

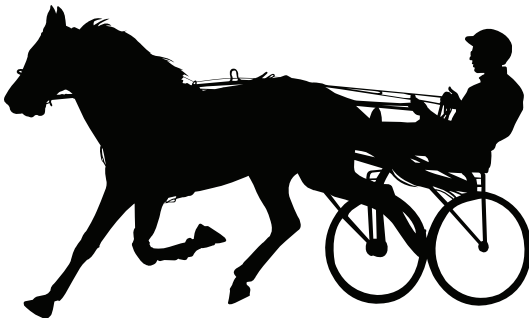
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2023 ILLINOIS RACING & STAKES GUIDE

**RACING SCHEDULES
PARI-MUTUELS
STATE FAIRS
COUNTY FAIRS
COLT ASSOCIATIONS**



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Please request a Stakes Booklet from the racetrack or confer with individual fair management as the only authority.

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For further information on the Illinois Conceived and Foaled (ICF) program, contact:

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**ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
ILLINOIS STANDARD BRED BREEDERS
FUND PROGRAM
2023 PARI-MUTUEL HARNESS STAKES SCHEDULE
AT HAWTHORNE RACE COURSE**

**2023 ICF Late Closers / Cardinal
& Violet Race Dates**

*For further information regarding estimated purses, etc.,
please contact Hawthorne Race Course at 708-780-3690.*

6/22	SPR	3 yo	H&G	Trot	Cardinal
6/22	SPR	3 yo	F&M	Trot	Violet
6/22	SPR	3 yo	H&G	Pace	Cardinal
6/22	SPR	3 yo	F&M	Pace	Violet
9/22	HAW	2yo Leg 1	H&G	Pace	Incredible Finale
9/22	HAW	3yo Leg 1	H&G	Pace	Robert F. Carey, Jr. Memorial
9/23	HAW	2yo Leg 1	F&M	Pace	Incredible Tillie
9/23	HAW	3yo Leg 1	F&M	Pace	Plum Peachy
9/24	HAW	2yo Leg 1	F&M	Trot	Fox Valley Flan
9/24	HAW	2yo Leg 1	H&G	Trot	Kadabra
9/24	HAW	3yo Leg 1	F&M	Trot	Beulah Dygert Memorial
9/24	HAW	3yo Leg 1	H&G	Trot	Erwin F. Dygert Memorial
10/6	HAW	2yo Leg 2	H&G	Pace	Incredible Finale
10/6	HAW	2yo Leg 2	H&G	Trot	Kadabra
10/6	HAW	3yo Leg 2	H&G	Trot	Erwin F. Dygert Memorial

HAWTHORNE RACE COURSE CONTINUED...

10/6	HAW	3yo Leg 2	H&G	Pace	Robert F .Carey, Jr. Memorial
10/7	HAW	2yo Leg 2	F&M	Trot	Fox Valley Flan
10/7	HAW	2yo Leg 2	F&M	Pace	Incredible Tillie
10/7	HAW	3yo Leg 2	F&M	Trot	Beulah Dygert Memorial
10/7	HAW	3yo Leg 2	F&M	Pace	Plum Peachy
10/8	HAW	Aged Elim	F&M	Trot	Carl Becker Memorial
10/8	HAW	Aged Elim	H&G	Trot	Plesac
10/8	HAW	Aged Elim	H&G	Pace	Robert S. Molaro Memorial
10/8	HAW	Aged Elim	F&M	Pace	Tony Maurello Memorial
10/14	HAW	2yo Final	F&M	Trot	Fox Valley Flan
10/14	HAW	2yo Final	H&G	Pace	Incredible Finale
10/14	HAW	2yo Final	F&M	Pace	Incredible Tillie
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10/14	HAW	Aged Final	H&G	Trot	Plesac
10/14	HAW	Aged Final	H&G	Pace	Robert S. Molaro Memorial

HAWTHORNE RACE COURSE CONTINUED...

10/14	HAW	Aged Final	F&M	Pace	Tony Maurello Memorial
10/15		HAW			Consolations
10/27	HAW	2 yo	H&G	Trot	Cardinal
10/27	HAW	2 yo	H&G	Pace	Cardinal
10/28	HAW	2 yo	F&M	Trot	Violet
10/28	HAW	2 yo	F&M	Pace	Violet

2023 ILLINOIS STATE FAIR (DRAFT) HARNESS RACING SCHEDULE

NOTE: Purses are unknown at this time. Watch the IDOA website for updated information or send your email address to carrie.tisckos@illinois.gov to be placed on an email list and receive updated information as it becomes available.

Entries must be made by 10:00AM
72 hours before the race

Double Draw on Tuesday Aug. 7th for
Thursday Aug. 11th & Saturday Aug. 13th.

Please call Hawthorne at 708-780-3700 or
enter through USTA at ustrotting.com.

Illinois Department of Agriculture's
Horse Racing Programs: 217/782-4231
Springfield Racing Office 217/782-2239
(Race Days Only)

THURSDAY, AUG. 10, 2023 – POST TIME: 12:00 NOON

Entries Close Monday, Aug 7th at 10:00AM. Entries taken
at Hawthorne 708/780-3690 or enter online.

IDOA State Fair Races (ICF)

(\$100 Entry Fee – Horses qualified for ISFCS
Championships not eligible.)

Pace - 2-Year-Old Colt	\$5,000 est.
Pace - 2-Year-Old Filly	\$5,000 est.
Trot - 2-Year-Old Colt	\$5,000 est.
Trot - 2-Year-Old Filly	\$5,000 est.
Trot - 3-Year-Old Colt	\$5,000 est.
Trot - 3-Year-Old Filly	\$5,000 est.
Pace -3-Year-Old Colt	\$5,000 est.
Pace-3-Year-Old Filly.	\$5,000 est.

FRIDAY, AUG. 11, 2023 – Post Time: 12:00 NOON

Entries Close Tues., August 8 at 10:00 am. Entries taken
at Hawthorne or enter online.

Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes Championships (ICF)

ELIMINATIONS (\$200 Est. Entry Fee) NOTE: if any class
doesn't split, a prep race will be raced on Friday. You
must race in the prep race to race in Championship.

PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt.	TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly	TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt.	TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Filly	TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt.	TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt.	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly	TBD

(OVERNIGHTS MAY BE ADDED)

SATURDAY, AUG. 12, 2023–Post Time: 12:00 NOON

Entries Close Tuesday, August 8 at 10:00 am. Entries taken at Hawthorne or enter online.

Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes Aged Divisions (ICF)

(\$100 Est. Entry Fee)

PACE - Fillies & Mares (4 Y.O. & Up).	TBD
TROT - Fillies & Mares (4 Y.O. & Up).	TBD
PACE - Horse/Gelding (4 Y.O. & Up)	TBD
TROT - Horse/Gelding (4 Y.O. & Up)..	TBD

I.D.O.A. State Fair Races (ICF)

(\$100 Est. Entry Fee)

PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt.	TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly	TBD

(OVERNIGHTS MAY BE ADDED)

SUNDAY, AUG. 13, 2023- No Racing

MONDAY, AUG. 14, 2023 -No Racing

TUESDAY, AUG. 15, 2023 – No Racing

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16, 2023–Post Time: 12:00 NOON

Entries Close Sunday, August 13 – 10:00 a.m. Entries taken at Hawthorne or enter online.

Illinois Topline Races

(No Entry Fee)

PACE - 2-Year-Old.	TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old	TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old & Up.	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old & Up	TBD

IDOA State Fair Races (ICF)

(\$100 Est. Entry Fee)

PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt	TBD

(OVERNIGHTS MAY BE ADDED)

THURSDAY, AUG. 17, 2023 – Post Time: 12:00 Noon

Entries Close Sunday, Aug. 13 at 10:00 a.m. Entries taken at Hawthorne or enter online. (No entry fee)

Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes Championships (ICF)

PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt	TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly	TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt	TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Filly	TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt	TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly	TBD

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2023 DU QUOIN STATE FAIR DRAFT HARNESS RACING SCHEDULE

NOTE: Purses are unknown at this time. Watch the IDOA website for updated information or send your email address to carrie.tisckos@illinois.gov to be placed on an email list and receive updated information as it becomes available.

Entries close at 10:00 am 72 hours before the races
Double draw on Thursday, Aug. 24 for Monday, Aug. 28
& Tuesday, Aug. 29

Please call Hawthorne at 708-780-3700 or
enter through USTA at ustrotting.com.

Du Quoin State Fair - Racing Office: (618)542-1555

Monday, August 28, 2023 - Post Time: 4:00 PM

ICF Stakes

(\$200 Est. Entry Fee)

PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly (The Time Dancer) TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Filly (The Shawnee) TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt (The Pronto Don) TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly (The Windy Skeeter) TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly (The Director's Award) TBD

County Fair Challenges

(No Entry Fee)

TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly TBD

Aged Division

(\$100 Est. Entry Fee)

TROT - Horse/Gelding (4 Y.O. & Up) TBD
TROT - Filly/Mares (4 Y.O. & Up) TBD

Illinois Topline Stake Races

(No Entry Fee)

PACE - 2-Year-Old TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old & Up TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old & Up TBD

(OVERNIGHTS MAY BE ADDED)

Tuesday, August 29, 2023 - Post Time: 4:00 PM

ICF Stakes

(\$200 Est. Entry Fee)

- PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt (The Dudley Hanover) . . . TBD
- PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt (The Governor's Cup). . . TBD
- TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt (The Darn Safe) TBD

Aged Division

(\$100 Est. Entry Fee)

- PACE - Filly/Mare (4 Y.O. & Up) TBD
- PACE - Horse/Gelding (4 Y.O. & Up) TBD

County Fair Challenges

(No Entry Fee)

- PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt. TBD
- PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly TBD
- PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt. TBD
- TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly TBD
- TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt. TBD
- TROT - 2-Year-Old Filly TBD

Illinois Topline Stake Races

(No Entry Fee)

- Trot - 2-Year-Old.. TBD

Wednesday, August 30, 2023-POST TIME: 4:00 PM

Entries Close Friday, Aug 25th at 10:00 a.m. Entries taken at Hawthorne 708/780-3690 or enter online

IDOA State Fair Races (ICF)

(\$100 Entry Fee - Horses qualified for ISFCS Championships not eligible.)

- Pace - 2-Year-Old Colt \$5,000 est.
- Pace - 2-Year-Old Filly \$5,000 est.
- Trot - 2-Year-Old Colt \$5,000 est.
- Trot - 2-Year-Old Filly \$5,000 est.
- Trot - 3-Year-Old Colt \$5,000 est.
- Trot - 3-Year-Old Filly \$5,000 est.
- Pace -3-Year-Old Colt \$5,000 est.
- Pace-3-Year-Old Filly. \$5,000 est.

DU QUOIN STATE FAIR

655 Executive Drive | Du Quoin, IL 62832

Office 618/542-1515 | Fax 618/5421355

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	Nomination		Entry fee each leg *	Entry fee elim.	Leg/Elim Purse Estimated (Raced at Hawthorne)	Estimated Final	**Cons
	Fee	Due					
Incredible Tillie	\$ 1,250	3/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$150,000	\$ 25,000
Incredible Finale	\$ 1,250	3/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$150,000	\$ 25,000
Fox Valley Flan	\$ 1,250	3/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$150,000	\$ 25,000
Kadabra	\$ 1,250	3/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$150,000	\$ 25,000
Plum Peachy	\$ 1,750	2/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$100,000	\$ 25,000
Robert Carey, Jr Memorial	\$ 1,750	2/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$100,000	\$ 25,000
Beulah Dygert Memorial	\$ 1,750	2/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$100,000	\$ 25,000
Erwin F. Dygert Memorial	\$ 1,750	2/15/2023	\$200		\$25,000	\$100,000	\$ 25,000
Robert S. Molaro	none	w/entry		\$ 500	\$20,000	\$75,000	
TonyMaurrello Memorial	none	w/entry		\$ 500	\$20,000	\$75,000	
Plesac	none	w/entry		\$ 500	\$20,000	\$75,000	
Carl Becker Memorial	none	w/entry		\$ 500	\$20,000	\$75,000	

HAWTHORNE NIGHT OF CHAMPIONS 2023 - CONDITIONS ILLINOIS CONCEIVED & FOALED HORSES

Nomination forms are available online at www.hawthorneracecourse.com.

