



2011 Northwest Stallion Service Auction 2013 Paint Weanling Futurity Northwest Stallion Service Auction Rules

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1. Proceeds from the stallion service auction will split for the Futurities as follows: \$1000 allocated toward Yearling Longeline Futurity, of remaining funds 60% to the Mare Owner's Futurity Division, 20% to the Stallion Owner's Futurity Division, and 20% to Operations
2. NWSSA pays for a Stall for the stallion, ONLY if the STALLION HIMSELF is in attendance IN PERSON for the 2011 auction. Stalls for any Get representing a stallion are not paid by the NWSSA, but must be paid to the host Club by the stallion or mare owner.
3. In both the Mare Owner's Division and the Stallion Owner's Division, the payback will be calculated on the number of horses entering the arena.
4. Bidding MUST start at \$450. The stallion services are for the 2012 breeding season and the 2013 Futurities ONLY. (exception RE: Rule #36). Stallion services not sold the night of the live auction will still be available and then be offered for a minimum of \$500 post auction.
5. Online & Phone bids will be accepted, by VISA or MasterCard ONLY. Phone bids will be accepted beginning September 1, 2011, thru the end of the auction in September 2011. Watch the auction Live Online. Phone numbers will be listed on the NWSSA Streaming website off of www.nwssa.com. To accept a Phone Bid, Visa or MasterCard must be used to pay in full or minimum of ½ of the full amount of the final bid, as awarded. There is a 3% fee on Credit Card Purchases.
6. If, said Stallion is accepted in to the NWSSA Auction and then later withdrawn for any reason, or fails to appear or have a Get representation at the actual auction, then Stallion Owner shall be assessed a \$450 penalty fee. If the penalty is not paid, the Stallion Owner will be excluded from current and future participation in the Auction & Futurity program. Exception: If stallion should die or becomes unfit for breeding, and a Veterinarian certificate is provided to the NWSSA, no fine will be assessed and a Waiver granted from the NWSSA Committee.
7. **If NWSSA is not able to make contact with the stallion owner by August 15, 2011, said stallion will be replaced with a stallion on the waiting list.**
8. Payment Options:
NOTE: CURRENT YEAR FUTURITY WINNINGS MAY BE APPLIED TO PURCHASES.
 - a. The purchaser agrees to pay the full amount of the bid at the time of auction.
 - b. The purchaser agrees to pay 50% of the bid at the time of the auction and the remaining balance no later than November 15th, 2011.
 - c. Acceptable forms of payment are cash, check, Visa & MasterCard to purchase a breeding service. A \$25 NSF fee will be assessed to all payments not clearing the bank.
9. If payment option (b) is selected, and default should occur on the remaining balance, then the purchaser agrees to forfeit all moneys paid and his rights to the breeding service. The stallion owner has the option to purchase their breeding service for the balance due of the defaulted bid. In the event the preceding option is not taken, the Northwest Stallion Service Auction Committee will attempt to sell the service. The service MUST sell in order for get by the stallion to be eligible for the 2013 futurities.
10. If the futurity foal is not able to be shown, it is the owner's responsibility, no money will be refunded.
11. The stallion owner agrees to LIVE foal or return breeding the following year ONLY. NWSSA roll-over rules apply. RE: Rule #36.
12. If the stallion becomes unfit for breeding certified by Vet certificate, or dies, the mare owner's fee can be refunded if the mare is not already settled in foal.
13. If the stallion is sold or leased and moves, the contract is still binding unless the stallion moves over 200 miles from the breeding location unless the move is closer to the mare owner's address at the time of purchase. Stallion owner must notify the committee and the mare owner in writing if the stallion is moved.

