

The 2025 Junior National Hereford Expo was held July 12-18 in Louisville, KY. There were 61 juniors representing the state of Kansas in attendance. Here are some highlights of the Kansas Juniors success.



## The Kansas Juniors in Louisville, KY



Left: 1st place livestock judging peewee team. Laynee Greenwood, Caroline Studer, Ryne Sandberg (not pictured) and Roland Sandberg (not pictured).



Above: 1st place livestock judging Jr. team. Kinzley Evans, Bradyn Greenwood, Brody Greenwood, Mason Mullinix



Left: 1st place livestock judging Sr. team. Delaney Figge, Cally Miller, Dagan Murray, Cady Pieper.



Left: Cooper Acheson, Prospect Award. 2nd CHB cooking challenge, pw.



Right: Josie Beltz, 1st place poster design.



Above: 1st place Hereford Bowl Jr. team. Bradyn Greenwood, Cooper Acheson, Jacqueline Studer and Wyatt Weaver.



Left: 1st photography Hereford People Jr.- Josie Beltz, 2nd - Quinn Breiner.  
 Middle: 2nd photography Hereford Cattle Jr. - Charlie Moore, 3rd - Brayson Mayo  
 Right: 1st photography Hereford People Sr. - Cady Pieper, 2nd - Jalyn Davis.



Left: 1st place state - Tailgate contest



Above right: Maddie Weaver was elected to serve on the NJHA Board of Directors. Lauren Gatz and Riley Meinhardt are currently serving on the board. According to my math, Kansas Juniors make up 25% of the national board.



Champion Division I Horned Heifer - Laynee, Bradyn and Brody Greenwood with HAF H18 Merlot M102



5th Overall & Division III Bred & Owned Champion, Division IV Polled Bred & Owned Champion - Nora Werk with Werk Rachael 4100 ET

#### Scholarship Winners

Cady Pieper - NOP Founders Scholarship  
 Tyree Figge - Donna Curry Memorial Scholarship  
 Rylie Meinhardt - Golden Bull Achievement Award

#### Showmanship

Inter. Reserve - Jase Beltz  
 PW 6th - Canaan Fink  
 Sr. 7th - Cally Miller

**Congratulations to all of the Kansas Juniors!**





Reserve Champion Div II Bred & Owned Steer - Delaney Figge with FBF RUGERS FRED 4964



Reserve Champion Div II Steer - Braysonn Mayo with KJS CHEZ MR RED 4786M



Reserve Champion Div XIV Polled Female - Jase Beltz with JB LAINEY 65L ET

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