

Sale Entry And Inspection Checklist



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To assist with the entry and inspection requirements at Premier Collective Sales, please use our handy checklist!

Premier Collective Sales:

Brecon – May & November

Carlisle – February, May, October & December

Stirling – February & October

Requirements for Club, Breeders' and other sale types differ, so please check with the Society office or Auctioneer if in any doubt.

All sale rules can be found in the BLCS Byelaws, available here - <https://bit.ly/2GmF8R8> - or from the Society office.

Premier Collective Sale Checklist

Prior to the Sale



1. DNA test bulls – minimum 12 weeks prior recommended	
2. Check sale closing date	
3. Enter online www.taurusdata.co.uk	
4. Treat warts, ringworm, mange & lice – 1 month prior. Obtain vet cert/letter.	
5. Check Johnes testing up to date	
6. Check BVD testing up to date	
7. Check correct ear tags present and legible	
8. Check passport and pedigree certificate information correspond	
9. Ensure performance recording weights submitted on to file	
10. Check bulls meet minimum scrotal size requirements and other physical standards (see para 13 below)	
11. Contact CHecs provider if you wish a health scheme pen card	
12. Download the Limsale app	

At the Sale



13. Bring test providers semen test certificate/letter to display in pen	
14. Bring vets letters regarding treated warts/ringworm	
15. Bring health scheme pen card	
16. Bring animal passports	

Notes to this checklist

Please refer to the Society Byelaws for full details

1. SIRE VERIFICATION/MYOSTATIN

All animals sold at Premier Collective Bull Sales must be sire verified AND myostatin tested at the time of the sale inspection. As soon as you have bulls selected for sale please arrange to have them tested if this has not already been done. Login to www.taurusdata.co.uk and select 'Place My Order' on 'My Page'. Failure to have sire verification or myostatin results at the time of the pre-sale inspection will result in bulls being withdrawn. Please leave as much time as possible to allow for issues with sample quality (testing at least 12 weeks in advance is recommended)

2. CLOSING DATES

Check closing dates for entries – these can be found on the Society website here: <http://limousin.co.uk/shows-events/and> auctioneer websites.

Late entries cannot be accepted

3. SALE ENTRIES

Please enter sales online wherever possible. Login to www.taurusdata.co.uk and select 'Enter a Sale' on 'My Page'. Animal details are checked on point of entry and the system will highlight any issues with your entry right away. Additionally, your herd health information is required at this point enabling the Society to ensure information is presented correctly in the catalogue on your behalf.

4. HERD HEALTH – WARTS, RINGWORM & PARASITES

At least a month before the sale, please have any warts and/or ringworm appropriately treated by your vet. A certificate/letter from the vet will be required at the inspection. Mange and lice should also be treated.

5. HERD HEALTH - JOHNES

Ensure all your herd health information is up to date. Herds are required to have an annual whole herd test for Johnes through a CHeCS scheme - Only herds with Johnes risk level 1-4 may sell at a Premier Collective Sale. Make sure there are no paperwork or repeat samples outstanding.

6. HERD HEALTH - BVD

Your herd must be either BVD accredited or the sale animal must be BVD tested virus free. All animals forward to be BVD vaccinated prior to sale (with an approved vaccine). Please check the requirements for pregnant animals, calves at foot and animals to be sold at the Premier Collective Weaned Calf Sale in December in paragraph 14.4.4 of the Byelaws here: <https://bit.ly/2GmF8R8>

7. EARTAGS

Ensure eartags are legible and meet the required legislation

8. DOCUMENTATION

Check your passport (or equivalent document) and pedigree certificate have corresponding information. Ensure any required veterinary paperwork is taken to sale

9. PERFORMANCE RECORDING HERDS

To ensure latest EBV information is included in the catalogue and pen cards are supplied ensure your animals have been weighed and the weights submitted to the performance recording scheme - login to www.taurusdata.co.uk, 'Enter New Performance Records' on 'My Page'

10. SCROTAL SIZE

Check bulls meet the minimum criteria required at the pre-sale inspection:

32cm - Under 18 months

33cm - 18 to 19 months inclusive

34cm - 20 months and over

Notes on measuring scrotal size correctly can be found here: <https://bit.ly/2F95Vi8>

11. HEALTH INFORMATION

If you wish to display your CHeCS health information in your pen at the sale, please contact your scheme provider. Your herd health information declared at the time of entry will be printed in the Vendor's Index in the sale catalogue.

12. LIMSALE APP

Download our fantastic app to view the sale catalogue, check out the competition and shortlist your next purchases. Search for 'Limsale' in your app store.

At the Sale

13. INSPECTIONS

Vets/Society representatives will inspect eyes, teeth, testicles/udders, locomotion, breed standard, temperament and evidence of injury/disease and will pass/fail animals accordingly (see Society byelaw 14 for full details - <https://bit.ly/2GmF8R8>) Bulls are weighed at the time of inspection, but a minimum qualifying weight is no longer applied. If animals are to be advertised as semen tested at the sale, a copy of the semen test certificate or letter from the test provider is to be displayed in the pen.

14. WARTS, RINGWORM & PARASITES

Animals with active warts or ringworm must be treated by the member's veterinary surgeon at least a month before the sale, and a vet's certificate/letter should be available for inspection at the Sale.

The Society vet will reject animals with warts around the genitalia, or in areas where there is a high risk that they will transmit infection to other animals in the buyers' herd. All suspected cases of mange and lice should also be treated.

REMINDERS

Where there is a pre-sale show, animals are required to be presented. The Society reserves the right to exclude any unshown animal from the sale.

Rejected animals will have their lot number tickets sprayed red and these are to remain in place until conclusion of the sale.

FOR INFO:

Premier Collective Sales are conducted in conjunction with the following auctioneers:

Carlisle: Harrison and Hetherington

Telephone: 01228 406230
www.harrisonandhetherington.co.uk

Stirling: United Auctions

Telephone: 01786 473055
www.uagroup.co.uk

Brecon: McCartneys

Telephone: 01874 622386
www.mccartneys.co.uk

For more information contact our office on

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