded with Pine.
- West side of Stalling barn will receive 2 bags of pelleted shavings per head.
- Additional shavings must be purchased from Bell County Expo Center.
- \$9 per bag
- Both flakes and pelleted shavings available.

### RV & Camping Hook Ups:

- Please contact the Expo Center for information 254-933-5353
- \$25 per day
- Spots are given on a first come, first serve basis (NO reservations)

If you have any questions or concerns please contact:

Rylee Barber - Youth Programs and Membership Coordinator

Email: rbarber@beefmasters.org

Office: 210-732-3132 Cell: 210-552-3080

# Facility Maps



Stalling Barn: Livestock stalls and tie - outs

Stalling Barn: Show office

Equine/Livestock Complex: Show ring

Assembly Hall: All meals and several contests

Summer Fun Waterpark: Fun Night 1401 Waco Road Belton, TX 76513

# 2021 Judges

### **National Heifer Show**

Dr. Scott Schaake

### **National Cow-Calf Pair Show**

Dr. Scott Schaake

### **Bred and Owned Female Show**

Brady Jensen

### **Bred and Owned Bull Show**

Brady Jensen

### E6/Advancer Female Show

Dr. Scott Schaake

### **Showmanship**

Shellie & Christy Collins

# Hotels and Lodging

La Quinta by Wyndham Belton - Temple South

229 W Loop 121

Belton, TX 76513-3328

254-939-2772

Group Code: Junior Beefmaster

Rate: \$91 + tax

Expo Inn & Suites

235 W Loop 121

Belton, TX 76513

254-613-5289

Group Code: Junior Beefmaster

Rate: \$94 + tax

Holiday Inn Express - Salado 1991 N Stagecoach Rd. Salado, TX 76571 254-947-4004

Holiday Inn Temple - Belton

5247 S General Bruce Dr.

**Temple, TX 76502** 

254-778-5511

Group Code: JBBA

Rate: \$92 + tax

# Meet the JBBA Board

**President:** Troy Glaser

**President- Elect:** Nikki Brady

Secretary: April Solis

Treasurer: Bennett Janssen

Reporter: Bryanna Hardin

District 1 Directors: Hudson Ham & Breyana Robinson

**District 2 Directors:** Colby Mullins

District 3 Directors: Caeden Scherer & Gracey Leopold

District 4 Directors: Kolton Brady & Garrett Melnar

District 5 Directors: Travis Glaser & Braylee Cowan

Directors At-Large: Jacob Kolwes & Mackenzie Lee

### **JBBA Junior Ambassadors:**

Cody Barnett

Vicente Garza

Sofia Garza

Kaylee Hensley

Kaylee Beason

Wes Shaw

Weston Brooks

# Meet the Adult Committee

Co - Chairman: Darrell Glaser

Co - Chairman: Casey Ballard

### **Members:**

Aaron Low Kalli Ellis

Allison Wells Kim Ryals

Amy Ballard Laramie Naumann

Alyssa Lyssy Lee Compton

Amber Middleton Nancy Gilmore

Brandon Upton Nate Compton

Jennifer Janssen Russell Mackie

Javier P Solis Sherri Ellis

Jason Hendricks Steve Emmons

John Price

Vicente Garza Jr

Zach Byers

If you have any questions throughout the week please find a JBBA board member or an adult committee member and they will be able to assist you.



# 2021 National Show and Convention Belton, TX

# SCHEDULE



Saturday, July 17
12 p.mBarn Opens
7 p.m JBBA BOD Meeting
Sunday, July 18
8 a.m 5 p.m Show Office Open
10 a.m 12:30 p.m Exhibitor Check-In
12 p.mAll Cattle must be in place
1 - 3 p.m Cattle Check-In
1 p.m Creative Essay Contest
2 p.m PeeWee Activity
3 p.m Leadership Conference
5:30 p.m Opening Ceremonies
6 p.m Meet & Greet Social
Monday, July 19
8 a.m 5 p.m Show Office Open
7 a.mUltrasound Carcass Show
8 a.m Public Speaking Contest
11 a.m 12 p.mLunch
1 p.mBeefmaster Skillathon
2 p.m PeeWee Activity
3 p.m Educational Clinic
4 p.m Quiz Bowl Buzzer Round
6:30 p.m Fun Night

Tuesday, July 20
8 a.m 5 p.m Show Office Open
8 a.mShowmanship
Ring 1: Senior
Ring 2: Intermediate followed by Junior
Peewee will follow the Champion Overall
12 p.mLunch
1 p.mJudging Contest
2 p.mPeeWee Activity
2:30 p.mProfessional Development Contest
5 p.mAdult Shomanship
Wednesday, July 21
8 a.m 5 p.m Show Office Open
8 a.mShow Starts
Ring 1: Bred & Owned Heifer Show
Cow/Calf Pair Show
Ring 2: E6/Advancer Heifer Show
Bred & Owned Bull Show
12:30 p.mLunch
1:30 p.mGeneral Membership Meeting
3:00 p.mSales Talk
6 p.mDinner & Auction
Thursday, July 22



\* Subject to Change



# Letter from the President

### Howdy JBBA,

It's almost that time of the year again! Each year the JBBA family comes together for the most critical event in the organization and the Beefmaster breed at large, the JBBA National Show and Convention. As your president, I cordially invite you to attend the 37th Annual JBBA National Show in Belton, Texas, the week of July 17-23. The Board of Directors and I are excited to see everyone as we implement our plans and hard work over the past year. Along with the adult committee, we intend to make this the best National Show and Convention possible for our members!

This year we have a week packed with a wide variety of events and competitions. Along with our everyday activities, there will be many new contests and events for our members, such as the Creative Essay contest, Sales Talk, and the Professional Development contest. My team and I have worked hard to put together these events, so we encourage all members to sign up for any contest(s) that interests them. These activities develop professional skills that are useful later on in your life. On top of that, members also have the opportunity to apply for the JBBA Board of Directors and Ambassador program. The JBBA needs the most qualified and dedicated members to help fund raise and represent our breed. I highly encourage any member, if interested, to apply and make a run for a leadership position. The application is currently open and is due June 1st. There are also several scholarships for high school seniors and college students; applications and information can be found on the JBBA website for any questions you may have.

I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at the National Show and Convention at the EXPO Center in Belton, Texas. All of us on the Board are excited about this show, and I hope you are as well. See you in Belton!

Sincerely,

Troy J. Glaser JBBA President

# JBBA Code of Conduct

In order to assure safe and productive educational programs and activities, the following Code of Conduct has been put in place for JBBA events. The applicable code will be enforced in a firm, fair and equitable manner.

# ALL YOUTH AND ADULTS SHOULD ABIDE BY THE INTENT OF THIS CODE.

Any unsportsmanlike conduct or misrepresentation on the part of a JBBA member will not be tolerated. All JBBA members and family/guardians are always expected to be cooperative and courteous. It is the responsibility of all JBBA members to provide proper and humane care and treatment to their animals during the event. Any JBBA member or family/guardian not complying with this rule is subject to disqualification or any other steps deemed appropriate.

