



## Lowline Angus added to Texas Junior Livestock Association Heifer Division

The Texas Junior Livestock Association has added a new breed division to the TJLA Heifer division. The Southwest Lowline Angus Breeders Association (SLABA) has sponsored the division for the 2009-2010, 2010-2011, and 2011-2012 TJLA Awards year. This division like all TJLA heifer divisions, will have three years to establish itself as far as participation requirements are concerned.

The breed division will operate like all TJLA divisions. In order to participate as a Lowline Angus, members must own animals that are at least three-fourths bred, purebred or fullblood Lowline Angus and have registration papers in the name of the individual exhibitor. The Southwest Lowline Angus Breeders Association has a website at [www.slaba.us](http://www.slaba.us) where TJLA members can gather more information on Lowline Angus cattle.

TJLA members may also contact Robert Mason at [DanielsSwitchRobert@gmail.com](mailto:DanielsSwitchRobert@gmail.com), Larry Watkins at [cattle@flyingjl ranch.com](mailto:cattle@flyingjl ranch.com), phone number 979-481-0951 or Mark Roesler at [mark\\_roesler@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mark_roesler@sbcglobal.net), phone number 281-824-5780.

“There will be a Lowline Angus division at the 2009 Belt Buckle Bonanza and most sanctioned shows have included Lowline Angus as a breed in their sanctioned heifer shows,” stated Cherie Carrabba, Executive Director of the TJLA. “We appreciate the support of the Southwest Lowline Angus breeders, and we feel the breed will offer benefits to our members.”

TJLA members who are looking for another breed are encouraged to exhibit a Lowline Angus in this its first year of TJLA competition.

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