

# ANDRC Top of the Class Auction

We understand that bidders might be unable to attend and would still like to participate in the Auction, so the ANDRC has implemented an Absentee Bid Policy. We will be happy to execute Absentee Bids as a courtesy to those bidders unable to attend in person.

## **Absentee Bidding will take place as follows:**

1. In order to place an Absentee Bid, you must completely fill out the printable absentee form.
2. In the event that we receive two identical Absentee Bids on the same animal, we will execute the first bid that was received and the second bid of the same amount will be voided. Therefore it is to your advantage to submit your Absentee Bids as early as possible.
3. All bidding will start on the floor. In the rare event that there is no opening bid from the floor, we will open the bidding with a \$50 bid from the Absentee Bidder.
4. We will execute your bid in your absence up to your stated maximum. As a result, you may be able to purchase an animal for less than your stated maximum bid. You also may not win the animal for your maximum amount specified due to the inability to know where the bidding will end.
5. Under no circumstances will we bid higher for you than the maximum authorized amount.
6. Maximum bids will remain confidential.
7. Absentee Bidders agree to and authorize payments to be made via credit card upon the close of the Auction.
8. Absentee Bids will be accepted until the time and date set forth by the Auction Committee, as published on the ANDRC website. Any bids sent after this time will be voided.
9. The ANDRC, and the Auction Committee, will not be held responsible for any errors in the Absentee Bidding process.