# Statement of Liability

All persons making entries in or attending the show and convention shall agree to abide by all rules and regulations as outlined and will not hold Beefmaster Breeders United or the 2021 JBBA National Show and Convention organizers and volunteers responsible for accident, loss or injury to any person, animal or article.

# Highlights

- Early Entry Registration deadline is Tuesday, June 1, 2021
- Late Entries and Registrations will only be allowed until July 1, 2021
- No cattle entries will be accepted after July 1, 2021
- All entries must be done online via ShoWorks. Other entries will not be accepted.
- All contestants shall be broken into three divisions for the contests.
- Junior Division shall be those who are 10 years of age and younger on or before December 31, 2020
- Intermediate Division shall be those between the ages of 11 and 14 on or before December 31, 2020
- Senior Division shall be those who are 15 years of age on or before December 31, 2020 and up to the maximum age limit stated in the JBBA Bylaws.
- Registration for Exhibitors/Contestants will include a 2021 JBBA National T-Shirt (which must be worn
  for the National Show and the Bred and Owned Show) and entry into all contests and competitions
  including All-Around. This is a mandatory fee for all exhibitors/contestants only. Additional shirts are
  available through the entry website for purchase.
- Wristbands for both exhibitors and non-exhibitors will be available to purchase that will allow entry into all catered meals on the grounds and the Awards Banquet. Participation in the meals is recommended and encouraged as that time will be used for important announcements.
- Exhibitors and their families will not need a pass to get into the Fun Night.
- Additional t-shirts and meal tickets will be available for pre-order. A limited number of t-shirts and meal tickets will be available during the show, but are not guaranteed. Pre-registration before July 1st is recommended and encouraged.
- Check-In Process Exhibitors will NOT need to bring their animal(s) to check-in
- For Check-In you must have the following:
- Original Health Papers (with palpation status, if applicable)
- 1 extra copy of health papers (Show Office WILL NOT make copies)
- Original Registration Papers
- Invoice from online entries with QR code
- Bred and Owned Certificates for animals entered in the Bred & Owned Show
- Bull Breeding Soundness Exam (if applicable)
- Substitutions must be made by noon on Sunday, July 18, 2021. Substitutions will not be accepted during check-in.
- All exhibitors are encouraged to bring a wheelbarrow to help contain waste.
- Stalling Insofar as possible, shelter will be provided for all animals. JBBA does not charge a stall fee and does not guarantee stall space to any entry. Stalls will be preassigned based on entries.
- Port-A-Cool fans are not allowed in the barn. The facility is climate controlled.
- Stalls will be pre-bedded with pine shavings. \$15 bedding fee is included in entry fee.
- No outside shavings are allowed. Shavings (wood and pelleted) will be sold by Bell County Expo during the week of Nationals.
- Limited tie-outs will be available.
- RV Spots are available and are first come, first serve. Contact the Expo for more information.
- Sullivan Show Supply will be on the grounds for all show supply needs.
- Official Show Photographer: Next Level Images
- Group pictures will be taken on Wednesday, July 21 before the membership meeting.

### All fees are listed on the entry site - www.jbba.fairmanager.com

It is mandatory for all exhibitors, including PeeWee, to pay the Exhibitor Registration fee. All other exhibitor fees are optional. Not all fees apply to each exhibitor. The cattle entry fees include a \$15 bedding fee per head. The stalls will be pre-bedded with pine shavings on the East side, and shavings will be provided on the West side.

### **Cattle Entry Fees**

- National Heifer Show: \$45

- National Cow-Calf Pair Show: \$45

- Bred & Owned Heifer Show: \$30

- Bred & Owned Bull Show: \$45

- E6/Advancer Show: \$45

- Animal Substitution: \$30

- Ultrasound Carcass Show: \$15

- Extra Stall Space: \$15

- Showmanship: \$10

### **Exhibitor Fees**

- Exhibitor Registration: \$30

- Meal Wristband (includes all meals & Awards Banquet): \$70

- Individual Meal Tickets (excludes Awards Banquet): \$15

- Awards Banquet Ticket: \$40

### **Apparel Fees**

- National Show T-Shirts: \$15

- JBBA T-Shirt (YS - AXL): \$15

- JBBA Hoodies: \$40

- JBBA Caps: \$20

### **Late Fees (Applied after June 1st)**

- Late Entry Fee: \$100

- Late Meal Wristband: \$100

- Late Individual Meal Tickets: \$20

- Late Awards Banquet Ticket: \$50

## National Show & Convention FAQ

Here a few answers to some of our Frequently Asked Questions from JBBA members and parents in regards to the National Show and Convention.

#### 1. Where do I enter for the National Show and Convention?

- All entries must be completed through www.jbba.fairmanager.com.
- Each exhibitor will have to create a profile in order to enter, including Pee Wees.

### 2. When I was registering it asked about a Nat'l Show Rookie, Graduating HS Senior, and a Retiring JBBA member, what are those?

- Exhibitors should select Nat'l Show Rookie if it is their first year to exhibit an animal at the JBBA National Show and Convention.
- Exhibitors should select Graduating HS Senior if they graduated high school in December 2020 or May 2021.
- Exhibitors should select Retiring JBBA member if they will not qualify for JBBA membership in 2022 due to being too old.

#### 3. What is included in the Exhibitor Registration Fee?

- Included in that fee is a National Show T-shirt, entrance into all of the contests, entrance into Fun-Night for the exhibitor and their family, as well as entrance into the Meet & Greet Social on Sunday, July 18th.

#### 4. How will stalling work for the 2021 National Show and Convention?

- Stalls will be pre-assigned to each exhibitor based off the number of animals entered.
- If you need more room, we have extra stall space available for \$15 per space. This is limited to 1 extra stall per exhibitor to ensure there is enough for everyone.
- If you would like to stall next to someone specifically send Rylee an email at rbarber@beefmasters.org by July 1st to request it.
- Stalls on the East side of the barn will be pre-bedded with cedar fiber shavings. Stalls on the West side will be provided 2 bags of shavings per entry. The bedding fee is included in the entry fee for each animal.

### 5. If my heifer has not calved at the time of entry, but probably will before the National Show where do I enter her?

- If a heifer has not calved at time of entry, enter the female in the Cow Calf Pair Show and enter calf information as PENDING. Once she calves please email the correct information to rbarber@beefmasters.org.

