

# Even More EXPO ACTIVITIES

JNHE offers events and opportunities for breed enthusiasts of all ages.



## **Bridging the Gap to Provide Networking Opportunities**

In 2022, Bridging the Gap will take on a new format as the National Junior Hereford Association (NJHA) invites high school and college-age members to a speed-networking roundtable, which will put them in touch with colleges, inform them about internship opportunities and expose young people to a variety of careers in the agricultural industry. The Bridging the Gap College and Career Fair will be held from 6-8 p.m., on Monday, July 18, in West Hall Meeting Room 6 at the Kentucky Exposition Center. Food and drink will be provided, and there will be some fun giveaways throughout the networking experience.

Bridging the Gap is an opportunity for Hereford juniors to interact with colleges and industry professionals from the NJHA's network of corporate partners.

Juniors will have the opportunity to discuss different degree plans, scholarship opportunities and collegiate programs with college recruiters. Hereford youth also get the opportunity to learn about internship and career possibilities from professionals from a wide variety of companies.

NJHA members who wish to attend

Bridging the Gap need to register by July 1 at [Hereford.org/youth/jnhe/](https://Hereford.org/youth/jnhe/).

## **Run to Support HYFA**

Lace up your running shoes for the Hereford Youth Foundation



of America (HYFA) 5K Race. Hereford and running enthusiasts of all ages can take part in the race,

which will be held at 7 a.m., on Monday, July 18, at the Kentucky Event Center during the Junior National Hereford Expo (JNHE) in Louisville, Ky. Prizes will be offered for the following age divisions: girls' 14-and-under, boys' 14-and-under, women's 15-30, men's 15-30, women's 31-and-over and men's 31-and-over.

All proceeds from the race benefit HYFA and its mission of leadership and education. Race entries can be made online through the JNHE entry portal.

## **Welcome Foundation Club Members**

The HYFA is excited to welcome club members to Banners in the Bluegrass and the 2022 JNHE in Louisville, Ky. Club members and

HYFA supporters will have the best seats in the house in Broadbent Arena and all access to the Foundation Club, which will be located in New Market Hall. The club will be open during the shows: Tuesday through Friday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

There are three levels of Hereford Foundation Club membership and benefits, which

include an All-Access Badge and VIP Parking outside the front entrance of Broadbent

Arena. Premier Partnerships are available for \$1,500 and include six All-Access Badges and two VIP Parking passes. Ranch Partnerships are \$1,000 and include four All-Access Badges and one parking pass. Friend of HYFA single memberships are available for \$500.

Beverages and hors d'oeuvres will be served during these hours, and there will be a livestream of the show in New Market Hall.

To purchase a club membership and show your support of education and leadership for Hereford youth please visit [HerefordYouthFoundation.org](http://HerefordYouthFoundation.org). **HW**