

HELD IN CONJUCTION WITH WCHA BREEDER'S CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW – FORT WORTH, TX SEPTEMBER 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> - 2025

## **WEANLING & YEARLING ENTRY FORM**

Horse's Name:		Horse's Birthdate:					
Sire:	Breed Regis	Breed Registration #'s:					
<b>Breed: (Circle All That Apply To Thi</b>	s Horse: AQHA– APHA–ApH0	C–ABRA–PHBA–ARHA)					
<b>Breeder: (Owner Of Dam At Time S</b>	She Was Bred)						
Owner:	Tax Id/SS#:Star		(Must Provide)				
Address:	City:	State:	Zip:				
Youth Competito	ors Can Compete As Non P	ro's, But Not In Stallion Classes	5				
Email Of Contact Person:		Phone:					
Exhibitor:							
Weanling Colts Born Jan 1	(Foals Born March 5 <sup>th</sup> an L <sup>st</sup> to March 4 <sup>th</sup> – <i>This Age</i>	d after - Stallions/Geldings ( Group Will Be Split In Half By N	•				
Weanling Fillies Born Jan NEW: YEA	RLING MARES Will Be Split	Group Will Be Split In Half By Into Junior & Senior Divisions  Junior Yearling Mares (Born	!!!				
Yearling Stallions	•	Yearling Gelding	c				
*Color Division Within Each Class							
Entry Fees for Big Money Non-Pi	o Classes :	Entry Fees For Color Divis	ion Within Class				
If paid on or before June 1 <sup>st</sup> = \$	400	If paid by June 1 <sup>st</sup> = \$:	150				
If paid on or before July 1st = \$	450		200				
	500		250				
If paid on or before Aug $1^{st} = $ \$		ii paia by Aug =					
If paid on or before Aug 1 <sup>st</sup> = \$ Late Entry If paid by Sept 19 <sup>th</sup> = \$		Late Entry By Sept 19 <sup>th</sup> = \$3					

By entering I hereby release World Conformation Horse Association, APHA and their respective directors, officers, members, volunteers, employees and lessors of premises from all liability, claims, losses or damages arising from injury, death and/or property damages occurring as a result of participation in the activities, (includes participant's family, heirs, agents, representatives).

Send this completed form, copy of registration papers to:

WCHA - 6816 Cleary Loop NE - Rio Rancho, NM 87144





## TWO YEAR OLD & THREE & OVER "LIMITED" HALTER STAKES CLASSES

THANK YOU WARREN & LAURIE ENGLISH FOR SPONSORING THESE CLASSES!!

HORSE ELIGIBILITY: All Breed Stakes Classes – Classes With Less Than 3 Entries May Be Cancelled

- Horses must fall into the "Limited" Category: Horses That Have <u>Never Won</u> A World Title In AQHA, APHA, APHC Are Eligible For Competition.
  - <u>Exceptions</u>: Horses that have won youth world title In Any Breed, or a world title in AQHA Level 1 or 2 <u>can still compete</u> as "limited horses", *furthermore* any horse who won a world title "as a weanling" can still compete as a limited horse.
- All horses must first be "nominated into Big Money Futurity Program and must be sired by stallions currently or were "EVER ENROLLED" in the Big Money Futurity Program.

Horse's Name			Horse's Rirthdate:				
Sire:	Horse's Birthdate: Registration Numbers:						
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	er:				landatory)		
Address:		City:	City:		Zip:		
Breeder: (Owner O	f Dam Of This Horse At 1	ime Of Breeding					
Contact Person: _							
Exhibitor:		Circle One: Open - Non Pro					
Is this exhibitor under 18 yrs of age?		Youth C	Youth Can Compete As A Non Pro But Not In Stallion Classes				
"D	raw Order Will Be De	termined By D	ate Your Entry Is Red	eived"			
<b>Check All Classes B</b>	selow That You Wish To	<b>Enter With This</b>	Horse:				
Non Pro Two Year Old Mares			Color Two Year Old Mares				
Non Pro Two Year Old Geldings			Color Two Year Old Geldings				
Non Pro Two Year Old Stallions			Color Two Year Old Stallions				
Non Pro 3 & Over Mares			Color 3 & Over Mares				
Non Pro 3 & Over Geldings			Color 3 & Over Geldings				
Non Pro 3 & Over Stallions			Color 3 & Over Stallions				
Horses	Registered With APHA, A	pHC, PHBA, ARHA	, ABRA Are Eligible For C	olor Classes			
<b>Entry Fee Schedule:</b>							
If entry is postmarked or emailed by June 1st		<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup> =	= \$300 Non Pro + \$200 Color				
If entry is postmarked or emailed by July 1st		<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup> =	= \$350 Non Pro + \$250 Color				
If entry is postmarked or emailed by Aug 15 <sup>th</sup>		15 <sup>th</sup> =	= \$400 Non Pro + \$300 Color				
Late Entry After A	ugust 1st until Sept 19 <sup>th</sup>	=	\$450 Non Pro + \$400	Color			
	Paym	ent Method: Che	ck or Credit Card _				
Non Pro Fee:	\$ Name	Name On Card:		Zip Code:			
	Credit	Card Number: _		Exp:	CVV:		
Color Fee:	\$ 3% Pro	cessing Fee With E	ach Transaction (\$15 Charge	e If Credit Card N	ot Valid)		
Office/Awards Fee:	\$ 40.00						
Total Amount:	\$ Bo	th Owner And Exh	ibitor Must Be WCHA M	embers			

