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News Release

## **St. Clair County 4-H Member Exhibits Supreme Champion Heifer at North Alabama Junior Beef Expo**

Locke St. John, St. Clair County 4-H member, exhibited the Supreme Champion Heifer at the 2009 North Alabama Junior Beef Expo in Cullman on February 28<sup>th</sup>. Locke's Hereford Heifer was also named Champion Hereford Heifer and competed against eighty-eight other heifers to take top honors. Locke also won second place in his showmanship class, competing with ten other exhibitors.

Carter St. John exhibited the Reserve Champion Hereford heifer and won first place in his showmanship class, competing with seven other exhibitors.

Jared Perry exhibited the Grand Champion Charolais Heifer.

Hunter Robinson, a first time exhibitor, placed fourth in his showmanship class of eleven exhibitors.

The show was held in Cullman at the Cullman County Agricultural Trade Center and was open to seventeen surrounding counties. The judge for the show was Mr. Greg Upchurch, a County Extension Agent from Cumberland County Tennessee.

For more information about other events like this or 4-H volunteer-led clubs, please contact Nancy Graves by phone at the St. Clair County Extension office at (205) 338-9416 or email [foxwong@aces.edu](mailto:foxwong@aces.edu).



*Pictured l to r: Locke St. John, Carter St. John and judge for the show—Mr. Greg Upchurch*