

# 2017 VICTORIAN FUTURITY PROGRAM CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

## **NB: ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2017**

Located at the Tatura Park Exhibition & Events Complex - 12<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

All rules of the National Cutting Horse Association Inc. (NCHA) not in direct conflict with the rules of the 2017 Victorian Futurity, as approved by the Board of Directors of the NCHA Inc. and as published herein will apply. These rules are subject to change by action of the NCHA Inc. Board only.

- Judges selected will be named one month prior to the Futurity Show.
- Draws will be posted on 4<sup>th</sup> September 2017. Any withdrawals after 9am on the 4<sup>th</sup> September will not be eligible for a refund, no exceptions.
- Cattle hire includes 3 head per competitor per go round. Aged events finals will be supplied 4 head of cattle per competitor and the appropriate cattle hire will be charged to all finalists.
- All stabling and camping must be pre-booked please refer to the booking form supplied for details.
- Entry to main arena will be charged on Friday 15<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2017. Competitor pass will be available from the Show Office.
- Owners and riders must be "Full" financial members of the NCHA Inc. at the time of nomination and at time of competition.
- Proof of age to be supplied by official Registration or Recording Certificate issued by respective Breed Society or a notarized statement of age and description by a licensed veterinarian for unregistered horses including a photograph (as per the rule book 4A, page 46). All papers to accompany nomination forms.
- Proof of ownership must be supplied by the two parties concerned in the change of ownership if horse is not registered.
- Prize money will be paid to the owner of the horse entered as stated on the entry form
- There will be NO REFUND/CARRY OVER OF ENTRY FEES.
- The NCHA Inc reserves the right to cancel these competitions without liability and return all entry fees paid at any time should unforeseen circumstances occur.
- Late fees will not be included in the payouts.
- In the event of Co-Champions, prizemoney will be shared with co-champions equally and prizes distributed by negotiation between the Co- Champion owners or riders as applicable.
- All payments include GST.
- Prize money Payouts will be as per NCHA Rule Book and/or Cadusch system.
- Number of finalists are as per the NCHA rule book
- Prize money Payouts will be completed within 30 days from the final day of competition.
- Any violation of the rules will render the competitor ineligible to collect any prize money or trophy and should the same have already been awarded, must be returned to the NCHA Inc.
- All scratchings must be in writing and forwarded to the NCHA office.
- A Non Professional may enter two horses or more in the Non Pro Division.
- Amateur Classes (NP Futurity, Derby and Classic) - Separate finals for Amateur Classes will be run. Contestants must be entered in the Amateur classes to be eligible to qualify for the respective finals. Contestants must be approved for Amateur Status prior to the show. The finals will consist of 8 horses plus ties.

### **Special condition- Open Classic**

If the NCHA receives 31 or more entries in the Open Classic Challenge, there will be two complete go-rounds with the top 10 plus ties advancing to a clean slate final. If entries total 30 or less there will be two complete go-rounds and no final. 40% of total prize purse will be paid in each go-round to the top 6 places of each go-round. 20% of the prize purse to be paid to the top four aggregate places after the two go-rounds. The aggregate winner will be awarded the 2017 NCHA Victorian Futurity Classic Challenge Champion. In the event of a tie for the aggregate winner the second round score will be used to break the tie. If a tie is still in place Co-Champions will be awarded.

**SCALE OF ENTRY FEES & ADDED MONEY**

**FUTURITY \$8,000 ADDED MIN GTD \$15,000**

**N/ PRO FUTURITY \$3,000 ADDED MIN GTD \$5,000**

**DERBY \$3,000 ADDED  
EST \$7,500 MIN GTD \$7,500**

**NON PRO DERBY \$2,000 ADDED  
EST \$8,000, MIN GDT \$5,000**

**CLASSIC CHALLENGE \$3,000 ADDED  
EST \$9,000 MIN GTD \$7,000**

**NON PRO CLASSIC CHALLENGE \$2,000 ADDED  
EST \$9,000 MIN GTD \$5,000**

**OPEN \$1,000 ADDED, EST \$5,000**

**OPEN NON PRO \$1,000 ADDED, EST \$5,000**

**AMATEUR NP FUTURITY, NP CLASSIC CHALLENGE, NP DERBY \$500 ADDED PER EVENT**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Entry fee</b>	<b>NCHA levies</b>	<b>Cattle hire</b>	<b>Office fee</b>	<b>Video</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Futurity	\$550	\$5.50	\$231	\$90	\$30	\$906.50
Non Pro Futurity	\$300	\$5.50	\$231	\$90	\$30	\$656.50
Derby	\$300	\$5.50	\$231	\$90	\$30	\$656.50
Non Pro Derby	\$200	\$5.50	\$231	\$90	\$30	\$556.50
Classic Challenge	\$300	\$5.50	\$231	\$90	\$30	\$656.50
Non Pro Classic Challenge	\$200	\$5.50	\$231	\$90	\$30	\$556.50
Open	\$150	\$12.10	\$115.50	\$90	\$15	\$382.60
Open Non Pro	\$100	\$12.10	\$115.50	\$90	\$15	\$332.60
Amateur NP Futurity	\$100	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	\$100.00
Amateur NP Classic Challenge	\$100	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	\$100.00
Amateur NP Derby	\$100	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	\$100.00
Ladies Pink Cutting	Nil	\$5.50	\$115.50	\$30.00	\$15	\$166.00
Junior/Senior Youth	Nil	\$12.10	\$115.50	\$0.00	\$15	\$142.60