Send Entries To: WCHA - 6816 Cleary Loop NE - Rio Rancho, NM 87144 or Email To: touchdownkid95@gmail.com

# **Big Money Futurity Rules and Conditions:**

It will be an important part of our new format of having three weanling age groupings to keep each class equal in size so that payouts are similar and class sizes manageable for efficient judging. This will also create timely processing of results and to provide more opportunities for exhibitors to compete with multiple horses. Most importantly to reduce length of time in the arena for each class so that it is less stressful for these weanlings, many being shown for the first time. The following is how this new format of three splits will take place:

- The Junior Split Date For Both Fillies and Colts Will Be March 5<sup>th</sup>, weanlings born March 5 and later will fall into the Junior Classes for both Big Money and WCHA Breeder's Futurity.
- The split for the two earlier age divisions will not take place until horses check in at the futurity and will be announced by Noon on Saturday, Sept 20<sup>th</sup>. Yes, we understand the concern that people want to know what split they fall into when they enter, however from studying past nominations vs entries received vs horses that actually show there is a large variance in many cases of 5-6 days. However, this split from early to median will "most likely" be the last 3/4 days of Jan to first 4 days of February. If your weanling falls in this birth range make arrangements to show in either split but we will work with competitors through this process to be as informative as possible.
- With 3 splits there will be more opportunities for one exhibitor to compete with multiple weanlings, here's why:
  - ✓ If an exhibitor has two horses born in February that fall into the same middle split we give them the option of moving one horse UP into the older division and still be able to compete with both horses/same exhibitor. (Obviously if someone has two January foals they wouldn't be able to show both in same class just as they wouldn't if we had regular junior/senior splits)
  - ✓ Furthermore, if someone has 2 juniors we will give them the same option of moving one up into the median division with same exhibitor.

<u>ATTENTION:</u> Yearling Mare Classes Will Be Split Into Junior & Senior Classes"!! Yearling Mares with birthdates of Jan 1 – Feb 14<sup>th</sup> will be in the Senior Class, Yearling Mares with birthdate of February 15 and later will be in the Junior Yearling Mare Class. (If an Exhibitor Has 2 horses that fall in the Junior split they have the option of moving one into the Senior Class).

If 45 or more Yearling Gelding or Yearling Stallion entries "check in" by Sept 19<sup>th</sup> we may also split the class into Junior/Senior Divisions, however in past years we generally receive 20 or less yearling stallions and 35 or less yearling geldings.

Exhibitors In The Big Money Futurity Must Qualify AND Abide By "WCHA Non Pro Rules". A Non Pro Exhibitor has not shown, sold a horse for a third party, judged, trained or assisted in training a horse for remuneration, including commissions, nor received compensation for instructing another person in riding, driving, training or showing a horse, for five years previous to application for Non-pro membership. Payment of entry fees and/or expenses by anyone other than the Non-pro, his/her immediate family, or a corporation, partnership or other business entity in which the Non-pro and/or a member of his/her immediate family are the sole and only owner, shall be considered remuneration. A Non-pro cannot be an approved horse show judge for any association or have judged an open, 4-H or breed show for the past 60 months. By entering every Non-pro exhibitor declares that they are in full compliance of WCHA Non-Pro requirements. Violations will be grounds for forfeiture of all prizes, prize monies and of all fees paid and possible suspension from the association.

<sup>\*</sup> Youth Are Also Eligible To Compete As Non Pro's !!!

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> All Exhibitors AND Owners of each entry MUST BE MEMBERS OF WCHA

<u>By "entering these futurities"</u> all participants (owners/trainers/exhibitors) agree to read and be

bound by all terms and conditions set forth.

### BIG MONEY FUTURITY RULES & CONDITIONS CONTINUED.......

Weanlings & Yearlings are made eligible by the stallion owner paying an annual stallion enrollment fee paid in "same" year of competition are eligible to compete in Big Money weanling/yearling classes.

Two Year Old & Older Horses Can Be Sired By Stallions Who Are Currently or <u>Were EVER Nominated</u> Into The Big Money Futurity Program