Nomination form, together with appropriate fee, shall be postmarked no later than the dates listed above.

Make checks payable to Suburban Downs, Inc. Mail to Robin Schadt, Racing Secretary, 3501 S. Laramie, Cicero, IL 60804

Horses that are on the stewards's list shall be eligible for legs, provided the horse has a clean line in accordance within the published "days" at time of entry.

Horses that have earned sufficient points to compete in the final/consolation must show a clean line within the published "days" at time of entry.

Two & three year old divisions shall consist of four (4) qualifying legs. Two (2) legs shall be contested at Hawthorne Racecourse. The ISFCS and the DuQuoin State fair races shall be considered legs of the NOC Series. Points for the ISFCS races shall be awarded for the elimination or prep races only.

**Consolation races will be held provided a minimum of six (6) betting interests are entered and drawn.

Separate nominations for the ISFCS & DuQuoin state fair races are required to be made with the Illinois Dept. of Agriculture. Points shall be earned as follows: 1st - 50; 2nd - 25; 3rd - 12; 4th - 8, 5th - 5; 6-12th - 1

In the event of a dead heat, points shall be combined and divided equally between affected horses. The horses with the top (ten) points entered in each division shall qualify for the championship final.

In the event more than 12 three-year-olds or more than 10 two-year-olds are entered in a leg, the leg will be split and raced as divisions. The open division shall consist of an elimination race with the top (10) finishers that enter advancing to the final. (Ties broke by lot)

*All entry fees shall be paid prior to horses going to the gate. There shall be no refunds for horses that do not start. In all NOC Finals each horse finishing 6th through last shall receive two (2) percent of the purse.

The remainder of the purse shall be divided 50-25-12-8-5 for the horses finishing first through 5th. Horses must start to receive purse money. Management reserves the right to reschedule legs as may become necessary.

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Racing Secretary, 3501 S. Laramie
Cicero, IL 60804

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE 2023 STAKE PAYMENT SCHEDULE

For Illinois Conceived & Foaled Standardbreds
Registered by the Illinois Department of Agriculture

**All stake payments listed below should be mailed to
the IL Department of Agriculture.**

**Nomination payments may also be paid
online at the IDOA website**

This stake payment schedule is intended only as a quick reference to upcoming stake payment dates. Since information could be subject to change, the Department of Agriculture or the Racing Associations should be consulted for race dates, specific conditions, purses, details concerning eligibility and starting payments. Payment notices are mailed for many of these stakes, so it is important that ownership of Illinois-eligible horses be kept current with the Illinois Department of Agriculture. When making a stake payment without a preprinted payment notice, please include the following information: **event, horse's name, age, sex, gait, dam of horse, current owner or agent, mailing address, email address, and phone number.**

BY EVENT

	DIVISION	NOMINATING FEE	SUPPLEMENT	DUE DATE
County Fairs	2 & 3 yr old	\$400		Mar 15
	(ONLY IF \$400 MARCH PAYMENT NOT MADE)		\$800	May 15
State Fair & Du Quoin	2 & 3 yr old	\$300		Apr 15
Cardinal/Violet*	3 yr old	\$200		Feb 15
	2 yr old	\$150		Apr 15

BY DUE DATE

	DIVISION	NOMINATING FEE	SUPPLEMENT	DUE DATE
Cardinal/Violet*	3 yr old	\$200		Feb 15
County Fair	2 & 3 yr old	\$400		Mar 15
State Fair & Du Quoin	2 & 3 yr old	\$300		Apr 15
Cardinal/Violet*	2 yr old	\$150		Apr 15
County Fair	(ONLY IF \$400 MARCH PAYMENT NOT MADE)		\$800	May 15

*Cardinal/Violet 2 & 3 YO events run at Hawthorne

2023 CARDINAL (C/G) / VIOLET STAKES (F) GENERAL CONDITIONS – TWO-YEAR-OLD

For Illinois Conceived & Foaled Foals of 2021

1. A nominating payment of \$150 is due to the Department of Agriculture by April 15, 2023. All Illinois conceived and foaled foals of 2021 (2YO's) registered with the Illinois Department of Agriculture are eligible. This nominating payment may be combined with the April 15th Payment (\$300) for the Illinois-Bred Stakes at the Illinois & Du Quoin State fairs, for a total of \$450 per horse.

Please be advised of the following: USTA Rule 12, Section 4 provides, "Failure to make any payment required by the conditions constitutes an automatic withdrawal from the event." The Department of Agriculture construes payment to require that checks be duly honored upon presentation and be received at the time specified in the USTA Rule 12, Section 2. If a check is not duly honored upon presentation, the horse(s) become ineligible to race, or if it races, to participate in the purse.

2. An entry fee of \$400 (\$200 in the event the race calls for divisions) is due with declaration to the host track. Entry shall be in accordance with the rules of the host track. Contact the Hawthorne race office for additional information 708-780- 3690.
3. For all Cardinal (colts/geldings) and Violet (fillies) #119, Two-Year-Old events:
 - a. If ten (10) or fewer horses are entered, the race will be contested in one heat for the total purse.
 - b. In the event that more than 10 horses enter, the event shall be raced in divisions which shall be drawn by lot. No division shall consist of more than 10 horses.
4. Horses may switch gait at entry time, but cannot race at both gaits in the events in the same year.
5. These events will be raced at one mile. Money distribution to first five finishers: 50%, 25%, 12%, 8% and 5%.
6. The final purses for these events are estimated at \$46,000 and are derived from contributions from the pari-mutuel licensee purse fund, contributions from the Illinois Department of Agriculture and the estimated nominating and entry payments.
7. Rules of the USTA, Illinois Racing Board and/or Department of Agriculture to govern. Note: The Department of Agriculture may change dates, locations or purse amounts of these events if extraordinary conditions exist.

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Nominations may also be paid online at the IDOA website.

2023 CARDINAL (C/G) / VIOLET STAKES (F) GENERAL CONDITIONS – THREE-YEAR-OLD

For Illinois Conceived & Foaled Foals of 2020

1. A nominating payment of \$200 is due to the Department of Agriculture by February 15, 2023. All Illinois conceived and foaled foals of 2020 (3YO's) registered with the Illinois Department of Agriculture are eligible.

Please be advised of the following: USTA Rule 12, Section 4 provides, "Failure to make any payment required by the conditions constitutes an automatic withdrawal from the event". The Department of Agriculture construes payment to require that checks be duly honored upon presentation and be received at the time specified in the USTA Rule 12, Section 4. If a check is not duly honored upon presentation, the horse(s) become ineligible to race, or if it races, to participate in the purse.

2. An entry fee of \$400 (\$200 in the event the race calls for divisions) is due with declaration to the host track. Entry shall be in accordance with the rules of the host track. Contact the Hawthorne race office for additional information 708-780- 3690.
3. For all Cardinal (colts/geldings) and Violet (fillies) #118 Three-Year-Old Events:
 - a. If eleven (11) or fewer horses are entered, the race will be contested in one heat for the total purse.
 - b. In the event that more than 11 horses enter, the event shall be raced in divisions which shall be drawn by lot. No division shall consist of more than 11 horses.
4. Horses may switch gait at entry time, but cannot race at both gaits in the events in the same year.
5. These events will be raced at one-mile. Money distribution to first five finishers: 50%, 25%, 12%, 8% and 5%.
6. The final purses for these events are estimated at \$46,000 and are derived from contributions from the pari-mutuel licensee purse fund, contributions from the Illinois Department of Agriculture and the estimated nominating and entry payments.
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ILLINOIS STATE FAIR COLT STAKES AND DU QUOIN STATE FAIR ILLINOIS CONCEIVED & FOALED (ICF) STAKES

For Two and Three Year Olds 2023 GENERAL INFORMATION & CONDITIONS

Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes & Du Quoin ICF Stakes - Combined
Nomination Payment of \$300 due April 15

Entry Payment

Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes

2 CP, 2 FP, 2 CT, 2 FT, 3 CP, 3 FP, 3 CT, 3 FT \$200.00 est.

Du Quoin ICF Stakes

2 CP, 2 FP, 2 CT, 2 FT, 3 CP, 3 FP, 3 CT, 3 FT \$200.00 est.

Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes and Du Quoin ICF Stakes Aged Races

Aged-4-Year-Olds and Up Divisions

H/GP, H/GT, MP, MT \$100.00 est.

NOMINATION: Entry payment is due before the race begins. Each horse must have been registered as an Illinois conceived and foaled standardbred under the rules and regulations of the Department of Agriculture. Single nomination payment of \$300.00 per horse, due on or before April 15, for 2- and 3-Year-Olds. Payment nominates horse to the Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes and the Du Quoin State Fair ICF Stakes.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE AND MAIL TO:

Illinois Department of Agriculture Horse Racing Programs

P.O. Box 19281, Springfield, IL 62794-9281

Nominations may also be paid online at the IDOA website

No nomination payment required for the Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes Aged Divisions. PLEASE NOTE: Aged divisions are open to all Illinois conceived and foaled horses, aged 4-Years-Old and older, that are properly registered with the Illinois Department of Agriculture.

Please consult Illinois State Fair and Du Quoin State Fair racing schedules in the previous section for race dates. Eliminations will be held if number of entries warrant.

Illinois Department of Agriculture reserves the right to run races as divisions. If race is split, the starting fee will be cut in half.

These events will be raced at one mile. Money distribution to first five finishers: 50%, 25%, 12%, 8% and 5%. If any issue arises not covered by these conditions, the Department of Agriculture and/or the Illinois Racing Board reserve the right to decide any question. All entrants agree to abide by that decision. Gait of entry must be given on April 15th. Any entrant changing gait may do so; all payments to stay with gait originally submitted.

For Two Year Olds

For 2-Year-Old ICF trotters and pacers; separate filly races. The \$300 nomination fee, due April 15, 2023, makes horse eligible to the Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes AND the Du Quoin ICF Stakes.

(As a convenience, this \$300 payment may be combined with the Cardinal and/ or Violet #116 2-Year-Old payments of \$150, also due April 15, 2023, for a total payment of \$450.)

For Three Year Olds

For 3-Year-Old ICF trotters and pacers; separate filly races. (2-Year-Old nomination to these races not necessary for 3-Year-Old eligibility.) \$300.00 nomination fee due April 15, 2023, makes horse eligible to the Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes AND the Du Quoin ICF Stakes.

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (IDOA) STATE FAIR RACES 2 CP, 2 FP, 2 CT, 2 FT, 3 CP, 3 FP, 3 CT, 3 FT

To be eligible, horse must be registered as an Illinois conceived and foaled standardbred, and may not have qualified for Championships of the Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes colt/gelding and filly races. To be raced in divisions. Each race one dash.

There are no nomination payments required for these races.

Horses entered but n e not required to pay the estimated \$100 entry fee. For all others, the estimated \$100 entry fee is due at time of entry.

PLEASE BE ADVISED:

Due to the manner in which the Illinois Standardbred Breeders Fund is funded, purse payments for the IDOA ICF races, the Aged ICF Races, the Illinois State Fair Colt Stakes, the Du Quoin State Fair ICF Stakes and the Du Quoin County Fair Challenges, are not known at this time and are subject to available funding. We regret any inconvenience this may cause. Your understanding and cooperation is appreciated.