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14. If money is refunded to the mare owner because the stallion moves, or for any reason cannot render service (exception, RE: Rule #11), the stallion owner will be responsible for the actual successful bid amount to be paid to NWSSA.
15. Service purchaser will be responsible for breeding fees, hauling expenses and farrier and all other fees incurred.
16. Mares are to be halter broke, gentle, and current on all vaccinations and worming, and have a vet certificate stating the mare is fit to breed before stallion service will be rendered.
17. A service purchased in the sale **MUST** be used on a mare whose produce will be eligible for registry in the **APHA**. **One parent must be registered with APHA.**
18. It is the responsibility of the purchaser to make all necessary arrangements with the stallion owner concerning the mare to be used. Reasonable advance notice is to be given the stallion owner as to when the mare will arrive for breeding. Stallion owner may begin breeding during the regular breeding season of 2012. Stallion owners offering breeding via shipped semen stipulate that said stallion's semen meets or exceeds industry standards for shipped semen quality. Mare owner **MUST** deliver mare to be bred during the regular breeding season, or arrange for receiving a shipment of semen, or forfeit moneys paid and breeding rights.
19. In the event that the breeding contract is sold or transferred for any reason, the NW Stallion Service Auction Committee **MUST** be notified in writing immediately of the new **mare owner's name, address and telephone number**.
20. Any financial inducements **MUST** be on the stallion service application and in the catalog. **NO** financial incentives may be brought up during the sale day. Any violation of this rule will result in expulsion from the sale.
21. The stallion owner **MUST** bring the stallion or at least one (1) of his get and/or both into the arena during the Auction. Failure to do this and the stallions' service will **NOT** be sold, then Stallion Owner shall be assessed a \$450 penalty fee. If the penalty is not paid, the Stallion Owner will be excluded from current and future participation in the Auction & Futurity program. Exception: If stallion should die or becomes unfit for breeding, and a Veterinarian certificate is provided to the NWSSA, no fine will be assessed and a Waiver granted from the NWSSA Committee.
22. The NWSSA Committee may accept a maximum of seventeen (17) donated stallion services, which will not be required to be represented at the Northwest Stallion Service Auction. Of these stallions that reside **OUTSIDE** of Zone One, five (5) will be World or Reserve World Champion(s) and/or the producers thereof; twelve (12) must at least have a Superior. These will be the first five services sold. The remaining will be auctioned in the remaining draw spots.
23. Any stallion owner or mare owner that has breached any part of their contract or the rules may be ineligible for future futurities and auctions.
24. Any requests for exceptions to these rules must be submitted in writing to the NWSSA Committee for consideration of a waiver, A written document can be sent to starlight.ranch@yahoo.com or mail to NWSSA Secretary, PO Box 323, Garfield, WA 99130. Any problem with any rules or questions not covered by these rules is subject to evaluation by the NW Stallion Service Auction Committee discretion. All NWSSA committee decisions are **FINAL**.
25. Inland Northwest Paint Horse Club and/or the NWSSA committee are **NOT** responsible in any event for any accident, breach of contract or other incident arising by or between the buyer, the seller, or any other persons with respect to the Stallion Service Auction or an aspect thereof.

Stallion Owner's Division Futurity

26. The owner of a selling stallion service has a choice of any 2013 **APHA** registered foal by their stallion for this futurity.

27. Moneys Split:

1 to 2 entries	100%
3 to 4 entries	60 - 40%
5 to 7 entries	50 - 30 - 20%
8 to 10 entries	46 - 26 - 18 - 10%
11 to 13 entries	41 - 25 - 16 - 10 - 8%
14 to 17 entries	39 - 24 - 15 - 9 - 7 - 6%
18 to 21 entries	37 - 23 - 14 - 8 - 7 - 6 - 5%
22 + entries	35 - 22 - 13 - 8 - 7 - 6 - 5 - 4%

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28. Less than two (2) of each sex and the classes will be combined. Two (2) or more of each sex and the classes will be split.
29. In the case of a tie, the moneys will be added together and divided between the tied entries. A tie breaker Judge will be designated for any awards offered.
30. Judging of all NWSSA Futurities will be run according to APHA rules, except where NWSSA published rules will take precedence. Horses will show to all Judges with all placings announced. The lowest placing score will be dropped and the remainder of judged placings will be used to determine the overall class winner. In case of a Judge/Owner conflict, the conflicted Judge will be considered the low score for the conflicted Owner of that horse.
31. Foal Entries for the Stallion Owner's Division Futurity must be entered the day prior to the futurity. Posted check in times will be pre-provided, posted and announced. All entries must have Official APHA registration papers or Work Order Number.
32. Futurity foals MUST be registered with APHA or have an official APHA Work Order Number, if (Work Order is used 2 photos one of each side must be submitted with a copy of work order). We will physically identify the foal against the original papers or work order photo's before the futurity entry number is issued.
33. No check will be issued until photocopies of the original registration papers are received for our files.
34. No weanling futurity entry will be exhibited with a lip chain. Chains may be used on these entries over the nose or under the chin **ONLY**.

Mare Owner's Division Futurity

35. Mare nominations MUST be submitted no later than July 31, 2011 and only the 2013 foal, that is out of the nominated mare on contract with the stallion from this auction is eligible for the futurity.
36. If the nominated mare does not produce a live foal, proof MUST be furnished by way of a Vet Certificate stating that the nominated mare was not settled, has aborted, or did not produce a live foal. If a qualified substitute mare is available, a written request for an exception waiver may be submitted to the NWSSA Committee. If a qualified substitute mare is not available, the nominated mare or an alternate mare, will be eligible for a return breeding the following year.. A new mare nomination MUST be submitted and $\frac{1}{2}$ (50%) of the 60% which is the mare owner's portion of the service purchase price will be carried forward to the following Futurity year. IF stallion service cannot be performed (Rule #12) the following year, only $\frac{1}{2}$ (50%) of the 60%, which is the mare owner's portion will be refunded.
37. Moneys split - The same as for the Stallion Owner's Division.
38. Ties -The same as the Stallion Owner's Division.
39. Judging—The same as the Stallion Owner's Division
40. Foals Entries – The same as the Stallion Owner's Division.
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