### **Qualifications of Bona Fide Exhibitor**

- 1. Must be a current member in good standing of the Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association (JBBA).
- 2. Exhibitors must be a minimum of six years old on January 1st and under the age of twenty-one years on January 1st of the current year.
- 3. Must register for and compete in the National Show and Convention and pay all applicable fees.
- 4. Each exhibitor should have continually and personally fed and cared for their animal(s) under the direct supervision of a County Agent, Agricultural Instructor and/or his or her parents.
- 5. Entries must be exhibited by the owner unless he or she owns two or more entries in the same class, where upon another bona fide JBBA exhibitor may show one of the entries. If the entry is a pair, the cow must be exhibited by the owner.
- 6. Any JBBA exhibitor who is a qualified entrant to show and cannot, due to illness or injury with official doctor's note, may have their entry shown by another bona fide JBBA exhibitor. Individual circumstances occurring during the National Show and Convention will be addressed by show officials.
- 7. All contestants shall be broken into three divisions for the contests.
  - Junior Division shall be those who are 10 years of age and younger on or before December 31, 2020.
  - Intermediate Division shall be those between the ages of 11 and 14 on or before December 31, 2020.
  - Senior Division shall be those who are 15 years of age on or before December 31, 2020 and up to the maximum age limit stated in the JBBA Bylaws.
    - Article 1, Bylaw 1 states: "Junior members shall be elected to junior membership by the Board of Directors and shall be under the age of twenty-one (21) years on January 1st of the current year.

### **Qualifications of Animal**

- 1. Official Interstate Health Certificates must accompany all cattle and must be presented to a representative of the show at the time the cattle arrive on the show premises. Usual state and interstate brucellosis and tuberculosis requirements will apply. Every animal at the 2021 JBBA National Show and Convention must have an official health certificate verified by a licensed veterinarian within 30 days of the show and must meet state animal health commission requirements of the hosting state. This show is an interstate (accepting animals from other states) show for livestock entries. Exhibitors with livestock originating outside the state of Texas are encouraged to contact their state animal health officials to confirm specific requirements, if any; their state may impose on animals returning from a Texas show. Exhibitors must bring 1 extra/additional copy of their health papers.
- 2. Original BBU Certificates of Breeding (not copies) on each animal shown, including any calf-at-side, must be presented to a representative of the show at the time of cattle check-in. Application for a BBU Certificate of Breeding on calves less than 30 days of age must be presented. Official scramble registration papers with appropriate show stamp must be presented at check-in.
- 3. All heifers and bulls must be registered with Beefmaster Breeders United (BBU) as a purebred and out of a BBU-Certified Purebred dam, Second Cross dam or as otherwise stated in the BBU By-Laws. Advancer and E6 heifers must be registered with Beefmaster Breeders United.
- 4. The tattoo or brand will be checked on the top five (5) placing heifers, top two (2) placing National Cow/Calf Pairs, Bred and Owned bulls, Bred and Owned heifers, and E6/Advancer heifers at the conclusion of each class and must match the permanent ID that appears on the original registration paper. It is the member's responsibility to ensure that the brand or tattoo is legible prior to arrival on the show grounds. Members will be disqualified if their animal does not have a matching tattoo or brand, or if the tattoo or brand is illegible. In the event of a disqualification, the next placing animal with matching identification will advance. Calves that show on the side of the cow must have a permanent identification number.
- 5. All cattle must have been owned by the entrant a minimum of 60 days prior to the show (May 15, 2021). Evidence of ownership is indicated by the date of sale on the registration certificate.

### **Qualifications of Animal**

- 6. JBBA members are allowed to have partnership animals with another JBBA member (animals owned by parent-youth or adult-youth combinations are NOT eligible.) However, if JBBA members are exhibiting cattle in a show, the same exhibitor must show both the cow and calf if they choose to enter both animals in their own respected classes. (Example: Same JBBA member must show cow and either her heifer or bull calf in both classes if the JBBA member chooses to enter calf in separate class.)
- 7. There is no limit to the number of heifers and or bulls an exhibitor may enter.
- 8. Heifers/bulls that do not show the day of month of birth on their BBU Certificate of Breeding shall be considered to be born on the first day of that month.
- 9. All BBU registered animals must be shown with their hair coats lying downward and flat against their entire body. Hair trimming is permissible and must be done in those few areas such as the neck and portions of the top line of the animal which may not lay flat against the body. Hair may not be trained upwards or forwards and/or pulled upwards or forwards on any part of the animal's body. No animals may have any foreign object(s) attached to it in any manner or have its natural color altered in a manner so as to change the conformation or appearance. An exhibitor who fails to abide by this rule will be dismissed from the arena and/or forfeit premiums, awards and points from the show. This applies to all National cattle shows.
- 10. Any heifer and or bull that, in the opinion of a designated BBU official, would be a detriment to the breed, shall be removed from the show, regardless of any prior classification. Examples would be animals exhibiting signs of low fertility, genetic, or physical defects.
- 11. Any entry that is unruly and poses danger to other exhibitors, or if exhibitor loses control of their animal twice during the class, the animal may be dismissed from the show arena by the judge or arena director or designee.

### **Qualifications of Animal**

- 12. Substitutions must be turned into the show office by July 18, 2021 at noon. Substitutions will not be accepted during cattle check-in. The substitution animal must meet all other requirements and rules. There will be a substitution fee of \$30 per animal. An exhibitor may substitute an animal at the National Show and Convention within the same division. Example: Bull for a bull show entry only, Advancer/E6 for an Advancer/E6 show entry only.
- 13. To be eligible for Bred and Owned Show awards, exhibitors must present an original Bred and Owned certificate along with original BBU registration papers at time of check-in. Bred and Owned certificates may be obtained by contacting the BBU office and providing the registration number. Joint ownership, when both members are the breeder on record, will be accepted.
  - Joint ownership of the dam is permitted; however, for offspring to qualify as a JBBA Bred & Owned animal, all owners of the dam must be JBBA members, except in the case of siblings where one sibling has become too old for JBBA membership, joint ownership is acceptable as long as the older sibling was a JBBA member and has maintained continuous uninterrupted membership in the BBU since expiration of their JBBA membership, as determined by the BBU office.
- 14. All heifers, two (2) years and older on the day of the show must be palpated safe in calf by a licensed veterinarian and so state on the health certificate, with the exception of heifers nursing their BBU registered calf-at-side (under 6 months of age), in which case the heifer may show open. Heifers that do not show the day of month on their BBU Certificate of Breeding shall be considered to be born on the first day of that month.
- 15. Nurse cows, recipient cows, retired show heifers with calves, etc., will not be allowed on the show grounds. The only animals allowed on the show grounds will be those entered in a class themselves.
- 16. Heifers two (2) years and older on the day shown whose calf has died cannot be shown.
- 17. Classes will be determined by age after all entries are completed. Best efforts will be made to keep class size uniform.
- 18. All heifers and bulls must be in place and checked in by show officials by 3 p.m. on Sunday, July 18, 2021.

