

The International Junior Brangus Breeders Association Ambassador program is designed to provide IJBBA members the opportunity to develop and practice leadership skills related to the IJBBA and mentoring other youth. The goal is for the Ambassador Program is to prepare the youth to make a difference and becomes leaders within IJBBA and IBBA.

Requirements to apply:

- Must be an active IJBBA member.
- Age 12 -15 as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year.
- Submit the application before the listed deadline.
- Submit a bio with a completed application.
- Complete an in-person interview at the National Junior Brangus Show.

\*Top applicants will be asked to complete an interview at the National Junior Brangus Show\*

Ambassadors are selected to help represent IJBBA at events such as the National Junior Brangus Show, IBBA National Standard of Excellence Point Shows, Field Days, Sales, etc. Those selected to be an IJBBA ambassador are to represent IJBBA in a professional way. IJBBA ambassadors serve as mentors and role models so they must conduct themselves in a professional, friendly, and respectful manner always.

Requirements to complete the Ambassador Program:

- Volunteer at least 25 hours at any IJBBA or IBBA event. Hours must be signed off by an IJBBA/IBBA employee or supervisor.
  - Hours must be signed off by an IJBBA/IBBA official. This can be a staff member or IJBBA director/advisor.
  - $\circ$   $\;$  Hours must come from at least two different events.
- Attend the National Junior Brangus Show
- Assist in working the ring at least 2 IBBA Standard of Excellence opens shows. Ambassadors will be allowed to sign-up for their desired open show.
  - Working open shows will count towards your volunteer hours.
- Represent IJBBA/IJBBA to the best of their ability.
- Remain in contact with the IJBBA Director of Youth Activities and be responsive in communication via email, phone call, and text.
- Interact with new members and offering a welcoming environment.
- Participate in conference calls throughout the year.

\*Juniors will be responsible for their own travel expenses\*

Ambassadors will be selected at the National Junior Brangus Show and finish their program at the following NJBS. If the ambassadors complete all the requirements before the end of their ambassador term, they will be recognized as graduates of the IJBBA Ambassador program at the National Junior Brangus Show awards banquet. Those that complete the ambassador program will receive a \$500 scholarship.

If Ambassadors are not meeting their responsibilities or representing the IJBBA in a positive way, then the IJBBA Board and Advisors reserve the right to remove any ambassador from their position. Juniors can complete the ambassador program multiple times. They must meet the age requirements.



# **IJBBA Ambassador Application**

**DEADLINE:** May 24, 2024

### **PERSONAL INFORMATION**

First Name:	LAST NAME:	
IJBBA Мемвег #:	DATE OF BIRTH:	Age (as of 1/1/24):
Address:		
Сіту:		ZIP:
Номе Рноле:	Cell Phone: _	
Email:		
How long have you been an		
HOW MANY NJBS'S HAVE Y	OU ATTENDED?	

#### **PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION**

Parent/Guardian 2	
First Name:	LAST NAME:
Cell Phone:	EMAIL:
OCCUPATION:	
Parent/Guardian 2	
First Name:	LAST NAME:
Cell Phone:	EMAIL:
OCCUPATION:	
EDUCATION INFORMATION	
SCHOOL:	CLASSIFICATION:GPA:

#### ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO SUBMIT

In addition to the above application, all candidates are required to submit the following:

- One written Letter of Recommendation
- Written Biography
- Short essay on what you would like to gain as an IJBBA Ambassador

## Email completed application with additional items requested to Ledwards@gobrangus.com by May 24, 2024.