

**CLYDESDALE BREEDERS OF THE U.S.A. - 2012 NATIONAL SALE  
RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**LOCATION: Michiana Event Center, Howe, IN**

**DATE: Friday, April 27th & Saturday, 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

**AUCTIONEER:** Steve Andrews

**ENTRIES:** All entries of animals entered in the National Sale must be accompanied by:

- 1) A signed entry form
- 2) The animal's original Pedigree Certificate
- 3) A signed transfer, (including the breeding information of mares)
- 4) \$100.00 entry fee per animal (non-refundable) payable to the Clydesdale Breeders of the U.S.A.

**ENTRIES CLOSE FEBRUARY 1st, 2012**

Ownership of entry must be a matter of record by the deadline of February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012. Horses that are scratched, or no shows at the National Sale will forfeit the \$100 entry fee. **ALL ANIMALS ENTERED IN THE NATIONAL SALE WILL GO THROUGH THE SALE RING - NO EXCEPTIONS.** Registration papers will be checked against specific animal entered in the sale. If there is a discrepancy found on said papers, the problem must be addressed before the horse will be allowed to sell. No entry fee is required on foals selling with their dams, but completed and signed registration applications are required on those foals. A good lead strap and halter will be provided by the seller and will go with the horse when sold. If an unacceptable halter and lead rope is left with the horse, the Sale Committee will buy a new halter and lead rope and that amount will be deducted from the consignors check. Shoes on a horse when sold are the property of the buyer and must not be removed or changed.

**COMMISSION:** SALE COMMISSION IS 6%.

**NO SALE:** Commission on a no sale animal is 4% of the last bid. Consignor **MUST** declare on the fall of the auctioneer's gavel if the horse is to be a NO SALE.

**NO SHOW:** Please notify the Clydesdale Breeders office if you are not bringing the animal you consigned to the sale as soon as possible.

**ARRIVAL:** Arrival time for horses will begin at noon on Wednesday, April 25, 2012. Animals shall be stabled by 8:00 a.m. - Friday, April 27, 2012 in time to participate in the mandatory preview. Horses must depart from the Michiana Event Center by noon on Sunday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2012. Buyers are responsible for their own trucking. **SELLERS ARE TO CHECK IN ANIMALS (INCLUDING HEALTH PAPERS) UPON ARRIVAL TO THE SALE OFFICE.** Stalls will be assigned.

**HEALTH PAPER REQUIREMENTS:** Interstate health papers and original negative Coggins test by the laboratory must accompany the horses and are required by most states and Canada. They must be signed and dated by a licensed Veterinarian. They also must be completely filled out as far as breed, color, age, complete pedigree name of animal, etc. Please have your veterinarian fill out an interstate health paper for each individual horse. Faxed copies or photocopies are not acceptable – all coggins papers must be originals. Coggins papers are not required on foals that are nursing and under five months of age. Foals do however need their own health paper. **EACH HORSE MUST HAVE INDIVIDUAL AND UPDATED COGGINS TEST PAPERS (WITH THE BLOOD BEING DRAWN AFTER JANUARY 1, 2012).** We will have a Federal Vet in the office during the sale to do all the paper work on those animals that will be going to Canada. Canadian buyers will be responsible for paying a fee for each export paper written by the Federal Vet. It is imperative that your Coggins and Interstate Health papers are in order for export papers to be completed.

**HITCHING:** All horses selling as broke have the option to be driven. This is not mandatory but the consignors have that choice. The consignor is responsible for their own equipment for such hitching. Hitching will be done Thursday afternoon, April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2012 in the Sale Arena.

**SALE VETERINARIAN:** A local veterinarian will be on call duty during the National Sale Events. A Federal Vet will only be present on Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012. All horses sold on Friday that are going to Canada must wait until Saturday to get their export papers processed.

**STALLING; HAY AND FEED:** Each horse shall only use one stall while at the Sale. There will be a feed company available to purchase additional hay, straw, and feed.

**IN-TRANSIT ANIMALS:** No in-transit animals will be allowed at the Michiana Event Center. Names of facilities in the area for in-transit animals will be available prior to the Sale.

