

Dear Livestock Judging Alumni,

On behalf of the Livestock Judging Reunion Committee and coaches we invite all of you to the 10th Annual Livestock Judging Alumni Reunion. The event is scheduled for Friday, April 26, 2019, with social gathering starting at 5:00 p.m., and 6:00 p.m. dinner and program at the Kewanee Dunes Golf Course.

This year we are honoring the teams from 1979, 1989, 1999, 2009, and 2019. If you are a past member of an honor year, please plan on attending and contact your teammates to attend also. I challenge each team to have the most in attendance.

We are excited to be introducing the second class into the "BHE" Livestock Judging Hall of Fame!

As in the past, but more so in the last several years, we are continuing to maintain the livestock judging program under serious financial constraints and need your help to travel in 2019-2020.

As we make plans for our upcoming reunion we hope we can count on you. First, register to attend and celebrate the livestock judging program with us. Catch up with your coaches and teammates while meeting the next generation of BHE judges. We have a great time and the laughter and memories shared are priceless. Second, if you can't attend, would you consider contributing to our reunion's fundraising efforts by donating the \$50 you would have spent on your meal to the program? There are also opportunities to donate by supporting our silent and live auctions. Check out the auctions in April on our Facebook page: <u>www.facebook.com/BlackHawkEastLivestockJudgingAlumni</u>.

As I have said over the years to each of the sophomore teams after they finished at Houston, "You're never done; your roles just change!"

See you April 26, 2019.

Best regards,

Nan C. Age

Dan Hoge, Professor of Animal Science & Co-Livestock Judging Team Coach Black Hawk College