

21ST ANNUAL



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Buffalo County Fairgrounds • Kearney, NE

**NO DOGS WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS OTHER THAN THOSE CONSIGNED ON THE SALE
NO EXCEPTIONS! NO SALES ON THE GROUNDS EXCEPT SALE DOGS!!!**

Classic Dog Trials and Sale to be held Tuesday, February 21, 2012

Dog Check-In: 9:00 a.m. Exhibitor Meeting: 9:30 a.m. Trials: 12:00 p.m (NOON). Sale: 7:00 p.m.

Entries: Entries close December 1, 2011. (Mail Entries to PO Box 607, Kearney, NE 68848) All entries must include copy of registration paper, catalog footnote, completed entry form, entry fee, video and pictures of the dog.

Video Requirements: THE VIDEO WILL BE SHOWN AT THE CLASSIC. Video footage of the dog working cattle is a requirement. The video should show the general confirmation of the dog. The dog should be shown working cattle, doing the basic outrun and fetch. The dogs will be screened for the sale based on the videos sent to the Classic. A committee will review the videos and make the selection for the sale offering. If a dog is not cataloged into the sale, the entry fee will be refunded.

Age: Age limit is 8 months to 72 months as of January 1, 2011. Bred females will not be accepted. A maximum of 10 dogs will be accepted for the trial and sale.

Fees: Entry fee is \$100 per dog. (Entry Fee's are non-refundable.) An eight percent (8%) commission is charged on the sale dogs.

Memberships: All consignors must be members of the Nebraska Stock Dog Association.

Sift: The Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic reserves the rights to sift animals that in their opinion are not up to the quality standards, are unsound, or do not perform well. All screening will be done after the trials and before the sale. If a dog competes in the trials and is not what was represented in the entry video, that dog will be sifted out of the sale.

Health Requirements: General Health Certificates showing current Rabies vaccination are required. Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, and Parvo booster need to be administered within 60 days of sale. Advantage or Frontline flea product need to be administered along with a heart worm test within 30 days of sale. Bring proof of vaccinations when checking in. No test will be done at the sale.

Check-In: Tuesday, February 21, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. All dogs in trials must sell, unless sifted.

Trials: \$1,500 Payout- \$750 cash award to the Supreme Classic Working Dog, \$350 cash award to the Reserve Supreme Classic Working Dog, \$250 cash awarded to the 3rd Place Working Dog, and \$150 cash award to 4th Place. All sale dogs will compete in the trials. Dogs will be asked to show basic work, including an outrun, lift and fetch, show the ability to work obstacles, watch a gate, load in trailer and do general ranch work. Dogs will work cattle only. The trials will be judged by a 2 person committee. All dogs in the trials will be in the sale unless sifted by the committee.

Consignors and exhibitors at the Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic agree to hold harmless, for any and all liability arising out of accidents or injuries sustained at the show and sale, Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic, the Kearney Area Chamber of Commerce, Nebraska Cattlemen, Buffalo County Ag Society, and the Nebraska Stock Dog Assn. Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic reserves to management the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and to arbitrarily settle or determine all matters, questions, or differences in regard hereto or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to, the show and sale.