

NWMHC FUTURITY RULES (as amended at 10/22/16 meeting)

1. Foal must be nominated in- utero no later than February 1<sup>st</sup> following year of breeding.
2. Both sire and dam must be registered with the AMHA. The owners of the pregnant mare, at the time of nomination, must be members of the NWMHC. The resulting foal must be AMHA registered and owned by members of the NWMHC to be eligible to participate in the Futurity classes.
3. Futurity forms may be obtained on the NWMHC website or from the Futurity Chairperson. Mail these entries along with the appropriate fee to the NWMHC Futurity Chairperson. All checks should be made payable to the NWMHC Futurity.
4. Six Futurity classes will be held:
  - Yearling Colts
  - Yearling Fillies
  - Yearling Geldings
  - Two-Year-Old Colts
  - Two-Year-Old Fillies
  - Two-Year-Old Geldings
5. The Yearling Futurity classes will be held at the Can-Am Classic and the Two-Year-Old Futurity classes will be held at the Emerald Valley Classic.
6. All horses are to be shown under the current AMHA rules.
7. Fee Schedule
  - By February 1<sup>st</sup> following year of breeding.....\$10.00
  - By February 1<sup>st</sup> of Yearling Futurity year... ..\$15.00
  - By February 1<sup>st</sup> of Two Year Old Futurity year ..... \$20.00
  - Before starting time of Emerald Valley Classic (Two-Year-Olds) .....\$35.00
  - Before starting time of Can-Am Classic (Yearling) .....\$35.00Entries must be received prior to the first horse walking into the ring for the first class of the show.  
**Post entries are not allowed in Futurity classes under any circumstances.**
8. As soon as any fees in the schedule become past due, that horse is no longer eligible for the Futurity and the owner forfeits any fees paid up to that time. All forms must be postmarked on or before February 1<sup>st</sup> . *If you miss the Feb.1<sup>st</sup> deadline; MARES may be nominated at **double the usual fee** up to 30 days prior to foaling, YEARLINGS and 2 YEAR OLDS may be sustained at **double the usual fee** up to the published closing date on the appropriate show premium entry form. Emerald Valley for 2 Year Olds and Can/Am for Yearlings. **All other Futurity rules must be followed and Post entries are not allowed for any Futurity Class.***
9. Nominated foals do not have to show prior to the Futurity classes.
10. In the event a foal is sold before the Futurity class, eligibility can be transferred to the new owner. The seller should provide the Futurity information to the new owner and contact the Futurity Chairperson so the records can be updated. The new owner must be a member of the NWMHC and pay the appropriate fees when they come due to keep the horse eligible. They should also provide a copy of the AMHA papers noting ownership transfer.

11. Refunds of initial fee (\$10.00) will be made only in the event of a foal being stillborn or in the event the mare was proved not to be in foal. A veterinarian's statement should be sent to the Futurity Chairperson. If a mare aborts the nominated foal, the nomination cannot be transferred to another mare.

12. All monies, except for the cost of awards, will become prize money for the Futurity classes. The Futurity Chairperson will maintain records and the Club Treasurer will hold the monies.

13. Futurity dollars available for each class shall be calculated in the following manner for each year's foal crop. The nomination fees, yearling sustaining fees and 2 year old sustaining fees are accumulated for each year's foal crop:

	<u>Yearlings</u>	<u>2 Year Olds</u>
Add		
Nomination Fees	50%	50%
Yearling Sustaining	50%	50%
2 Year Sustaining		100%
Yearling Class Entries	100%	
2 Year Class Entries	_____	<u>100%</u>
Equals	Dollars Available	Dollars Available

Divide the Dollars Available by the total number of yearling or 2 year olds actually entered to get the amount allocated per horse, then multiply that by the number of mares, or stallions, or geldings to get the total amount of dollars available for that class. The Payout for each placement is then calculated by the percentage shown on the following chart according to the number of horses entered in the class up to 10<sup>th</sup> place.

# FUTURITY CLASS PAYOUTS

<i>Placings</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup></i>	<i>2<sup>nd</sup></i>	<i>3<sup>rd</sup></i>	<i>4<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>5<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>6<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>7<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>8<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>9<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>10<sup>th</sup></i>
1	100%									
2	60%	40%								
3	50%	30%	20%							
4	40%	30%	20%	10%						
5	40%	25%	20%	10%	5%					
6	35%	25%	20%	10%	5%	5%				
7	35%	23%	20%	10%	5%	4%	3%			
8	35%	23%	19%	9%	5%	4%	3%	2%		
9	35%	23%	18%	9%	5%	4%	3%	2%	1%	
10	35%	23%	18%	8.5%	5%	4%	3%	2%	1%	.5%