

ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUEST FORM 2021

CLYDESDALE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION OF THE U.S.A.

ELECTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

****NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS****

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.

*****NEW FOR 2021***** This year, we are moving the election to a third party voting system. *Simply Voting* will be handling all election ballots for the board of directors election. ***Absentee Ballots will be administered electronically if you have an email address on file, if no email is on file, provide one below, otherwise a paper ballot will be provided.***

*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 Director at the Annual Meeting that same year. (Members may not request another ballot)

*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 ABSENTEE BALLOT FORM MAILED THROUGH AN OFFICIAL POST OFFICE CONTAINING VALID SIGNATURE(S), (NO E-MAILS, FAXES, OR TELEPHONE CALLS).**

“I / We, _____ (print name(s) here as appear in membership) , hereby request an absentee ballot be provided to me/us for the 2021 election of Directors for the Clydesdale Breeders Association of the U.S.A. I / We are members in good standing of said Association and understand that by making this request, will not be able to vote at the 2021 Annual Meeting.”

Date: _____

Membership Number: _____

DOB: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Signature of member/members _____

*Absentee ballot request form must be postmarked **by March 15, 2021** and mailed to:

Clydesdale Breeders Association of the U.S.A.

PO Box 345, Fredericktown OH 43019

Mark the envelope: “Ballot Request”

All members are still encouraged to attend the Annual Meeting and National Sale.