



# Nebraska One Box

## PHEASANT HUNT

BROKEN BOW, NEBRASKA

### 2018 NEW TEAM BIOS



#### TEAM HOSTS

R.J. & Anne Thomas    Matt Thomas & Jami Anderson  
Tim & Minne Chancellor    Kent Leibhart & Gina Albus

**Party Venue:** R.J. & Anne Thomas Residence  
1226 Hillcrest Drive

Jesse Dohlman .....Smithville, MO  
Dan Dubbert .....Parkville, MO  
Mike Porth..... Ames, IA  
Jaden Miller ..... Platte City, MO  
Chris O'Rourke.....Forest City, IA

#### CAPTAIN

**Jesse Dohlman** (Smithville, MO): Jesse has a B.S. from Iowa State University and his MBA from Rockhurst University in Kansas City, Missouri. He has been working in hog procurement for Smithfield Foods for the past 17 years. He is currently responsible for the procurement for facilities in Crete, NE; Sioux Falls, SD; Denison, IA; and Vernon, CA. Jesse grew up on a farm in Iowa, and has always had a passion for livestock production.

Jesse loves the outdoors and has been hunting pheasants from a young age. He also enjoys bow hunting elk and deer, hunting turkey, and fishing for walleye. He likes getting his two young sons involved in the excitement of the outdoors. Jesse enjoys working with show cattle and he has a 1967 Chevelle to work on.

Jesse is involved with the Knights of Columbus and volunteers at his children's school for fund raisers and maintenance work. Jesse is happily married to wife, Andi, of eight years. They have four children and a German Wirehaired Pointer who is a good companion and hunting partner.

#### TEAM MEMBERS

**Dan Dubbert** (Parkville, MO): Dan has is B.S. in Business from Baker University. He is responsible for the hog procurement of Smithfield Foods based out of Kansas City, MO. He grew up on a farm in northwest Iowa that raised cattle, corn, soybeans, and pigs. Dan started his professional career with IBP in 1987. He went to work for Premium Standard Farms in 1996 and worked there until they were acquired by Smithfield in 2007. Dan currently has 31 years of experience in the pork industry in both sales and procurement.

Dan enjoys pheasant hunting, sports, and participates in random runs or any other physical activities his kids challenge him to. Dan's three kids are all grown -- in Los Angeles, Kansas City, and Orlando. Dan has five grandchildren.

**Mike Porth** (Aimes, IA): Mike attended DeWitt Community High School in DeWitt, IA. He is currently the Director of Pork Procurement and Business Development, and has 35 years work experience. Previously he was involved in Pork Procurement, Nutrition, Genetics, Production, and Meat Procurement with Cargill, ConAgra, Consolidated Grain and Barge, DeKalb/Monsanto, and IBP (Tyson).

Mike enjoys pheasant hunting, fishing for walleye, and anything with Iowa State Cyclones Athletics. Mike is a golf enthusiast (although isn't very good). He is a Treager-grilling expert on making a "Pork Fatty". He has been involved on the County and State Pork Boards along with several State Pork Committees, BOD Gilbert HS Athletic Boosters, and IA State and Smithfield Mentor programs. Mike and his wife have four kids and two granddaughters. They enjoy traveling and sporting events!

**Jaden Miller** (Platte City, MO): Jaden graduated from Kansas State in the Spring of 2018 with a degree in Agribusiness. He joined the Smithfield Hog Procurement team after graduation, working alongside the director to gain knowledge of the industry while providing daily and weekly reports, working with producers and brokers. He enjoys hunting pheasant and quail. Jaden also enjoys working on the farm when given the opportunity and competing in and watching sports.

**Chris O'Rourke** (Leland, IA): Chris has his Bachelor of Arts from the University of Northern Iowa. He is currently an Area Hog Procurement Manager for Smithfield Foods in their facility in Sioux Falls, SD. He has six years experience in hog procurement. Chris enjoys hunting pheasants, waterfowl, and deer as well as fishing for walleye and golfing.