



2018 Ohio Fairs Championship

Sponsored by: The Ohio Harness Horsemen's Association

\$25,000 per division, est.

Nomination Payment Due: March 15, 2018

Nomination Fee: \$100

2-Year-Old Filly Pace & Trot

3-Year-Old Filly Pace & Trot

2-Year-Old Colt Pace & Trot

3-Year-Old Colt Pace & Trot

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- Nomination for 2-and 3-year-old Ohio Sired horses \$100. Starting Fee \$200. All nominations and starting fees will be added to the purse.
 - Points accumulated by racing at any Ohio Fairs Stakes funded by the Ohio Fairs Fund through September 28, 2018.
 - Horses receiving points may enter the Ohio Fairs Championship. The highest nine (on a five-eighths mile track) or highest eight (on a half-mile track) in point earning horses entered will be drawn to start in the Ohio Fairs Championship. If two or more horses tied in points declare in for the last position in any race, the horse with the highest earnings in the Ohio Fairs Fund stakes for the current year will be the last starter. If the tie is not broken by earnings, the last starter shall be drawn by lot.
 - Two AE horses may be drawn. The higher point winner shall be assigned also-eligible #1. If any also-eligible horses tie in points, the horse with the higher Ohio Fairs Fund stakes earnings, shall break the tie, any further ties shall be drawn by lot. Also-eligible horses may move in if a scratch occurs prior to the designated scratch time at the track hosting the Ohio Fairs Championship.
 - Points to be awarded as follows: Win-51, Second-26, Third-13, Fourth-9, Fifth-6 and all remaining starters-1. In the event of a dead-heat, as with purse money division, horses shall receive the standard distribution of points for their particular order of finish. Points shall be awarded according to any placing of the judges and shall be used to determine which horses shall qualify for the Ohio Fairs Championship.
 - Minimum of at least 6 betting interests to start in any of the Championships; declared horses split nomination monies if race doesn't meet minimum required
 - Only two (2) nominees from one (1) stable, owner or trainer may participate in any Championship. No refund will be given for third, fourth, etc. horses entered by the same connections.
 - Qualifying Standard required for starting in the Ohio Fairs Championship: One clear charted line in the last 45 days prior to race day with a time at or below the standard required:
 - 2-year-old Trotters 2:11.0*
 - 2-year-old Pacers 2:07.0*
 - 3-year-old Trotters 2:06.0*
 - 3-year-old Pacers 2:02.0*
 - In the same year, if a horse is eligible by points and draws in to race in the Ohio Sires Stakes Championship, the horse is not eligible to race in the Ohio Fairs Championship. A horse scratched from the Ohio Sires Stakes Championship is not eligible to enter the Ohio Fairs Championship.
 - Event is managed by the Ohio Harness Horsemen's Association. If circumstances prevent racing any Championship at the scheduled racetrack on its advertised date, the OHHA may reschedule it on another date or at another track.
 - Unless otherwise specifically stated in the conditions, Ohio State Racing Commission Rules will govern. The interpretation of any of the conditions and settlement of any disputes that arise will be determined by the OHHA in their sole and complete discretion in making a final decision. The OHHA reserves the sole and exclusive right to modify, alter, amend and/or cancel this event in its entirety.