



2016  
**EGYPTIAN BREEDERS' CHALLENGE**  
STALLION BREEDING AUCTION

## ABSENTEE, PHONE & AUTHORIZED AGENT BIDDING

As a convenience for all bidders, The Pyramid Society offers several options for bidders to participate in the auction without being present. For your reference, EBC stallions enrolled by May 15<sup>th</sup> are featured on our website at: <http://pyramidsociety.org/egyptian-event/egyptian-breeders-challenge>

### ABSENTEE BIDDING OPTIONS:

I am registering as a (**CHOOSE ONE** and COMPLETE THE CORRESPONDING SECTION BELOW):

☐ (1) Telephone Bidder OR ☐ (2) Absentee Bidder OR ☐ (3) Authorized Agent Bidder

**\*\*\*Absentee Bids and Bidder Agent Authorization Forms must be submitted prior to bidding. Phone Bid Registrations must be submitted, received and acknowledged by The Pyramid Society by June 3rd, 2016\*\*\***

### GENERAL GUIDELINES

- Onsite bidders do NOT need to complete this information, and may register at The Pyramid Society booth upon arrival at the Egyptian Event.
- All bidders are required to read the stallion's breeding contract (available upon request) and EBC Guidelines prior to bidding, and agree to honor these agreements.
- Absentee Bids and Bidder Agent Authorization Forms must be submitted prior to bidding. Phone Bid Registrations must be submitted, received and acknowledged by The Pyramid Society by **June 3rd, 2016**.
- If successful in purchasing a breeding, the bidder's credit card will be charged in accordance with the EBC Guidelines and the bidder will be notified within one week of the auction.

### DISCLAIMER

- Bidders acknowledge that all absentee and phone bids are accepted on the express condition that the bidder will not have any claim against The Pyramid Society, its employees, agents or the auctioneer for any reason. The Pyramid Society is not responsible for any errors, omissions, computer failures, electrical outages or phone reception interruption, acts of God or other conditions that might affect the bids and bidding process.

### (1) TELEPHONE BIDDING

- Please **USE THE CHART BELOW** to indicate the stallion breedings on which you wish to bid. (\*Maximum bid amounts are not required for telephone bidders.)
- A representative of The Pyramid Society will call you in advance of the auction to confirm your interest and other specifics.  
**INDICATE THE PHONE NUMBER YOU WISH TO USE FOR BIDDING:** \_\_\_\_\_.

### (2) ABSENTEE BIDDING

- Please **USE THE CHART BELOW** to indicate the stallion breedings you wish to bid on, as well as the maximum bid allowed for each.
- Bids are made in competition with other bidders, on an alternating basis, in increments set by the auctioneer, as though the bidder is present.
- The bidder's purchase will be obtained at the lowest bid possible.
- Absentee bids remain confidential prior to the breeding being sold.
- In the event of a tied bid, the bidder has the option of adding a (+) sign beside the bid price below. This will authorize The Pyramid Society to increase the bid by one increment, one time only.

	NAME OF STALLION	MAXIMUM BID AMOUNT (not required for phone bidders)
1		
2		
3		

### (3) AUTHORIZED AGENT BIDDING

- I have this day appointed the bidding agent named below to act for me as my agent at the 2016 Egyptian Breeders' Challenge Stallion Breeding Auction to be held on June 11th, 2016 at the Egyptian Event in Lexington, Kentucky.
- Said bidding agent shall have full power and authority to act for me in all matters in connection with the auction, and is authorized to execute any and all documents in connection therewith: to disburse any and all funds and to do all things incidental to and in furtherance of the purchase of EBC breedings.
- Bidding agents must check in at the EBC Auction area to receive a bidder number prior to bidding in the auction.
- An agent's authorization is revocable only by written notice from the bidder.

BIDDING AGENT	
AGENT'S NAME:	
MOBILE PH:	EMAIL

### **ALL BIDDERS MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING REGISTRATION FORM**

**AGREEMENT:** *I have read the 2016 EBC Auction Guidelines and Stallion Breeding contracts and agree to abide by the provisions outlined in these documents should I be the successful bidder on any breeding auctioned through the EBC Auction.*

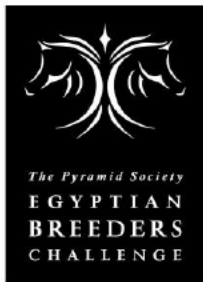
BIDDER'S NAME	
ADDRESS	
CITY	STATE/ZIP/COUNTRY
DAYTIME PHONE	MOBILE PHONE
EMAIL	
VISA/MC/AMEX #: <small>(A 3% PROCESSING FEE IS APPLIED TO ALL CREDIT CARD CHARGES)</small>	
EXP DATE:	V-CODE
SIGNATURE:	DATE:

