

East Tennessee Angus 100th Celebration

The East Tennessee Angus Association is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year, and is hosting a two day celebration of the proud heritage of agriculture and the Angus breed in our part of the country. **Friday, August 24**, Mountain View Ranch will be the first of three farm tours. You will have the opportunity for a more in-depth look and tour of our program and our neighbors. Then we will tour two of East Tennessee's most prominent programs, Grassy Valley and Powell Farms. It is an honor to be included in this group, and the day promises to be full of good food, great company, and exceptional cattle.

Saturday there will be a tour of the UT Vet Center followed by a tour and box lunch at Neyland Stadium. The celebration caps off with a banquet Saturday evening at the Hilton in Knoxville. As producers, we are often so busy on our farms we forget to reflect on how far we've come, the people who came before us and paved the way, and the community around us pursuing and encouraging the same goals. This event is an opportunity to do all those things. Production agricultural can be a dispiriting adventure sometimes, but we have a proud past and a promising future, and we should celebrate that.

To Register: easttnangus.com

An Invitation - Bring your own Display!

We hope to see you all in August. Any breeders who would like to display cattle or have a booth for their operation at Mountain View please contact Nick. We would be proud to have our friends and neighbors



Steve Stratford - Stratford Angus Pratt, KS

Stratford, a life-long rancher, seedstock producer, and buyer of thousands of feeder cattle each year, will speak with us at Mountain View on the Fall tour Aug. 24th. His intimate knowledge of the feeder calf market and trends will help us to position ourselves for future success in the industry and provide insight into exactly what cattle buyers are looking for in today's market.

