Missouri Angus Tour Set For August 22-24

CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO.

ngus breeders and enthusiasts are invited to "Show-Me SEMO Angus," the Missouri Angus Tour in Cape Girardeau, Mo., Aug. 22-24. The weekend will be an opportunity to meet with old friends and make new ones, all while enjoying a common interest: Angus cattle.

This year's tour will highlight more than a dozen Angus operations in southeastern Missouri and includes additional stops at the Southeast Missouri Regional Port Authority (Semo Port) and Sandy Ridge Cotton Gin Company.

Friday evening will include registration and a social at Drury Inn, the tour headquarter hotel, in Cape Girardeau. Saturday will be a full day starting with the tour of Semo Port, followed by viewing cattle from seven Angus farms and the Sandy Ridge Cotton Gin Company visit. The evening will conclude with dinner at Hickory Log, a restaurant famous for its barbecue ribs.

Sunday's activities will include the Southeast Missouri State University farm visit and displays from five more Angus farms.

Those interested in participating in the "Show-Me SEMO Angus" tour should register by July 22. Registration fees are \$75 by July 22, or \$100 after and include meals and bus transportation, but do not include hotel accommodations. To register, send a list of participants along with \$75 for each person to Brian and Paula Meier, 1523 County Road 335, Jackson, Mo. 63775.

Registrants may make hotel accommodations at Drury Inn, Cape Girardeau, Mo., 573-334-7151. Ask for the Missouri Angus block of rooms; rates are \$64 for single and \$74 for double. This offer ends July 22. For information regarding the 2008 Missouri Angus Tour, please contact Brian and Paula Meier at 573-204-7916. Δ