ATTENTION TO ALL WINNERS OF THE ILLINOIS STATE FAIR AND Du Quoin STATE FAIR RACES:

Please direct all calls concerning purse checks to Hawthorne at 708-780-3690. The Department of Agriculture does not disburse individual purse checks.

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Horse Racing Programs

P. O. Box 19281 | Illinois State Fairgrounds
Springfield, IL 62794-9281

Office 217/782-4231 | TTY 866/287-2999 | Fax 217/524-6194

THE DU QUOIN STATE FAIR COUNTY FAIR CHALLENGES

CONDITIONS: County Fair Challenges

1. Eight races (separate filly divisions) for Illinois conceived and foaled horses nominated by March 15, or supplemented by May 15, to county fair races.
2. These races may go two divisions (if entries warrant) with the highest point winners in Colt Association Stake races in 2023.
3. There will be no entry or starting fees.
4. The higher point division will have an estimated purse To Be Determined with a purse breakdown of 50-25-12-8-5.
5. The lower point division will have a purse To Be Determined with a purse distribution of 50-25-12-8-5.
6. The fields are limited to 10 in each race. Any odd number entries will be divided with the middle horse going in the lower point division.
7. Ties (for 20th or the middle) will go to the horse with the fastest time in a Colt Association Stake race in 2023.
8. Points will be accumulated up to and through Sunday, August 20, 2023.
9. Two starts in Colt Association Stake races, Downstate Classic, Abe Lincoln and/or Jeffers Memorial Stakes required up to and through August 20, 2023.

DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY

10. Points will be kept for county fair challenge races. For each division, the top ten point earners in their respective Colt Association races, the Jeffers Memorial Stakes, Downstate Classic, and Abe Lincoln will have preference, at time of entry provided they are nominated to the 2023 county fairs.
11. The owner of each horse is responsible for entering and keeping eligibility points on his/her horse. The official tally of eligibility points will be kept by the Illinois Department of Agriculture.
12. Points will be awarded as follows: 5 for a 1st place finish, 4 for 2nd, 3 for 3rd, 2 for 4th, and 1 for 5th. In the event of a short field, no additional points will be awarded for those placings not contested. Should a dead heat result in any of the placings, the points will be split equally among those horses involved in the dead heat. If two or more horses are tied for points at the time of entry, the horse with the fastest county fair race time in a Colt Association Stake race, Downstate Classic, Abe Lincoln or Jeffers Memorial Stakes race will be preferred. If still tied, the eligible(s) will be drawn by lot.
13. Horses nominated to the Colt Association County Fair races will be the only horses eligible to race at the County Fair Challenges at the DuQuoin State Fair

All purse amounts that include IDOA monies are To Be Determined and subject to available funding.

2023 COUNTY FAIR RACING

NOTE: Purses that include IDOA funding are To Be Determined and subject to available funding. Watch the IDOA website for updated information or send your email address to carrie.tisckos@illinois.gov to be placed on an email list and receive updated information as it becomes available.

2023 COUNTY FAIR COLT ASSOCIATIONS RACING SCHEDULE

DATES	COUNTY	CITY	COLT ASSOC.	OTHER RACES
May 31	Greene	Carrollton	MWIRA	IHHA Pace
June 6	Macoupin	Carlinville	MWIRA	
June 7 & 10	Macon	Decatur	Big Ten	IHHA Pace
June 19-20	Jasper	Newton	Big Ten	
June 21	Henry	Cambridge	NICA	
June 26	Clark	Martinsville	Illini	Great Midwest IHHA Pace
June 29	Schuylar	Rushville	MWIRA	Preferred Pace IHHA Trot
July 9	Wayne	Fairfield	Big Ten	IHHA Trot
July 10	Knox	Knoxville	NICA	
July 12	Marshall- Putnam	Henry	NICA	IHHA Pace
July 17	DeWitt	Farmer City	Big Ten	
July 19	Menard	Petersburg	MWIRA	IHHA Trot
July 24	Edgar	Paris	Big Ten	
July 25	Champaign	Urbana	Illini	
July 25	Fulton	Lewistown	NICA	IHHA Trot
July 30-31	Logan	Lincoln	Illini	
July 31-Aug 5	Effingham	Altamont	Big Ten	Jeffers Memorial Stakes IHHA Trot
August 2-4	Coles	Charleston	Illini	Abe Lincoln IHHA Pace
August 5-6	Brown	Mt. Sterling	MWIRA	Downstate Classic
August 7	Clark	Marshall	Illini	
August 8	Boone	Belvidere	NICA	IHHA Pace
August 8	White	Carmi	Big Ten	IHHA Trot
August 15	Cumberland	Greenup	Illini	
August 19	Union	Anna	Big Ten	
August 19	Whiteside	Morrison	NICA	
Sept 2-3	Tri-Co	Pana	Big-Ten	IHHA Pace
September 7	Dekalb	Sandwich	NICA	

NOTE: Since this schedule could be subject to change, the Department of Agriculture or the Racing Associations should be consulted for race dates, specific conditions, purses, details concerning eligibility and starting payments. **All IDOA purse amounts are To Be Determined and subject to available funding.**

JUDGES, CLERKS, CHARTERS & ANNOUNCERS

List of Possible County Fair Judges:

<i>Jim Austin, Sr.</i>	<i>Lincoln, IL</i>	<i>217-732-2252</i>
<i>Jim Austin</i>	<i>Pawnee, IL</i>	<i>217-652-1715</i>
<i>Stan Bunting</i>	<i>Shelbyville, IN</i>	<i>317-385-7958</i>
<i>Randy Callahan</i>	<i>Greenup, IL</i>	<i>217-232-5003</i>
<i>Brad Dye</i>	<i>Moline, IL</i>	<i>309-269-2342</i>
<i>Bebe Groter</i>	<i>Wyoming, IL</i>	<i>309-695-4051</i>
<i>Gene Milleville</i>	<i>Altamont, IL</i>	<i>618-246-4690</i>

List of Possible County Fair Clerks:

<i>Linda Allhands</i>	<i>Dewey, IL</i>	<i>217-898-2044</i>
<i>Linda Eliff</i>	<i>E. Moline, IL</i>	<i>309-792-2729</i>
<i>Bebe Groter</i>	<i>Wyoming, IL</i>	<i>309-695-4051</i>
<i>Deone Wilson Higgenbotham</i>	<i>Martinsville, IL</i>	<i>217-276-0858</i>
<i>Tina Schrock</i>	<i>Cantrall, IL</i>	<i>217-416-0006</i>
<i>LeAnn Shinn</i>	<i>Newton, IL</i>	<i>618-783-2589</i>
<i>Mary Alice Tetrick</i>	<i>Geff, IL</i>	<i>618-599-5129</i>

List of Possible County Fair Charters:

<i>Stephanie Pennington</i>	<i>Edwardsville, IL</i>	<i>618-560-8705</i>
<i>Matt Potter</i>	<i>Sandwich, IL</i>	<i>815-545-5251</i>
<i>Tina Schrock</i>	<i>Cantrall, IL</i>	<i>217-416-0006</i>
<i>Tom Shinn</i>	<i>Newton, IL</i>	<i>618-783-2589</i>
<i>Goldie Svendson</i>	<i>Cambridge, IL</i>	<i>309-945-3183</i>
<i>Mary Alice Tetrick</i>	<i>Geff, IL</i>	<i>618-599-5129</i>

List of Possible County Fair Announcers:

<i>Scott Beal</i>	<i>Altamont, IL</i>	<i>217-343-1191</i>
<i>Kurt Becker</i>	<i>Altamont, IL</i>	<i>618-292-8547</i>
<i>Josh Carter</i>	<i>Williamsville, IL</i>	<i>217-341-8668</i>
<i>Ed Teefey</i>	<i>Mt. Sterling, IL</i>	<i>217-257-5008</i>
<i>Brent Titus</i>	<i>Alexis, IL</i>	<i>217-202-3550</i>
<i>Rick Uppal</i>	<i>Middletown, IN</i>	<i>360-927-1046</i>

**THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
ENCOURAGES EVERYONE TO REGISTER
FOR PREMISE I.D. NUMBER
(LIVESTOCK/FOWL/EQUINE)**

If stabled in Illinois, REGISTER online at IDOA's website: ***www.agr.state.il.us/premiseid*** and receive Premise I.D. Number instantly.
For questions or an application, call IDOA at:
**217-782-6657, TTY: 866-287-2999 or
FAX: 217-558-6033**

**RETURN APPLICATION TO:
Food Safety & Animal Protection Bureau
Illinois Department of Agriculture
P.O. Box 19281
Springfield, IL 62794-9281**

STABLED OUTSIDE OF ILLINOIS: Registration for livestock stabled outside of Illinois must be done through the corresponding state's Agriculture Department where the livestock is stabled.

The website is:

http://animalid.aphis.usda.gov/nais/premises_id/register.shtml

**GUIDELINES FOR ILLINOIS LIVESTOCK PREMISES
REGISTRATION
REQUIREMENTS FOR 2023 EXHIBITION**

Livestock Premises Identification/Registration is part of the National Animal Identification System (NAIS), which is a state/ federal/industry cooperative program intended to identify animal premises by assigning a unique number (a Premises Identification number) to each location where livestock (including equine) poultry, and/or rabbits are born, managed, marketed or exhibited. Premises registration is critical to protecting Illinois' livestock industry as it helps animal health officials minimize trace back times in the event of an animal disease outbreak.

A Premises ID is for the location animals are produced and/ or raised.

The Premises ID number may or may not be registered in the exhibitor's name as it relates to location of the animal and not ownership.

Premises registration is free and can be performed on line at (www.agr.state.il.us/premises-registration/) or by calling 217/782-6657 for a paper form. A printable postage paid registration form is also available at the website. When registering on line, you will be immediately issued the Premises ID number. When mailing in a paper form, you may need to allow 3-4 weeks to be issued a number. Those from other states can go to: www.animalid.aphis.usda.gov/nais/premises_id/register.shtml or contact their respective state's agriculture department.

DRUG POLICY FOR 2023

The Illinois Horse Racing Act provides that Standardbred races held at county fairs and the Illinois State Fair which receive funds from the Illinois Standardbred Breeders Fund shall be held in accordance with the rules of the United States Trotting Association (USTA). The Executive Vice-President of the USTA, at the request of the Department of Agriculture, authorizes the collection and testing of any horse racing at any non-pari-mutuel meets in Illinois. The rules of the USTA provide that judges at any meeting (other than those governed by the state racing commission) may order any horse in any heat or race to be subject to a saliva, blood, or urine test for the purpose of determining the presence of any drug, stimulant, depressant, sedative or other unapproved medication.

The horse races conducted at any County Fair are subject to the requirements of the USTA and may authorize drug testing of your horse. During the taking of the saliva, urine or other sample by the veterinarian, the owner, trainer, or authorized agent must be present at all times. Samples shall be placed in two containers and shall be immediately sealed and the evidence of such sealing indicated thereon by the signature of the representative of the owner or trainer. One part of the sample is to be placed in a depository under the supervision of the presiding judge until such time as the report of the chemical analysis of the other portion of the split sample is received. Should a positive report be received, an owner or trainer shall have the right to have the other portion of the split sample inserted in with a subsequent group being sent for testing or may demand that it be sent to another chemist agreeable to the Illinois Department of Agriculture for analysis, the cost of which will be paid by the party requesting the test.

