

Ann Cochrane - 2015

Ann is the daughter of Bill and Susan (Lewis) Cochrane, a sixth generation Californian and, when the drought ends, a fifth-generation cattle rancher. Ann joined the SLO County CattleWomen when she started attending Cal Poly in 2003. In 2004, she represented the CattleWomen as their Beef Ambassador. She quickly became active at the Board meetings as a representative of the Cal Poly Young Cattlemen's Committee. As a member of the Committee she served as a State Cattlemen's Convention Intern, lobbied with the California Rangeland Trust and attended many state and national conventions. In the summer she worked for many livestock shows and auctions including the California State Fair, the California Mid-State Fair, the Monterey County Fair and the Santa Barbara County Fair in addition to helping out on the family ranch. Ann has also been a riding member of the Cowbelle's Trail Ride for the past ten years and helped host the 50th Anniversary ride at the Navajo Ranch in 2012. She currently serves as the President of the San Luis Obispo County CattleWomen.

Aside from CattleWomen's Association, Ann is also a member of many other organizations including The Rotary Club of Paso Robles, Paso Robles Chamber of Commerce Agribusiness Tour Committee, and the California Women for Ag. She supports The Studios on the Park, the Central Coast Cancer Support Community and California Cattlemen's Association Political Action Committee.