

North Dakota Thoroughbred Association

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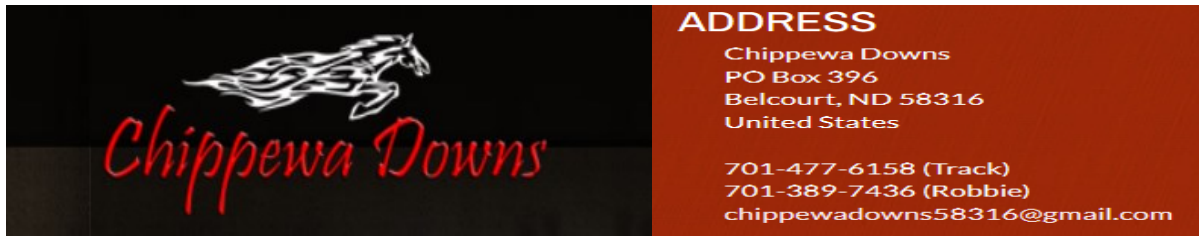
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2024 NDTA PROPOSED RACE SCHEDULE

DAY ONE, SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST

- ◆ **TB MAIDEN ND BRED, 3YR & UP; 5F; ENTRY FEE \$300; NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 5 head to run. Purse \$10,000**
 NDTA \$4500 / ORDA \$4000 / ENTRY\$1500

DAY TWO, SUNDAY, JUNE 2ND

- ◆ **TB ND BRED TWO YR OLD; 4F; ENTRY FEE \$300. NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 5 head to run. Purse \$10,000;**
 NDTA \$4500 / NDRA \$2000 / ORDA \$2000 / ENTRY\$1500

SATURDAY JUNE 1ST: NDTA & ORDA ARE CO-SPONSORING A HORSEMEN'S APPRECIATION BANQUET

WHERE: LADOT'S HALL, BELCOURT

WHEN: AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE OPENING DAY RACES.

ALL HORSEMEN, NDTA MEMBERS, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NDRC ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND.

DAY THREE, SATURDAY, JUNE 8TH

- ◆ **TB ND BRED, 3YR & UP; NW 2 LIFETIME; 5F; ENTRY FEE \$300; NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 5 head to run. Purse \$10,000**
 NDTA \$4500 / ORDA \$2000 / NDRC \$2000 / ENTRY\$1500

DAY FOUR, SUNDAY, JUNE 9TH

- ◆ **TB ND BRED, 3YR & UP; NW 3 LIFETIME OR NW THIS YR; 5.5F; ENTRY FEE \$300; NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 5 head to run. Purse \$10,000**
 NDTA \$4500 / ORDA \$2000 / NDRC \$2000 / ENTRY\$1500

DAY FIVE, SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH

- ◆ **NDTA OPEN SPEED STAKES, 3YR & UP; 5F; ENTRY FEE \$300; NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 5 head to run. Purse \$10,000**
 NDTA \$4500 / ORDA \$4000 / ENTRY\$1500

DAY SIX, SUNDAY, JUNE 16TH

- ◆ **NDTA OPEN SPEED STAKES; FILLIES & MARES, 3YR & UP; 5F; ENTRY FEE \$300; NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 5 head to run. Purse \$10,000**
 NDTA \$4500 / ORDA \$4000 / ENTRY\$1500

DAY SEVEN, SATURDAY, JUNE 22ND

- ◆ **ND BRED MATURITY 4YR & UP, 6.5F; Purse \$10,000 Guarantee NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 4 head to run. Entry fee \$300 NOT added**
 NDTA \$10,000

DAY EIGHT, SUNDAY, JUNE 24TH

- ◆ **ND BRED DERBY 3YR OLDS, 6.5F; Purse \$10,000 Guarantee NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Must have 4 head to run. Entry fee \$300 NOT added**
 NDTA \$10,000



