



American Belgian Blue Breeders, Inc.

Belgian Blue National Sale 2012

Sale date: April 21, 2012 Springdale, Arkansas

Sale Rules and Guidelines

- 1. Consignors must be members of American Belgian Blue Breeders, Inc.**
- 2. All cattle must be registered with the American Belgian Blue Breeders, Inc. and tattooed in accordance with ABBB rules.**
- 3. A three person panel will inspection of cattle will take place before the animals are unloaded to assure sound and good conditioned animals.**
- 4. All bulls must meet the following requirements to sell.**
 - Bulls must have a breeding soundness exam by day of sale with current semen test.**
 - Unruly bulls with bad dispositions will not be allowed to sell.**
 - Unsound bulls with bad feet and legs will not be allowed to sell.**
- 5. All females must meet the following requirements.**
 - All females 24 months of age and older must be safe in calf, have a calf at side, have been in a flushing program, or state the breeding condition of the animal.**
 - Bred females must be vet checked with approximate calving dates.**
 - Unruly cows / heifers will not be allowed to sell.**
 - Sale committee has the discretion to eliminate cows / heifers with bad udders, structure problems and disposition problems if they see fit.**
- 6. Planned matings, flushes, frozen embryo and semen are eligible to sell.**
- 7. All naturally horned cattle must be dehorned**

ENTRY DEADLINE: Friday March 16, 2012

- All entries and registration certificates must be returned by March 16, 2012.**
- Documentation of birth weights, horned / polled status, tattoos, and all other information must be in order.**
- Consignors must provide footnote and breeding status. (Breeding dates, AI dates, pasture exposure dates; service sires with their registration numbers, calves at side-color, horned / polled status, sex, tattoos, birth dates, birth weights, and sire).**

- **Please identify OCV vaccinations and indicate if herd is certified /accredited.**
- **Only high quality show type photos will be used. The sale committee has the decision on which photos will used in the catalogue.**
- **All health certificates should be presented at the sale and up to date. Check with your veterinary for requirements.**
- **Entry Fee and Commission: Commission for this sale will be 8 percent in addition to the nomination form. A non-refundable nomination fee will be \$30 must accompany the nomination form. Send all nomination information with fees to : American Belgian Blue Breeders, Inc.**

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