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WTBOA Stallion Season Auction December 15-22, 2023

Announcing **INCREASED INCENTIVES**

for the WTBOA Stallion Season Auction Awards Program!

- ❖ **\$5,000 Tier 1 Stallion Season Auction Bonuses** – Those stallions achieving the top eight (8) highest-selling seasons will be automatically entered into the Tier 1 Drawing. The winning stallion drawn will receive a bonus in the amount of 50% of the final season bid amount up to a maximum of \$5,000.
- ❖ **\$1,000 Tier 2 Stallion Season Auction Bonuses** – All other stallions whose seasons sell will be automatically entered into the Tier 2 Drawing. The winning stallion will earn a bonus in the amount of 50% of the final season-bid amount up to a maximum of \$1,000.
 - Both drawings will be held on the evening of the Washington Annual Awards Banquet, tentatively scheduled for Saturday, February 24, 2024.
 - All Tier 1 stallions, including the names of the farms where they stand, will be featured in the Awards Banquet program, in the Champions issue of *Washington Thoroughbred* magazine, and in all promotional information for the following year's Stallion Season Auction.
 - Bonus amounts will be paid to the stallion owner.
 - Final bid amounts will *not* be made public.

Top 8 Selling Stallions for 2023

Army Mule, by Freisian Fire Hill 'n' Dale Farm, Paris, KY	Drain the Clock, by Maclean's Music Gainesway, Lexington, KY
Dialed In, by Mineshaft Darby Dan Farm, Lexington, KY	Mo Forza, by Uncle Mo Rancho San Migeul, San Miguel, CA
Sir Prancelot, by Tamayuz Rancho San Miguel, San Miguel, CA	Conveyance, by Indian Charlie Blue Ribbon Farm, Buckley, WA
Catalina Cruiser, by Union Rags Lane's End, Versailles, KY	Lexitonian, by Speightstown Lane's End, Versailles, KY

*Your stallion could be among the **TOP 8** eligible for an **INCREASED BONUS** of up to **\$5,000!!***

- ❖ **Three-year-old Race Supplements (Two Divisions)** – All progeny of stallions whose seasons for the 2023 breeding season sold during the online auction will be eligible to run for a bonus of **\$5,000 or greater** in each of **TWO three-year-old stakes** to be run at Emerald Downs in 2027. It is anticipated that similar bonus



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amounts will be available for all progeny of stallions whose seasons for the 2024 season *sell* during the online auction. The bonus(es) will be paid to the winning owner(s) of the eligible horse(s).

- ❖ The Stallion Season Auction will again be hosted online at **Thoroughbred.com**.
- ❖ The dates for this year's online auction are **December 15-22**.
- ❖ We are thrilled to report that last year's auction results once again eclipsed all previous auctions!
- ❖ A complete list of donated stallion seasons, along with the specific information pertaining to your stallion(s), will be promoted online to a *nationwide audience*.
- ❖ All Stallion Season Auction information, as well as the stallion listings, will also be promoted on the WTBOA website at washingtonthoroughbred.com, as well as in our e-newsletter and on social media.
- ❖ Donations are not split with the season donor and/or stallion owner. Only 100% donated seasons accepted.
- ❖ Stallion owners/managers reserve the right to accept only Thoroughbred broodmares that are clean and sound for breeding. Under no circumstances shall a live foal be guaranteed. However, you do have the option of offering a return.
- ❖ The name(s) and address(es) of any successful bidder(s) on your 2024 stallion season(s) will be supplied to you after the auction. It is the responsibility of the stallion owner to supply a contract to the purchaser of the season after being notified of payment.
- ❖ Final bid amounts will *not* be announced or published.
- ❖ Any season that does not receive a bid by the initial online closing date will be offered in secondary auction(s) that will take place during the week to 10 days (up to one month) following the featured auction dates.
- ❖ Stallion owners have the option to buy their stallion season back at the minimum bid, if it does not sell, to make all of said stallion's foals eligible for the aforementioned three-year-old stakes bonuses.

If you have any questions please feel free to call the WTBOA offices at (253) 288-7878.

Remember, the sooner you send your donation form back, the sooner the free advertising for your stallion(s) and farm will appear nationally, as well as on our website, e-newsletter, and in mailers and our various other publications.

We appreciate the support of people like you, who strongly believe in the Thoroughbred industry throughout the Pacific Northwest and beyond.

The WTBOA appreciates your participation in making this one of the strongest seasons yet!

Sincerely,
The Board and Staff of the WTBOA