



Your Market Masters

Auction Effertz, Ltd.

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March 21, 2018

Dear Mideast Classic Consignors,

The Mideast Classic Sale will be held Saturday, June 30 at Muskingum Livestock Auction, Zanesville, Ohio. We hope you will consider consigning to the sale.

This high quality consignment sale is designed to enhance the reputation of the Aberdeen breed. Please be sure your consignments are well bred, well presented and well managed – the kind of cattle you would like to purchase if you were starting a top quality Aberdeen herd. Cattle need not be halter broke but it is important for them to be quiet.

A sale this time of year is best suited to marketing young cow/calf pairs with spring calves at side, breeding age (18 months – 30 months of age) fullblood and Aberdeen Moderator bulls and open yearling heifers ready to breed in July.

The deadline for entries is May 14. I am attaching an entry form that should be completed for each animal in the sale. Be sure to list calf birthdate, tattoo, sire, birthweight and sex for all cow/calf pairs and any service information for females that have been bred. Good quality photos are an important tool in marketing your sale cattle, please submit them by email in high resolution. If you need assistance in getting good photos, give us a call and we may be able to recommend a photographer in your area that could take them.

Breeding age bulls over 14 months of age must be accompanied by a positive fertility test. Bulls 12 months of age or older should be tested for trich. Pregnant females should be preg checked. Results of these tests should be brought to the sale along with interstate health papers.

All sale cattle must comply with Ohio health and brand regulations. It is the consignor's responsibility to be sure their sale cattle are accompanied by current health and brand certificates, allowing them to travel to the sale. Sale cattle must be identified by tattoo and metal tag number on their health certificate. Females should be bangs vaccinated and their OCV tattoo listed on the health paper. If the sale staff needs to tattoo a sale animal or apply a metal tag, there will be charge of \$10 per procedure.

Sale cattle must be registered with the American Aberdeen Association, including calves at side. All consignors must have their registration papers turned into the sale manager before the sale. If an animal does not have a registration paper, they will not be allowed to sell and the entry fee will be forfeited.

Sale expense will be 14%. There is an entry fee of \$100 per lot which will apply to sale expense if an animal goes through the sale ring. If an animal is consigned but does not go through the ring, the entry fee will be forfeited.

Please fill out the attached entry form and return to Auction Effertz by May 14 and feel free to call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Neil and Jan Effertz



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Mideast Classic Sale Entry Form

Please complete one form for every entry. Form may be duplicated if needed. Entry forms are also available at www.auctioneffertz.com.

Category: ___ Bull ___ Cow/Calf Pair ___ Bred Heifer ___ Open Heifer Reg #: _____

Animal's Name: _____ Color _____ %: _____

Birthdate: _____ Tattoo: _____ BW: _____

Service Information for bred females:

Bred to: Bull's name: _____ Bull's Reg #: _____

Breeding date: _____

Calf at side: Sex: ___ Born: _____ Tattoo: _____ Sire: _____ BW: ___

Footnote Information:

Pedigree (attach copy of registration paper or fill out completely)

Sire _____
Reg # _____

Dam _____
Reg # _____

Consignor: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____ email: _____

Include \$100 per head entry fee and return to Auction Effertz, Ltd, 17350 Hwy 1804 N, Bismarck, ND 58503 by May 14.



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Sale Agreement for Consignment Sales

Name of Sale: Mideast Classic

Date: June 30, 2018

By participating in this sale, I agree to abide by all the rules regarding the sale. It is understood that Auction Effertz, Ltd. will be doing the sale accounting for this sale and will be collecting all the sale proceeds. We understand that sale proceeds will be disbursed within a 45 day period. We are also aware that any claims against them must be filed, in writing, within 45 days of the transaction to which the claim is based. Compliance with these Packers and Stockyard Act and Regulations will be beneficial to everyone, as we bring buyer and seller together. Sale proceeds will not be disbursed until the registration paper on my consignment is in the hands of the sale manager.

I also understand that all consignments will be charged a uniform sales commission of 14% to cover shared expenses from all consignors. I agree that commission will be charged on any floor prices or reserve bids at the final price at which the lot goes out of the sale ring, either sold or unsold, and agree to pay sale expense on that final price.

Signed

Print Name

Ranch Name

Date

Please sign and return to our office with your sale entry forms.