- 1) Offspring by nominated stallions must also be "nominated into the Big Money Futurity Program prior to being eligible for competition in any Big Money Futurity Class.
- 2) "Limited" Two Yr Old & Three & Over Classes: Horses That Have Never Won A World Title In AQHA, APHA, APHC Are Eligible For Competition. Exceptions: Horses that have won Youth World Title In Any Breed, or a world title in AQHA Level 1 or 2 or horses who won a world title in solid breed class, PHBA, ABRA, ARHA, PtHA can still compete as "limited horses", furthermore any horse who won a world title "as a weanling" can still compete as a limited horse.
- 3) \*\*\*\*Any 2 yr or older class with less than 3 entries (after processing August 15<sup>th</sup> entry date) may be cancelled with entry and nomination fees refunded.
- 4) WCHA <u>does not</u> allow horse leases, sole or family ownership of a horse is required, <u>furthermore if it is</u> <u>discovered that a horse was transferred into a non pro's name solely to compete in a WCHA event and later transferred back to original owner this is grounds for suspension from the association.</u>
- 5) Change Of Ownership: Horses can be sold at any time and new owner can compete with \$50.00 Big Money Change Fee, new owners and exhibitors of entry must be members of WCHA.
- 6) Weanlings and Yearlings will enter the pen by foaling date and judges will be notified that horses are lined up youngest to oldest in each line up.
- 7) Two Year Old and Older Horses will enter arena by date they entered the class.
- 8) 10% of entries will be retained by WCHA to help cover cost of arena rental, judges, awards.
- 9) Color Requirements: Each horse MUST provide proof of registration with APHA, PHBA, ARHA, ABRA or ApHC. Solid Registry horses are eligible for color competition.
- 10) Safety leads, safety cords, lip chains are eligible equipment, HOWEVER upon inspection any area of the horse's gum that is raw is reason for disqualification. Excessive jerking on a lead shank either in or out of arena is grounds for disqualification.
- 11) Refunds or Substitutions: Partial refunds with a signed veterinary death certificate, total amount paid less \$100 processing fee or owner has option to substitute another entry. No Other Substitutions or Refunds For Any Reason. APHA has separate rules for stall refund.
- 12) Unsportsmanlike conduct or any other form of misconduct that is irresponsible, illegal, indecent, profane, intimidating, threatening or abusive is prohibited by any person on the show grounds either directly or indirectly to a show official, judge, show management or other exhibitors involved within any WCHA sponsored events is strictly prohibited. Any violation will be grounds for permanent suspension from WCHA.
- 13) LEND A HAND RULE: After the judging of each class has been completed, and the competitors are excused to the rail, each contestant can have ONE helper enter the arena and "lend a hand" by holding the horse and/or bringing a refreshing bottle of water or towel. Helpers MUST be attired appropriately: Boots, Hat and Collared Shirt.
- 14) Disability Variance Rule: Any non pro exhibitor with a physical disability that prohibits them from participating in the "trot through" portion of the pattern may use a designated leader to lead the horse through the pattern, once the horse is through the "trot-through" the exhibitor will then take the horse prior to setting up for individual inspection. A letter from the exhibitor's doctor verifying the disability must be submitted to show manager two weeks prior to competition before a Disability Variance is granted. A designated handler assigned by show management or another non pro competitor to assist in this variance, no professional trainer allowed to assist. The designated handler will "stand by, no closer than 15 feet of the exhibitor without any verbal assistance to assist if exhibitor needs to be excused from the class. The handler can assist in leading the horse after the judging is completed or if there is re-judging under individual judges but the "exhibitor" must set the horse up for inspection when required.

#### **CLASS PROCEDURE**

- A. Only the exhibitor and the horse are to be allowed to enter the alleyway according to the established draw or working order. There will be no trainers, parents or grooms with the exhibitor or horse once the exhibitor breaks the plane of the alleyway or in sight of judges is arena set up is allowable.
- B. Each exhibitor and horse must complete the prescribed pattern. The pattern is as follows: Horses will walk *straight* to the judge *(walk horse directly to judge)* one at a time. As the horse approaches, the judge will step to the right (left of the horse) to enable the horse *straight and to the trot to the right* of a cone placed approximately 30-50 feet away. At the cone, the horse will continue trotting, turn to the left and continue trotting until it reaches the next cone *which will be placed approximately 30-50 feet away*.
- C. In multi-judged shows, the judges may inspect as the horse enters at the walk, one judge will ask for the exhibitor to show the horses teeth. All stallions and mares will be inspected for parrot mouth or monkey mouth. All stallions 2 years of age or older will be inspected for cryptorchidism.
- D. After trotting, horses will be lined up head to tail for individual inspection by the judge.
- E. Loose horse Any horse that becomes detached from its handler and is no longer under control may be disqualified, however the rules of the event and decision of show management will take precedence. If the initial horse exhibiting poor mannerisms causes other exhibitors to lose their horse, only the initiating horse may be disqualified.
- F. Disruptive horse Any horse that is disruptive, a danger to the exhibitor, other exhibitors or horses may be disqualified at the judge's discretion.
- G. Neurologic horse If a horse is determined to have a neurological condition and is considered unsound, the horse may be disqualified at the judge's discretion.

#### **EXHIBITOR PROCEDURE**

- A. The exhibitor should track the HORSE directly to and away from the judge.
- B. The exhibitor should make every attempt to track the horse on the first track.
- C. The exhibitor should begin trotting after the judge/judges move to the right and continue trotting to the immediate right of the first cone, continue trotting and make a smooth left turn then continue trotting to the next cone which will be placed approximately 30-50 feet away.
- D. The exhibitor shall have a maximum of 3 attempts in order to execute the tracking segment of the class. If the exhibitor fails to execute the tracking segment in 3 attempts, the exhibitor will be excused and disqualified.