Whenever at a non-pari-mutuel meeting there is a positive test finding the presence of any drug, stimulant, depressant, sedative or unapproved medicant present in the post race test the laboratory shall immediately notify the presiding judge who shall immediately report such findings to the Executive Vice-President of the USTA. When such positive report is received by the presiding judge, the persons held responsible shall be notified and a thorough investigation shall be conducted by or on behalf of the judges. A time shall be set by the judges for a hearing shall not exceed 4 racing days after the responsible persons were notified.

The hearing may be continued, if in the opinion of the judges, circumstances justify such action. In the event the judges are unable to perform this action, Executive Vice-President of the USTA shall forthwith set a date for a prompt hearing to be conducted by him or some person deputized by him for the purpose of determining all matters concerning the administration of such drug, stimulant, sedative or depressant and the care and the custody of the horse from which the positive sample was obtained.

2023 ILLINOIS COUNTY FAIRS GENERAL CONDITIONS COMMON TO ALL FOUR ILLINOIS COLT ASSOCIATIONS

Individual Colt Associations and county fairs have established conditions and rules that are in addition to United States Trotting Association and Department of Agriculture rules. Owners and trainers should be familiar with the conditions for each Association in which they are competing. United States Trotting Association and Illinois Department of Agriculture rules will govern when not covered in these conditions.

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 is required 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.

FOUR ILLINOIS COLT ASSOCIATION RACING IN 2023 – Twenty-seven Illinois county fairs will host racing events with estimated purses *To Be Determined*. Please consult the schedule on page 19. For the County Fair Challenges that will be raced at Du Quoin State Fair, the points will be accumulated up to and through Sunday, August 20, 2023. Two starts in Colt Association Stake races on or before August 20, 2023 are required in order to be eligible to the County Fair Challenges. Downstate Classic, Abe Lincoln and Jeffers Memorial are considered Colt Association Races.

ELIGIBILITY – All 2- and 3-Year-Old colts and fillies must be Illinois conceived and foaled and registered with the Illinois Department of Agriculture. 2-Year-Old payment is not necessary to retain eligibility as a 3-Year-Old to these events.

NOMINATION & ENTRY PAYMENTS:

	<u>March 15</u>	<u>Entry Fee</u>
27 Fairs	\$400	\$50

A supplement of \$800 can be paid by May 15th if nomination payment deadline is missed. No refunds will be made for the nomination payment that is due on March 15th. If the payment is not received, the horse is not eligible to race at any of the county fairs in 2023.

MARCH 15th NOMINATIONS MAKE PAYABLE AND MAIL TO:
Illinois Department of Agriculture | Horse Racing Programs
P. O. Box 19281 | Springfield, IL 62794-9281
217/782-4231 | Fax 217/524-6194

Nominations may also be paid online at the IDOA website.

ENTRIES: Three-Day (72-Hour) Box in effect for all county fairs hosting Colt Association races in 2023. Entries will close at 10:00 am three days prior to the scheduled date of the race.

Entry payments are due and payable at the Superintendent of Speed's Office of the fair hosting the race. Stall rent, or a maintenance fee, may be an additional charge. Consult individual Colt Associations/county fairs.

NOTE: OWNER SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEIN NUMBERS AND COMPLETE AND CURRENT OWNER ADDRESS MUST BE PROVIDED AT TIME OF ENTRY.

A race may be split on the sex of the horse, the owners, and the trainers, but under no circumstances should it be split for drivers.

PLAN OF RACING County Fair Half Mile Tracks

- If there is a minimum of three fillies and three colts in the specified level, the race will be split into divisions based on sex. In this case the March 15th money will follow the sex for which they are nominated. Whenever eight (8) or more of the same class are entered, that race will be split.
- If the minimum of three (3) fillies and/or three (3) colts is not met, all entries for that level will be in division(s) with fillies drawing the inside post positions. In this case the March 15th money for colts and fillies will be combined and split equally among all divisions of the race.
- If the minimum of three (3) entries of fillies/colts combined is not met, the race will not be contested. The March 15th money will be distributed to those who entered, and the state money re-allocated to other ICF events.
- In the event that we cannot race at the county fair half mile tracks and we have the opportunity to race on a mile track, all conditions from above shall be enforced with the exception that the split will be on nine (9) entered horses of the same class.

PURSES are To Be Determined. **PLEASE NOTE:** Purses that include IDOA funds are subject to available funding.

The Department requires a minimum of three (3) horses to draw in. With five finishers, the percentages will be 50%, 25%, 12%, 8%, and 5%. The following percentages are to be utilized for races in which there are four (4) or less finishers: 4 finishers – 55%, 25%, 12%, and 8%, 3 finishers – 58%, 28%, and 14%, 2 finishers: 65% and 35%, and 1 finisher – 100%.

In the event a race is canceled for inadequate entries or rain, the portion of the purse derived from the March 15th payment will be distributed among those entered. If there are remaining days of ICF racing, the state money can be re-allocated to the remaining ICF events. The Department has waived the requirement that a fair race a minimum of 6 heats to be considered a racing program and eligible for state funds.

FREQUENCY OF STARTS: No horse may compete at race events on two consecutive days (rained-out events excluded) or at two county fairs on the same day. No horse may race more than 3 times in 7 consecutive days (including overnights & pari-mutuel events.)

ADDED MONIES - Purses are derived from Illinois Standardbred Breeders Fund and Paragraph 49 added monies, nomination payments less deduction, entry payments and individual fair contributions.

DEDUCTIONS - From those March 15th nomination monies collected, a disbursement will be made to all Colt Associations for that Colt Association's annual operating expenses. The balance of nomination and supplement fees will be paid to the Colt Associations to be distributed according to age, sex, and gait. Gait changes will be allowed at time of entry, but nomination money will stay with the gait as originally submitted.

SCRATCHES - Please be reminded that Illinois county fair harness racing operates under USTA rules. Scratches must be reported to, and approved by, the Presiding Judge. We call your attention to USTA Rule 14, Section 1(1), Drawing of Horses After Declaration. - "After declaration to start has been made no horse shall be drawn except by permission of the judges. A fine, not to exceed \$500, or suspension may be imposed for drawing a horse without permission, the penalty to apply to both the horse and the party who violates the regulation."

STIMULANTS, DRUGS - Please refer to USTA Rule 21. In an effort to promote the sport of harness racing and project a positive image of our sport, random drug testing will be conducted on urine and/or blood samples obtained from horses competing at Illinois county fair harness race meetings.

ALL HORSES RACING ON LASIX FOR THE 1ST TIME MUST BRING A SLIP INTO THE RACING OFFICE PRIOR TO POST TIME.

RANDOM IDENTIFICATION CHECKS WILL BE PERFORMED AT ANY OR ALL COUNTY FAIRS.

HUMANE CARE FOR ANIMALS ACT - (administered by the Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Animal Welfare). Each year the Department receives complaints regarding alleged abuse of horses racing at the county fairs. To promote the sport in the best possible light, and to be in total compliance with State humane laws, horsemen are asked to abide by the conditions regarding frequency of starts as stated above. It is recognized that the county fair season is short, but there are ample opportunities to race horses without overtaxing them.

In addition, abusive, excessive, or indiscriminate use of the whip or appearance thereof will be dealt with accordingly. Please review the USTA Whipping Regulations, Rule 18, Section 9-11.

Be advised that complaints received will be turned over to the Department's Bureau of Animal Welfare and will be investigated. If abuse is found to have occurred, such act is punishable as a criminal offense under the authority of the Statutes of the State of Illinois.

NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST WILL BE REQUIRED - Effective January 1, 1995, all equine participants at organized (advertised) equine events are required to have proof of a negative Coggins test for EIA performed within the last 12 months.

NOTE: All purse amounts are TO BE DETERMINED and subject to available funding.

DOWNSTATE CLASSIC STAKES FOALS OF 2021 - TWO-YEAR-OLDS

SPONSORED BY: Downstate Classic Colt Stakes Inc.

For 2-Year-Old trotters and pacers; separate filly divisions - nominations closed.

2-Year-Old races will be held Sunday, August 6, 2023 at the Brown County Fairgrounds in Mt. Sterling, Illinois

RACING CONDITIONS: All events to be raced one dash at one mile. If more than 7 declare in to start, the track reserves the right to race divisions. In the event divisions are raced, the purse will be divided equally by the number of divisions raced. The races will be divided by sex.

ELIGIBILITY: Only horses that are Illinois Conceived and Foaled and properly registered with the Illinois Department of Agriculture.

NOMINATIONS: Yearlings (Foals of 2021) nominations of \$25.00 were due June 15, 2022. Late nominations for foals of 2021 were accepted through December 31, 2022 for \$50.00.

FUTURE SUSTAINING PAYMENTS:

2-Year-Old - \$150.00 sustaining Payment due April 15, 2023

3-Year-Old - \$200.00 sustaining Payment due March 15, 2023

SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENTS: Horses that were nominated as yearlings but failed to be sustained at 2 Y.O. can still be made eligible as a 3 Y.O. by making a supplemental payment of \$400 by March 15th of their 3 Y.O. year.

Horses that were not nominated as yearlings can be made eligible at 2 Y.O. by making a supplemental payment of \$500 by April 15 of the 2 Y.O. season. To remain eligible at 3 Y.O., they would need to make a sustaining payment of \$200 by March 15th of their 3 Y.O. season.

Horses that were not nominated as yearlings or supplemented at 2 Y.O. can be made eligible at 3 Y.O. by making supplemental payment of \$1000 by March 15th of the 3 Y.O. season.

DECLARATION: Due in the race secretary's office in accordance with standards of hosting tracks- 72-Hour box

DECLARATION FEE:

\$200.00 due in race Secretary's office day of race

PAYMENT DISTRIBUTION: Nomination payments to be divided equally between age, gait and sex. Sustaining payments follow gait and sex of division in which horse is entered. An administration fee of up to 5% may be deducted.

TRANSFER: Gait may be changed upon proper notification to the Downstate Classic Stakes office. All subsequent payments after the nomination shall follow the adopted gait.

NOTICE: USTA Rule 11, Section 3 provides "Failure to make any payment required by conditions constitutes an automatic withdrawal from the event." The Downstate Classic Stakes will construe payment to require that cash or check duly honored upon presentation be received at the time specified. If check is not duly honored upon presentation, the horse(s) become ineligible to race.

RULES: All events to race under the rules of the USTA in effect at the time of the race. The Downstate Classic Stakes reserves the right to decide any question which may arise that are not covered by these conditions.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO AND MAIL TO:

Downstate Classic Stakes
% LeAnn Shinn 303 Orchard Drive
Newton, IL 62448
Phone: (618)783-2589

DOWNSTATE CLASSIC STAKES FOALS OF 2020- THREE-YEAR-OLDS

*SPONSORED BY: Downstate Classic Colt Stakes Inc.
TROPHY: To be awarded to the Breeders of race winners*

**3 Year-Old races will be held Wednesday June 7, 2023 at the
Macon County Fairgrounds in Decatur, Illinois**

RACING CONDITIONS: All events to be raced one dash at one mile. If more than 7 declare in to start, the track reserves the right to race divisions. In the event divisions are raced, the purse will be divided equally by the number of divisions raced. The races will be divided by sex.

ELIGIBILITY: Only horses that are Illinois Conceived and Foaled and properly registered with the Illinois Department of Agriculture.

NOMINATIONS: Yearlings (Foals of 2020) nominations of \$25.00 were due June 15, 2021. Late nominations for foals of 2020 were accepted through December 31, 2021 for \$50.00.

FUTURE SUSTAINING PAYMENTS:

3- Year-Old - \$200.00 sustaining Payment due March 15, 2021

SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENTS: Horses that were nominated as yearlings but failed to be sustained at 2 Y.O. can still be made eligible as a 3 Y.O. by making a supplemental payment of \$400 by March 15th of their 3 Y.O. year.