#### **General Show and Contest Rules**

- 1. All protests must be filed within one (1) hour after the completion of the National Heifer Show on July 22, 2021 with a \$250 fee. If the protest is upheld, the \$250 fee will be refunded. All protests will be reviewed and resolved by the BBU Junior Program Committee and Junior Board members if available. All protests must be paid in exact cash. Checks and/or credit cards will not be accepted.
- 2. No animal may be removed from the show grounds prior to one-hour (1) following the completion of the National Heifer show, unless the animal is released prior to that time pursuant to a written release signed by the show coordinator. Any animal involved in a protest shall remain on show grounds until the protest is resolved.

  Owners of animals not removed by 10:00 a.m. on July 23, 2021 will be fined \$50 per animal.
- 3. The Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Heifer, Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Bred and Owned Heifer, Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Cow/Calf Pair, Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Bred and Owned Bull, and Grand Champion and Reserve Champion E6/Advancer Female at the JBBA National Show and Convention may have tail hair collected from them for potential future DNA sampling.
- 4. Once a class has started and is being judged and the gate is closed, it is up to the judge and show officials on whether or not to allow you in the ring. Classes will not be held for late entrance.
- 5. If at any JBBA event, a dog or personal pet is considered a problem, disruption, and/or not properly controlled or handled by the owner or person responsible for said animal, a JBBA director, adult advisory committee person, or show official can be notified and in response to notification, have the authority to request that said dog or personal pet be immediately removed from the premises. If you have dogs or personal pets that travel with you, please be considerate of other exhibitors and their cattle.
- 6. No alcohol consumption shall take place inside the makeup and arena areas.

#### **General Show and Contest Rules**

- 7. Premium payout will be awarded if funds are available after all National expenses have been paid. Premium payout amount will be decided by BBU Executive Vice President, JBBA Youth Programs Coordinator and committee consisting of Junior Board and adult committee members. All premium money that has not been claimed 90 days after the first issue date of the checks will be forfeited.
- 8. The judges shall be selected by the Beefmaster Breeders United staff. National judges shall not have judged at the National Junior Heifer Show within the past 3 years.
- 9. Exhibitors must show in their National T-shirt, that is provided, during the Bred and Owned Heifer Show, Bred and Owned Bull Show, E6/Advancer Female Show, National Cow/Calf Pair Show and the National Heifer Show. Exhibitors may wear their own selection of clothing during showmanship. Additional shirts can be purchased during online registration.
- 10. By attending the National Show and Convention, all attendees and participants agree for their picture to be taken and to be used in any marketing or advertisement by JBBA or BBU.
- 11. All animals must stay in the Exposition Center or the Equine/Livestock Complex at all times. Animals are not permitted anywhere else on grounds. This includes tie-out areas that are not in the Exposition Center or the Equine/Livestock Complex. If animals are found outside of these areas the exhibitor will be given one warning, and then after that they will be dismissed from the grounds and no refunds will be given.
- 12. Bell County Expo Center Rules -
  - Smoking is prohibited
  - Dogs and personal pets are not permitted inside the Expo
  - Alcohol may NOT be brought onto Expo premises.
  - Weapons are not permitted on the Expo premises.
- 13. Failure to comply with these rules or failure to cooperate with the show and breed officials will be grounds for removal. These rules apply to all parties in attendance at the JBBA National Show and Convention.

# **National Heifer Show Rules**

The National Heifer Show is open to all bona fide JBBA members. All JBBA National Show Rules and Guidelines will be followed.

- Entry fee is \$45 per heifer.
- Heifers entered must be born between January 1, 2019 March 31, 2021
- Classes and Divisions will be determined and posted after all entries are checked in. Every effort will be made to keep classes uniform in age and size.
- Any cow with a calf at side, regardless of age, will show in the Cow/Calf Pair Show only.
- To ensure the health of all animals, plan ahead and consult with the State Animal Health Office and your veterinarian for interstate movement requirements.

### **National Cow/Calf Pair Show Rules**

The National Cow/Calf Pair Show is open to all bona fide JBBA members. All JBBA National Show Rules and Guidelines will be followed.

- Entry fee is \$45 per pair.
- Cows entered must be born September 1, 2018 or after and have their natural calf at side.
- All cows with a calf at side will show in the National Cow/Calf Pair Show only, regardless of age.
- Classes and Divisions will be determined and posted after all entries are checked in. Every effort will be made to keep classes uniform in age and size.
- All cows must have their BBU registered purebred calf at side.
- Calves 30 days old and younger must present an application for a BBU Certificate of Breeding.
- Cows showing with an E6 or Advancer calf at side will show in the Advancer/ E6 Show.
- Calves at side must be haltered.

### **Bred & Owned Heifer Show Rules**

The Bred and Owned Heifer Show is open to all bona fide JBBA members. All JBBA National Show Rules and Guidelines will be followed.

- Entry fee is \$30 per heifer
- Heifers entered must be born between September 1, 2018 March 31, 2021
- Exhibitors must present an original Bred and Owned certificate along with original BBU registration certificate at time of check-in. Bred and Owned Certificates may be obtained by contacting the BBU office and providing the registration number.
- B&O PAPERS WILL NOT BE MAILED TO NATIONALS NO EXCEPTIONS.
- Classes and Divisions will be determined and posted after all entries are checked in. Every effort will be made to keep classes uniform in age and size.
- All B&O heifers must also be entered in the National Heifer Show.
- To be eligible to show as a pair, all cows must have their BBU registered purebred calf at side. Calves at side must be haltered.

### Advancer/E6 Heifer Show Rules

The Advancer/E6 Show is open to all bona fide JBBA members. All JBBA National Show Rules and Guidelines will be followed.

- Entry fee is \$45 per heifer.
- Heifers must be either registered BBU Advancers or E6 heifers to compete.
- Heifers entered must be born between September 1, 2018 March 31, 2021
- All purebred Beefmaster females with either an Advancer or E6 calf at side will show in the Advancer/E6 Heifer Show only.
- An E6 cow with a bull calf at side is NOT eligible to show in the E6/Advancer Show. All calves at the side of cows MUST be registered with BBU.
- Classes and Divisions will be determined and posted after all entries are checked in. Every effort will be made to keep classes uniform in age and size.
- To be eligible to show as a pair, all cows must have their BBU registered calf at side. Calves at side must be haltered.

### **Bred & Owned Bull Show Rules**

The Bred and Owned Bull Show is open to all bona fide JBBA members.
All JBBA National Show Rules and Guidelines will be followed.

- Entry fee is \$45 per bull.
- Bulls entered must be born between September 1, 2019 March 31, 2021
- Exhibitors must present an original Bred and Owned certificate along with original BBU registration certificate at time of check-in. Bred and Owned Certificates may be obtained by contacting the BBU office and providing the registration number.
- All bulls exhibited must have a nose ring (temporary or permanent) with a lead strap attached to it.
- Each Beefmaster bull eighteen (18) months of age or older must have passed a fertility examination given by a licensed veterinarian and the results of the examination must be presented at check-in.
- Classes and Divisions will be determined and posted after all entries are checked in. Every effort will be made to keep classes uniform in age and size.
- To ensure the health of all animals, plan ahead and consult with the State Animal Health Office and your veterinarian for interstate movement requirements.

