

Go Galloway

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Youths will earn points from National Western 2010-National Western 2011. That means that Denver counts twice for year-end points! Youths, you could be earning points **right now** at any jack-pot or summer shows. Points may also be awarded for breed education. Ex: Quality informational posters, speaking to the public before a show about Galloways, etc.

Check out the age groups and more information included on this pamphlet.

All youth are welcome and encouraged to join. Not a youth member already? Fill out the AGBA Membership Application (you'll have to add oJunior underneath the "type" of memberships) and send in your dues!

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Mission Statement:

*To promote Galloway Cattle through
education, activities and support of future
Galloway breeders*

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How old do I have to be to be a junior member?

Junior memberships are available for any young person from birth through their 22nd birthday. Memberships are limited to juniors who live in the U.S. and/or Canada. To participate in the AGBA Youth members must be 5 years of age by Jan. 1 of the current year and have not yet turned 22 by Jan. 1 of the current year.

When does my junior membership expire?

Junior memberships expire on the 22nd birthday of the junior member. All junior members must pay annual membership dues in order to participate in the programs and activities offered through the AGBA Youth. The membership renewal date is July 1 of each year. **Special Note:** if a junior has not turned 22 years of age by Jan. 1 the junior can still participate in the AGBA Youth that year.

What is the cost of a junior membership?

The annual membership fee to be a junior member of the Association is \$5. The payment of this fee allows the junior member to participate in activities and events sponsored by the AGBA and the AGBA Youth. (Additional entry fees, registration fees, and/or supplemental costs may apply depending upon the event or activity.) **Special Note:** If a junior is actively registering cattle in his or her name an additional \$35 membership will apply in addition to the \$5 annual dues. (\$40 total is half of the adult active membership)

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Age Groups are:

Junior Youth – 5-9

Intermediate Youth 10-15

Senior Youth 16 and older

Points for participation:

National Galloway Shows: ie Denver or NILE
30 pts

County Fair or State Fair: 20 points

Regional Galloway or Galloway Breed Show:
15 points

Jackpot Show Breed Class or Showmanship:
5 pts per animal

Public talk or competition speech or booth promoting Galloway Cattle: 15 points

Please contact Dawn Swensson or Jacqueline Greenwell to receive a point recording form and documentation sheet. The sheet will need to be mailed to Gayle Cerullo (13291 Hope Rd. Newell, SD 57760), postmarked by December 31st. Award presentations will be made following the Galloway Show in Denver.

Benefits of Membership:

What are the benefits of joining the AGBA Youth Group?

The American Galloway Breeders Association Youth Group offers additional opportunities to youth. Members of the AGBA Youth are eligible for:

Registering cattle with the Association at membership rates
Receiving the Newsletter (one per household)

Participation in junior activities including conferences, shows and other contests

Eligible for year end awards in our newly created “Go Galloway” point competition.

Assistance with semen costs for All of project animals

Chance to build your herd through our future Heifer Program

Anyone who would like to donate to the Youth Group via financial support, semen donation, leasing animals for show seasons, etc. please contact Dawn Swensson.