Horses that were not nominated as yearlings or supplemented at 2 Y.O. can be made eligible at 3 Y.O. by making supplemental payment of \$1,000 by March 15th of the 3 Y.O. season.

DECLARATION: Due in the race secretary's office in accordance with standards of hosting tracks- 72-Hour box.

DECLARATION FEE:

\$200.00 due in race Secretary's office day of race.

PAYMENT DISTRIBUTION: Nomination payments to be divided equally between age, gait and sex. Sustaining payments follow gait and sex of division in which horse is entered. An administration fee of up to 5% may be deducted.

TRANSFER: Gait may be changed upon proper notification to the Downstate Classic Stakes office. All subsequent payments after the nomination shall follow the adopted gait.

NOTICE: USTA Rule 11, Section 3 provides "Failure to make any payment required by conditions constitutes an automatic withdrawal from the event." The Downstate Classic Stakes will construe payment to

require that cash or check duly honored upon presentation be received at the time specified. If check is not duly honored upon presentation, the horse(s) become ineligible to race.

RULES: All events to race under the rules of the USTA in effect at the time of the race. The Downstate Classic Stakes reserves the right to decide any question which may arise that are not covered by these conditions.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO AND MAIL TO:

Downstate Classic Stakes

% LeAnn Shinn 303 Orchard Drive

Newton, IL 62448

Phone: (618)783-2589

JEFFERS MEMORIAL STAKES

Effingham County Fairgrounds, Altamont, IL

RACING CONDITIONS: Nomination to the Illinois County Fairs required. If 7 or less horses are declared to start, the race will go in one division. If 8 or more horses are declared to start, the race will be contested in divisions, each division going one heat. The Department of Agriculture funding, and the Effingham County Fair contribution will be divided equally; entry fee will follow the horse.

RULES: All events to be raced under the rules of the USTA and the Illinois Department of Agriculture, which reserves the right to decide any questions which may arise that are not covered by these conditions.

EMERGENCY CONDITIONS: If, because of unfavorable weather or other unavoidable reason the races are postponed, they may be rescheduled at the discretion of the Illinois Department of Agriculture and Effingham County Fair. Illinois Department of Agriculture and the Effingham County Fair reserve the right to cancel the event and return starting fees after deducting clerical and administrative expenses allowed in these conditions. All entrants must abide by this change or forfeit their right to participate in these races or race for any part of the purse. In all circumstances, the Illinois Department of Agriculture and Effingham County Fair will make the final decision.

ENTRY FEE: Maintenance fee of \$20.00 per horse due with entry payment of \$100

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Effingham County Fair
Speed Superintendent - Dean Wetherell
Phone: 618-483-5666

ILLINOIS TOPLINE – OPEN TO THE WORLD REGARDLESS OF BREEDING OR OWNERSHIP

**For 2- and 3-Year-Old & Older pacers and trotters
– not restricted to Illinois-breds.**

\$250 nomination fee due March 15, 2023 to Illinois Topline

MAIL TO:

Randy Callahan
Secretary PO Box 555 | Greenup, IL 62428
Phone: (217)-232-5003

Nomination payment makes horse eligible to all 2023 Topline
events at fairs listed below.

3-DAY BOX

<u>TRACK</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PURSES</u>
Newton	June 19-20	\$2,000.00
Urbana	July 25	\$2,000.00
Lincoln	July 30	\$2,000.00
Altamont	August 2	\$2,000.00
Charleston	August 4	\$2,000.00
Marshall	August 8	\$2,000.00
IL State Fair	August 17	TBD
Du Quoin State Fair	August 26-27	TBD

PLAN OF RACING: In the event the number of entries is 8 or more, the race will be split into equal divisions if possible and the \$2,000 purse will be split equally. If possible, the filly entries will be separated from the colt entries, but if they are combined, fillies will be given inside post position. If a minimum of two (2) entries of fillies/colts combined is not met, the race will NOT be contested and the March 15th nomination money will be distributed to those who entered.

SPECIAL CONDITION: In case a race program is cancelled for reasons beyond control of the fair, the March 15 nomination money will be distributed to those who entered the Topline races.

PURSES:

5 finishers 50%, 25%, 12%, 8% and 5%

4 finishers 55%, 25%, 12% and 8%

3 finishers 58%, 28% and 14%

2 finishers 65% and 35%

1 finisher 100%

All events to be contested under the rules of this Association, the United States Trotting Association and the Illinois Racing Board.

IHHA AGED RACES 3-YEAR-OLD AND UP

A total of 13 races – 6 trots and 7 paces - to be raced at the following county fairs in 2023:

<u>PACES</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EST. PURSES</u>
Greene Co Fair, Carrollton (MWIRA)	May 31	Est. \$3,000
Macon Co Fair, Decatur (Big Ten)	June 7	Est. \$3,000
Clark Co Fair, Martinsville (ILLINI)	June 26	Est. \$3,000
Marshall-Putnam Co Fair, Henry (NICA)	July 12	Est. \$3,000
Coles Co Fair, Charleston (Illini)	Aug 2	Est. \$3,000
Boone Co Fair, Belvidere (NICA)	Aug 8	Est. \$3,000
Tri County Fair, Pana (Big Ten)	Sept 3	Est. \$3,000

<u>TROTS</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EST. PURSES</u>
Schuyler Co Fair, Rushville (MWIRA)	June 29	Est. \$3,000
Wayne Co Fair, Fairfield (Big Ten)	July 9	Est. \$3,000
Menard Co Fair Petersburg (MWIRA)	July 19	Est. \$3,000
Fulton Co Fair, Lewistown (NICA)	July 25	Est. \$3,000
Logan Co Fair, Lincoln (Illini)	July 30	Est. \$3,000
White Co Fair, Carmi (Big Ten)	Aug 8	Est. \$3,000

PLEASE NOTE:

All purse estimates are subject to available funding.

ELIGIBILITY: Horses must be Illinois conceived and foaled, age 3 and up to be eligible. No nomination payments required. Owner(s), trainer and driver must be a member of IHHA (may join day of race).

ENTRY FEE: IHHA Race \$50.00 + maintenance

Entry fees will be added to the purse.

Entries: 72 hour box

RACING CONDITIONS: To follow rules now in existence for conducting 2 & 3-Year-Old colt association events.

MONEY DISTRIBUTION: 50% - 25% - 12% - 8% - 5% (for fields of 4 or less, see distributions on pg. 26)

FOUR COLT ASSOCIATIONS & CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact any of the following Colt Association representatives for up-to- date information on races within their association.

ILLINI Colt Association

Randy Callahan, Sec.
PO Box 555
Greenup, IL 62428
Phone: 217/232-5003

Illinois Big 10 Colt Stakes Assn., Inc.

Kellie Siebert
104 East Hawthorne Dr
Effingham, IL 62401
Cell Phone: 217/821-2585

Mid-Western Illinois Racing Association

Tina Schrock, Sec.
7495 N Cantrall Creek Rd
Cantrall, IL 62625
Phone: 217/416-0006 or 217/299-0180

Northern Illinois Colt Assn.

Michelle Monier, President
624 County Rd 850 N
Sparland, IL 61565
Cell Phone: 309/238-4633
Fair Office: 309/364-2814

ILLINI (TOPLINE)



2023 ILLINI RACE SCHEDULE

Martinsville (Clark County)	June 26
Urbana (Champaign County).	July 25
Lincoln (Logan County)	July 31
Charleston (Coles County).	August 3
Marshall (Clark County)	August 8
Greenup (Cumberland County)	August 15

Mr. Randy Callahan
Secretary/Treasurer
PO Box 555
Greenup, Illinois 62428
217/232- 5003
217/923-3034

ILLINI COLT ASSOCIATION 2023 GENERAL CONDITIONS

Nominations to close March 15, 2023
Payments to the Illinois Department of Agriculture
3-DAY BOX

(See p. 35 for additional Topline information.)

All races to be charted, and photo finish provided. Each fair to furnish starting gate.

ENTRY PAYMENT: \$50 entry fee and maintenance fee due day of race.

ADDED MONIES: Each county fair will add \$300 to each race.

PLAN OF RACING: Colts and fillies will be split if at least 3 of each are entered. In the event the number of entries is 8 or more, the race will be split. If the minimum of three (3) entries of fillies/colts combined is not met, the race will NOT be contested. The March 15th nomination money will be distributed to those who entered, and the state money re-allocated to other Illini events at that fair.

SPECIAL CONDITION: In case a race program is cancelled for reasons beyond control of the fair, the March 15th nomination money will be distributed to those who entered the Illini races.

PURSES:

5 finishers 50%, 25%, 12%, 8% and 5%

4 finishers 55%, 25%, 12% and 8%

3 finishers 58%, 28% and 14%

2 finishers 65% and 35%

1 finisher 100%

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

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 is required to be licensed must be able to prove to race officials that they are currently licensed by USTA at the time of the race. Drivers who do not hold a current USTA license are not eligible to drive in County Fair Races.

BIG-10



2023 BIG-10 COLT ASSOCIATION, INC.

Decatur (Macon County)	June 10
Newton (Jasper County)	June 19-20
Fairfield (Wayne County)	July 9
Farmer City (DeWitt County)	July 17
Paris (Edgar County)	July 24
Altamont (Effingham County)	July 31-Aug 1
Carmi (White County)	August 8
Anna (Union)	August 19
Pana (Tri-County)	Sept 2-3

Secretary/Treasurer
Kellie Siebert
104 E Hawthorne Dr
Effingham, IL 62401
217/821-2585 (Cell)

ILLINOIS BIG 10 COLT ASSOCIATION, INC. 2023 GENERAL CONDITIONS

Nominations to close March 15, 2023
Payments to the Illinois Department of Agriculture
3-DAY BOX

All races to be charted, and photo finish provided. Each fair to furnish starting gate.

ENTRY PAYMENT: \$50 entry fee and maintenance fee due day of race. Maintenance fee may vary per fair.

ADDED MONIES: Each county fair will add \$400 to each race. Newly added fairs will add money at their discretion.

PLAN OF RACING: Colts and fillies will be split if at least 3 of each are entered. In the event the number of entries is 8 or more, the race will be split. If the minimum of three (3) entries of fillies/colts combined is not met, the race will NOT be contested. The March 15th nomination money will be distributed to those who entered, and the state money re-allocated to other Big 10 events at that fair.

SPECIAL CONDITION: In case a race program is cancelled for reasons beyond control of the fair, the March 15th nomination money will be distributed to those who entered the Big 10 races.

PURSES:

5 finishers 50%, 25%, 12%, 8% and 5%

4 finishers 55%, 25%, 12% and 8%

3 finishers 58%, 28% and 14%

2 finishers 65% and 35%

1 finisher 100%

The Big 10 Colt Association supports any drug testing done by the Illinois Department of Agriculture or any other agency.

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 is required to be licensed must be able to prove to race officials that they are currently licensed by USTA at the time of the race. Drivers who do not hold a current USTA license are not eligible to drive in County Fair Races.

MID-WEST



2023 MID-WESTERN ILLINOIS RACING SCHEDULE

Carrollton (Greene County)	May 31
Carlinville (Macoupin County).	June 6
Rushville (Schuyler County)	June 29
Petersburg (Menard County).	July 19
Mt. Sterling (Brown County)	August 5

Ms. Tina Schrock
Secretary/Treasurer
7495 N Cantrall, IL 62625
217/416-0006 or 217/299-0180

****MWIRA will again be hosting a Summer Preview and Fall Review (October) firm dates and times TBD.**

MID-WESTERN ILLINOIS RACING ASSOCIATION 2023 GENERAL CONDITIONS

Nominations to Close March 15, 2023
Payments to the Illinois Department of Agriculture
3-DAY BOX

ENTRY PAYMENTS: Maintenance fee of \$20.00 per horse due with entry payment of \$50 unless advertised otherwise.