Entries must be submitted online at https://jbba.fairmanager.com by Tuesday, June 1, 2021

Late entries will be accepted only until July 1, 2021 (\$100 late fee per exhibitor)

ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER JULY 1, 2021

### **Ultrasound Carcass Show Rules**

The objective of the Ultrasound Carcass Show is to help educate JBBA members and parents about the importance of collecting and submitting performance data on their Beefmaster cattle.

- Any animal entered in the National Heifer Show, Bred & Owned Bull Show and the E6/Advancer Show are eligible to be scanned.
- \$15 entry fee per animal.
- Entries must be done through Showorks by July 1st.
- NO ENTRIES WILL BE ALLOWED AT NATIONALS.
- Exhibitor must walk their animal through to collect scan data on, unless other National Show and Convention contest conflicts. In which case another junior exhibitor may walk the animal through.
- Classes will be determined according to the numbers of entries and will be broken by age.
- Animals will be scanned by age in the order of classes.
- Ultrasound data will be collected by an Ultrasound Guidelines Council (UGC) certified technician or data may also be collected by a UGC chute side technician (someone that has passed both the field certification and the lab certification on the BIA Pro System).
- Raw data will be processed through a Beefmaster friendly grid formula (selected by BBU staff) to determine a dollar value for each entry.
- Each class will be ranked according to carcass value and awards will be presented within each class.
- If your animals have previously been scanned and data has been sent to the BBU office you may still enter the ultrasound carcass class.
- Previous scan data will not be used for ultrasound carcass class. All animals must be scanned during the Ultrasound Carcass class at the 2021 Nationals. Animals will be scanned by ages.
- You must declare at entry if you want the scan data included in the BBU system if they are in the proper age range.
- The proper age range to be scanned is between 320 and 500 days of age. Animals that fall within this range are eligible to have their data included in the BBU system.
- E6/Advancer heifers will be in their own class.

# Showmanship Contest Rules

The main objective of the Showmanship contest is to evaluate youth on their ability to show their animal. Contestants will be judged primarily on their own appearance (neatness) and showmanship ability.

- To be eligible for the Showmanship Contest the contestant must be entered as an exhibitor for the National Show and Convention. Exhibitors must present their own BBU Registered or E6/Advancer heifer.
- Entries must be done through Showorks by July 1st.
- Entry fee is \$10 per contestant.
- Exhibitor must show animal entered in their name. The animal that you show in any showmanship heat(s) will be the animal that must be shown in the showmanship finals.
- Cow/calf pairs are allowed to show in showmanship, but the exhibitor must choose whether to show the cow or the calf only. Both the cow and the calf cannot be exhibited in the ring. Whichever animal is not being presented, is not allowed around the perimeter of the show arena.
- Exhibitors will be randomly assigned heats. Heats will be determined after all exhibitors have been checked in.
- Champion Showmanship winners from each division will compete for an overall showmanship award.

## **Livestock Judging Contest Rules**

The objective of the Livestock Judging Contest is to help youth learn how to evaluate cattle.

- Individuals must be JBBA members to participate.
- Contestants will place several classes of four beef animals.
- Contest will consist of either live cattle, videos, photos or a combination of all three.
- Teams will be made up of four individual contestants. Team name and members will turned in during contest sign up. You have to be in the same age division to be on a team.
- During the contest, any contestants caught discussing with other individuals will be disqualified.
- Score cards/scantrons will be provided.
- Non JBBA members are invited to participate in this contest, but will not be eligible for official placings in the JBBA decisions.
- Cell phones are prohibited during the contest. Individuals found using their cell phone during the contest are subject to disqualification.

### **Creative Essay Contest Rules**

The main objective of the creative essay contest is to enhance JBBA members written communications skills and creative thinking. Contestants should write with the purpose that would be suitable for printing in the Beefmaster Cowman or the JBBA Journal.

- Entries should be informative, entertaining, and well-written. Entries should not be research papers.
- Contestants will have 45 minutes to research and hand write their essay. All entries should be legible.
- Contestants will be provided with paper and pencil. If they choose to use any other materials, they must provide them.
- Different topics will be provided at Nationals for each age division.
- Entries should be between 100 500 words.
- Entries will be evaluated based on grammar, spelling, organization, and content.
- All entries become property of JBBA after submission and are eligible to be printed in the Beefmaster Cowman or the JBBA Journal.
- Any entry found to be plagiarized will be disqualified.

### **Team Sales Contest Rules**

The main objective of Team Sales is to give juniors a glimpse at a real-life situation of selling and marketing their operation while promoting communication skills, marketing techniques, and teamwork.

- Teams will be randomly assigned after contest check-in.
- Teams will be composed of three four individual contestants comprised of different age divisions.
- Contestants must be JBBA members to participate.
- Sales presentations will be from 3-5 minutes long. Each individual on the team will be expected to speak during the time period. The objective of each team will be to convince the judges that they should purchase the team's entry.
- Teams will be discounted for using notes.
- The order of team presentations will be determined by BBU staff and will be posted prior to the contest.
- Teams must bring in at least one live animal to "sell" for their demonstration.
- Teams may present any item that is related to the animal i.e.: the animal itself, embryos, flush, semen, etc.
- Teams must present a copy of the animal's registration certificate to the judges.
- Suggested information assembled in a folder:
  - o Performance Information
  - o Breeding Information
  - o Sales Discussion
- The use of visual aids is allowed, but no power will be provided, and no power points are allowed.
- Questions will be asked at the end of the presentation per judge's discretion.
- Judges will be provided with a scoring rubric
  - o Content 25 points
  - o Ability to Communicate 25 points
  - o Team Organization 10 points
  - o Overall Effect 10 points
  - o Knowledge & Response to Questions 20 points
  - o Copy of Pedigree provided 5 points
  - o Time -5 points

### **Individual Sales Contest Rules**

The main objective of Individual Sales is to give juniors a glimpse at a real-life situation of selling and marketing their operation while promoting communication skills, marketing techniques, and an understanding of performance and pedigree information.

- Individuals must sign up via Showorks in order to participate.
- Contestants must be JBBA members to participate.
- Sales presentations will be from 3-5 minutes long. The objective will be to convince the judges that they should purchase the individual's entry.
- Individuals will be discounted for using notes.
- The order of presentations will be determined by BBU staff and will be posted prior to the contest.
- Individuals must bring in at least one live animal to "sell" for their demonstration.
  - o They may present any item that is related to the animal i.e.: the animal itself, embryos, flush, semen, etc.
  - o Another junior member can hold the animal while the individual gives their presentation.
- The individual must present a copy of the animal's registration certificate to the judges.
- Suggested information assembled in a folder:
  - o Performance Information
  - o Breeding Information
  - o Sales Discussion
- The use of visual aids is allowed, but no power will be provided, and no power points are allowed.
- Questions can be asked at the end of the presentation per judge's discretion.
- Judges will be provided with a scoring rubric
  - o Content 25 points
  - o Ability to Communicate 25 points
  - o Organization 10 points
  - o Overall Effect 10 points
  - o Knowledge & Response to Questions 20 points
  - o Copy of Pedigree provided 5 points
  - o Time 5 points

### **Professional Development Contest Rules**

The main objective of the contest is for JBBA members to create a resume based on factual work, experiences, education, etc. of the junior that can be used for future career and educational purposes. Entries will be judged prior to the National Show and Convention.

