

Western Breeders Association Bull Test and Sale

Consignor Timeline & Expectations 2023-2024

Pre Entry to Sale Date

	<u>Pre-Entry Forms Sent out- Due No Later than 8/20/23</u>
8/30/23	<u>WEAN CALVES AT LEAST 45 days prior to delivery REQUIRED</u> Place on Mineral Program and Tread for Coccidiosis
9/15/23	<u>BOOSTER VACCINATION 4 weeks prior to delivery)</u> Complete test for genetic defects and parentage verification. Bring results with you on Intake Day
9/17/23	<u>FINAL ENTRY DEADLINE</u> DO NOT MISS DEADLINE ~ FULL PAYMENT REQUIRED All entry forms must be <u>fully completed</u> - NO EXCEPTIONS BVD negative test information due
10/1/23	<u>PREPARE ALL REQUIRED PAPERWORK TO BRING WITH YOU ON INTAKE DAY!</u> HARD COPY REGISTRATION PAPERS-SIGNED BVD NEGATIVE TEST HARD COPY PARENTAGE VERIFICATION & GENETIC DEFECT FREE VERIFICATION
10/13/23	<u>DELIVERY OF BULLS TO TEST FACILITY</u> Bulls will not be accepted unless all conditions of acceptance have been met. Delivery weight of bulls must be at least 650 pounds . Washington Bulls need a C.O.P. (Certificate of Permit or Haul Slip). All out of state bulls need health certificates and brand inspection papers on intake day. <u>ALL REQUIRED PAPERWORK IS DUE AT DELIVERY</u> A BRAND INSPECTION IS REQ. BEFORE ANY BULL CAN BE REMOVED FROM THE BULL TEST SITE. OUT OF STATE CONSIGNORS IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ARRANGING INSPECTION AND FEES. ** Two week warm-up period, prior to on-test weights
10/27/23	<u>ON TEST WEIGHTS</u>
11/1/23	<u>205 DAY WEIGHTS DUE TO BREED ASSOCIATIONS</u> Correction of information or missing information is Due. HARD DEADLINE!!!
12/26/23	<u>60-DAY MID TEST WEIGHTS & LICE TREATMENTS</u>

12/27/23	<u>FOOTNOTES/COMMENTS FOR SALE CATALOG DUE</u> Provide these to Sales Coordinator- Brittany Tyler HARD DEADLINE!!
1/6/24	<u>ALL ADVERTISEMENTS, CORRECTIONS, CHANGES OR ADDITIONS TO SALE CATALOG DUE</u> Provide to Brittany Tyler- Sales Coordinator DROP DEAD DEADLINE
2/4/24	<u>ULTRASOUND (TENTATIVE)</u>
2/9 & 2/10/24	<u>SEMEN TESTING (TENTATIVE)</u>
2/24/24	<u>120 DAY OFF TEST WEIGHTS</u>
Late February	<u>TBD- VIDEO TAPING OF BULLS AFTER CLIPPING</u>
2/27-3/3/24	<u>CLIPPING (TENTATIVE)</u>
3/1/24	<u>SEMEN RETEST (TENTATIVE)</u> & <u>FINAL SIFTING OF BULLS</u>
3/12/24	<u>HAUL BULLS TO BONINIA FACILITY</u>
3/13/24	<u>SALE DAY!!!</u> <u>MANDATORY CONSIGNORS MEETING AT 9:00AM</u> <u>BULL SALE BEGINS AT 12:30PM</u>

You will be required to provide documents of vaccination protocol, additionally we can not stress enough the importance of weaning your bull calves at least 45 days prior to delivery to the feedlot. Calves properly vaccinated and timely weaned have a much greater probability of staying healthy during the test period.

All consignors will NEED to bring trailers to the sale! You are responsible for the transportation of your own no sale bulls and, if at all possible, assist with deliveries of sold bulls.

Any No Sales bulls not removed from the sales facility will be assessed a non removal fee paid to the WBA of 75.00 per bull in addition to a daily feed charge to be paid by you directly to bonina.

Consignors with bulls requiring treatment with medications while on the test will be informed and sent an outlying invoice to be paid directly to the WBA at the end of each applicable month.

