



NSA Official Notices

Monday, September 16, 2024

Shawan Downs Nominations

Nominations for (#82) The Brown Advisory Timber Stakes are now available and attached to the link below.

<https://nationalsteeplechase.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/Nominations-September-28-.pdf>

Shawan Downs Course Report

Grass coverage is consistent and lush, roughly 7-8 inches throughout

Moisture readings averaged 3-5

Compaction ranged from Firm (130-140) to Hard in places (140-180)

The course has been irrigated the past week and will continue to be irrigated accordingly, focusing on the areas that are more compact.

Forecast is calling for rain mid-week with additional rain expected next week. Irrigation schedule will be adjusted accordingly.

Shawan Trials

Shawan Flat Trials: Saturday, September 21st

Weather permitting, The Legacy Chase committee is pleased to offer flat trials the Saturday September 21st at 3pm, at Shawan Downs.

\$100 per horse, payable by check to the Legacy Chase at Shawan Downs LLC.

Please email entries to posey@thelegacychase.com Entries by 11am on Monday, September 16th, scratches by 11am Wednesday September 18th.

For three-year-olds and up, 1.5 miles, licensed riders, catch weights.

Shawan Hurdle Trials: Sunday, September 29th

Weather permitting, The Legacy Chase committee is pleased to offer hurdle trials Sunday morning September 29th from 8-10am, at Shawan Downs.

\$200 per horse, payable by check to the Legacy Chase at Shawan Downs LLC.

Please email entries to posey@thelegacychase.com Entries by 12pm on Wednesday, September 25th, scratches by 12pm on Thursday, September 26th.

For three-year-olds and up, licensed riders, catch weights.

Fall Ratings

The current ratings list is now available on the NSA website.

<https://nationalsteeplechase.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/fall-ratings-September-13.pdf>

If you have a winner over hurdles in training for the fall season that is not listed, please notify Emma Cary and the horse will be added. Also, if a horse appears on the list that is no longer in training for the fall please advise.

Foxfield Extra Race SEVENTH RACE (Training Flat)

For Three Year Olds and Upward. Three-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 5 lbs. Apprentice riders allowed 5 lbs. No other rider allowances. **The result of this race does not count toward a horse's official record.** Entry fee \$100.

One Mile and One Half on the Turf.

Note: Post Time for the first race at Foxfield has been moved up to 12:00 noon.

Fall Racing Scratch Time

Reminder: As indicated in the Fall Condition Book scratch time has been moved from Wednesday to Tuesday, one day prior. All final program changes must be made by 11am on Tuesdays.

Montpelier

Please note the training flat race (#118) bonus money is as follows.

\$5,000 to the winning owner, \$2,500 for second, \$1,500 for third, \$1,000 for fourth

ARCA Race

Saturday, September 28, 2024

(Entries Close on Tuesday, September 24, 2024)

PURSE \$18,500. (PLUS UP TO 50% DELAWARE CERTIFIED BONUS) FOR MAIDENS,
THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD.

Three Year Olds.....133 lbs.

OLDER.....136 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000

ONE MILE AND ONE SIXTEENTH (TURF)

For information or questions contact Don Yovanovich 540 270 0115 or dony13@aol.com

Purse Increases at Virginia Fall Meets

There will be a \$25,000 purse enhancement, provided by the Virginia HBPA, at each of the Fall Virginia meets added as follows:

Foxfield

- (#85) Filly/Mare Maiden \$30,000 to \$35,000
- (#86) Maiden Hurdle \$30,000 to \$40,000
- (#87) Ratings 110 Hurdle \$25,000 to \$30,000
- (#88) Ratings 120 Hurdle \$35,000 to \$40,000

Virginia Fall

- (#93) Ratings 115 Hurdle \$30,000 to \$35,000
- (#94) Maiden Hurdle \$30,000 to \$40,000, with \$40,000 in each division

International Gold Cup

- (#106) Maiden Hurdle \$35,000 to \$40,000 for each division
- (#108) Allowance Hurdle \$45,000 to \$50,000
- (#111) Ratings 115 Hurdle \$30,000 to \$35,000
- (#112) Maiden Claiming Hurdle \$20,000 to \$25,000

Montpelier

- (#119) Ratings 110 Hurdle \$25,000 to \$30,000
- (#121) Maiden Hurdle \$30,000 to \$40,000
- (#122) Filly/Mare Hurdle Stakes \$50,000 to \$60,000