



**2010 EAST CENTRAL BULL POWER SALE - TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2010
AG PAVILION, YORKTON EXHIBITION GROUNDS**

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RULES & REGULATIONS

Entry Deadline: Friday, January 15, 2010

1. Every bull entered in the sale must be in sound health, free from physical defects, and shall be registered or recorded in either the Canadian National Livestock Records or the recognized Canadian Herd Book of that breed, in the name of the consignor.
2. Recorded percentage blood bulls must meet the following standards: All breeds 15/16 – except Angus and Herefords which must be purebred.
3. All bulls requiring ROP records for recordation will only be accepted with a valid birth certificate or calf certificate issued by the breed association. Applications for registration will not be accepted as valid.
4. Bulls born before April 30, 2009, and up to a maximum of 39 months as of sale day, are eligible for entry. Any bull less than 12 months of age as of sale day must have a scrotal measurement equal to or above the standard for its breed at 12 months of age.
5. **All Bulls must be tie broke and each bull must be supplied with a suitable halter.**
6. **All Bulls must pass a strict veterinary inspection prior to the sale, and any allowable known defect will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of the sale. The veterinary inspection will pay particular attention to soundness of feet and legs, including freedom of movement, disabilities, and to testicular development. All veterinary decisions are final!**

7. All Bulls must have a testicular measurement taken and it must meet the following breed standards:

	<u>12 months</u>	<u>14 months</u>	<u>15-20 months</u>	<u>21-30 months</u>	<u>Over 30 months</u>
Angus	32	32	34	35	36
Charolais	32	33	34	35	36
Gelbvieh	31	32	33	34	35
Hereford	32	32	33	34	35
Shorthorn	31	32	33	34	35
Simmental	32	34	35	36	37

8. **All Bulls will be weighed once – Monday, March 22, and the weight will be posted on the stall cards.**
9. **All Bulls entered in the sale must have an age per weight gain as recommended by their specific breed association:**
Charolais: Yearling Bulls - min. 1100 lbs; 2-year olds - min.1650 lbs. Must have a 1.75 WDA up to 22 months.
Simmental: Yearling bulls must have a weight gain of 3 lbs/day and an added 1.75 lbs/day for the number of days between 1 & 2 years of age; and an added 1 lb/day for the number of days over 2 years of age.
Angus/Gelbvieh/Hereford/Shorthorn: Yearling bulls must have a weight gain of 2.5 lbs/day and an added 1.50 lbs/day for the number of days between 1-2 years of age; and an added 1 lb/day for the number of days over 2 years of age.
10. All Bulls will be the total responsibility of the consignor. It is the consignor's option if they wish to clip or wash these bulls.
11. Floor Price on bulls will be set at the consignors meeting.
12. **Full commission will be paid on all passed bulls.**
13. All Bulls must be tagged with a CCIA tag.
14. Number of entries per consignor may be limited at the discretion of the Bull Sale committee for the good of the sale. (A consignor is the registered owner of a bull whether individual or partnership.) The Bull Sale's executive committee reserves the right to further restrict the number of entries.
15. Entry Fees: \$105 per bull. Fees must accompany the entry form. No Bull will be catalogued until all fees are paid.
16. Maximum Sale Commission of 6% of selling price will be deducted, plus GST (applicable to sale commission only, not the selling price of bull).
17. 2009 Grain Millers Harvest Showdown Pen of Bulls Exhibitors will receive a \$50 credit on ONE ENTRY at the 2010 Bull Sale.
18. Substitutions may be made up to the date of arrival to the sale. These animals will not be catalogued, however. Up-dated catalogue information will be supplied to the Auctioneer and Blockman. Substitution sheets will be made available to the public if time permits. Entries which are cancelled after the printing of the catalogue with no substituted entry, shall forfeit their entry fee for that Bull. There will be no substitutions for culled bulls.
19. Transferred registration papers will be forwarded to the purchaser following the Sale, and for this service, the necessary transfer fee will be deducted from the consignor's sale proceeds.
20. No Bulls which have been culled from other sales will be allowed to entry.
21. **PARADE OF BULLS:** Monday, March 22, 2010, at 7 p.m. All consignors are encouraged to participate. Consignors are reminded to provide footnotes for their bulls for the Parade of Bulls.
22. Bulls will be allowed to arrive in the barns beginning at 9 a.m., Sunday, March 21, 2010. All Bulls **MUST** be on the premises, weighed, and ready for inspection by 12 noon, Monday, March 22, 2010. **Wash racks will only be available from Sunday, March 21, at 9:00 am to 12:00 noon, Monday, March 22.**
23. Consignors are required to supply all necessary feed for their bulls for their duration of stay.
24. First-bedding of wood chips will be provided. No further building up of the bed will be allowed.
25. **ALL BULLS MUST BE SEMEN TESTED AT THE CONSIGNOR'S EXPENSE.** Semen testing must be done in the current year of 2010. Your vet must provide a vet certificate for testicular measurement, soundness, and health, along with a signed visual check for tattoos. This vet certificate must be presented at weigh-in on Monday, March 22, 2010.

