2021 National Junior Santa Gertrudis Association
Board of Directors Application

Dear Junior Members,

Thank you for taking the first steps to become a leader in the National Junior Santa Gertrudis Association. Please read carefully and fill out the application and other required documents and ensure that it is postmarked by June 1, 2021. Applications must be typed. The application is in a fillable pdf format; therefore, you can type your responses directly on the application and then print it out. Please reach out to us if you have any questions.

Thank you.

NJSGA Director Elections

The following National Junior Santa Gertrudis Association director positions are available for election. As a director, an individual must be a paid junior member of SGBI and cannot be older than eighteen (18) years of age when the term begins. Directors run for a two-year term and cannot serve more than three (3); two-year terms.

District Positions Available:

District 1 – 3 positions
District 3 – 1 position
District 5 – 1 position

****District positions – candidate(s) running for a District position must have their permanent address on file with SGBI as being in that district. If you do not know what district you are in, see map on next page or contact the SGBI office at (361) 592-9357. ****

At-Large Director Positions Available:

At –Large – 2 positions

Any junior member can run for At-Large positions regardless of residency.

Director applications can be obtained off the website at **www.santagertrudis.com**. Director applications (original copy – e-mailed or faxed forms will NOT be accepted) are due **JUNE 1, 2021. NO EXCEPTIONS**

All applications should be mailed to Suzanne Fulton at PO Box 3064 - Denton, TX 76202.

Once all applications are received, interview times will be assigned. Directors will be elected based on review of application; interview with committee panel and vote of the general membership.

Candidates will be able to campaign beginning at 8:00 am on Sunday, June 20, 2021 through Wednesday of the show as the Membership meeting is Wednesday June 23, 2021 at 4:00 pm. **REMEMBER:** No taping is allowed at the arena – you must use easels or other items in your campaigning process. Be Creative. All campaign material must be taken down by Friday, June 25, 2021.

NJSGA Voting Districts

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SECTION I: PERSONAL INFORMATION

Director Position Applying For: _____

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Age: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

ZIP: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

SECTION II: SANTA GERTRUDIS INVOLVEMENT

Affiliate(s): _____

Number of Years working with Beef Cattle: _____

Number of Years working with Santa Gertrudis Cattle: _____

Are other members of your family involved with Santa Gertrudis cattle? _____

If yes, please explain their involvement. _____

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How did you first become involved with the Santa Gertrudis breed?

SECTION II: SANTA GERTRUDIS INVOLVEMENT CONTINUED

In the space below, list offices or appointments held within the Junior Santa Gertrudis Association. Include national and/or affiliate positions. In addition, include any GOALS you have attended. **Last four years only.** If a repetitive position, please indicate the years achieved. (*Example: 2016, South Texas Affiliate, President or 2016, GOALS)*

Year(s)	Organization/Affiliate	Position

In the space below, list National Junior Shows attended plus any affiliate, district or state shows and the contests you competed in. **Last four years only.** If a repetitive show, please indicate the years participated. (*Examples: 2016, National Junior Heifer Show – Louisiana, Heifer Show, Showmanship, Public Speaking & Cattlemen's Contest or 2016 Mid Coast Show – Heifer Show and Showmanship)*

Year(s)	Show	Contests Participated In

SECTION II: SANTA GERTRUDIS INVOLVEMENT CONTINUED

In the space below, list achievements and/or recognition received with your Santa Gertrudis cattle. **Last four years only.** If a repetitive award/recognition or activity, please indicate the years achieved. *(Example: 2016, National Junior Heifer Show, 1st Place Public Speaking, Reserve Grand Champion Yearling, 3rd Place Showmanship)*

Year(s)	Show	Achievement or Recognition

SECTION III: SCHOOL LEADERSHIP, ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS

In the space below, list any activities and clubs/organizations participated in, offices held, and awards received in school. **Last four years only.** If a repetitive award/recognition or activity, please indicate the years achieved. *(Example: 2016-2019, Student Council, Secretary or 2016, FFA, Star Greenhand)*

Year(s)	Activity, Organization/Club	Office, Honor or Recognition

SECTION IV: COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

In the space below, list any other activities in which you participated, indicating any special recognition you might have received. For example, church activities or community service projects. **Last four years only.**

Year(s)	Activity or Volunteer	Organization	Description

SECTION V: PERSONAL NARRATIVES

Explain why you wish to become a member of the NJSGA Board of Directors and what you hope to accomplish for yourself and the NJSGA.

SECTION V: PERSONAL NARRATIVES CONTINUED

What are some qualities/characteristics that you feel are important for a Director of the NJSGA Board to possess and give examples of how you demonstrate these qualities in your life. Additional pages can be used.

What are your future plans and career goals? How do you plan to give back to the NJSGA? Additional pages can be used.

SECTION VI: CERTIFICATION & RECOMMENDATIONS

Are you willing to attend the National Junior Santa Gertrudis Heifer Show and National Open Santa Gertrudis Show every year and in alternating years, the Director's Retreat and GOALS (Gerts Ongoing Advanced Leadership Summit) at your own expense each year you are on the NJSGA Board of Directors? Please indicate by writing Yes or No. **This question must be answered.** _____

List the three people who will send letters of recommendation for you to the SGBI Office.

Santa Gertrudis Member: _____

Phone & Email Address: _____

Affiliate Representative: _____

Affiliate Representing: _____

Phone & Email Address: _____

Any Source: _____

Phone & Email Address: _____

Applications and Letters of Recommendation MUST **BE** postmarked no later than June 1, 2021.

Santa Gertrudis Breeders International
NJSGA Board of Directors Elections
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