- Contestants must be members of JBBA.
- All work must be that of the entrant.
- A pdf of the resume must be emailed to Rylee at rbarber@beefmasters.org by July 1st.
- The file name must include first initial and last name.
- Example: R\_BarberResume
- In the body of the email you must provide:
- Exhibitor Name
- BBU Number
- Job Description "applying" for
- Resumes can not have been presented for competition at a previous Nationals.
- Only senior division members are eligible to compete.

#### **Process:**

- A panel of qualified judges will critique the entries.
- Resumes will be critiqued on the following: content, grammar, relevance, organization, completeness.
- There will be different "job descriptions" to choose from, only one may be submitted.
- The top applicants will be required to participate in an interview during Nationals to finalize the top ten ranking.
- Contestants will be encouraged to wear business professional clothing during the interview.
- Contestants are encouraged to bring at least one copy of their resume to the interview round.

#### Job Descriptions:

- Animal Health Sales Representative
- High School Agricultural Science Teacher
- Beefmaster Ranch Internship
- Full Descriptions can be found at: <a href="https://bit.ly/3r1Csg0">https://bit.ly/3r1Csg0</a>

# Marketing Design Contest Rules

The objective of this contest is to display the creative talent of JBBA members and to develop skills to help promote the Beefmaster breed.

- All contestants must be a JBBA member
- All work must be that of the entrant.
- Entries must be the current year's work and could not have been submitted for a prior year's entry.
- Limit to one entry per contestant.
- The entry submitted should display the current year's topic and be in the correct format.
- The entry must be created using computer technology.
- Materials become the property of JBBA/BBU and can be used in any Beefmaster publication or promotional activity.
- Entries must be emailed to Rylee at rbarber@beefmasters.org by July 1st.
- All entries should be in a .jpeg or .pdf format.
- The file name must include first initial and last name.
- Example: R\_BarberMarketingDesign
- In the body of the email you must provide:
- Exhibitor Name
- BBU Number
- Age Division
- Scoring will be based on the following:
- Originality
- Creativity
- Message
- Design
- Effectiveness

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- 2021 Topic: JBBA Flyer 8 ½ X 11"
- Design a flyer that will promote JBBA to other juniors that might be interested in joining JBBA. This advertisement could be distributed to all Beefmaster exhibitors that exhibit at major shows around the country. This advertisement should highlight some of JBBA activities, contests, and events.

# Prepared Speech Contest Rules

The objective of the public speaking contest is to help juniors gain valuable experience speaking in front of people, while also showcasing their knowledge of Beefmasters and the Beef industry.

- Contestant must be a JBBA member.
- Must enter on Showorks by July 1st to be eligible to enter.
- There is not any use of visual aid or props allowed. Notes and note cards are allowed, but points may be taken off for use.
- Time limits
  - o Junior Division: 2-4 minutes
  - o Intermediate and Senior Division: 3 7 minutes
- The public is invited to attend.
- Participants will be scored on the following
  - o Communication
  - o Introduction, body and conclusion of speech
  - o Knowledge of topic (judges will be allowed to ask questions)
  - o Time/length of speech presented
- 1st Place winners in each division will be asked to present their speech at the 2021 JBBA Awards Banquet and may be invited to present their winning speech at the annual BBU Convention Awards Banquet.

#### Junior Prepared Public Speaking Topics

- What is your favorite thing about JBBA?
- What are the 6 essentials of Beefmasters and why are they necessary?

#### Intermediate Prepared Public Speaking Topics

- How do you propose we grow the next generation's interest in agriculture?
- How can we as Beefmaster producers increase demand for our product?
- What is the value of implementing a herd health protocol?

### Senior Prepared Public Speaking Topics

- A new buzzword in Agriculture is "Sustainability". What is sustainability and how do Beefmaster cattle fit in?
- The United States is currently the world's largest beef importer, but also the largest beef producer. Explain why and the economic effects.
- How might the restriction of antibiotics affect production and costs at the animal and consumer levels?

### **Beefmaster Skillathon Contest Rules**

The main objective of Beefmaster Skillathon is to provide an opportunity for JBBA members to demonstrate their knowledge of Beefmaster cattle and the livestock industry. The Skillathon will provide contestants with an educational experience to sharpen their knowledge.

- Individuals must be a member of JBBA to participate.
- Must enter on Showorks by July 1st to be eligible to enter.
- Beefmaster Skillathon will be divided into three age divisions: Junior, Intermediate and Senior
- Study Information includes but is not limited to:
- BBU Brochures and Publications
- Beef Improvement Federation (BIF) Guidelines
- 2020 BBU Spring Genetic Evaluation
- BBU Website (BBU Programs, services, etc.)
- Basic Farming and Ranching Information
- Basic Cattle Information and Terminology
- Meat Retail Cuts
- Equipment and Livestock Health Identification
- Cattle Breeds
- The Beefmaster Skillathon will be composed of a 25 question quiz and five individual stations pertaining to different agricultural industry sectors.
- The scores of both the quiz portion and the five individual stations will be added together to determine the final placings. Contestants will need to complete both portions to increase their overall score.
- After the placings have been determined the top eight individuals in each division will be randomly assigned to teams and will compete in the final quiz bowl buzzer round.
- During the contest, any contestant caught discussing the quiz or station questions with other individuals and or any other contestant will be subject to disqualification.
- Cell phones are not allowed to be used during this contest. Individuals are subject to disqualification if caught using a cell phone.
- Contestants may not use or bring books, notes, pamphlets, or any other reference material into the testing area.
- Contestants are not to pick up or touch any item that is being identified or evaluated in the station classes, unless otherwise directed by contest official(s).
- Study guide can be found at: <a href="https://bit.ly/3oVsOcV">https://bit.ly/3oVsOcV</a>

### **Beefmaster Quiz Bowl Contest Rules**

This will give the top competitors the chance to compete head to head and showcase their knowledge of Beefmaster cattle and the cattle industry.

