

LEXINGTON BREEDERS CLASSIC 2004
Early Closing Events To Be Raced In 2004
Kentucky Sired Two Year Old Trotters & Pacers
Colt and Filly Divisions

Owned & Serviced By: The Red Mile

Sponsored By: Brittany Farms & Walnut Hall, LTD, et al.

For:

Kentucky sired two year olds with separate divisions for trotters and pacers of both sexes.

Eligibility: Nominee must be sired by a standardbred stallion registered with the Kentucky Standardbred Development Fund standing in Kentucky for the full season of service in 2001.

To Be Raced As:

Four Events with Colt & Filly Divisions for Two-Year-Old Trotters & Pacers

Estimated Purse: Eliminations (if necessary) \$7,500G * Finals \$100,000E

	Filly Trot	Filly Pace	Colt Trot	Colt Pace
Eliminations:	8/29/04	9/02/04	9/03/04	9/04/04
Final:	9/05/04	9/09/04	9/10/04	9/11/04

To Be Raced At:

The Red Mile, Lexington, KY

Cancellation:

The Red Mile reserves the right to cancel any or all of the races if it becomes impractical or undesirable in the opinion of The Red Mile to conduct said races. If an event is not raced, The Red Mile's responsibility and liability shall be limited to refunding, without interest, all payments collected toward these events. These monies will be pro-rated among those owners of horses eligible at the time of cancellation.

Added Money:

The sponsors shall add a minimum of \$20,000 to these events. The Association may deduct one percent for advertising, administration and trophies for these events.

Payments (US Funds only):

March 15, 2004	\$300
April 15, 2004	\$400
May 15, 2004	\$500
Declaration Fees	\$1,000

Supplemental Nomination/Declaration:

There shall be no supplemental nomination or declaration to these events

Transfer of Gait:

Eligibles may change gait at any time prior to declaration and must be qualified on the gait which they have been declared.

Declaration:

Declaration fee shall be due at the time of declaration and payable before the horse starts. Declaration fees should be made payable to The Red Mile. There are no refunds for scratched horses. Qualifying standards for these events shall be those in effect for Added Money Races at The Red Mile.

Notice:

USTA Rule 11 Sec 3 provides: *"Failure to make any payment required by the conditions constitutes an automatic withdrawal from the event."*

Racing Conditions:

All events will be one heat at one mile. Declarations for these events will close at the time and date designated on the condition sheet. There shall be elimination races, or at the discretion of the sponsors, a preview race held approximately one week prior to each of the finals. All horses qualifying for the finals must be properly declared for those events.

The total number of horses declared for each event shall determine the number of elimination races required. In the case of 11 or fewer declarations, one elimination race will be held with the first 9 finishers in the official order of finish qualifying for the final.

12 – 20 declarations: 2 elimination races with the first four and one fifth place finisher (drawn by lot) eligible for the final.

21 – 30 declarations: 3 elimination races with the first three from each eligible for the final.

31 – 40 declarations: 4 elimination races with the first two and one third place finisher (drawn by lot) eligible for the final.

41 – 50 declarations: 5 elimination races with the five winners and four second place finishers (by lot) eligible for the final.

51 – 60 declarations: 6 elimination races with the six winners and three second place finishers (by lot) eligible for the final.

In the event that horses eligible for the final are not declared for the final, additional horses from the elimination races will be selected from those properly declared by taking the horse(s) placing highest in the order of finish in the elimination races for a field of nine for the final. The next two properly declared horses placing highest in the order of finish in the elimination races shall be listed as also eligible for the finals and may draw in before scratch time.

The sponsors reserve the right to reject any entry and return the fees paid toward that entry. A minimum of six declarations are required in any event or the event may be cancelled. All starters are subject to the detention policy of The Red Mile.

Money Division:

Purses for all events shall be divided 50-25-12-8-5

Disputes:

Decisions by the Executive Committee of The Red Mile shall govern all disputes arising from these conditions and their decision shall be final.

Rules:

Rules of The Red Mile, Kentucky Racing Commission and the USTA shall govern unless otherwise specified in these conditions.

Checks Payable and Sent To:

The Red Mile, 1200 Red Mile Rd, Lexington, KY. 40504