

THE ARIZONA THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS ASSOCIATION
2017/2018 Arizona Breeders Futurity / Derby & Oaks - Foals of 2015

***\$35,000 Added Breeders Futurities & Gene Fleming Breeders Derby**

***\$35,000 Added for the Joanne Dye Breeders Oaks**

**If Turf Paradise Stakes monies decline, this purse will be adjusted*

All races to be run at Turf Paradise Race Track, Phoenix, Arizona

- **FUTURITY** - (Two races • Fillies & Colts/Gelding Divisions) to be run in the Fall of 2017 at 6 furlongs.
- **DERBY**- (One race • Fillies/Colts/Geldings) Derby to be run in the Spring of 2018 at one mile and one sixteenth.
- **OAKS** -(One race • Fillies) Oaks to be run in the Spring of 2018 at seven and one half furlongs on the Turf.

● **FUTURITY - TWO RACES - FILLIES & COLTS DIVISIONS**

Futurity for two-year-olds. Starters shall not exceed twelve. All horses must enter and race in the trials (if needed) to be eligible to race in the Futurity. The twelve qualifiers and one preferred horse from each trial will be placed on an also eligible list, in order of preference by the racing secretary the following morning. Should either division (fillies or colts) fail to fill (five or less), the two divisions may be combined into one race. All entrants to trials or race must pay \$500 to enter. All entrants must pass the entry box for the trials and finals at the usual time of closing for that racing day. Weights for the Futurity trials and finals: Fillies, 117 lbs.; Colts/Gelding 120 lbs.

■ **THE GENE FLEMING BREEDERS' DERBY - One Race - Colts/Geldings • NO TRIALS**

Derby for three-year-olds. Starters shall not exceed twelve. To start in the Derby all entrants must pay \$300 to pass the entry box by the usual time of closing for the Derby. In the event there are more than twelve at the time of entry, the starters shall be determined at that time with preference given to those entries that have accumulated the highest earnings, with winners preferred regardless of earnings. Entries not drawn into the body of the race will be placed on an also-eligible list in order of preference. In the event of a scratch in the body of the race prior to the official scratch time, entries on the also-eligible list will be moved into the body of the race based upon their order of preference. In the event that two horses have the same amount of earning position on the also-eligible they will be determined by lot. Any nominee excluded from running as a result of the aforementioned preference rule shall have the entry fee refunded. Weights: Fillies 117 lbs. Colts/Gelding 122 lbs.

■ **JOANNE DYE BREEDERS' OAKS - One Race - Fillies • NO TRIALS**

Oaks for three-year-olds fillies. Starters shall not exceed ten. To start in the Oaks all entrants must pay \$300 to pass the entry box by the usual time of closing for the Oaks. In the event there are more than ten at the time of entry, the starters shall be determined at that time with preference given to those entries that have accumulated the highest earnings, with winners preferred regardless of earnings. Entries not drawn into the body of the race will be placed on an also-eligible list in order of preference. In the event of a scratch in the body of the race prior to the official scratch time, entries on the also-eligible list will be moved into the body of the race based upon their order of preference. In the event that two horses have the same amount of earning position on the also-eligible they will be determined by lot. Any nominee excluded from running as a result of the aforementioned preference rule shall have the entry fee refunded. Weights: Fillies 117 lbs.

All Races will be run under the following rules.

All races will be restricted to 2015 Arizona-bred foals, registered and certified by the Arizona Thoroughbred Breeders Association. To be eligible to start in the Futurities or the Derby/Oaks foals must be registered and certified by February 1, 2017. The ATBA will deduct ten percent of all nominating and sustaining payments for clerical fees before each race. The balance to be divided as follows: Original and sustaining payments to be split 50% to the Futurities and 50% to the Derby/Oaks. (Futurities and Derby/Oaks monies to be split % by gender). Monies will be divided: 50% to winner, 20% to second, 10% to third; 5% to fourth; 3% to fifth; 2% to sixth; (in the futurity 1% to the next six finishers) (in the derby/oaks 1% to each of the next six finishers) and 4% to be paid to the nominator of the winner of each race. **To remain eligible for the Derby/Oaks, horses do not have to start in the Futurities, however all sustaining payments must be made through October 15, 2017. To remain eligible for the Derby/Oaks an additional \$300.00 is due January 15, 2018.**

NOMINATION FEE

\$25.00 Weanling Nomination Payment Due August 15, 2015

late nomination fee will be accepted September 15, 2015 at \$50.00

Sustaining Payment Schedule		*No Supplementary Nominations	
Futurity		Derby & Oaks	
December 1, 2016	\$ 75 yearling	January 15, 2018	\$300 3-year-old
February 1, 2017	\$150 2-year-old**	Entry Fee for Derby/Oaks \$300	
October 15, 2017	\$250 2-year-old		
To enter trials/race	\$500		

**must name foals on February 1, 2017

Nominations are transferable if ownership changes however it is the responsibility of new owners to notify the ATBA and make all sustaining payments to participate in races. Eligibility of horses nominated to the Arizona Breeders Futurity/Derby is subject to compliance with Arizona rules of racing under the supervision of the Arizona Department of Racing and the Arizona Racing Commission; The racing Secretary at Turf Paradise; The Arizona Thoroughbred Breeders Association. The ATBA reserves the right to cancel or postpone these races and or trials for these races for any reason which it deems good and sufficient. Conditions of either race may be altered due to unforeseeable circumstances. In the event of cancellations, nominating and sustaining payments already made will be refunded to appropriate parties less the administrative fees stated herein.

Detach Form and Return

I have read the conditions of the 2017/2018 Fall Arizona Breeders' Futurity/Derby/Oaks and agree to be governed by them.

Enclosed is \$_____ for _____ nominations. All nominations must be in the ATBA office by August 15, 2015, or a late nomination will be accepted by September 15, 2015.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

**PAYMENTS MUST BE
 POSTMARKED BY DUE DATE
 Mail all payments to: ATBA
 P. O. Box 41774 • Phoenix, AZ 85080**