



B.C. Standardbred Association

present the 2008 ARBUTUS FILLY PACE

ELIGIBILITY: For foals of 2005. To be raced as 3-year-old pacing fillies in 2008 that are registered with Standardbred Canada or the United States Trotting Association prior to the date on which nominations close (May 15, 2008) and are (a) sired by a stallion that stood in Canada for the entire 2004 breeding season, AND/OR (b) non-Canadian sired fillies that are wholly owned by residents or citizens of Canada as of January 31, 2008 provided that: (i) if the owner is a partnership, stable, corporation or a similar entry, all partners, members or shareholders must be residents or citizens of Canada; (ii) if leased, both lessors and lessees must be residents or citizens of Canada; (iii) to remain eligible to either event, fillies must continue to be wholly owned by residents or citizens of Canada from time of nomination and until the time the event is contested; (iv) the sale of a nominated filly to a non-resident or non-citizen of Canada eliminates it from further eligibility as of the date of the sale, and (v) all sales of nominees both before and after nominations must be bona fide sales. For the purpose of these conditions, "residents of Canada" are persons who maintain their permanent residences in Canada at the time nominations close and resided in Canada for at least 183 days in 2007. "Citizens of Canada" are persons who maintain their Canadian citizenships. **If not Canadian sired, fillies must remain in 100% Canadian ownership from January 31, 2008 through to the date(s) of racing.**

RACE DATES: Eliminations: Saturday, September 20, 2008 @ FRASER DOWNS
Final: Saturday, September 27, 2008 @ FRASER DOWNS

PURSE: \$12,000 A

PAYMENT SCHEDULE: Nomination Fee: \$100.00 due **MAY 15, 2008** (Payable to Standardbred Canada)
Starting Fee: \$200.00 due at time declarations close for the Eliminations (Payable to Fraser Downs)

CONDITIONS:

1. All starting payments (payable to Fraser Downs) are due at the time of closing of declarations for the eliminations.
2. The B.C. Rules of Standardbred Racing shall govern.
3. All nominating and sustaining payments to be added to the final.
4. All events to be raced a distance of one (1) mile.
5. The horsemen's purse pool shall add \$4,000 to any elimination and a minimum of \$2,000 to the final.
6. The sponsors shall add a minimum of \$12,000 to the purse (Standardbred Canada \$6,000 and BCSA \$6,000).
7. If there are five (5) or more starters, the purse distribution for each event will be: 50%, 25%, 12%, 8%, and 5%. If there are less than five (5) entries declared to start, the purse distribution for each event will be: 4 starters - 50%, 25%, 15%, 10%, 3 starters - 55%, 30%, 15%, 2 starters - 65%, 35%, 1 starter - 100%.
8. The eliminations will be cancelled if there are nine (9) or less, horses declared to start. Eliminations will not be split due solely to the declarations of an Entry for more than two (2) horses.
9. All horses must be entered to race. A horse must race in an elimination, or in the event of cancellation of the eliminations, must have been in the entry box at the time of cancellation to be eligible to the final.
10. Declarations for the final will be accepted from the top nine (9) money winners. The next highest money winner will be an also-eligible. Not more than one also-eligible will be drawn and may only be moved in if programmed. Non-money winners will be eligible if not enough money winners declare. A maximum of nine (9) horses are allowed in the final. In the final no more than two (2) declarations will be accepted for horses that would be coupled as an entry for betting purposes and in the event more than two such horses are declared the excess will be eliminated by lot. Any ties decided by lot.

Standardbred Canada and the BCSA assume no responsibility for payments made by mail which are not received due to inadequacies of the postal system. Registered mail is recommended. All envelopes must be clearly post-marked by May 15, 2008.

I hereby nominate the following filly/fillies to the 2008 Arbutus Filly Stake (\$100.00 each):

| Name | Sire | Dam | Tattoo |
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Owner Name: _____

Nominator Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please make nomination cheques payable & mail to: **STANDARD BRED CANADA - Attn: Stakes Department**
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