





# 2023-2024 Junior Herd Builder Program Deadlines and List of Resources

### Important Deadlines/Dates:

- Program Registration must be submitted by September 15, 2023
- Orientation will be held on September 18, 2023
- Master Cattlemen Module/Training must be completed by October 27, 2023
- Live animals must be secured in contestant's possession by November 10, 2023
- Record books must be postmarked or emailed no later than May 3, 2024

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Program evaluation and recognition will be held on May 14, 2024

### Resources

#### **UGA Basic Balancer**

The UGA Basic Balancer is an interactive Excel Spreadsheet that allows the user to input original information to create a personalized diet including available resources.

## Georgia Commodity Feed Sources

The Georgia Commodity Feed Sources document is a list of companies in Georgia that sell feed products and by-products.

### **Estrus Synchronization Calculator**

The Estrus Synchronization Calculator is an interactive platform that allows the user to determine individual and overall cost and labor of estrus synchronization.

### **UGA Beef Management Calendar**

The UGA Beef Management Calendar is a comprehensive calendar that gives helpful tips and reminders of all aspects of beef production.

### **Estrus Synchronization Protocols**

This document is a list of recommended estrus synchronization protocols for beef heifers.

### **UGA Extension Beef Publications**

Further publications and guidance regarding beef cattle production in Georgia.