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Canadian Junior Angus Showdown Team Judging Competition Winners

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Rocky View County, AB—Canadian Junior Angus is pleased to announce the winners of the Showdown 2017 Showdown Team Judging competition. Awards were presented at the Showdown banquet on Saturday, July 22nd.

The junior division (ages 9–12) champion team was comprised of Kylie Willms from Dundurn, SK and Kasey Adams of Forestburg, AB. The reserve champion team was Colt Blacklock of Dundurn, SK and Eric Smith from Mankota, SK.

The champion intermediate (ages 13–16) team was Baxter Blair from McLean, SK and Chase Bruynooghe from Outlook, SK. The reserve intermediate team was Kailey Brandl from Jarvie, AB and Larrisa Rutten from Wawota, SK.

In the senior division (ages 17–21) the champion team was Paul D. Miller III from Torrington, WY and Kate Laycraft from Moose Jaw, SK. The reserve team was Bailey Dietrich of Forestburg, AB and Brittany Hunt from Rose Valley, SK.

To compete in this event, participants had to place in the top six for their age division in the Judging Competition. The top six were randomly placed on teams to compete in team judging. Team judging competitors are evaluated on their ability to judge a class of heifers. During the competition, the acting judge is judged on their placing of the class as well as their ability to present reasons over the microphone. The ring person is judged on their ability to keep the cattle organized and in good order in the ring.

Canadian Junior Angus is a group of Angus enthusiasts under the age of 21. Showdown is an annual summer cattle show organized by Canadian Junior Angus. It rotates to provinces throughout the country every July. This year a record 158 participants and almost 200 head of cattle took part in Showdown in Lloydminster, SK.



*Back row, left to right: Baxter Blair, Chase Bruynooghe, Larissa Rutten, Kailey Brandl, Jennifer Jones (for Paul Miller III), Kate Laycraft, Brittany Hunt, Bailey Dietrich
Front row: Kasey Adams, Kylie Willms, Colt Blacklock, Eric Smith*

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