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To review the EBC Stallions, visit: <http://pyramidsociety.org/egyptian-event/egyptian-breeders-challenge>

<b>OFFICE USE ONLY:</b>
BIDDER #: _____



## THE PYRAMID SOCIETY'S 2016 EGYPTIAN BREEDERS' CHALLENGE

### PROGRAM GUIDELINES

Straight Egyptian stallion owners, who are current Premium or Life Members of The Pyramid Society in good standing, may donate up to two breedings per stallion to each annual Egyptian Breeders' Challenge (EBC) Auction. Each breeding sold entitles both the stallion owner and the purchaser to nominate a resulting foal into the EBC program.

### **BIDDING & AUCTION**

All bidders are required to register and sign a Bidder Contract to receive a bidder number. Starting bids will be 1/2 the stud fee or \$1,000.00, whichever is greater and advanced in \$100.00 increments. All successful bidders are required to sign a Purchase Agreement and agree to authorize payment to their credit card for a minimum of 1/3 of the final purchase price at the close of bids, 1/3 on August 1 and the final 1/3 on November 1. If payment is to be made by check, it must be received by due date or the credit card on record will be charged. All past due balances are subject to a 1.5 accrued interest rate. Breedings must be paid for in full by December 1 or breeding rights and all monies paid will be forfeited. Membership rights may additionally be suspended.

**Silent Auction** - Will be begin on Tuesday of the Event and close at the start of the first EBC class.

**Live Auction** - All breedings receiving a minimum starting bid amount by the close of the silent auction will advance to the Live Auction.

**After Auction** - All breedings not sold at the Live Auction will be available for silent bidding Saturday until 7:00 pm and available on the TPS website (at owner/lessee request) until November 15.

Registered bidders only are eligible to participate in the Silent and Live Auction. All bids are for the stud fee only. Additional fees related to the booking, transported semen, collection, handling fees, etc. are the responsibility of the mare owner.

### ***Bonus Breedings***

Stallion owners may donate up to two breedings to their stallion. The Bonus Breeding will be announced after the first breeding has sold. The winning bidder will have the first right of refusal at the sale price of the first breeding. If they decline, the runner-up bidder will have the second right of refusal at the sale price of the first breeding. If they decline, it will be opened up for additional bids starting at first breeding sale price. If the first or second breeding does not sell then the owner/lessee will only be responsible for the first breeding.

### **BREEDING & RESULTING FOAL**

Owners of mares must maintain Premium or Life Membership to participate in the EBC Program. Broodmares must be purebred Arabians. The EBC Breeding must be achieved within two years of the auction year or the eligibility expires. Future non-eligible breeding rights are defined within the stallion owner's Breeding Contract. Foals resulting from EBC breedings to Straight Egyptian mares must be nominated into The Pyramid Society "Futurity Program" and designated as "EBC" by December 31st, of the mare's breeding year and sustained the following year to retain eligibility. Non-Straight mares are required to pay a mare nomination fee of \$250 of the mare's breeding year. Embryo/Oocyte transfer is allowed but requires ET Transfer Permit to be submitted by December 31st with Futurity Nomination and Foaling Declaration Form must be submitted within 7 days of foaling. (See Futurity guidelines for complete details.)

## **BREEDING TRANSFER POLICY**

An EBC Breeding or nominated foal ownership may be transferred upon written request to The Pyramid Society and submittal of Transfer Form signed by both parties for The Pyramid Society signed approval. The buyer is required to have Premium or Life Membership to retain EBC breeding/foal eligibility. If the breeding is not paid in full, the balance due must be remitted with the Transfer Form.

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

Should the EBC breeding not be achievable due to the stallion's incapacitation, injury, death, sale, lease, fertility issues, breach of contract or exportation, and the stallion owner is unable to satisfy the breeding obligation, the purchaser may request a credit, for the purchase price only, toward a future EBC auction breeding. Credit requests must be submitted to The Pyramid Society in writing with pertinent documentation for written approval and may result in forfeiture of the stallion owner's EBC breeding/foal eligibility. Stallion owner breeding rights which have been sold/transferred to a new owner are not eligible for credit requests, as no funds have been contributed to The Pyramid Society for this particular breeding. Both the stallion and mare owner are responsible for honoring the agreement as outlined in the Breeding Contract, Enrollment Forms and EBC Guidelines. The terms contained within The Stallion Nomination Form, Bidder Contract and Purchase Agreement are binding agreements to The Pyramid Society EBC Program. Any breach of the EBC Program that is not satisfactory resolved by the EBC Committee may be submitted to The Pyramid Society Executive Committee for resolution within 30 days of submittal date.