



Howdy Juniors,

I hope the end of 2018 finds you all happy and healthy. I know I am counting down the days to Christmas break, and I'm sure y'all are too.

During these times, as clubs are in full swing and the next show season nears, something I was told many years ago at a Farm Bureau leadership camp rings in the back of my

head, "Leadership is influence, nothing more, nothing less." Breaking this down, if you want somebody to follow you should show them the way. Whether you are in the show ring, on the debate team, or on the basketball court, leadership is always needed. Every team, family, organization, or group must have people that will set a direction to a path that will lead to success and a positive destination. We have all witnessed leaders that influence others to be the best they can, those that will motivate everyone to work the hardest and bring a positive vision that achieves objectives. Can you be that leader? Are you up for the challenge?

Please realize, a title is not needed to be influential to somebody. A title is not needed for you to step up and be the leader you can be. So, as you participate in your next activity, I encourage you to not be the boss of the group, but the leader. Don't TELL others what to do, SHOW them with your actions and deeds. Be an influence that impacts your organization or team in a constructive manner. Be the influence that motivates others to do the best that they absolutely can. And simply remember: "Leadership is influence, nothing more, nothing less."

Randa Taylor

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Want to stay up to date on everything we're doing throughout the year? Follow us on Facebook at "North American Limousin Junior Association" and Instagram at "nalja_76."

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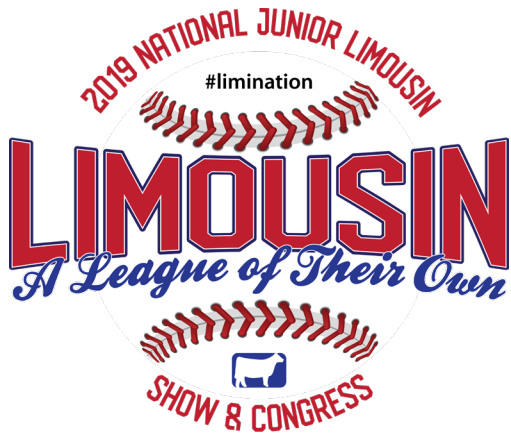
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Attention State Advisors

Check out the "State Advisor" tab on the NALF website (nalf.org/juniors/state-advisor) for information about satellite events, study guides, and sweepstakes. Also, check to make sure your state's advisor information is up to date. If you need to update your advisor information or have suggestions on what you'd like to see on the page, please email Katie Campbell at katie@nalf.org.



A League of Their Own

The Missouri Limousin Breeders Association is excited to welcome the Limousin family to Springfield, Missouri for the 2019 National Junior Limousin Show & Congress. Join us at the Ozark Empire Fairgrounds for another great show!

Missouri will provide straw in tie-outs for the first bedding. Extra straw will not be available, so exhibitors must bring additional straw for the rest of the week. Pens in tie-outs will be allowed but tents will not be allowed in tie-outs. Absolutely no tying to the trailer, all animals must be in tie-outs. Tents outside the stalling barn will only be allowed on show days and it is recommended to bring generators.

Make Your Hotel Reservations

The DoubleTree and Fairfield will serve as the host hotels for the 2019 National Junior Limousin Show & Congress.

DoubleTree Hotel: Rate - \$99
Group Code: NAL
Phone Number: 417-831-3131

Fairfield Hotel: Rate - \$99
Group Code: Junior Limousin Association
Phone Number: 417-833-9599

2019 NJLSC Fundraising

The Missouri Limousin Breeders Association is proud to host Limousin "A League of Their Own," the 2019 National Junior Limousin Show & Congress in Springfield, Missouri June 30-July 5, 2019.

Join the raffle! For just \$100 you could drive home from Springfield in a 2019 Chevrolet Duramax Diesel truck.

For tickets contact Susie Heavin at 417-861-4580, email tyandsusie@gmail.com, or Facebook message Pinegar Limousin.

This is the perfect Christmas gift for that hard to buy for person. All proceeds will go to sponsoring the show.

2019 NJLSC Schedule

Schedule subject to change

Friday, June 28

Cattle allowed in tie-outs
NO CATTLE OR TACK ALLOWED IN BARN

Saturday, June 29

8:00 a.m. Move in/Set up
3:00 p.m. NALJA Board of Directors interviews at the fairgrounds

Sunday, June 30

7:30 a.m. Church service
8:00 a.m. Check-in
12:00 p.m. State officers and advisors meeting
1:00 p.m. Limi-Boosters Beef Cook-Off
4:00 p.m. Sullivan Supply Stock Show U
5:30 p.m. Membership meeting
6:30 p.m. Opening ceremonies

Monday, July 1

8:00 a.m. Sullivan Supply/Stock Show U
Sponsored Showmanship
2:00 p.m. Novice Quiz Bowl pre-lims
3:00 p.m. Junior Quiz Bowl pre-lims
4:00 p.m. Intermediate Quiz Bowl pre-lims
5:00 p.m. Senior Quiz Bowl pre-lims