- The top 8 individuals in each age division of the Beefmaster Skillathon will be randomly assigned to a team.
- The teams will consist of 1 senior, 1 intermediate and 1 junior member.
- The teams will be placed randomly in a bracket, which will be single elimination.
- The first round of the bracket will consist of one 12 question round. Any member may answer any question.
- The second round of the bracket will consist of two rounds. One 6 question round that will be head to head (ex. The senior vs the senior, the intermediate vs the intermediate and the junior vs the junior). One 12 question round where any member can answer.
- The third and final round of the bracket will consist of three rounds. There will be one 12 question round where individuals will be head to head. One 12 question round where anyone can answer. The final round will be "Jeopardy" style, where the teams will risk "X" points that they have earned in the third round, confer on the question, and give one written team answer within 30 seconds.
- Contestants will have 10 seconds to answer each question in the first and second rounds. Each match will have the same questions for all competing teams. If the team did not answer within the time allotted, they will lose the questions and the opportunity to answer will move to the other team.
- If an individual guesses an answer incorrectly, the other team will have a chance to answer.
- In case of a tie, there will be a batch of three questions that can be answered by any member of the team. If a team answers incorrectly the other team may answer to receive full credit.
- Each question is worth 1 point, except the final jeopardy round, during which the amount of points risked will be decided by the individual teams.

# **Photography Contest Rules**

The objective of this contest is to give JBBA members the opportunity to capture Beefmaster animals and priceless memories with their camera. The primary goal of the photo contest is to promote the Beefmaster breed and improve photography skills.

- Participant must be a JBBA member.
- Each participant is limited to a maximum of two entries.
- The entry deadline is July 1st. NO entries will be accepted at National Convention.
- Entries not received by July 1st will not be judged/considered.
- Entries must be submitted electronically via email. (Printed photos will NOT be accepted)
- Pictures must have been taken by the JBBA member who has entered it.
- Entry Guidelines
  - o Must be submitted in a .JPG or .JPEG format
  - o Cannot exceed the file size of 10 MB
  - o Cannot be altered or digitally enhanced
  - o Must contain Beefmaster cattle and/or related activities
- Submission Guidelines
  - o Email to rbarber@beefmasters.org by July 1st
  - o Subject line "JBBA Photography Contest"
  - o Include in the body of the email
    - ☐ Exhibitor Name
    - ☐ BBU Membership Number
    - ☐ Age and Age Division
    - ☐ Phone Number and Address
- Photos become the property of JBBA/BBU and can be used in any Beefmaster publication or promotional activity.
- Judging will be based on all aspects of photography
- Photos will be displayed during Nationals
- Winning photos may be published in The Beefmaster Cowman

### **Video Contest Rules**

The objective of this contest is to give JBBA members a creative platform to share their Beefmaster story. The focus and primary goal of the video contest is to educate, promote and market both the Beefmaster breed and the BBU/JBBA associations.

- Must be a JBBA member to participate.
- Contestants are limited to one entry
- Contestants must submit a link to their video via email using Vimeo or YouTube sharing platforms by July 1st
- Video Guidelines:
  - o Contestants will submit a 1-3 minute video over the specific theme.
  - o 2021 Theme Who is your Beefmaster role model?
  - o All videos must be submitted by the original owner or creator of the submission. Entrant must hold all rights to the submission, including the copyright. Video must be prepared by the junior member only and not be professionally created/coordinated in any fashion.
  - o The video must represent the beef cattle industry, incorporate the current specified theme, and reference Beefmaster Breeders United and the Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association in a positive way.
- Submission Guidelines:
  - o Email the link to the video to rbarber@beefmasters.org by July 1st.
  - o Subject line "JBBA Video Contest"
  - o Include in the body of the email
    - □ Exhibitor Name
      □ BBU Membership Number
      □ Age and Age Division
      □ Phone Number and Address
- Videos will be judged based on overall message, professionalism, commitment to theme and entertainment.
- The submission must not contain material that violates or infringes the rights of others, including, but not limited, to privacy, publicity, and/or intellectual property rights (including copyright, trademark or patent rights) or constitute copyright or trademark infringement, unless proper documentation is provided. The submission must not contain tortuous, defamatory, slanderous, or libelous materials or contain inappropriate, indecent, obscene, hateful or discriminatory materials, as determined at the sole discretion of BBU/JBBA. By entering the contest, contestants grant BBU/JBBA a perpetual, royalty-free license to use their video, in any media, for commercial and non-commercial purposes. Contestants grant BBU/JBBA permission to edit, modify, format, or adapt the video. The video may be made available to the public, so contestants should not include personal information about themselves or anyone else.

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The All-Around Contest is based off accumulated points from contests and activities throughout the week of the National Show and Convention. Individuals competing for All-Around must compete in contests and exhibit their cattle in order to be eligible.

Based on accumulated placing points from: from:

- National Junior Heifer Show
- National Cow/Calf Pair Show
- Bred and Owned Heifer Show
- Bred and Owned Bull Show
- Advancer/E6 Show
- Showmanship Contest
- Cattle Judging Contest
- Prepared Speech Contest
- Beef Skillathon
- Individual Sales Talk

Based on accumulated participation points

- Creative Essay Contest
- Team Sales Contest
- Professional Development Contest
- Marketing Design Contest
- Photography Contest
- Video Contest

1. Individuals must compete in the Prepared Speech Contest and at least 1 other contest from the following list: Cattle Judging Contest, Beef Skillathon, Individual Sales Talk, and show at least one animal to be eligible for the All-Around competition. Individuals must also attend the general membership meeting and the leadership conference to be eligible.

- 2. Overall ties will be broken using the placings from the following contests in the order listed:
  - Beefmaster Skillathon
  - Prepared Speech Contest
  - Showmanship Contest
  - Cattle Judging Contest
  - National Junior Heifer Show
  - Bred and Owned Bull Show

#### Points Explanation:

#### National Junior Heifer Show

- Maximum of 50 points total per exhibitor from the 2 highest placing heifers.
- Points are only given after the heifer passes check-in procedures.
- Points will be awarded per class as follows:

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1st Place 25 Points
2nd Place 20 points
3rd Place 15 Points
4th Place 10 Points
5th Place 5 Points
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#### National Cow/Calf Pair Show

- Maximum of 25 points total per exhibitor from the 2 highest placing pairs.
- Points are only given after the pair passes check-in procedures.
- Points will be awarded per class as follows:

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1st Place 25 Points
2nd Place 20 points
3rd Place 15 Points
4th Place 10 Points
5th Place 5 Points
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#### **Bred and Owned Heifer Show**

- Maximum of 50 points total per exhibitor from the 2 highest placing heifers.
- Points are only given after the heifer passes check-in procedures.
- Points will be awarded per class as follows:

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1st Place 25 Points
2nd Place 20 points
3rd Place 15 Points
4th Place 10 Points
5th Place 5 Points
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#### Points Explanation:

#### Bred and Owned Bull Show

- Maximum of 25 points total per exhibitor from the 2 highest placing bulls.
- Points are only given after the bull passes check-in procedures.
- Points will be awarded per class as follows:

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1st Place 25 Points
2nd Place 20 points
3rd Place 15 Points
4th Place 10 Points
5th Place 5 Points
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#### E6/Advancer Show

- Maximum of 25 points total per exhibitor from the 2 highest placing heifers.
- Points are only given after the heifer passes check-in procedures.
- Points will be awarded per class as follows:

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1st Place 25 Points
2nd Place 20 points
3rd Place 15 Points
4th Place 10 Points
5th Place 5 Points
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#### **Ultrasound Carcass Show**

- Exhibitors will receive 25 participation points for exhibiting in this show.
- Only one animal may be counted towards the participation points.

