

2022 IOWA LIMOUSIN ASSOCIATION SALE

General Rules

- **ALL CONSIGNORS** must be paid members of the Iowa Limousin Assn. for 2022 @ \$50 / year.
- **PAPERS:** Purebred Limousin (orange registration papers) NXM (% is also orange) LIM-FLEX (purple).
- **ENTRY & DEADLINE**, \$100 per head must be paid at time of entry. Embryo packages of 3 @ \$100. Deadline is December 15, 2021. Bedding fee of wood chips for both the barn and tieout is included. No additional bedding can be used. No refunds. Substitutions welcome, No substitution fee.
- Please EMAIL your entry: sex, date of birth, herd prefix with tattoo. Ann-roger@cattleplanet.com
- Mail your entry check, entry form with footnotes to:
- Iowa Limousin Association, 31112 Hwy 6, Treynor, IA 51575-6231
- **CATALOG PICTURES:** Mark space on entry. Email photo, ann-roger@cattleplanet.com due 1/5 and are at no cost to you. We do a color catalog so remember that when you are picturing your entry. GOOD pictures do help sell your cattle.
- **VIDEOS:** We encourage you to do a 30-40 second video of your consignment, whether you picture them or not, buyers like to see the animals move. I will have more information emailed in the consignor letter right after the first of the year.
- **SCREENING:** All entries are subject to be screened from the sale for not meeting the minimum scrotal measurements, WDA or substandard conformation, structure or disposition. An ILA committee will determine and visit with consignor following check-in.

- **Minimum Base Floor:** The Iowa Limousin Association Board of Directors have set a Minimum Base Floor for all bulls at \$2500 and a Minimum Base Floor of \$1500 for heifers. A consignor may set their own Minimum Base Floor higher than these but not lower.
- **Commissions:** All cattle going through the check-in chute will pay either their share of the ILA commission rate established following expo or a "No Sale Fee" of \$200 if their animal does not sell for its Minimum Base Floor amount. Any Consignor who sets a Minimum Base Floor for their animal above \$4000 will pay their share of the ILA commission rate whether that animal sells or not.

- **All Limousin & Lim-Flex** cattle sold in the IBE sale are guaranteed by the consignor to be breeders as defined by the NALF guidelines.
- **Guaranteed by the breeder to be free of Arthrogyrosis (AM or Curly Calf syndrome) and Neuropathic Hydrocephalus (NH or Waterhead) known lethal genetic defects found in Angus based cattle and Osteopetrosis (OS or marble bone disease) a genetic defect in Red Angus based cattle.** All animals are guaranteed by the breeder to be free, either by pedigree or by genotype test from an accredited lab, if they are potential carriers.
- **BULLS:** All bulls must have a nose lead in place at all times on the grounds. This is an EXPO rule!!! Bulls---minimum requirements: A) Bulls must be born 2020 or 2021, but prior to 5/1/2021.

Birthdate

1/1/21 and younger WDA 2.8

9/1/20 --12/31/20 WDA 2.6

5/1/20---8/31/20 WDA 2.4

Weights , tattoos checked, scrotal measurement and ultrasound (scan for ribeye area and fat thickness) will all be taken at check-in chute, and tagged with IBE tag. All information will be on the sale supplement sheet and provided to the buyers on sale day. **Testicle size:** minimum scrotal of 32 cm at one year of age, bulls will be adjusted at the rate of .04 cm per day of age between 10 and 14 months. All bulls over 14 months of age must have a minimum scrotal measurement of 34 cm. **Health papers** will be collected at check-in, bulls must have a EID or USDA silver metal IDtag to sell. Trich-test: A negative trich-test is required on all non-virgin Limousin bulls and ALL bulls born prior to 1/1/2021. All bulls born before 1/1/2021 must have a BSE, Breeding Soundness Exam, and/or semen evaluation & physical exam. Check with your vet early. **All testing must be done after 1/15/2022.**

- **FEMALES** of any age are eligible to sell and all must carry a calthood vaccination tattoo/shield (with USDA Brucellosis orange tag tag to sell) Bred females must be bred to a registered Limousin, Lim-Flex, or Angus bull and calve by 30 months of age. Please note breeding information on the health paper. Females over 30 months of age may sell only with a natural calf under 270 days of age at side.
- Embryo packages of 3 eggs or more may sell as one lot.

At 2 PM on Saturday, we will be holding a "People's Choice, Aisle Parade" where cattle will be walked in catalog order in the aisle and scored by the consignors. All Cattle in the sale will be ranked. No fit. There is no video parade and no show. The People's Choice Bull and Female will be eligible for the Supreme Row on Friday.

****NEW--The Iowa Beef Expo will have a Supreme Bull \$5,000 & Supreme Female \$5000 (these will be split between buyer and seller) Bring out one of your best to the Limousin expo sale. The People's Choice Bull & Female will become eligible for Supreme. This Supreme Drive will take place at the fairgrounds on Friday, February 18 at 3:30 PM - you can stay or take your animal home until Friday.

****NEW Any heifer that sells to a Jr. exhibitor is eligible to show in a special class on Friday, February 18 at 3:30 PM. Winner of this earns a \$500 award. They would also be able to enter to show on Saturday in the Jr. Show.

Sale Headquarters

LAQUINTA, Altoona, IA

515-630-0156

"Iowa Limousin Block" by 2/1/2022

Health Requirements

- A sample health paper from the Iowa Expo Vet will be emailed to all consignors about January 10.
- Tests can not be done till after 1/15/2022.
- BULLS MUST HAVE A NOSE LEAD IN PLACE AT ALL TIMES!!!!
- All bulls born before 1/1/2020 Must pass a BSE Breeding Soundness Exam and/or semen evaluation & physical exam and have a negative trich test performed by a licensed vet after 1/1/2021 and noted on their health paper.
- All cattle must be identified with breed tattoo AND registration # AND USDA metal tag or USDA Brucellosis tag or an EID tag on their health paper. Females must have a calfhood tattoo / shield to sell. If female is bred have your vet write the approx. days on your health paper.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

NEW DATES

Friday, February 11

Cattle may arrive at the Iowa State Fairgrounds

****NO CATTLE ON FAIRGROUNDS BEFORE 8:00 A.M. FRIDAY**

Saturday, February 12

9 AM LIMOUSIN Check-in

2 PM People's Choice Aisle Parade

Sunday, February 13

10 AM Buyers numbers available in the aisle

NEW!! 11 AM Limousin Sale in the North Annex Sale Ring

Iowa Beef Expo, Iowa State Fairgrounds, Des Moines, IA

Cattle / consignors released following the sale

NEW SALE
RING