

# JUNIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE ELECTIONS QUESTIONNAIRE



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

High School & Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

College & Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

College Address (if in college): \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Address of local newspaper: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Summarize your most important accomplishments: \_\_\_\_\_  
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What are your future plans/goals within the Holstein industry? \_\_\_\_\_  
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# JUNIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE (JAC) FACT SHEET



## Purpose

The purpose of the Junior Advisory Committee is to serve as a sounding board for Junior members and advisors. The committee members represent various areas of the country and are given the opportunity to contribute ideas and suggestions for improvement and expansion of Junior programs. Their suggestions are presented to the board of directors.

## The National Junior Advisory Committee consists of:

- Four adults appointed by the Holstein Association USA board of directors.
- Adult members representing one of the four designated areas across the U.S.
- Adult members are allowed to serve a maximum of two, two-year terms and are selected by the Holstein Association USA board of directors using the following criteria:
  - a. Must serve or recently have served as a youth advisor or leader in a state or regional Junior program.
  - b. Must be extremely knowledgeable of National Junior Holstein programs.
  - c. Must have a strong communication and information gathering/distribution network within their designated state and or area.
  - d. Must commit to attending designated Junior Advisory Committee meetings.
  - e. Must display the highest standards of ethics and commitment to youth programs.
- Four youth members, each representing one of the four designated districts across the U.S. and two at-large positions. Youth members are allowed to serve a two-year term. Any National Junior member in good standing shall be eligible for election to the Junior Advisory Committee. Persons wishing to receive the nomination must inform the Junior Advisory Committee at the start of the National Holstein Convention. Members will elect youth during the National Junior Forum.



## Meetings

The Junior Advisory Committee will hold one meeting a year, and have scheduled conference calls. Additional meetings may be called upon request of the majority of the committee members.

## **Voting**

A majority of JAC members will constitute a quorum at all meetings. Business that requires voting may not transact until a quorum of members is present. Discussion of non-voting business may proceed without a quorum present.

## **Responsibilities**

JAC members are responsible for brainstorming, considering, and carrying out suggestions for improving the Junior program in their area as well as across the country. All members of JAC are expected to comply with a signed Code of Conduct. Failure to comply may result in removal from the committee.

As part of JAC responsibilities youth representatives act as Holstein staff during National Junior Convention. Duties include making announcements and speeches while participating in activities. For more information contact Holstein Association USA at 800.952.5200, or a representative from your area.