

2017 DTBA Black Hills Buffalo Classic Entry Form

February 3 - February 5, 2017

Central States Fairgrounds, Rapid City, SD

Sale: Sunday, February 5 • 10:00 a.m. • Bridger Steel Pavilion

For more information or if you have any questions, please contact Karen Conley (605) 381-3738 or info@dakotabuffalo.com

Ranch _____

Owner _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

The Cutting Edge Bull & Heifer Carcass Contest

Live Animals Delivered to Western Buffalo Company on Tues., January 10, 2017

Two entries per consignor in each class, up to a total of 20 head, unless additional space is available. No health papers are needed. All entries will be mouthed when they arrive at Western Buffalo Company on the slaughter date. **Only bulls with all their baby teeth will be accepted and heifers can not have more than two permanent teeth.**

The minimum weight for bull carcasses is 525 pounds. The minimum weight for heifer carcasses is 425 pounds. Carcasses not meeting the minimum weight will be disqualified and there will be no entry fee refund.

Western Buffalo Company has agreed to purchase carcasses at an approximate price of \$5.00 for bulls and \$4.90 for heifers or the consignor may pay the processing fee and take the meat home. All other terms and conditions relating to the carcasses will still apply to those that are disqualified from the contest.

SDSU and a State Inspector will be on hand to oversee contest. All cuts will be trimmed to 1/4" fat cover and the ground will be tested for fat content and a sliding scale for value of product will be used.

All buffalo will be boxed separately and frozen. Cut test sheets on each carcass will be developed showing how the cuts or group of cuts affect the bottom line. The winner will be the buffalo that yields the most percentage of profit.

The ribeye from ALL carcass class entries will be used as the main entree at the DTBA Awards Banquet. If you want the meat back from your animals, the ribeye area will not be included. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS!

Class	No. of Head	Entry Fee	Total
Carcass Bulls	_____	x \$50=	_____
Carcass Heifers	_____	x \$50=	_____

- I would like to Western Buffalo Company to purchase my carcass at the prices listed above.
- I want the meat back from my carcass entry and agree to pay the processing fees to Western Buffalo Company.

Young Guns and Girlz Gone Wild entry information on the reverse side of this form. Consignor signature required for all entries.

Young Guns Yearling Bull & Girlz Gone Wild Heifer Challenges

Commission Fee - 9% when entries are sold at the following year's auction. There will be a limit of 3 entries per consignor for Girlz Gone Wild and 6 entries per consignor for Young Guns. **Consignments will be taken on a first come, first serve basis based upon postmark of entry forms. Deadline to postmark entries is January 21, 2017. Payment in full must accompany the entry form or it will be nullified. No phone or email entries accepted.**

Entry limits will be designated by each host ranch and in the case of too many entries in a class, each consignor (based on entry form postmark – latest to earliest) will be asked to drop one animal until there is room for all interested consignors to have at least one animal entered per class. Refunds on entry fees will be given to those consignors that are asked to scale back their entries based on class size.

Class	No. of Head	Entry Fee	Total
Young Guns Yearling Bull Challenge (2016 bull calves)	_____	x \$1,100 =	_____
Girlz Gone Wild Heifer Challenge (2015 yearling heifers)	_____	x \$950 =	_____

DELIVERY DATES FOR YOUNG GUNS CALVES: Host Ranch - Rafter K Bar - Larry Carr, Prairie City, SD
 Bull calves for the Young Guns class may be delivered to the show and sale grounds during entry times for the Black Hills Buffalo Classic show and sale as noted in the terms and conditions. We have also made arrangements with several ranches that will act as a holding facility for entries and transportation to the host ranch will be provided from those locations. **Any animals that do not have health papers or meet all the health requirements will not be unloaded at the host ranch and will forfeit their entry fee and spot in the class. A copy of all health papers will be provided to the DTBA office by the host ranch or the consignor. Delivery window is from February 2 to February 20, 2017. No animals will be accepted at the host ranch past the February 20 deadline.**

DELIVERY DATES FOR GIRLZ GONE WILD HEIFERS: Host Ranch - Heartland Bison Ranch - Kevin Leier, Rugby, ND
 Yearling heifers for the Girlz Gone Wild class may be delivered to the show and sale grounds during entry times for the Black Hills Buffalo Classic show and sale as noted in the terms and conditions. We have also made arrangements with several ranches that will act as a holding facility for entries and transportation to the host ranch will be provided from those locations. **Any animals that do not have health papers or meet all the health requirements will not be unloaded at the host ranch and will forfeit their entry fee and spot in the class. A copy of all health papers will be provided to the DTBA office by the host ranch or the consignor. Delivery window is from February 2 to February 20, 2017. No animals will be accepted at the host ranch past the February 20 deadline.**

Holding facilities for both classes will include:
 Cold Creek Buffalo Company, Cheyenne, WY (entries accepted between January 23 and February 1 only)
 Slim Buttes Buffalo Ranch, Buffalo, SD (host ranch and consignor will work with them to coordinate drop off dates)

- I will deliver Young Guns and/or Girlz Gone Wild entries during the BHBC entry times, Feb. 3 and Feb. 4, 2017.
- I will work with the DTBA/host ranch to coordinate delivery of my entries to the host ranch by February 20, 2017.

Total of all entry fees on both sides of form. Include full payment. \$ _____

All entry fees includes pen and feed. All entry fees are non-refundable. Must be a current member to consign.
All entry fees are non-refundable and non-negotiable. The consignor assumes all responsibilities in regard to the health requirements and terms and conditions of this show and sale as outlined. **The Dakota Territory Buffalo Association acts only as an agent and will assume NO responsibility in the event of injury or death to any animal or for any discrepancy between the buyer and the consignor. Any death loss incurred at any time during the course of Young Guns or Girlz Gone Wild performance-based classes is at the consignor's own risk and no compensation will be given for any reason.** Consignor agrees to indemnify and hold the Dakota Territory Buffalo Association, the host ranches and its officers, members, directors, employees or agents, harmless from and against any lawsuits, claims, action or causes of action, arising out of, or in connection with, any errors or omissions of Consignor, its agents, representatives or employees, with respect to Consignor's duties and responsibilities set forth in this Agreement. This obligation by Consignor includes, but is not limited to, the cost of defense, payment of any judgments and payment of any expenses and for attorney's fees and other costs which may be incurred.

I have read the terms and conditions included with this entry form and agree to abide by them.

Signature of Consignor Required

Date

Make checks payable to: Dakota Territory Buffalo Association or DTBA
Mail completed entry forms and payment to:

Dakota Territory Buffalo Association • PO Box 4104 • Rapid City, SD 57709
Entry form and payment in full must be postmarked by January 21, 2017