



*Introducing...*

# **Missouri Junior Angus Academy**

*“Developing Leaders for Tomorrow, Today”*

**July 13-15, 2009**

*Tour and Interact with Industry Leaders at*

- **Feedlots**
- **Packing Companies**
- **Distribution and Retail Centers**
- **Breeders in the Midwest**

The Academy is designed to provide Missouri Juniors an opportunity to gain insight into the full scope of the beef industry by touring and meeting with professionals from the seedstock business to the retail industry and many segments in between. This will be a great opportunity for junior Angus breeders to expand their experience and knowledge within the beef industry by developing a better understanding of the beef business from gate to plate.

**Applicants must be between the ages of 16-21 as of January 1, 2009.**

**Applicants must be members of either the Missouri Junior Angus Association or the Missouri Angus Association.**

## **To apply for the 2009 Academy:**

- Fill out the Missouri Junior Angus Academy application found on the Missouri Angus website at [www.missouriangus.org](http://www.missouriangus.org) or call the office at 417-995-3000 to request an application.
- Applicants should also include an essay (less than 750 words) stating your current involvement in the Angus business and beef industry and how you feel the Academy experience will be of benefit to you in your future plans.
- All applications will be ranked by a committee and the top 4-6 applicants will be selected to participate in the Academy.
- Applications are due in the Missouri Angus Association Office by May 25, 2009. Acceptance letters will be mailed by June 8, 2009.
- Selected Academy participants will be expected to participate in all activities scheduled for July 13-15, 2009.

**Travel and lodging expenses will be covered for all participants.**

*The Missouri Junior Angus Academy is sponsored by the*

**Missouri Angus Association**

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