

AMHR Futurity Guidelines

The following guidelines are intended to furnish general information to the prospective Futurity participant. Instructions not specifically covered in this writing can be obtained by calling the office at 309 263 4044, asking for the Futurity Department

You must be a current member in good standing to enter the futurity.

Animal Eligibility

- Animals must be registered with AMHR
- Animals must be within the size limitations. (38" & under)
- Mares must be 3 years old at date of foaling.
- Stallions must be 2 years old to breed.
- The futurity is a 4 year program, weanling, yearling, 2 year old, and 3 year old

Nominations

- Nomination forms must be completed & submitted by March 1st. (Regular mail or e-mail with credit card information)
- Foals become eligible if the Sire & Dam were nominated in the Futurity year.
- Stallion Nominating Fee = \$25.00.
- Mare Nominating Fee = \$5.00 for AMHR (Increase to \$10.00 starting in 2016)
- A Stallion may breed outside Mares, yet the fee is only paid once.

Sustaining Procedure

A foal, whose parents were nominated the prior year, must be sustained as a Yearling, Two Year Old and Three Year Old in order to remain in the Futurity program for the duration of the futurity. Failure to sustain the animal in any year will eliminate its eligibility. (Starting in 2016. If a foal was originally nominated and the owner neglected to sustain that foal may be re-entered in the futurity by paying a late fee of \$100.00 and the back sustaining fees)
Due date is March 1st.

- Yearling Sustaining Fee = \$10.00
 - Two Year Old Sustaining Fee = \$10.00
 - Three Year Old Sustaining Fee = \$20.00
- All Sustaining years can be prepaid if so desired.

Class Entry Fees:

Entry fees are added to the Futurity pay out each year

- Weanling \$10.00
- Yearling \$10.00
- 2 year old \$10.00
- 3 year olds \$20.00 per class entered

Class entry fees are only paid if the animal is entered into a class. Failure to enter in a particular year DOES NOT eliminate the animal from showing the next year, provided the animal has been sustained on a continued basis each year. Miniatures Show at the AMHR National Show

Classes & Divisions

- Miniatures 34" & under are shown in the Under Division.
- Miniatures over 34" to 38" are shown in the Over Division.
- Weanling Colt under 30"

- Weanling Filly under 30"
- Weanling Colt / Gelding over 30" to 32"
- Weanling Filly over 30" to 32"
- Yearling Colt / Gelding under 32"
- Yearling Filly under 32"
- Yearling Colt / Gelding over 32" to 36"
- Yearling Filly over 32" to 36"
- 2 Year Old Colt / Gelding under 33"
- 2 Year Old Filly under 33"
- 2 Year old Colt / Gelding over 33" to 37"
- 2 Year old Filly over 33" to 37"

Note : 3 year olds may show in both halter and ONE of the offered performance classes

- 3 Year Old Colt / Gelding under 34"
- 3 Year Old Filly under 34"
- 3 Year old Colt / Gelding over 34" to 38"
- 3 Year old Filly over 34" to 38"

Note : Performance classes are all sexes together

- 3 Year Old Roadster Under
- 3 Year Old Roadster Over
- 3 Year Old Pleasure Driving Under
- 3 Year Old Pleasure Driving Over
- 3 Year Old Country Pleasure Driving Under
- 3 Year Old Country Pleasure Driving Over
- 3 Year Old Western Country Pleasure Driving Under
- 3 Year Old Western Country Pleasure Driving Over .

Annual Payout Percentage

Nomination Fee Distribution

- Foal Year=15%
- Yearling Year=25%
- 2 Year Old Year=25%
- 3 Year Old Year=35%

Sustaining Fee Distribution

Yearling Sustaining Fee Distribution

- Yearling Year =30%
- 2 Year Old Year=30%
- 3 Year Old Year=40%

Two Year Old Sustaining Fee Distribution

- 2 Year Old Year=40%
- 3 Year Old Year=60%

Three Year Old Sustaining Fee Distribution

- 3 Year Old=100%.

Class Winnings Distribution

- 1 in class = 1st gets 100%
 - 2 in class = 1st gets 57%, 2nd gets 43%
 - 3 in class = 1st gets 46%, 2nd gets 32%, 3rd gets 22%
 - 4 in class = 1st gets 40%, 2nd gets 30%, 3rd gets 20%, 4th gets 10%
 - 5 or more in class = 1st gets 37%, 2nd gets 27, 3rd gets 17, 4th gets 12, 5th gets 7%
- Note: Normally the futurity only pays the top 5, but in classes of 26 or greater 6th thru 10th are paid the club contribution
- The overall pay out consists of a % of nomination fund + % of sustaining + the entry fees + the share of the Club Contribution dependent on age of animal and class %.