

CLYDESDALE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION OF THE U.S.A.

ELECTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
2020 VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

**FROM THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE –**

Elections for Board of Directors will be held at the upcoming annual Meeting & Sale in Springfield, ILL – April 23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

Each year three directors are elected to serve on the Board of Directors for a three -year term. The directors whose three-year terms are expiring in April are Pat Connors, Dennis Johnson and Charles Cryderman. All three directors have declined to run again for the Board of Directors.

Members are encouraged to vote in the upcoming election. There will be three ways to cast your ballot for election of directors.

- 1) Vote at the Annual Meeting on Thursday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020
- 2) Vote at the Sale Facility on Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020 between 10 am and Noon
- 3) Request an absentee ballot by mail (see details below)

Any member in good standing with the Association may vote for Directors for the Clydesdale Breeders Association of the U.S.A. by absentee ballot if that member cannot attend or chooses not to vote at the Annual Meeting.

**\*All lifetime members are eligible to vote.**

**\*One vote (one ballot) per membership.**

**\*Anyone requesting and receiving an absentee ballot may not also vote for Directors at the Annual Meeting that same year. (Members may not request another ballot) ALL ABSENTEE BALLOTS MUST BE NOTORIZED**

**\*Anyone requesting and receiving an absentee ballot must return the ballot as instructed and by the deadline for that ballot to be counted. Absentee ballots will not be accepted or counted if handed in at the Annual Meeting.**

**\* The Association can not be held responsible for request letters or absentee ballots which may be lost or delayed by the USPS.**

**\*As always, the three candidates receiving the highest number of votes will serve full three-year terms on the Board. Each member may vote for up to, but not more than, three (3) candidates for the open seats.**

**\* Request must be dated and signed by member or members as they appear in that membership. (If membership is in two names, both must sign unless one is deceased. If membership is in a corporate name, then owner of record with the Association must sign) Include address and telephone information.**

**\*REQUESTS FOR ABSENTEE BALLOTS MUST BE MADE WITH THIS ENCLOSED FORM MAILED THROUGH AN OFFICIAL POST OFFICE CONTAINING VALID SIGNATURE(S), (NO E-MAILS, FAXES, OR TELEPHONE CALLS).**

**\*Include a self-addressed first class stamped standard business envelope for the ballot to be mailed to you.**

**\*Absentee ballot request form must be postmarked **by March 21, 2020** and mailed to:**

Clydesdale Breeders Association of the U.S.A.  
PO Box 345 Fredericktown, Ohio 43019

Mark the envelope: "Ballot Request"