

National Ambassador Program Application

A. Applicant Information

Name _____
Date of Birth _____
E-mail address _____
Address _____
Home Phone _____
Cell Phone _____
Parents' Names _____
Name and location of school _____

B. References

Provide the following information from two ASBA members who may be contacted as references:

Name _____	Name _____
City/State _____	City/State _____
Phone _____	Phone _____
E-mail _____	E-mail _____

C. Activities

Submit a typed brief summary or listing of your activities, not to exceed one page that covers, in order, these three areas:

- Current school and community activities
- FFA, 4-H or other agriculture related activities and achievements
- Your involvement/activities as a junior Southdown breeder

D. National Ambassador Qualifications

- Membership of the American Junior Southdown Association.
- Age 14-19 as if January 1 of the current year
- Terms are two years with a limit of two terms
- Candidate must be available for a phone interview if requested by interview committee
- Application must be submitted by e-mail no later than October 1 or postmarked by October 1

E. Responsibilities

- Be able to check e-mail and respond in a timely fashion to the ambassador team.
- Ambassadors must plan their travel responsibilities so that there are at least two ambassadors present at each national event (i.e. NAILE, All-American, National Jr. Show).
- Minimum travel requirement is to represent the AJSA at one national event (NAILE, All-American, or National Jr. Show) and two events in your region (for example: NEYSS, KILE, Big E, state fairs, New England Sale, Ohio Southdown Sale, Midwest Stud Ram Sale, state or regional preview shows or sheep festivals).
- With the help of fellow ambassadors, strive to develop communications skills. Possible ways in which to do this are to prepare visual displays, plan and lead youth activities, write articles for regional or livestock publications, submit photos, or network with junior members.
- Complete projects and serve in roles agreed upon by the ambassador team and AJSA officers.

F. Code of Conduct

- Be dedicated and committed to the AJSA and the programs and policies.
- Serve as a member of the team, always maintaining a cooperative attitude.
- Maintain proper dress and good grooming for all occasions.
- Forego use of alcohol, tobacco and illegal substances at all times during any AJSA, ASBA, or industry related events.

I have completed parts A, B, and C of application. My parent/guardian and I have read parts D through F and understand that an ambassador may be removed from service for violating the Code of Conduct.

Print applicant's name _____

Applicant's signature _____

Date _____

Parent/Guardian signature _____

Date _____

Send application to:
Ambassador Application: American Southdown Breeders
100 Cornerstone Road,
Fredonia, TX 76842
southdown@ctesc.net

Final application will consist of 3 pages: Parts A & B completed in space provided (forms may be photocopied to), part C typed on a separate sheet, and page with signatures (part F). For electronic submission, submit Word or PDF files for parts A, B, and C. Signature page may be scanned after signing and then sent as a JPG or PDF file.x:

325-429-6225