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BRIGHT LIGHTS *Sale*

LIVE
SALE

Saturday, January 6
2 p.m. CST

INFORMATION

ALL CONSIGNMENTS MUST BE PHA and TH FREE. (Females & Bulls)

ENTRY & DEADLINE INFORMATION

ENTRY DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 15 - All entries must be submitted online through the AMAA website.

Cattlemen's Congress Deadline (November 15): All sale entries must **ALSO be entered with CC for stalling purposes.

**Things to note when entering at CC.

- Night pens are **NOT GUARANTEED** for sale cattle. You must enter a pen to receive a night pen. If you do not wish to enter a pen, regular tie-outs are assigned.
- Cattlemen's Congress stalls 3 head per concrete section (10 feet). They DO NOT include room for tack.
- The most cost effective way to get more space, is to enter more sale entries on the CC entry site.

Entry Fee: \$350 - \$100 of the \$350 entry fee will be applied to sale commission which will be on a sliding scale with a maximum of 12%. Entry fee is due at submission. Entry fees are non-refundable.

** Consignments that go through the sale will have the yard charges deducted from your sale settlement.

** Pedigree signs with lot # and sale animal information are also provided.

Sales commission: Will apply to any total "No Sale" prices.

DNA & TH/PHA Submission Deadline: November 15

Photos & Videos Deadline: December 1

Substitutions: \$50 per head.

ELIGIBILITY & OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Eligibility: Consignors must be active AMAA members (Adult or junior) to consign to this sale.

The following minimums must be met to be eligible for the Bright Lights Sale.

- Minimum weight of 950 lbs.
- **WDA** at a minimum of 2.5 lbs (Bulls) and 2 lbs (Females).
- **Scrotal minimum of 28 c.m. on bulls under a year of age and 30 c.m. over a year of age.**
It is highly recommended that a scrotal size is taken before departure.
- Birthweight - bulls with a birthweight of 100 lbs or over are not eligible for the Bright Lights sale.
- *Sale management recommends that bulls are at least 10 months of age at sale date. This will help with successful marketing!*

Sale order and screening process.

- A three man committee will screen all bulls at the sale evaluation.
- EPDs will be provided to the screening committee to be used at their discretion.
- Each committee member will be evaluating structural and phenotypic design.
- **Accumulated points and sale rubric will be used in the process to determine sale order and eligibility.**
- Rubric information includes: Live evaluation, EPD profile percentile, scrotal circumference, WDA & REA benchmark.

• The number of bulls sold will not be set at a certain number.

• Bulls that accumulate a low point total may be screened from the sale. Entry fees of screened bulls are non-refundable.

• Screened bulls will be charged a yard fee to be paid by consignor to the Cattlemen's Congress.

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MAINE ANGUS

- Maine Angus – All Maine Angus animals eligible for sale must meet the Maine Angus color and testing requirements. Additionally, all Maine Angus testing must be done by December 1, 2023 or they will be listed as MaineTainers.
 - All Maine Angus nominations must have a photo submitted with entry to verify color. (Bulls & Heifers).
- **DNA:** All DNA must be submitted by November 15.
 - The sample must be at the NeoGen lab by Nov. 15 in order to receive results back before the sale. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
 - Testing will take at least 3 - 4 weeks to receive results.
 - DNA may be pulled at event for purposes of parent verification. (At the discretion of AMAA).
 - **IT IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGED TO PARENT VERIFY ALL SALE ANIMALS CONSIGNED TO THE BRIGHT LIGHTS SALE.**
- **Veterinary Service:** Will aid at check-in. Consignments suspected of unethical practices will be disqualified.
 - Scrotal circumference, WDA and ultrasound data will be made available on every sale bull.
- **Bred Females:** Bred females must have written confirmation of pregnancy from a veterinarian.
- **Semen Test:** Every bull 14 months or older at the time of the sale must have a satisfactory semen evaluation.
 - A semen evaluation certificate must accompany the health certificate during check in.

SALE CATTLE HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

PLEASE SHARE THE WEBSITE BELOW WITH THE ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN ISSUING THE PAPERWORK.

cattlemenscongress.com/show-information/health-requirements/

****ALL cattle coming to Cattlemen's Congress MUST have a negative BVD-PI test.** The sample to submit to the laboratory can be either an ear-notch (for the ELISA or IHC test) or serum (ELISA test). A single test is required in the animal's lifetime. The test date and results must be recorded on the CVI. Cattle without a negative BVD-PI test will not be allowed to enter the barns. It will be the responsibility of the exhibitor to find a veterinarian to perform the BVD-PI test if it is not performed prior to entry. If you have additional questions about the BVD-PI test, please contact your veterinarian and show them these requirements.

- **Tuberculosis:** Modified Accredited Advanced States (Michigan – Counties of Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency, and Oscoda) - Negative Test within 60 days for sexually intact animals 18 months of age and older OR Accredited Herd number and date of last herd test. Free States - No Test required
- **Trich Test:** All bulls consigning into a sale must have a trich test within 30 days of the sale. No matter their age. (No exceptions)

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- **Brucellosis:** Cattle from Brucellosis Free states do not require a test to enter Oklahoma. All cattle assigned from out of state must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection signed by an accredited veterinarian with USDA approved individual identification, breed, age, and sex of animal.

Any version of BVD testing is allowed and may be done by any lab or veterinarian that offers those services, negative results just must be indicated on the CVI.

For BVD testing, below is a list of labs in close proximity to Oklahoma City that could assist on short notice.

Oklahoma Disease Diagnostic Laboratory, Stillwater, OK 74076 | (800) 891-2917,(405) 744-6623

Cattle Stats (405) 607-4522 Oklahoma City, OK

D's Diagnostic Services (903) 681-5075 Lehigh, OK

Verden Veterinary Clinic (405) 453-7321 Verden, OK

OTHER

- **Payment:** Any consignor with a balance on their AMAA accounts will have that payment deducted from their sale proceeds.

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