#### Points Explanation:

Cattle Judging Contest, Prepared Speech Contest, Beef Skillathon, Showmanship and Individual Sales Talk

- Points will be awarded per contest as follows:

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1st Place
            50 Points
2nd Place
            45 points
3rd Place
            40 Points
4th Place
            35 Points
5th Place
            30 Points
6th Place
            25 Points
7th Place
            20 Points
8th Place
            15 Points
9th Place
            10 Points
10th Place 5 Points
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Creative Essay Contest, Team Sales Contest, Professional Development Contest, Marketing Design Contest, Photography Contest and Video Contest

- 10 participation points will be awarded for each contest competed in. Only 10 points allowed per contest per contestant.

#### General Membership Meeting & Leadership Conference

- Mandatory for ALL JBBA members to attend to qualify for All-Around award.

#### Other Points/Placing Information

- In the case of a tie in a contest, questions will break the tie and participants will receive the points in according with their final rank in that contest.

Example: If two participants tie for 3rd place, their questions scores will split the tie. The participant that has a higher score will receive the points for 3rd place and the other participant will receive the points for 4th place.

### JBBA Pee Wee Program

The objective of the Pee Wee Program is to get younger kids engaged in JBBA and provide them with their own activities during the National Show and Convention.

- Open to all youngsters under the age of 6 as of January 1st of the current year and not entered in the National Show and Convention.
- Pee Wees do not need to be a JBBA member to participate.
- Entry fee: \$0, but must pay the mandatory exhibitor registration fee of \$30.
- Entry includes entry in Pee Wee Showmanship, T-shirt, award, entrance into Pee Wee activities each afternoon.
- Must register for Pee Wee Program on ShoWorks by July 1, 2021. Entries WILL NOT be taken during the National Show and Convention.

#### **Pee Wee Showmanship**

- Contestants do not need to be a JBBA member to participate and can exhibit any heifer
- At least one parent MUST accompany the child while in the ring.
- All entries must be completed online through ShoWorks by July 1, 2021.

## JBBA Leadership Conference

The objective of the leadership conference is to increase leadership skills among JBBA members and emphasize individual and team leaders.

- The Leadership Conference will be held Sunday, July 18, 2021 at 3 p.m.
- ALL JBBA BOARD AND AMBASSADOR POSITION APPLICANTS MUST ATTEND THIS CONFERENCE.
- All exhibitors competing for the All-Around competition must attend the entire conference to qualify.
- All JBBA members are encouraged to attend.

### JBBA Board of Directors

The JBBA Board of Directors are the leaders of the organization and assist in planning and facilitating the National Show and Convention each year along with their other responsibilities. This is a prestigious position that is not to be taken lightly.

- Anyone that is seeking a position on the board or an officer position MUST attend the Leadership Conference and the JBBA BOD Meeting.
- All those seeking a board position must read the Board of Directors Requirements and Responsibilities which can be found at www.beefmasters.org. After reading and agreeing to the commitment, candidates must submit a director's application. Applications must be submitted online by June 1, 2021. Applications can be found at https://forms.gle/AnXxCmWYE2kn763y7 or linked on the BBU website.
- Board candidates will be interviewed prior to the National Show and Convention.

  Applicants will receive an email once their application is received in order to sign up for an interview time.

### **JBBA Junior Ambassadors**

The JBBA Junior Ambassadors are the junior leaders of the organization and assist in planning and facilitating the National Show and Convention each year along with their other responsibilities.

- Anyone that is seeking a Junior Ambassador position MUST attend the Leadership Conference and the JBBA BOD Meeting.
- All those seeking a position must read the Junior Ambassador Requirements and Responsibilities which can be found at www.beefmasters.org. After reading and agreeing to the commitment, candidates must submit an application. Applications must be submitted online by June 1, 2021. Applications can be found at https://forms.gle/iVnX2WdeJjx636xd8 or linked on the BBU website.
- Ambassador candidates will be interviewed prior to the National Show and Convention. Applicants will receive an email once their application is received in order to sign up for an interview time.

### JBBA Scholarships

The JBBA scholarship program is sponsored by JBBA to encourage junior members to continue their higher education beyond the high school level as well as to provide financial assistance for pursuing their further education.

Each JBBA scholarship will be in the amount of \$500, payable upon proof of admittance and enrollment in classes at a University or Junior College.

Candidates for the JBBA scholarship(s) must be a current member of the Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association (JBBA). Applicant must be a minimum of a high school graduate the year of the application.

Application must include three recommendation letters from the following:

- 1. Beefmaster Breeder (other than a member of your immediate family)
- 2. County Agent, FFA Advisor, or 4-H Club Adult Leader
- 3. School Principal, School Counselor, Teacher, College Advisor or College Professor.

Applications will only be accepted if they are complete. Please make certain ALL questions are answered to the best of your ability. Applicants may be interviewed by scholarship committee by either a phone interview or interviewed during the National Convention. Scholarship winners will be announced at the JBBA National Show and Convention Award Banquet.

Applications are due in the BBU office by or before **June 1st**. Applications will not be accepted after the deadline.

Applications can be found at www.beefmasters.org/purebred/juniors.

Other scholarships that are available to JBBA members are available on the website at www. beefmasters.org/purebred/juniors. If you have any questions please contact the BBU Office at 210-732-3132 or email Rylee at rbarber@beefmasters.org.

# JBBA Community Service Project

The Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association is honored to be able to help one of our BBU members in her fight against Breast Cancer. Each year JBBA helps encourage women with Breast Cancer by assisting and donating to the Blessing Box Project.

The Blessing Box Project is a free service for women that are diagnosed with Breast Cancer and they receive a pillow and other support materials to help aid in their journey and recovery. The boxes are made with love by fellow pink sisters, and the sewing tribe who want to be part of this amazing project.

JBBA members are encouraged to bring donation items to the National Show and Convention to help advance the Blessing Box Project. Donations can be funds, fabrics, men's button up shirts, poly-fill, clear packing tape, sharpies, funds for postage, etc.

If you would like to make a monetary donation directly, that can be done by mailing a check to:

Dawn Compton

PO BOX 646

Bellville, TX 77418

or you can venmo funds to @Dawn-compton-6 (dawnc\_77418@yahoo.com)

Dawn also has an Amazon Wish List if you would prefer to donate that way. It can be found at the following link - https://amzn.to/3tgXbgs





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