

Monte Vista Livestock Auction's
Horses in the High Country
Catalog Horse Sale
Terms & Conditions
For Consignors

Monte Vista Livestock Auction
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Horses in the High Country Catalog Sale

3rd weekend in May and September

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Friday, May 16th, 2025 (Ranch Rodeo/Preview Day)

Horses can be checked in at any point after 9am on Friday. The arena, wash bays, and pens will be open. We strongly recommend you have your horses at the barn on Friday by 4pm so potential buyers can view your horse. If you have a ranch horse entered in the sale, consider participating in the Ranch Rodeo as a way to demonstrate your horse's abilities to potential buyers. Entry fee will be covered by the barn for any competitor riding a catalog horse. There will be a cash prize for "Top Catalog Horse" that will be given to the best performing cataloged horse that is used in the Ranch Rodeo.

Time

5:00pm	Ranch Rodeo and BBQ/Live Music	Arena
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*Individuals may sell their own tack via their own means outside throughout the weekend. There will be no tack auction.

Saturday, May 17th, 2025 (Sale Day)

ALL HORSES MUST BE CHECKED IN by 9:30am on Sale Day or they will not be sold. We STRONGLY encourage you to demo your horse during demonstration time.

Time	Event	Location
9:30am	Check In Deadline	Office
10:00am	Demonstrations	Arena
1:00pm	HORSE SALE STARTS	Ring

REQUIRED PAPERWORK FOR ALL CONSIGNORS

All required paperwork must be submitted to the office to check-in. **Hip numbers will not be given until the appropriate paperwork is received.** Please call the barn at 719-852-9500 with any questions regarding paperwork.

-Proof of ownership- *please make sure you have the correct brand inspection paperwork if you live in a brand state outside of Colorado.*

-Current Coggins (within 1 year)

-Health Certificate (Out of State)

Registered and Grade Horses

Horses will only be sold as registered if the original registration papers and a current transfer are given to the office at check in. If original registration papers are not submitted to the office when checking the horse in, it will be sold as GRADE.

Bred Horses

If you are selling a mare as guaranteed bred, you will need to supply a certificate or preg check from a licensed veterinarian within the last 30 days. This certificate must be given to the office when checking the horse in. If selling a horse with a registration application, you will need to supply a fully completed application along with a transfer from the owner of dam at time of foaling.

Company Rider

If you choose to have a company rider to ride your horse through the sale, it is \$100 per horse and will be charged through the office. Please make sure to let the office know at check in.

Soundness Guarantee

Consignor agrees that the horse is sound unless otherwise disclosed in the ring.

Soundness will be defined as: Horse travels at all gaits with no visible sign of discomfort or distress, with no audible hindrance in breathing and gives indications of seeing out of both eyes. All questions of soundness will be decided by John Malouff.

All horses are subject to having blood drawn for random drug test.

All horses must ride, drive, or lead in. No loose horses

Commission and Fees

Commission is 10% of the selling price.

NO SALES and PASS OUTS

Consignor has the privilege to No Sale a cataloged horse when the gavel falls. All No Sales MUST be declared IN THE RING. Once the horse has left the ring, the horse is considered sold unless verbally declared a NO SALE in the ring.

CONSIGNOR AGREES TO NOT PRIVATELY SELL OR WITHDRAW CONSIGNED HORSE(S) unless injured/sick with vet release. Our catalog horse sales are heavily advertised and buyers travel for the opportunity to buy advertised horses. Therefore, all consignments MUST go through the sale ring. NO ALLEY TRADING IS ALLOWED. If you are still on MVLA property and you are approached after the sale by a buyer, you must contact the main office to change from a No Sale to a sale. This allows for proper LEGAL paperwork. This is a binding contract. You are consigning your horse to sell at the MVLA HORSE SALE and horses are advertised and expected to sell AT THE MVLA HORSE SALE.

No substitutions allowed.

MVLA & its associates act as agents only and are not responsible for buyer/seller error or misunderstanding. All guarantees are strictly between the buyer and seller.

All risk of injury to, and responsibility for, the horse becomes Buyer's risk at the fall of the hammer. Title passes to Buyer upon completion of payment. Buyer and seller agree to release, defend, indemnify and hold owners, managers, and employees harmless from all losses, expenses, and claims related to the possession, care, custody, control or maintenance after the fall of the hammer of any horse on which he or she is the successful bidder, whether resulting in whole or in part from their own negligence, including but not limited to any claims arising out of injuries or damage caused by the horse after the fall of the hammer.

Consignment Process and Materials

Catalog submission deadline is the 1st of the sale month. (May 1st or September 1st)
Consignment fee is \$100 per horse and is due at time of consignment via cash, check, or credit card. To secure your spot in the catalog please ensure you provide your email with information and payment ahead of the deadline. If payment is received but no write up information is provided, your spot in the catalog will be marked “no information provided”. Any horses submitted after the deadline will be subject to review and approval. Horses will be sold in numerical/catalog order.

All consignments must be emailed to: sales@mvlauktion.com

Email Format to Consign Horses

ONE EMAIL PER HORSE- you can reply to the same email string if you have multiple horses.

Email: sales@mvlauktion.com

Subject Line: Name of Consignor, Name of Horse

Details: Please make sure to include the following information:

Horse Info: horse name, if horse will be selling registered/grade, gender, age, color, height etc.

Please attach a scan/picture of pedigree if selling as registered.

Consignor Info: Consignor Name, Phone Number

Please include photos and videos as **attachments**.

PHOTOS: Consignors can submit up to 5 photos per horse. All photos must be in jpg or png format.

VIDEOS: 1 video upload permitted. For consignments, you can submit a YouTube link for placement within the catalog and on the MVLA Horse Sale page on our website. A youtube link is our recommended method of displaying videos but you can send a video file. You may do either **one youtube link or one video file per horse** and we will play it when you go into the ring. MVLA and its associates are not responsible for videos not working. We do our best but technology is not always reliable. MVLA & its associates ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE for photos, videos, and/or additional horse information sent to outside sources such as but not limited to: cell phones of any MVLA employees & its associates and/or email addresses outside of sales@mvlauktion.com. This is a binding contract. Upon submission of any/all consignment contracts and check in, the consignor agrees to abide by all terms and conditions disclosed in these terms and conditions as well as information included in/on the consignment contract and website.

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