



C-N STALLION SERVICE AUCTION

CALIFORNIA FUTURITY & STALLION INCENTIVE PROGRAM

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STALLION NOMINATION & PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

Thank you for considering the C-N Stallion Service Auction and Stallion Incentive Program. What began in 2010 with eight donated breedings has grown to more than 100 participating stallions from the United States, Canada, and Australia. The Incentive Program, established in 2014, continues to grow and reward eligible stallions and their offspring. The program has paid out more than \$118,000 in a single year.

We invite you to participate by donating a breeding to the Stallion Service Auction or by buying in to the Stallion Incentive Program. Please review the commitments and select one participation option on Page 3.

PROGRAM BENEFITS

- Year-round exposure through the C-N California Futurity Facebook page, including promotional posts, links, and auction share contests. Please tag C-N so we can share your posts.
- A stallion profile on cbarnquarterhorses.com with photo, pedigree, and a direct link to your website or Facebook page.
- A reserved banner location in the arena during the warm-up race and Futurity weekend. The stallion owner supplies the banner; C-N will return it upon request.
- Listing in the C-N California Futurity program and announcements recognizing the stallion and ranch throughout Futurity weekend.
- When supplied, a high-resolution stallion flyer or photo may be included in the national webcast produced by JF Videos.
- When supplied, flyers or business cards may be placed in Futurity gift bags; more than 100 are distributed.

FUNDING & BID REQUIREMENTS

Ninety percent (90%) of funds raised through the C-N Stallion Service Auction and Futurity Program are returned to Futurity added money and the Stallion Incentive Program. Ten percent (10%) is retained for program insurance intended to protect stallion owners and bidders in certain circumstances beyond their control. See the current program rules for full details.

All stallion auction bidding begins at \$300. If a donated breeding receives no bid, the stallion owner is responsible for the \$300 minimum in order for the stallion to remain active in the Incentive Program for that year.

STALLION OWNER OPTIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES

- The owner may disclose all breeding terms and added fees, including chute, shipping, collection, farm and mare-care fees; breeding dates; and whether cooled semen, frozen semen, artificial insemination or live cover is available.
- C-N will issue the auction winner a Breeder's Certificate containing the stallion owner's contact information. The breeding may not be sold, traded or transferred without the stallion owner's written approval.
- Owners must promptly notify C-N in writing of ownership changes and submit updated stallion, farm, fee and eligibility information. If C-N is not notified and a breeding is sold using outdated information, the listed owner remains responsible for contract fulfillment and applicable costs, refunds or an approved replacement breeding.
- Suggestions that improve the program for stallion owners and participants are always welcome.



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PROGRAM TERMS & OWNER ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Please read each item carefully and initial where indicated.

- Initial:** I understand that Incentive Program participation requires a minimum three-year commitment when donating a breeding or buying in. The stallion and eligible offspring receive Incentive Program benefits during the years the stallion remains properly enrolled and current.
- Initial:** If the stallion is offered in the auction and does not sell, I am responsible for the \$300 minimum to keep the stallion active in the Incentive Program for that year.
- Initial:** I will promptly complete the Stallion Change Form on the C-N website or notify C-N in writing whenever stallion ownership, breeding farm, contact information, fees, availability, or other auction information changes.
- Initial:** If incorrect or outdated information causes a winning bidder not to pay or prevents fulfillment of the breeding, I understand that I may be responsible for the \$300 non-sale fee and for any applicable refund, approved transfer, or replacement breeding.
- Initial:** The Stallion Incentive Program continues automatically after the initial three-year commitment unless I withdraw the stallion in writing before the current year's auction begins on October 15. Withdrawal is permitted at any time after the three-year commitment has been fulfilled.
- Initial:** If I withdraw before completing the initial three-year commitment, I understand that a \$300 buy-in penalty is due for each remaining contract year.

GRANDFATHER OPTION

After five consecutive years of participation, a stallion may qualify for the grandfather option if he retires from breeding because of death, medical retirement, inability to ship semen because of semen count, or no longer standing to the public. If approved, the stallion and eligible offspring may remain in the Incentive Program at 65% of the current-year stud fee or the last advertised stud fee. Eligibility and approval are governed by current program rules.

LIABILITY & BREEDING OUTCOME

- Initial:** I understand that C-N California Futurity, its directors and volunteers are not responsible for accidents, injury, illness, loss or damage involving any mare or foal while in the care or custody of the stallion owner, breeding farm, veterinarian, collection facility or any other third party.
- Initial:** I understand that C-N California Futurity does not guarantee conception, pregnancy, live foal, semen quality, shipment timing or breeding outcome. All breeding arrangements and veterinary decisions are between the winning bidder and the stallion owner or breeding farm, subject to the published auction terms.

Owners are encouraged to provide a stallion banner for display during Futurity events. The average banner cost is approximately \$80, and banners are positioned for visibility to spectators, the webcast camera, and event photographers.



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PARTICIPATION ELECTION

Choose ONE option and initial:

- ☐ **DONATE A BREEDING + INCENTIVE ENROLLMENT:** I commit to donating a stallion service for a minimum of three years. The stallion and eligible offspring will receive Stallion Incentive Program eligibility and applicable promotional benefits for each year the stallion remains enrolled and current.
- ☐ **BUY IN - NO AUCTION DONATION:** I elect to buy in to the Stallion Incentive Program without donating a breeding. I agree to pay one-half of the stallion's current-year advertised stud fee or \$1,000, whichever is less, for a minimum of three years. Payment is due by January 30 each year. Incentive eligibility and promotional benefits apply while enrollment and payments remain current.
- ☐ **AUCTION DONATION ONLY - NO INCENTIVE ENROLLMENT:** I do not wish to enroll in the Stallion Incentive Program at this time, but I will donate a breeding to the annual C-N Stallion Service Auction. Auction-period advertising applies.

Stallion name:

Registered owner name:

Phone: **Email:**

Website / social link:

STALLION & BREEDING INFORMATION

Current stud fee: \$ **Auction value: \$**

Cooled semen: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Frozen semen: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Artificial insemination: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Live cover: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Shipping fee \$

Chute / collection fee \$

Dry mare care \$

Wet mare care \$

Farm fee \$

Other fee \$

BREEDING FARM & CONTACT INFORMATION

Breeding farm name:

Farm address:

City, state, ZIP:

Farm / stallion manager:

Phone: **Email:**

Website:



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ELIGIBILITIES, STIPULATIONS & SIGNATURE

STALLION'S ELIGIBILITIES

ADDITIONAL STIPULATIONS FOR THE BIDDER

List all bidder responsibilities, added fees, breeding dates, mare requirements, shipping or collection arrangements, limitations, exclusions, and any other terms the bidder should know before bidding.

OWNER CERTIFICATION

By signing below, I certify that the information in this nomination is complete and accurate. I have read and understand the C-N and Stallion Owner Commitments, program terms, participation option selected, and all current rules published by C-N California Futurity. I am authorized to nominate the stallion and agree to fulfill the obligations stated in this form.

Initial: I understand that the stallion will continue in the C-N Stallion Service Auction and/or Incentive Program according to the participation option selected after the initial three-year term unless C-N receives my written withdrawal before October 15 of the applicable auction year.

Stallion owner signature **Date**

Print name **Phone**

Mailing address

City, state, ZIP

Submit completed form to:

C-N California Futurity | 17117 Iona Avenue, Lemoore, CA 93245
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The C-N Stallion Service Auction opens October 15 each year. Advertising continues year-round.