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Jacob Jones of Stillwater Awarded \$750 Scholarship

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK, July 21, 2018 – Jacob Jones of Stillwater, Okla. was awarded a \$750 Scholarship during the recent Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association (OCA) Convention and Trade Show. The scholarship was funded by the Trade Show Exhibitors that attended this year's event. The scholarship is administered by the Oklahoma Cattlemen's Foundation (OCF), a charitable arm of the OCA.

Jones recently graduated from Stillwater High School and plans to attend Oklahoma State University in the fall.

"Educating future agriculturalists to raise more product with less input while protecting the environment is my career goal whether as an agriculture education teacher, extension specialist or conservationist," Jones said. "I will continue to raise Brangus seed stock and be a member of the OCA."

Jones has been active in the International Junior Brangus Breeders Association, Oklahoma Club Calf Association, Oklahoma Junior Brangus Breeders, FFA, 4-H and the Oklahoma Junior Cattlemen's Association. He currently serves as an OJCA director.

"It's truly an honor to present young people, like Jacob, who have a strong passion for the beef industry with scholarships to assist in furthering their education," said Weston Givens. "This is the third year we've offered trade show exhibitors the opportunity to donate to a scholarship to support the future of our industry: agricultural youth. I am blown away by the generosity of our industry partners and their willingness to help create this new opportunity."

The Oklahoma Cattlemen's Foundation was created to provide a charitable trust for the Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association and Oklahoma Junior Cattlemen's Association. When you support the Oklahoma Cattlemen's Foundation, you support beef cattle educational programs, research projects in cooperation with Oklahoma State University, educational scholarships for Oklahoma's 4-H and FFA youth and the preservation of the Oklahoma beef cattle industry and its traditions.

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