Tuesday, July 2

8:00 a.m. Steers, Bred & Owned Purebred Females, Owned Lim-Flex Females; carcass contest following the show

Wednesday, July 3

8:00 a.m. Limousin Cow-Calf Pairs, Lim-Flex Cow-Calf Pairs, Bred and Owned Lim-Flex Bulls, Bred and Owned Purebred Bulls, Bred and Owned Lim-Flex Females, Owned Limousin Females, Group Classes
4:00 p.m. Judging Contest
Following judging contest: NALJA Kickball Classic sponsored by NALJA board

Thursday, July 4

10:00 a.m. Sales Talk
2:00 p.m. Sullivan Supply/Stock Show U
Sponsored Team Fitting
4:00 p.m. Quiz Bowl Finals, NALJA Presidential Election immediately follows
8:00 p.m. Dance

Friday, July 5

8:00 a.m. All-American Limousin Futurity
5:00 p.m. NALJA Awards Ceremony in show ring

Activity Fees Due Immediately

You should have just received your annual junior activity fee notice. Please note the early deadline of December 31, 2018. The early deadline will provide continued access to your online member site, as well as the opportunity to register cattle at the lower member rates.

Being current on your activity fee is a requirement for participation in our regional and national shows and competitions. All revenue generated from the fee directly supports many NALJA programs. All first year NALJA members for 2018 do not need to renew their activity fee until 2019.

Satellite Event Late Entry Fee

There will be a late entry fee for juniors who forget to enter in satellite events before the late deadline of May 15. You'll be able to late enter in to the photo contest, showmanship, magazine ad contest, and public speaking at the NJLSC check-in for \$100 per junior. You will not be able to late enter in to the judging contest, if you do not sign up for the judging contest by May 15, you'll have the opportunity to judge in the adult division. Once check-in is complete, you will not be able to enter in to the events.

It is recommended that you sign up for all satellite events by the May 15 deadline for \$10. The \$10 fee is per participant NOT per event.

Genetics on Ice

Not just genetics, something for everyone will sell.

The 2019 Genetics on Ice fundraiser will be one of the best yet! With an exceptional offering of Limousin Genetics and various items such as jewelry, art and agri-services; there is sure to be something for everyone. Genetics on Ice will be held in conjunction with the NALF Annual Banquet and the MOE Awards Recognition on January 14, 2019 at the Double Tree By Hilton Denver.

Please expect a call from the 2018-2019 NALJA Board looking for your support of this year's function. If you would like to contribute items or genetics, please contact Katie Campbell, katie@nalf.org or Ken Holloway at 580.581.7652. Genetics on Ice is an invaluable event that helps support NALJA throughout the year, as well as the National Junior Show and All-American Futurity.

2019 Contest Rotations

At the 2019 NJLSC we will see the return of Quiz Bowl and Sales Talk. Other satellite events include the Judging Contest, Showmanship, Team Fitting, Photo Contest, State Poster, and Magazine Ad.

2019 NJLSC Deadline Change

Due to the timing of the 2019 NJLSC, we've moved the entry deadlines up. All regional shows and early entry deadline for NJLSC will be May 1. Late deadline will be May 15. Ownership deadline will remain May 15.

- Early Entry Fee: \$80 per head (includes bedding)
- Early Entry Deadline: May 1 (paper and online entries accepted)
- Late Entry Fee: \$125 per head (includes bedding)
- Late Entry Deadline: May 15 (ONLY ONLINE ENTRIES ACCEPTED)

Only online entries will be accepted after May 1 due to turn around time. We will be using the same online entry system as 2018.

NJLSC Rule Changes

Scores will no longer be calculated for teams in the judging contest at NJLSC. Sweepstakes points will continue to be given to the top participants. State Sweepstakes points will continue to be given to the highest placing contestant from each state, as listed in the State Sweepstakes Rules.

Photos no longer need to be mounted on a foam board. NALJA will provide protective sleeves for all photos. Photo Contest participants will just need to bring an 8x10 photo to NJLSC check-in and NALJA board members will place it in the protective sleeve.

There will now be pre-determined spots for the Team Fitting contest. A mandatory meeting will be held 30 minutes before the contest to discuss rules, announcement of team spots, etc. Only 1 blower will be allowed per team, no double blowers allowed.

Save the Date

Mark your calendars with the dates and locations of the 2019 NALJA regional shows.

Regional Show entry deadlines will be the same at the NJLSC. Early entry deadline is May 1 and late entry deadline is May 15. Late entry at check-in for the regional shows will be allowed using paper forms.

- Heartland Regional Junior Show: date and location to be announced
- Eastern Regional Junior Show/Southeast Summer Classic: June 7-9, 2019 - Murfreesboro, Tennessee
- Western Regional Junior Show/Western Limousin Exposition: June 13-15, 2019 - Klamath Falls, Oregon



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