

April 23, 2010

Welcome Contestants!

It's that time again! Enclosed are the draw lists and a schedule of events for 2010. There are 142 horses paid up in the Derby and 411 paid up in the Futurity. Based on 20 places the unofficial first place in the Derby will be \$25,804 and the unofficial Futurity first place will be \$54,373 paying 40 places. Approximate combined payout will be \$357,879.

VERY IMPORTANT ITEMS TO REMEMBER:

PLEASE make sure your horse papers match your horse. **IF they DO NOT MATCH, your horse will be disqualified.** Checks will **ONLY** be issued to owners of record as shown on registration papers and **ONLY** if the tax forms, which will be provided to finalists after their run, have been completed and are on file in the office. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** If you purchase a horse between now and the event, you will need to make arrangements with the seller regarding any prize money won.

If the horse you have purchased is **NOT** in your name **ON THIS LIST** please fax a copy of the original papers showing you as the new owner and we will make the ownership change. This will not be done without a copy of the registration papers in your name. If you have already done this and it has not been changed please call us to verify and correct information. Anyone, who has not submitted **CORRECT OWNERSHIP PAPERS** (since the original nomination), **PLEASE FAX ASAP.** Fax # 479-782-9944.

IF YOU WILL NEED A STALL AND HAVE NOT SENT YOUR STALL FEES DO IT NOW.

Stalls have already been ordered according to payments received. We will not guarantee a stall without prepayment.

NO HORSE WILL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER GROUNDS WITHOUT HEALTH PAPERS INSPECTED. INSPECTION WILL BE AT MAIN GATE ON MIDLAND BLVD FROM 8:00 am to 10:00 pm SATURDAY the 22nd thru TUESDAY the 25th and on WEDNESDAY the 26th from 8:00 am until 1:00 pm.

OFFICIAL CHECK-IN WITH ORIGINAL REGISTRATION PAPERS IS ON WEDNESDAY FROM 8:00 AM UNTIL 1:00 PM.

Enclosed also is a copy of the Arkansas Regulations to Transport. You will need the following for check-in: **Negative Coggins dated within the past twelve months; Original horse registration papers in your name; Health certificate dated within thirty (30) days of event.**

NOTE: Camper fees will be collected from day of arrival through Friday the 28th. If you leave before then take your receipt to the camper office and you will be refunded for the unused portion.

All updated Rules & Draw list will be posted on our web-site www.kayrogerspark.com Click on the Futurity link.

REMINDER: the "Host Hotel" is the Holiday Inn with a special room rate for contestants of \$79.00 per day. You can now book online through our web-site until May 10, 2010. Their reservation number is 1-800-holiday (465-4329). Ask for barrel futurity contestants.

If you have any questions, please call our offices at 479-783-6176, ext. 212 Beverly Sharp.

Sincerely,
Jason Martin
Old Fort Days Barrel Futurity Chairman

January 31, 2010

NOTICE: ARKANSAS STATE LAW NOW REQUIRES THAT ALL HORSE HEALTH PAPERS BE INSPECTED PRIOR TO ENTERING THE GROUNDS.

OUT-OF-STATE HORSES:

1. Valid Certificate of Veterinary Inspection dated within 30 days with identification and a rectal temperature reading on each horse.

A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is defined as a certificate issued by a licensed graduate, accredited veterinarian after a physical examination has been conducted certifying that the livestock described are free from symptoms of contagious, infectious, or communicable diseases and shall include a statement certifying the origin of the livestock. The Certificate shall include the name and address of the caretaker of such livestock if the owner's residence is other than the premises where the livestock are to be maintained.*****SEE NOTE BELOW**

2. A negative Coggins must have been conducted on all equidae over six months of age within twelve (12) months prior to the exhibition, and the Coggins test papers must accompany the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. Photocopies of the test papers will not be acceptable; legible carbon copies will be acceptable.

ARKANSAS HORSES:

Negative Coggins test required within the past twelve months for all equidae over six months old. Photocopies will not be acceptable; legible carbon copies are acceptable.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Livestock moving into Arkansas found to be non-compliant with Arkansas laws and Regulations shall be quarantined to the nearest facility until all requirements are met on said animals to meet specifications. Expenses for all costs involved including feed, haul, rent, death loss, etc. shall be borne by the owner, shipper, or responsible party before animals will be released.

Regulations furnished by the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission.

Charles E. Starkey, DVM
State Veterinarian

*****ALL HORSES ENTERING THE GROUNDS MUST MEET THIS REQUIREMENT.**