

## IMZA – Home of the World’s Smallest Cattle

Greetings IMZA Members . . .

This issue of the IMZA Connection is coming to you in an abbreviated format as there are several items of business that we want to bring forth and it was determined that due to time constraints and need for more news items to produce a full Newsletter at this time, we will get these matters before you.

BOARD MEMBER CANDIDATES NEEDED. There are three positions coming open that will need to be filled either by incumbents or by new faces. If you are willing to serve, you are urged to go to our website [www.imza.name](http://www.imza.name) then go to Registrars Corner and under the Forms section read over the Application for BOD Candidacy. There are several qualifications that you will need to meet, such as being an Active Member, having been a member for at least three years, etc. Then if you are willing to move forward with your candidacy, please send your Application via mail or via online forms email to the IMZA Office at 3571 Hwy 20, Crawford, NE 69339.

**NOTICE TO MEMBERS: The office has NOT changed but the contact info has, so effective immediately you can contact the IMZA office via Cell Phone at 407-717-0084 or e-mail at [imzainfo@gmail.com](mailto:imzainfo@gmail.com).**

Enclosed with this mailing you will find the 2015 Dues are Due Notice. In the past we have sent this notice with a later Newsletter and it arrives after the due date. This way members will pay their dues and their names will be on the roster to receive the vote by mail ballots when they are mailed out with the next Newsletter.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, and Officers we wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a very Prosperous New Year.

INTERNATIONAL MINIATURE ZEBU ASSOCIATION

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## IMZA PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Hello everyone,

Fall is well upon us and the Holiday Season is fast approaching. It is time for preparation for the annual election for the IMZA Board of Directors. It is time for potential nominees to let us know that you are willing to help. I am urging you to consider running for a position on the Board of Directors.

There are some qualifications that need to be met, such as having been an IMZA Member for at least three years. (Please look at our website [www.imza.name](http://www.imza.name) for the nomination form to complete and for the qualification details.)

The term of office is 3 years. You will be serving with other miniature zebu breeders just like yourself. Our meetings are held via email with the exception of the annual April meeting in Macon, MO.

Our By-Laws state that the Board of Directors include a minimum of 3 or a maximum of 9 members. Currently our Board consists of 8 members Dean Schocker, New Liberty, IA; Rick Bogle, Sorrento, FL; Alan Blumhorst, Nashville, IL; Steve DeMoor, Sanford, FL; Matt Loudenbeck, Clinton, WI; Rick Ressler, Weirsdale, FL; Gene Williams, Crescent, OK; and Judy Rohner, Centralia, IL.

Three of these Board members' terms will be expiring in April 2015. Gene Williams, Steve DeMoor and Judy Rohner will be up for re-election if they choose to run for another term.

The Board is made up of miniature zebu breeders who love the breed and want to see it preserved. They are dedicated to improving the International Miniature Zebu Association and providing the best service possible to all members. Please consider throwing your hat in the ring and serving as a BOD member.

Visit [www.imza.name](http://www.imza.name) and print an IMZA BOD application form. Fill it out and mail it to the IMZA office or present it via e-mail through the Online Forms at the website. Let your voice be heard. We welcome new faces and new ideas.

*Judy Rohner, President*

## COMING MINIATURE ZEBU SHOWS

There is an IMZA sponsored miniature zebu show scheduled for January 2, 2015, at the Open To The World/Florida Fat Steer Show in Kissimmee, FL, that is open to all 4-H, FFA, or Junior Florida Cattlemen members.

There is also another miniature zebu show to be held in Bartow, FL, as part of the Polk County Youth Fair, January 24-30, 2015. It is open only to youth residents of Polk County.

Contact IMZA Board Member, Rick Bogle, for further details on these shows. His number is 407-468-9002 or e-mail him at [rvbogle@earthlink.net](mailto:rvbogle@earthlink.net)