ADDED MONIES: Each fair will add \$400 to each race.

PLAN OF RACING: Colts and fillies will be split if at least 3 of each are entered. In the event the number of entries is 8 or more, the race will be split. If the minimum of three (3) entries of fillies/colts combined is not met, the race will NOT be contested. The March 15th nomination money will be distributed to those who entered and the state money re-allocated to other MWIRA events at that fair.

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

Overnight events contested on the Mid-Western Illinois Racing Association circuit: Maintenance Fee for all overnight horses entered. Three day (72-Hour) box applies to overnight classes also.

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 is required 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.

NORTHERN



2023 NORTHERN ILLINOIS COLT ASSOCIATION SCHEDULE

Cambridge (Henry County)	June 19
Knoxville (Knox County)	July 10
Henry (Marshall-Putnam)	July 12
Lewistown (Fulton County).	July 25
Belvidere (Boone County)	August 8
Morrison (Whiteside County)	August 19
Sandwich (DeKalb County)	September 6

Michelle Monier, President
624 County Rd 850 N
Sparland, IL 61565
309-238-4633 Cell
309-364-2814 Fair Office

NORTHERN ILLINOIS COLT ASSOCIATION 2023 GENERAL CONDITIONS

Nominations to Close March 15, 2023
Payments to the Illinois Department of Agriculture
3-DAY BOX

ENTRY PAYMENT: All events are governed by a 3 Day (72-Hour) Box; \$50 entry fee for all races. \$25.00 Maintenance Fee for all horses. \$20.00 Entry Fee for all overnight events.

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 is required 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.

**2023
RACING
SCHEDULES
FOR
COUNTY FAIRS**

CARROLLTON, ILLINOIS

Greene County Fair

Speed Superintendents: Leo Grummel & Mark Walker
Entries: Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180
Fair Office - (217) 942-6608 (race days only)
Leo Grummel (217) 248-1637 Mark Walker (217) 248-1778
(72-HOUR ENTRY BOX-Closes at 10:00 a.m.)

WEDNESDAY, May 31, 2023 - 6:00 P.M.

PACE-2-Year-Old-M-WIRA. . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT-3-Year-Old-M-WIRA. . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT-2-Year-Old-M-WIRA. . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE-3-Year-Old-M-WIRA. . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE-NW \$5,000 LT.	Est.\$1000
TROT-OPEN	Est.\$1000
PACE-IHHA 3 YO & UP	Est.,\$3,150

FAIR IS ADDING \$500 TO EACH MWIRA RACE.

M-WIRA & IHHA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

If overnight is held and splits, 50% will be added and each division will race for equal purse.

**IHHA Races: All owners, trainers & drivers must be IHHA members at the time of the race. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits, no money will be added to the purse. IHHA race subject to availability of funds.

CARLINVILLE, ILLINOIS

Macoupin County Fair

Speed Superintendent: Jim Kaburick (217) 320-5965
Entries: Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180
(72-HOUR ENTRY BOX-Closes at 10:00 a.m.)

TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2023 - 5 :30 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old-M-WIRA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old-M-WIRA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old-M-WIRA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old-M-WIRA . . . . .	.\$TBD
*PACE - Open . . . . .	.\$1,000
*TROT - Open . . . . .	.\$1,000
PACE - NW \$5000.....	,\$1,000 EST

M-WIRA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00
MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00
OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$25.00

*OVERNIGHT RACE WILL GO IN ONE DIVISION ONLY. FIRST 7 TO ENTER WILL DRAW INTO THIS RACE.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS

Macon County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Evan Hall (217)-859-2003

Race Day Only - (217) 433-8938

ONLINE ENTRIES ARE ENCOURAGED

ENTRIES - CONTACT LEANN SHINN (618) 783-2589

(72 HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes at 10:00 a.m.)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2023 - 4:00 PM

TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly Downstate Classic Est. \$14,000

TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt Downstate Classic Est. \$14,000

PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly Downstate Classic Est. \$14,000

PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt Downstate Classic Est. \$14,000

PACE - IHHA - 3-Year-Old & Up Est. \$3,000

SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2023 - 11:00 A.M.

PACE - 2-Year-Old BIG 10 FILLY Est. \$ TBD

PACE - 2-Year-Old BIG 10 COLT Est. \$ TBD

PACE - 3-Year-Old BIG 10 FILLY Est. \$ TBD

PACE - 3-Year-Old BIG 10 COLT Est. \$ TBD

TROT - 2-Year-Old BIG 10 FILLY Est. \$ TBD

TROT - 2-Year-Old BIG 10 COLT Est. \$ TBD

TROT - 3-Year-Old BIG 10 FILLY Est. \$ TBD

TROT - 3-Year-Old BIG 10 COLT Est. \$ TBD

ENTRY FEE: Downstate Classic - \$200.00

Big 10 Stake and IHHA: \$50.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

Current USTA card admit one person

NEWTON, ILLINOIS

Jasper County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Gary Gorrell

Entries - Contact LeAnn Shinn (618) 783-2589

ONLINE ENTRIES ARE AVAILABLE

Speed Office Phone (618) 783-3901 (Race Days Only)

(72 HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes at 10:00 a.m.)

MONDAY JUNE 19, 2023 - 6:00 PM

TROT - 3-Year-Old Big 10	\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Big 10	\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old and Up Topline	\$2,000
PACE - 3-Year-Old and Up Topline	\$2,000
TROT - Maiden.	Est. \$800

TUESDAY, JUNE 20, 2023 - 6:00 PM

TROT - 2-Year-Old Big 10	\$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Big 10	\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Topline	\$2,000
PACE - 2-Year-Old Topline	\$2,000
PACE- Maiden	Est. \$800

RAIN DATE - Wednesday, June 21, 2023 -1:00 PM

ENTRY FEES:

Big 10 & Topline: \$50.00

Overnights \$25.00

Maintenance Fee \$20.00

CAMBRIDGE, ILLINOIS

Henry County Fair

Speed Superintendent: David Brooks (309) 945-5698

ENTRIES – Tina Schrock(217) 416-006 or (217) 299-0180

72 HOUR ENTRY BOX closes at 10:00 AM on June 16, 2023

Wednesday, JUNE 21, 2023 AT 5:00 PM

(ALL NICA STAKE RACE PURSES YET TO BE DETERMINED)

PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old-Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - Chad Yoder Memorial FFA . . . . .	.\$1000 (Est)
PACE - NW 2 Races LT or NW \$5000. ⁰⁰ LT	\$1000 (Est)

RAIN DATES: Thursday, June 22, 2023 at 1:00 PM

NICA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

Overnight Entry Fee: \$20.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stake races to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA .The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

Please - No Straw Bedding

MARTINSVILLE, ILLINOIS

Clark County Fair

Speed Superintendent: Phil Reeds

Assistant: Tim Wilson, Jr.

Deone Wilson, Racing Secretary: (217) 276-0858

RACE DAY ONLY: Speed Office - (217) 382-6611

Minimum Trailer Electrical Hook Up - \$30

(72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes at 10:00 am)

MONDAY, JUNE 26, 2023, 5:00 P.M.

TROT GREAT MIDWEST \$7,000 EST
PACE GREAT MIDWEST \$7,000 EST
TROT - 2-YEAR-OLD ILLINI TBD EST
PACE - 2-YEAR-OLD ILLINI TBD EST
TROT - 3-YEAR-OLD ILLINI TBD EST
PACE - 3-YEAR-OLD ILLINI TBD EST
PACE - 3- YEAR-OLD&UP.....\$3,000 EST

ENTRY FEES IHHA: \$50.00

Great Midwest Stakes - \$200

Illini Stakes - \$50

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20

CONDITIONS: Rules of the USTA, IL Department of Agriculture, Great Midwest Trot and Pace Stakes and rules of this association to govern. ENTRIES on all events close at 10 a.m. CDT 3 days before the race is scheduled.

GREAT MIDWEST TROT AND PACE

Nominate foals of 2022 as yearlings on or before May 15, 2023 for \$10.

MAIL TO: Sherry Repp, Secretary

Great Midwest Trot and Pace

8359 N. 2100th St. | Palestine, IL 62451

Phone (C) (618) 553-9167

All animals must be under control at all times by owner, driver or person in charge.

NOTE: Right reserved to reject any entry, change order of program or declare off any race not filling satisfactorily. Two or more horses from stable may start in any race.

NO ALCOHOL, DRUGS, OR FIREARMS PERMITTED ON THE GROUNDS!

RUSHVILLE, ILLINOIS

Schuyler County Fair

Speed Superintendent: George Pollock

Entries: Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180

Fair Office-(217) 322-4306 (race day only)

(72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes at 10:00 a.m.)

THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 2023 - 12:00 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

TROT - 3-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

TROT - 2-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

PACE - 3-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

PACE - Maiden Est. \$1,000

PACE - NW \$5,000 LT Est. \$1,000

The Preferred Pace

*PACE-4 Year Old & Up-ICF Est. \$6,000

**TROT IHHA 3 Year-old and Up. Est. \$3,000

M-WIRA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

4 YEAR-OLD & UP ENTRY FEE: \$100

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$25.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

IHHA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

***THE PREFERRED PACE: Race will go one heat and eight highest money earners in 2023 at time of entry will draw in to this race.**

**IHHA Race: For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up. All owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits, no money will be added.

FAIRFIELD, ILLINOIS

Wayne County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Philip Cotton (618) 838-3754

Entries- Contact LeAnn Shinn (618) 783-2589

Online entries are available

72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes 10:00 am

SUNDAY, JULY 9, 2023 - 1:00 PM

TROT - 2-Year-Old Big Ten Est. \$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Big Ten Est. \$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Big Ten Est. \$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Big Ten Est. \$TBD
TROT - MAIDEN A.E. NW \$1500 LT. . . . Est. \$800.00
PACE - MAIDEN A.E. NW \$1500 LT. . . . Est. \$800.00
TROT - IHHA 3-Year-Old & Up Est. \$3,000

ENTRY FEE FOR BIG TEN & IHHA: \$50.00

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

The Race Secretary reserves the right to change/add conditions on overnight races on the day of entry, if needed, to fill races.

**IHHA Race: For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up. All owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits, no money will be added.

KNOXVILLE, IL

Knox County Fair

Speed Superintendent: Rick Flacco & Tabby Flacco

ENTRIES – Tina Schrock (217)416-0006 or (217) 299-0180

72 HOUR ENTRY BOX - closes at 10:00AM on July 7th, 2023

MONDAY, JULY 10, 2023 AT 5:00 PM

(ALL NICA STAKE RACE PURSES YET TO BE DETERMINED)

PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - FFA.	EST \$1000
TROT - FFA	EST \$1000

RAIN DATES: Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 10:00 AM

NICA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stake races to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

EMERGENCY ONLY (309) 335-2113 NO ENTRIES!

HENRY, ILLINOIS

Marshall Putnam Fair

Speed Superintendent - Michelle Monier

Speed Office - (309) 364-3385 or (309) 364-2952

ENTRIES – Tina Schrock (217)416-0006 or (217) 299-0180

72 HOUR ENTRY BOX - closes at 10:00 AM July 9th, 2023

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12, 2023 AT 5:00 PM

(ALL NICA STAKE RACE PURSES YET TO BE DETERMINED)

PACE - 2-YEAR-OLD FILLY NICA \$TBD
PACE - 2-YEAR-OLD COLT NICA \$TBD
TROT - 2-YEAR-OLD FILLY NICA \$TBD
TROT - 2-YEAR-OLD COLT NICA \$TBD
PACE - 3-YEAR-OLD FILLY NICA \$TBD
PACE - 3-YEAR-OLD COLT NICA \$TBD
TROT - 3-YEAR-OLD FILLY NICA \$TBD
TROT - 3-YEAR-OLD COLT NICA \$TBD
PACE - NW \$5000.00 LT EST. \$1000
TROT - NW \$3750.00 LT EST. \$1000
PACE - IHHA 3 YEAR-OLD & UP

RAIN DATES: JULY 13TH, 2023 AT 11:00 AM

NICA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

IHHA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

**IHHA Race: For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up. All owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits, no money will be added.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stake races to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

EMERGENCY ONLY (309) 238-4633 NO ENTRIES!

