

DEPARTMENT S – HARNESS RACES

Superintendent – Michelle Monier
Track Man - Bud McAllister

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Official Veterinarian - Dr. Alan McCully

ENTRIES TAKEN BY THE NICA: 309-755-9286 or 309-755-9287

MARSHALL-PUTNAM SPEED OFFICE: 309-364-3385
MARSHALL-PUTNAM FAIRGROUND MAIN OFFICE: 309-364-2814

Total Premiums Offered - \$26,000.00 (est.)

MEMBER OF NORTHERN ILLINOIS COLT ASSOCIATION
Overnight Entry Fees - \$20.00 All Other Entry Fees - \$100.00
Stall Rent/Maintenance Fee - \$20.00 (for all horses stabled)

NORTHERN ILLINOIS COLT ASSOCIATION

2010 GENERAL CONDITIONS
Nominations to close March 15, 2010
Payments to the Illinois Department of Agriculture
3 Day Box

ENTRY PAYMENT: All events are governed by a 3-day (72 hour) box; entries taken 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. \$100 entry fee for all races. \$20.00 stall fee for all horses stabled. \$20.00 entry fee for all overnight events.

IMPORTANT: To enter a fair racing in the Northern Illinois Colt Association Circuit call 309/755-9286 or 309/755-9287.

PLAN OF RACING: UStA, Department of Agriculture, County Fair, and Northern Illinois Colt Association Rules to govern when not covered in the following conditions. All races are two (one-mile) dashes unless otherwise specified.

When a race program is canceled for reasons beyond control of said Fair, and the program can be raced the following day, the Fair reserves the right to race as many of the canceled events as can be programmed without interfering with previously scheduled entertainment. The Fair reserves the right, as time permits, to race on a one or two heat plan.

Fields will be divided by colts and fillies where possible. However, in no case shall extra divisions for fillies be made, nor shall short fields be started to accommodate fillies.

When raced as eliminations, the elimination heats will race for 60% of the estimated purse and the final heat race for 40%.

Published purses estimated. Distribution of purses will be: 50%, 25%, 12%, 8%, and 5% for five finishers. In all Northern Illinois Colt Association Stake events when a race is caused to be divided the purse will be equally divided among all of the divisions, except in the case of separate colt and filly divisions where the March 15 payments will follow the sex.

The Northern Illinois Colt Association supports any drug testing done by the Illinois Department of Agriculture or any other agency.

Overnight events contested on the Northern Illinois Colt Association circuit:

When an overnight event is split into more than one division, the Fair reserves the right to race on a one-heat plan.

Right is reserved by the Fairs to retain that part of the purse not raced for in all of the overnight races.

In all overnight races right is reserved to require 5 to enter and 4 to start. Where the entries are more than can start in one race, the race will be divided. The Fair will add 50% of the original purse and race in divisions. Each division will race for an equal share of the total purse.

All County Fairs are strongly encouraged to display their USTA license on the race office wall so that the license will be visible to anyone who enters the race office. Anyone who requires to be licensed must be able to prove to race officials that they are currently licensed by USTA at time of race. Drivers who do not hold a current USTA license are not eligible to drive in County Fair Races.

Fair reserves the right to assign stalls on a first come basis. Horsemen racing on the Northern Illinois Colt Association are responsible for carrying their own driver-accident insurance.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

Illinois Equine

1. All horses and other equidae, twelve (12) months of age and older attending an advertised equine event, shall be accompanied by a negative test for equine infectious anemia (EIA) conducted within the last twelve (12) months. A copy of this test shall accompany the animal. 2. AGID (Coggins) or ELISA tests are accepted. 3. An advertised equine event means a show, rodeo, sale, auction, exhibition, trail ride, or horse fair that is posted or media promoted. 4. A CVI is not required for Illinois equine.

Out-of-State-Equine

1. All out-of-state equine are to be accompanied by an entry permit. Permits are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week by calling (217) 782-4944. 2. All horses and other equidae entering Illinois that are twelve (12) months of age or older, shall be accompanied by a negative test for equine infectious anemia (EIA) conducted within the last twelve (12) months. A copy of this test shall accompany the animal. 3. AGID (Coggins) or ELISA tests are accepted. 4. All horses and other equidae shall be accompanied by a CVI issued within thirty (30) days prior to entry.

The determination of which horses are out-of-state should be on the horse, not the owner.

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SPEED PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 2010 – 5:00 p.m.

PACE – 2 Year Old NICA	Est. \$ 6,000.00
TROT – 2 Year Old NICA	Est. \$ 6,000.00
PACE – NW \$5,000 LT.	\$ 1,000.00

THURSDAY, JULY 8, 2010 – 11:00 a.m.

TROT – 3 Year Old NICA	Est. \$ 6,000.00
PACE – 3 Year Old NICA	Est. \$ 6,000.00
PACE – FFA	\$ 1,000.00
TOTAL OFFERED (Est.) – \$26,000.00	

Both days of racing will feature Pick-A Winner
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Blanket awarded each heat.

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