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Canadian Junior Angus 21st Annual Showdown Grand Aggregate and Angus Roots Scholarship Award Winners

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Rocky View County, AB—Canadian Junior Angus is pleased to announce the recipients of the grand aggregate awards at the CJA's 21st annual Showdown. The grand aggregate is the award that all Juniors hope to receive at the banquet; it is the award for overall "best".

The junior division (ages 9–12) Grand Aggregate winner was Landon Brandl of Jarvie, AB. The reserve junior Grand Aggregate was presented to Kade Rancier of Killam, AB.

In the intermediate division (ages 13–16), the Grand Aggregate winner was Kasey Adams of Forestburg, AB. Wynton Brandl of Jarvie, AB was reserve intermediate Grand Aggregate.

The senior division (ages 17–21) Grand Aggregate was won by Halley Adams of Forestburg, AB. Reserve Grand Aggregate went to Jessica Davey of Saskatoon, SK.

The Canadian Angus Foundation also awards each of the top six intermediate aggregates with \$500 Angus Roots Scholarships. In addition to Adams and Brandl, Lexi Dietrich, Callie Steen, Reese Wildman and Kylie Willms also received the scholarship.

To compete for the Grand Aggregate award, Juniors must compete in at least five of the following Showdown competitions: conformation, showmanship, literature, judging, photography, farm sign, graphic design, marketing, team grooming and public speaking. Competitors receive aggregate points based on participation and how they place in all competitions. At the end of all the competitions, the individual with the most points is named the grand aggregate for the year. The grand aggregates are presented with a cash award and a buckle and the reserve aggregates are presented with a cash award at the final Showdown banquet.

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. Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and travel challenges, this year events were offered both in person and virtually. 105 participants and 100 head of cattle took part in the 21st annual Showdown in Olds, Alberta.



Left to right: Kasey Adams, Wynton Brandl, Landon Brandl, Kade Rancier, Halley Adams, Jessica Davey

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