FARMER CITY, ILLINOIS

Dewitt County Fair

Speed Superintendent – Curt Homann (217_ 377-3174)

ENTRIES – CONTACT LEANN SHINN (618) 783-2589

ONLINE ENTRIES ARE AVAILABLE

Speed Office Phone (217) 377-3174

72 HOUR ENTRY BOX – Closes at 10 a.m.

MONDAY, JULY 17, 2023 – 5:30 P.M.

TROT – 2 YO BIG 10	EST \$TBD
PACE – 2 YO BIG 10	EST \$TBD
TROT – 3 YO BIG 10	EST \$TBD
PACE – 3 YO BIG 10	EST \$TBD
TROT-FFA	EST \$800
PACE-FFA	EST \$800

ENTRY FEE BIG 10: \$50

ENTRY FEE OVERNIGHTS: \$25

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00 on all races

Current USTA card admit one person

PETERSBURG, ILLINOIS

Menard County Fair

Speed Superintendent: Tom Ostermeier

Entries: Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180

Fair Office-(217) 632-3848 (race day only)

72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes at 10:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023 - Time-TBA

PACE - 2-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

TROT - 3-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

TROT - 2-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

PACE - 3-Year-Old M-WIRA \$TBD

*PACE - 2 & 3-Year-Old Open Est.\$1,000

TROT - IHHA - 3 - Year -Old& Up Est.\$3,150

MWIRA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

OVERNIGHT FEE : \$25.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

*OVERNIGHT RACE WILL GO ONE DIVISION ONLY. FIRST 7 TO ENTER WILL BE DRAWN INTO THIS RACE.

PARIS, ILLINOIS

Edgar County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Mary Lou Wright
Speed Office - (217) 251-9127 or (217) 251-2289
72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes 10:00 am

MONDAY, JULY 24, 2023 - 5:00 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old BIG 10	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old BIG 10	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old BIG-10	Est. \$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old BIG-10	Est. \$TBD
TROT - OPEN	Est. \$2,000
PACE - OPEN	Est. \$2,000

BIG-10 ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$30.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

Overnights will split only once.

LEWISTOWN, ILLINOIS

Fulton County Fair

Contact person - Monty Thompson (309) 338-2507
ENTRIES Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180
72 HOUR ENTRY BOX - closes at 10:00AM on July 22nd, 2023

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 2023 AT 5:00 PM

(ALL NICA STAKE RACE PURSES YET TO BE DETERMINED)

PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
NICA - 3-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 2 and 3 Year Old Open	\$1000 (Est)
PACE - 4 Year Old and Up Open	\$1000 (Est)
TROT - 3 Year Old and Up IHHA	\$3,000 (Est)

RAIN DATE: July 26, 2023 at 1:00 PM

NICA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.
OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

****IHHA Race:** For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up. All owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits, no money will be added.

All purses subject to state funding. All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

EMERGENCY ONLY (309) 238-4633 NO ENTRIES!

URBANA, ILLINOIS

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY - HARNESS RACING

Superintendent of Speed - Bill Alagna

Clerk of Course - Linda Allhands

Entries: Contact LeAnn Shinn (618) 783-2589

ONLINE ENTRIES ARE AVAILABLE

Race Day Only - (217) 898-2044

Race Office - (217) 367-8461

72 HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes at 10:00 a.m.

TUESDAY, JULY 25, 2023 - 6:00 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old TOPLINE Est. \$2,000

TROT - 2-Year-Old TOPLINE Est. \$2,000

PACE - 2-Year-Old Illini Est. \$TBD

TROT - 2-Year-Old Illini Est. \$TBD

PACE - 3-Year-Old & Older TOPLINE . . . Est. \$2,000

TROT - 3-Year-Old & Older TOPLINE . . . Est. \$2,000

PACE - 3-Year-Old Illini Est. \$TBD

TROT - 3-Year-Old Illini Est. \$TBD

ENTRY FEES:

Illini & Topline \$50

Maintenance Fee \$20

Purses may be adjusted according to amount budgeted by Department of Agriculture. Stalls must be vacated after racing. Association may alter racing order, or cancel races not filling satisfactorily.

ALTAMONT, ILLINOIS

Effingham County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Dean Wetherell - (618) 483-5666

Speed Office Phone: (618) 483-6907

(72 Hour Entry Box - Closes 10:00 a.m.)

SUNDAY, JULY 30, 2023 - 1:00 PM

JEFFERS MEMORIAL STAKES

PACE - 2 Yr Old Filly Est \$TBD

TROT - 2 Yr Old Filly Est \$TBD

PACE - 2 Yr Old Colt Est \$TBD

TROT - 2 Yr Old Colt Est \$TBD

PACE - Open 4 YO & Up: AE NW: of \$1,000 2023 Est \$1,500

** SEE SUB RACES FOR EACH DAY

MONDAY, JULY 31, 2023 - 1:00 PM

TROT - 3 Year Old Big-Ten Est \$TBD

PACE - 3-Year-Old Big-Ten Est \$TBD

TROT - Fillies & Mares Est \$1,500

PACE - FFA Est \$1,500

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2023 - 1:00 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old Big-Ten Est \$TBD

TROT - 2-Year-Old Big-Ten Est \$TBD

PACE - NW \$7,500 LT Est \$1,500

TROT - FFA Est \$1,500

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2023 - 1:00 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old Topline Est \$2,500

TROT - 3-Year-Old & Older Topline Est \$2,500

PACE - 3-Year-Old & Older Topline Est \$2,500

TROT - 2-Year-Old Topline Est \$2,500

PACE - Non-Winners \$3,500 LT Est \$1,500

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2023 - 1:00 PM

PACE - Fillies & Mares Est \$1,500

TROT - NW \$1,000 LT AE: 2 YO NW 2 Races Est \$1,500

PACE - NW \$1,000 LT AE: 2 YO NW 2 Races Est \$1,500

TROT - Maidens AE NW of \$1,500 in 2023 Est \$1,500

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023 - 12 NOON

PACE - 2 Year Old Open Est \$1,500

TROT - NW \$15,00 LT Est \$1,500

PACE - NW \$30,000 LT Est \$1,500

PACE - Maidens AE: NW \$2,500 in 2023. . Est \$1,500

Amateur Driving Race Est. \$500

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Entries for Substitute Races listed below are taken each day and used at discretion of Speed Superintendent.

PACE - Open Maiden Pace - AE (ICF NW2) Est \$1,500
TROT - Open Maiden Trot - AE (ICF NW2) .Est \$1,500
PACE - Open NW2 Pace - AE (ICF NW3) . .Est \$1,500
PACE - Open Colts and Geldings Pace . . .Est \$1,500
TROT - Open Colts & Geldings Trot. . . .Est \$1,500

Jeffers Memorial Stakes Entry Fee: TBD

Big-Ten and Topline Entry Fees: \$50

Overnights - \$20.00

Maintenance Fee for all entries - \$20.00

CONDITIONS: All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA. More than one horse from a given stable may race in the same heat. The Fair has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily or choose a substitute race. Association reserves the right to refuse any or all entries and reserves the right to run elimination heats or one heat racing on all races. Fair reserves the right to require three (3) entries or event will be cancelled and reserves the right to go one heat of each overnight if conditions justify.

All purses subject to state funding.

LINCOLN, ILLINOIS

Logan County Fair

Speed Superintendent – Jim Austin

Race Secretary Office (217) 652-1329 or (217) 652-1715

72-HOUR ENTRY BOX – Closes 10:00 am

SUNDAY, JULY 30, 2023 - 1:30 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old TOPLINE	\$2,000.00
TROT - 2-Year-Old TOPLINE	\$2,000.00
PACE - 3-Year-Old & Older TOPLINE	\$2,000.00
TROT - 3-Year-Old & Older TOPLINE	\$2,000.00
PACE – MAIDENS: AE NW\$1500 LT NW 2 RACES . Est.	\$1000.00
TROT - IHHA 3 YO & Up . . . . .	.Est. \$3,000.00

MONDAY, JULY 31, 2023- 1:30 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
TROT - MAIDENS AE NW\$1500 LT NW 2 RACES . Est.	\$1000.00
TROT - 2-Year-Old - Open AE NW 1.	Est. \$1,000.00

ENTRY FEES:

Topline: \$50.00 Illini: \$50.00

IHHA: \$50.00

Maintenance Fee: \$20.00

Overnights: \$25.00

**IHHA Race: For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up. All owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits, no money will be added.

Fair reserves the right to alter conditions of overnight races.

CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS

Coles County Fair

Racing Superintendent – Clark Fairley

Entries: Contact LeAnn Shinn (618) 783-2589

*****WE ENCOURAGE ONLINE ENTRIES*****

Race Office (217) 345-9211 – Race Days Only!!

72 HOUR ENTRY BOX – Closes 10:00 a.m.

\$250 BONUS TO THE 3-DAY MEET'S LEADING TRAINER!

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2023 – POST 5:30 P.M.

AMATEUR DRIVER RACE est. \$500

ABE LINCOLN

TROT – ICF – 3-Year-Old Filly est. \$5,650

PACE – ICF – 3-Year-Old Filly est. \$5,650

TROT – ICF – 3-Year-Old Colt est. \$5,650

PACE – ICF – 3-Year-Old Colt est. \$5,650

TROT – Open est. \$1,500

PACE – IHHA 3 Year Old and Up est. \$3,250

Qualifiers may be added. Overnights may be moved to Thursday.

The ABE LINCOLN is open to ALL ICF 3-Year-Old colts & fillies – no nomination. \$200 entry fee added to the purse.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2023 – POST 12:30 P.M.

TROT – 2-Year-Old ILLINI (Fair to add \$500) \$TBD

PACE – 2-Year-Old ILLINI (Fair to add \$500) \$TBD

TROT – 3-Year-Old ILLINI (Fair to add \$500) \$TBD

PACE – 3-Year-Old ILLINI (Fair to add \$500) \$TBD

TROT – NW \$5,000 LT; est. \$1,000

AE: NW 4 Races LT; AE: NW \$1,000 IN 2023

PACE – NW \$5,000 LT; AE: NW 3 Races LT est. \$1,000

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023 – POST 12:30 P.M.

TROT – 3-Year-Old & Up TOPLINE \$2,000

PACE – 3-Year-Old & Up TOPLINE \$2,000

TROT – 2-Year Old TOPLINE \$2,000

PACE – 2-Year Old TOPLINE \$2,000

PACE – Maiden; AE: NW \$500LT est. \$1,000

PACE – NW \$7,500 LT. est. \$1,000

AE: NW 4 Races LT; AE NW \$1,000 in 2023

TROT – Maiden; est. \$1,000

AE: NW 2 Races LT to draw outside

ABE LINCOLN ENTRY FEE - \$200 added to purse

ILLINI, TOPLINE & IHHA ENTRY FEE - \$50

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE - \$30

MAINTENANCE FEE - \$20 on all horses

ALL OVERNIGHT RACES – The Coles County Fair will pay the advertised purse plus the entry fee. If a race splits, the Fair will not add money. The Fair reserves the right to combine classes or change conditions to fill a race card. All purses subject to state funding.

**IHHA Race: For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up. All owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits, no money will be added.

