

COUNTY BUCKLE PROGRAM

PURPOSE:

The purpose of the County Buckle Program is to promote the Red Angus breed and to encourage youth to become involved in the activities of the ND Red Angus Association and the ND Junior Red Angus Association. The ND Red Angus Association recognizes that the youth are the future of our breed and agriculture in North Dakota.

CRITERIA:

1. Buckles are awarded to North Dakota youth (some exceptions apply) who excel with their Red Angus-influenced livestock at 1) their county fair/achievement day, or 2) the ND Junior Red Angus Association State Show.
2. To receive a buckle, individuals must win Grand or Reserve in Breeding (Female or Bull) or Market.
3. The winning animals must be at least 50% Red Angus and red in color.
4. The exhibitor must own the animal prior to the fair/achievement day. Leased animals will not be eligible. Ownership requirements will follow the requirements set forth by the NDSU Extension Service Livestock Ownership Rules.
5. The youth can only win one buckle per year.
6. The ND State Fair, ND Junior Point Shows or any regional shows do not qualify for buckles.
7. The buckles will be awarded at the ND Red Angus Annual Banquet or the ND Red Select Sale held annually in December.
8. The youth will receive a free meal ticket to the ND Red Angus Annual Banquet.
- 9) The winners of the buckles must be verified by the county Extension agent and/or FFA adviser.

DEADLINE:

SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

SEND OR EMAIL WINNING INFORMATION TO:

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