26. Tattoos must be distinct and easy to read. They must coincide exactly with the registration papers of the bull or that animal will be rejected from the sale.
27. Upon arrival at the sale premises, the Yorkton Exhibition Association will have all Sale Bulls inspected. Inspector(s) will be designated by the Association and upon the recommendation of the inspector(s), the Association shall order the removal from the sale premises any animal having a physical defect, communicable disease, or is inferior in quality or condition.
28. Any bull consigned from a tuberculosis infected area should be tested.
29. Consignors are committed to abide by their Breed Association Breeders' Guarantee. Individual consignors may provide further guarantees with their offering, by so stating when their offering is in the sale ring.
30. The management of the sale is under the Yorkton Exhibition Association ("Association") and the Bull Sale Committee, and they shall have complete control of all bulls entered. It is clearly understood that the Association acts as agent only, as a medium between buyer and seller. The Association is not, in any way, responsible for failure on the part of either party to live up to their obligations, and under no circumstances will the Association accept financial responsibility between buyer and seller.
31. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein contained, it is understood that each consignor waives all claims against the Association and/or any of its members, officials, or agents thereof, for any and all injury, loss, damage which he/she, his/her employees, helpers, and/or property may sustain by the said Association by reason of any claims made by any of their helpers or assistants introduced to or engaged by, and shall be at the sole risk and responsibility of such consignors.
32. The Association will issue a suitable catalogue before the Sale and it will contain as much of the bulls pedigrees as practical (2 generations). Each entry will be allowed 2 lines of footnotes per entry. Verified test data will be printed at no charge.
33. The Bull Sale Committee will determine the breed selling order.
34. **There will be no re-sale of bulls after they have passed through the Sale Ring.** No Bull will be allowed to be sold in the Barn following the Sale. Any consignor found doing so will be banned from entering future Sales.
35. Any consignor missing his place in the catalogued sale order for any reason whatsoever, will have his place in the sale order moved to follow the last catalogued consignor in the breed sale.
36. The Bull Sale Committee reserves the right to decide any point not covered by these Rules & Regulations which the said committee considers is necessary for the proper regulation and management of the sale.
37. Everyone who consigns a bull to the 2010 sale and everyone who bids at the sale, by doing so, agree to the foregoing terms, conditions, rules, and regulations.
38. Penning as follows: Yearlings – 2 per 10 x 10 pen; 2 year-olds – 1 per 10 x 10 pen.

WIN-A-BULL PROGRAM RULES & REGULATIONS

The Win-A-Bull program is designed to bring more potential bull buyers to the parade of bulls, to the sale, and to create excitement for and at the sale. It also provides another option for breeders to market their bull program.

The Win-A-Bull program is mandatory to all contributors entering 3 or more bulls and optional to those contributors entering 1 or 2 bulls.

1. Consignor may nominate one or more of their bulls towards the chance of being chosen as the winning bull and receiving a guaranteed jackpot.
2. Nomination fee for each bull is \$200, which goes towards the guaranteed jackpot. Note: The \$200 nomination fee is in addition to the \$100 entry fee for the sale.
3. With each Bull Nomination, the consignor will receive 12 Win-A-Bull tickets to sell to prospective bull buyers. The cost for each ticket is \$20 or 3 for \$50. This would cover the cost of the nomination fee for the consignor.
4. All nominated bulls will be on display prior to the Sale. At the start of the Sale, a draw will be made from all of the sold Win-A-Bull tickets.
5. A Proxy will be allowed on purchased tickets. However, the proxy's name must be included on the ticket at time of purchase and they must be in attendance at the Bull Sale. The name on the winning ticket, or his/her proxy, must be in attendance to win. That person will then select the bull of his/her choice amongst the nominated bulls.
6. The consignor of the selected winning bull would receive the guaranteed jackpot. Nomination fees will be refunded if there are insufficient Win-A-Bull entries. There is no Sale Commission on the selected winning bull.
7. Consignors may purchase tickets; however, if their name is drawn as the winner, they are not eligible to choose their own bull(s).