MT STERLING, ILLINOIS

Brown County Fair

Speed Superintendent: Ed Teefey

Entries: Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180

Fair Office - (217) 773-3930 (race days only)

(72-HOUR ENTRY BOX-Closes at 10:00 a.m.)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023-2:00 p.m.

PACE-2-Year-Old- M-WIRA	Est \$TBD
TROT-3-Year-Old- M-WIRA	Est \$TBD
TROT- 2-Year-Old- M-WIRA	Est \$TBD
PACE-3-Year-Old- M-WIRA	Est \$TBD
TROT-2 & 3 Year-Old-Open.	Est \$1000
TROT-Open	Est \$1000

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2023-2:00 p.m.

TROT-2-Year-Old Filly Downstate Classic. Est.	\$11,000
TROT-2-Year-Old Colt Downstate Classic. Est.	\$11,000
PACE-2-Year-Old Filly Downstate Classic. Est	\$11,000
PACE-2-Year-Old Colt Downstate Classic. Est	\$11,000
PACE-2 & 3 Year-Old - Open	Est \$1000
PACE-Open	Est \$1000

ENTRY FEES:

- M-WIRA Entry Fee: \$50.00
- Downstate Classic: \$200.00
- Overnight: \$25.00
- Maintenance Fee \$20.00

For complete conditions on the DOWNSTATE CLASSIC, see page 28. For questions, refer to DOWNSTATE CLASSIC conditions for 2-year-olds on page 27.

Questions Please contact LeAnn Shinn at (618) 783-2589

MARSHALL, ILLINOIS

Clark County Fair

Speed Superintendent: Tannor Spittler

ENTRIES - CONTACT LEANN SHINN (618) 783-2589

ONLINE ENTRIES HIGHLY ENCOURAGED!

Speed Office - (217) 232-8266

(72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes at 10:00 am August 5, 2023)

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 2023 - 6:30 P.M.

TROT - 2-Year-Old ILLINI	TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old ILLINI	TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old ILLINI	TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old ILLINI	TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old TOPLINE	est. \$2,000
PACE - 2-Year-Old TOPLINE	est. \$2,000
TROT - 3-Year-Old & Older TOPLINE . . .	est. \$2,000
PACE - 3-Year-Old & Older TOPLINE . . .	est. \$2,000
PACE - 3-Year-Old & Up IHHA	est. \$3,000

ILLINI STARTING FEE: \$50.00 plus \$20.00 Maintenance Fee.

TOPLINE STARTING FEE: \$50.00 plus \$20.00 Maintenance Fee.

IHHA STARTING FEE: \$50.00 plus \$20.00 Maintenance Fee.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the U.S.T.A. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

****IHHA Race:** For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up, ALL owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits no money will be added.

BELVIDERE, ILLINOIS

Boone County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Wayne & Sara Weaver (Assistant)
ENTRIES – Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180
72 HOUR ENTRY BOX - closes at 10:00AM on Aug 5, 2023

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2023 - 12:00 PM Noon

PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Filly NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3- Year-old Filly NICA. . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3- Year-Old Colt NICA. . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3- Year-Old Filly NICA. . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Colt NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - Maiden.	Est. \$1750
TROT - NW \$2500.00 LT.	Est. \$1750
TROT - FFA.	Est. \$1750
PACE - NW \$1500 LT	Est. \$1750
PACE - NW \$850 IN 2023; AE: NW \$5500 LT	Est. \$1750
PACE - FFA.	Est. \$1750
PACE - IHHA 3-Year-Old & up.	Est. \$3,000

NICA & IHHA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.
OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

Speed Office (815) 547-8939 - This number is only operational during the fair. Emergency and Pre-fair questions, please call (815) 679-7882 NO ENTRIES on this line.

**IHHA Race: For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up, ALL owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits no money will be added.

CARMI, ILLINOIS

White County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Tim Barbre

ENTRIES - CONTACT LEANN SHINN (618) 783-2589

ONLINE ENTRIES HIGHLY ENCOURAGED!

Race Day Only - 217/433-8938

Rick Barbre - 618/384-6274

72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes 10:00 am

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2023 - 6:00 PM

TROT - 3-Year-Old Big Ten	Est. \$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Big Ten	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Big Ten	Est. \$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Big Ten	Est. \$TBD
TROT - Open	Est. \$500
PACE - NW \$1,500, AE Maidens, AE 2YO .	Est. \$600
PACE - NW \$5,000, AE 3 & 4 Year-Olds . .	Est. \$600
TROT - IHHA 3-Year-Old	Est. \$3,000

ENTRY FEE BIG TEN & IHHA: \$50.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00

No maintenance fee on overnights.

White County reserves the right to split races by sexes & age.

****IHHA Race:** For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up, ALL owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits no money will be added.

GREENUP, ILLINOIS

Cumberland County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Nancy Gabel

Standardbred Superintendent: Karie Cook

Speed Office - (217) 923 -3194 or (217) 923-3294

72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes 10:00 am

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2023 - 12:00 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
PACE - Filly & Mare	Est. \$800
TROT - 3-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old ILLINI	Est. \$TBD
TROT - NW \$5,000 LT; AE NW \$1,000 in 2023	Est. \$800

ILLINI ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$30.00

All Purses Subject to Change Due to State Funding

CONDITIONS: All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA More than one horse from a given stable may race in same heat. Fair has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily. Fair reserves the right to refuse any or all entries!! Fair reserves the right to run elimination heats or one heat racing on all races. No overnight races will be split this year.

The Cumberland Co. Fair Association reserves the right to require five (5) horses to enter and four (4) to start or overnight event may be cancelled.

MORRISON, ILLINOIS

Whiteside County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Dan Heusinkveld heusi@frontier.com

Entries- Contact Tina Schrock (217)416-0006 or (217)299-0180

ONLINE ENTRIES STRONGLY ENCOURAGED

Race Office (815) 772-4491 (No entries)

Emergency phone: (815) 718-3917 (no entries)

72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes 10:00 am on Aug 17, 2023

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 2023 - 12:00 PM Noon

PACE - 2-Year-Old NICA \$TBD

TROT - 2-Year-Old NICA \$TBD

PACE - 3-Year-Old NICA \$TBD

TROT - 3-Year-Old NICA \$TBD

PACE - NW \$3,500; AE: NW \$750 last 3 races. . \$1,000

PACE - Free for All \$1,000

TROT - Open 3 YO & Up "Buck Weaver Memorial" \$1,000

NICA & IHHA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee. Overnight Entry Fee: \$20.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stakes to be raced according to the rules of the NICA and the USTA. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

Possible 2 Heat racing for overnights if fewer than 5 races scheduled.

Event may be cancelled if fewer than 4 entries with 3 starters.

Negative Coggins Test Required On All Horses.

The Fair will give an award of \$50.00 to the Driver of any horse breaking the existing track record of 2:02 trotting or 1:57 3/5 pacing. The Speed Supt. will give an award of \$50.00 to the Driver of the Day based on point system.

EMERGENCY NUMBER (815) 718-3917 NO ENTRIES!

ANNA, ILLINOIS

Union County Fair
Speed Superintendent - Ron Knupp
Entries- Contact LeAnn Shinn (618) 783-2589
ONLINE ENTRIES STRONGLY ENCOURAGED
Speed Office - (618) 833-8923
72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes 10:00 am

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 2023 - 1:00 PM

PACE - 2-Year-Old Big 10	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 2-Year-Old Big 10	Est. \$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Big 10	Est. \$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Big 10	Est. \$TBD

BIG TEN ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

MAINTENANCE ENTRY FEE: \$20.00 on all horses

CONDITIONS: All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA , more than one horse from given stable may race in same heat . Fair has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily. Fair reserves right to refuse any or all entries. Fair reserves the right to run one heat racing on all races. NO races will be split this year.

The race secretary reserves the right to change/add conditions on overnight races on the day of entry if needed, to fill the race. Purses subject to change due to state funding.

PANA, ILLINOIS

Tri-County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Dan Thompson
Entries- Contact LeAnn Shinn (618) 783-2589
Online entries are available
Race Days Only (217) 433-8938
72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - Closes 10:00 am

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 2, 2023 - 2:00 PM

TROT - Maiden (AE non-winners of \$1,500 life) Est. \$800
PACE - Maiden (AE non-winners of \$1,500 life) Est. \$800
TROT - Free for All Est. \$1,200
PACE - Free for All Est. \$1,200
PACE - Filly/Mare Est. \$1,000

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2023 - 2:00 PM.

TROT - 2-Year-Old Big 10 \$TBD
PACE - 2-Year-Old Big 10 \$TBD
TROT - 3-Year-Old Big 10 \$TBD
PACE - 3-Year-Old Big 10 \$TBD
PACE - IHHA 3-Year-Old & Up Est. \$3,000

Sub races MAY BE ADDED – call on entry day, Aug 30 & 31, to inquire

ENTRY FEE BIG TEN & IHHA: \$50.00
OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$25.00
MAINTENANCE FEE: \$20.00 on all races

Current USTA card admits one person in gate.

The Pana Tri-County Fair reserves the right to cancel, combine or re- open non-stake races to benefit the race program.

**IHHA Race: For ICF 3-Year-Olds & Up, ALL owners, trainers and drivers must be IHHA members. The entry fee will be added to the purse. If the race splits no money will be added.

SANDWICH, ILLINOIS

DeKalb County Fair

Speed Superintendent - Jerry Dudzik

Entries: Tina Schrock (217) 416-0006 or (217) 299-0180

72-HOUR ENTRY BOX - closes at 10:00 AM Sept 4th, 2023

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2023 - 11:00 AM

(ALL NICA STAKE RACE PURSES YET TO BE DETERMINED)

PACE - 2-Year-Old Filly Pace NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 2 Yr Old Colt Pace NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2 Yr Old Filly Trot NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 2 Yr Old Colt Trot NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3 Yr Old Filly Pace NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - 3 Yr Old Colt Pace NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3 Yr Old Filly Trot NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
TROT - 3 Yr Old Colt Trot NICA . . . . .	.\$TBD
PACE - NW \$5000 LT	Est. \$1000
PACE - FFA	Est. \$1000
TROT - FFA	\$1000

The Fair reserves the right to combine classes or change conditions to fill a race card.

NICA ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00

MAINTENANCE FEE: \$25.00

RAIN DATE: September 7, 2023 at 11:00 AM

NICA Entry FEE: \$50.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

OVERNIGHT ENTRY FEE: \$20.00 plus \$25.00 Maintenance Fee.

All purses subject to state funding.

All stakes to be raced according to the rules of their respective circuit and the USTA. The association has the right to change card, order of program or cancel any race not filling satisfactorily.

EMERGENCY NUMBER (815) 405-1618 NO ENTRIES!

PARI-MUTUEL TRACK

Hawthorne Race Course (708) 780-3690

COUNTY FAIR COLT ASSOCIATIONS

Illinois Big-10 Colt Stakes Association. (217) 821-2585

Mid-Western Illinois Racing Association. .(217) 416-0006

Northern Illinois Colt Association (309) 269-2342

Illini Colt Association. (217) 232-5003

HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATIONS

4-H Standardbred Colt Program. (217) 333-1784

Illinois Harness Horseman's Association (630) 323-0808

Illinois Racing Board (312) 814-2600

The United States Trotting Association (877) 800-8782

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Horse Racing Programs (217) 782-4231

FAX(217) 524-6194

TTY (866) 287-2999

E-mail *Carrie.Tisckos@Illinois.gov*

STATE FAIRGROUNDS

Du Quoin State Fair

Administration Office. (618) 542-1555

Illinois State Fair (Springfield)

Administration Office. (217) 782-6661

Illinois State Fair Racing Office

(during Fair) (217) 782-2239

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