**WARRANTIES:** Statements regarding soundness, breeding dates, etc., will be made from the auction stand. Such information as breeding background, show winnings, production records of mares, and any other pertinent information is important. This information should be made available to the office at check in time and will also be used for the preview. The buyer assumes full ownership of the animal with the fall of the auctioneer's gavel and full responsibility for the care and maintenance of said animal from that point on. No statement of warranty of seller can then be challenged.

**GUARANTEE:** The seller is responsible for his own guarantee. Each Consignor of this sale will make what guarantee he cares to give on his animals and will be totally responsible for that guarantee. These guarantees will be announced at the time the animal is placed for sale. All bred mares must be Vet checked and certified in foal by a Veterinarian within 30 days of the sale. Breeding information will only be announced if a National Sale Breeding Form is filed in the National Sale Office. Mares will not be sold as being in foal if they do not have the Veterinarian Certificate. This rule will be enforced.

**LIABILITY:** Everyone is cautioned to exercise care while attending the sale. All persons entering on the premises during the time of the sale do so at their own risk. The Clydesdale Breeders of the U.S.A. and all members of the Sale Committee shall not be liable for any injury sustained by anyone attending the sale. The Clydesdale Breeders of the U.S.A. and the Sale Committee shall not be liable for any cause of action of any kind or nature arising from the sale of said horses.

**HORSE PREVIEW:** A mandatory sale preview will be held Friday, April 27th at 8:00 a.m. (time subject to change and will be confirmed in the consignors letter prior to the sale) . The preview order will be printed in the National Sale Catalog with animals being presented grouped by age. The consignors will be responsible to get their animals to the ring at the appropriate time with no exceptions. The horses will be walked and trotted as the information from the catalog and consignor statements are being announced.

**SALE COMMITTEE:** Chuck Cryderman & Dennis Johnson, Co-Chairman, Jim Emmons, Sam Butters, Randy Groves, Cathy Behn, Jim Winch, Melton Powell, Don Langille, Linda Johnson, Mitch Johnson, Grant Johnson, Ed Henken, Lisa Graham, Bill Weir, Steve Huber, Keith Mann, Roger Thoms, Ken & Sonja Airgood, Matt Moss, Rene Petz, Becky Fevold, Linda Harmon-Dodge, Cheri Moleski, Andrea Detweiler, Ali Behn, Steve Jones, Leonard Jones, Dan Lynn, and Janience Fitzgerald.

**TERMS:** All horses must be paid for in U.S. funds. All animals purchased on Friday must be paid for before or at the conclusion of the sale on Friday (Unless authorized by the National Sale Office). Animals purchased on Saturday must be paid for before or immediately at the conclusion of Saturday's sale. Credit card payment (Visa or Mastercard only) will be accepted with the agreement of a 4% service charge will be added. Parties unknown to the National Clydesdale Sale committee must bring cash, a certified check, or a irrevocable letter of credit from their bank (irrevocable letter of credit example can be obtained from the Clydesdale Office). Transfers and pedigrees for all animals will be furnished to the buyer, with the exception of geldings that do not have a pedigree number appearing after their name. These geldings are not papered. Sellers will pay the transfer fee. Phone bids are accepted only if pre-arranged through the sale office, with the client providing their own agent for conducting the phone bid procedure.

**ON-LINE BIDDING** – Internet on-line bids will be accepted under the terms of the National Clydesdale Sale on-line bidding service. Details available on the website at [www.clydesusa.com](http://www.clydesusa.com) or through the Clyde Office.

**CANADIAN PAPERS:** Sellers of Canadian horses must submit a United States application along with the five required photos for those animals to be registered here in the United States prior to the sale. The Office of the Clydesdale Breeders of the U.S.A. can assist in the completion of the registration form for a fee of \$10.00 and photos can be taken at the sale for the fee of \$30.00. If the animal goes back to Canada, the U.S. registration application will be void.

The Sale Committee reserves the right to reject any horse deemed unsuitable to go through the sale ring.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:**  
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