2024 NDTA PROPOSED RACE SCHEDULE

Go to : www.hrnd.org for more information on daily events

WEEK 1	<p><u>July 13 OR 14</u></p> <p>◆ NDTA FILLIES & MARES, 3YR & UP; 7F; ENTRY FEE \$300 NOT ADDED; NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Member must own horse for min. 30 days prior to race; Minimum 5 head to run. \$10,000 GUARANTEED PURSE & TROPHY</p>	
WEEK 2	<p><u>July 27</u></p> <p>◆ NDTA Walter “Bud” Job Memorial; 3yr & up, 7F; \$5000 CLM starter allowance, must have ran for a claiming price this year of \$5000 or less. NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. Member must own horse for min. 30 days prior to race; Minimum 5 head to run. ENTRY FEE: \$300 entry at box, NOT added</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Purse- \$10,000 Guarantee & Trophy</p>	<p><u>July 28</u></p> <p>◆ Maturity 4yr & up –ND Bred Maturity 1 mile (8F) High Weights preferred; NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. ENTRY FEE: \$450 at box, NOT added</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Purse-\$15,000 Guarantee & Trophy</p>
WEEK 3	<p><u>August 3—DERBY DAY</u></p> <p>◆ NDTA Stallion Stakes 3yr old Derby 1mile (8F) High Weights preferred; Purse- NDTA MEMBER BY JUNE 1ST. \$400 entry at box plus nomination fees, NOT added, list of eligible horses will be provided at entry); Minimum 4 head to run.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Purse- \$30,000 Guarantee & Trophy</p>	<p><u>August 4</u></p> <p>◆ ND Bred Futurity –2yr old 5.5F High Weights preferred; Minimum 4 head to run. Registration \$540 entry at box, NOT added</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Purse- \$18,000 Guarantee & Travel Trophy</p>



2024 Member Owner Bonus Points Program

The 2024 Member Owner Bonus Points program will continue on the same **Three level point system**:

NDTA member-owners will be eligible for a share of **\$12,000** based on the total performances on ND tracks in 2024.

Three Tiers:	Base	ND Owned x2	ND Bred x3
1st Place:	5 Points	10 Points	15 Points
2nd Place:	4 Points	8 Points	12 Points
3rd Place:	3 Points	6 Points	9 Points
4th Place:	2 Points	4 Points	6 Points
5th - 10th:	1 Point	2 Points	3 Points

NDTA

2024 Stakes Derby Nomination Form

Fargo: Distance 8 furlongs \$30,000 Guaranteed Purse Race Date: TBD

Progeny foaled in 2021 of the listed Stallions are eligible for nomination :

ELIGIBLE STALLION LIST HAS BEEN CORRECTED SINCE LAST PUBLICATION! Please check your records and call Tracie with any questions!

Baseball Card Kid	Bay of Biscay	Gotta Curlin	Great Exuma
King Cha Cha	Old Puerto	Phenomenalmoon	Pies Prospect
Rack Em Up	Royal Challenger	Sapphire Sandy	Timber Legend
Westover Wildcat			

NOMINATION RULES

The following rules apply to the North Dakota Stallion Stakes Derby: **The horse must be from the list of eligible stallions for the 2024 race**, In addition: (1) If the race is not run, only those eligible at the time of cancellation will be refunded their individual nomination fees less 10% retainage (2)Transferring ownership of an eligible horse, regardless of the new address of the new owner providing they are NDTA members, does not effect the eligibility of the horse (3)You must pay a NDTA membership of \$75.00 US Funds and the nomination fees on or before June 1st If the payment date falls on a Sunday or holiday, payment must be postmarked PRIOR to due date (4) Any insufficient funds check will automatically cancel your nomination (5) If less than 7 starters, only the number of places run will be paid out (6) If less than 4 horses entered, the race will be cancelled (7) 2.5% of this money will be paid to the Stallion owner and 2.5% to the breeder should one of his progeny win either the Derby (8) Any discrepancies will be settled by the NDTA Board of Directors.

Purse distribution will be 50% for the first place; 20% for second place; 10% for third place; 7% for fourth place; 6% for fifth place; 4% for sixth place; and 3% for the seventh place. The NDTA will present awards to winning horses.

1st Payment Due by June 1, 2023	List of horses with first payment made is below:	N/A
2nd Payment Due by June 1st, 2024	Benjamin's Dance, Crafty Sue, Four Above, Korra's Breeze, Liam's Challenge, Nena's Gone Wild, Phenomenal Joe, Rachelle's Memory, Scarlet Moon, Star Challenger, Vada's Moon, and Wild Stretch	\$300.00
Late nomination Due by June 1st, 2024	Triple the first missed payment (\$600) plus current payment (\$300)	\$900.00
Final Payment: Entry (taken at track)		\$400.00
No Early Nomination—All fees paid at entry	\$3000 + \$600 missed in 2023 + \$600 missed in 2024 (Entry fee included)	\$4200.00

I/we nominate the horse listed on this form and agree to all conditions, which are subject to change, as determined by the North Dakota Thoroughbred Association and/or the host track's Racing Secretary.

One form is required per horse—if more forms are needed, you may make copies. Forms are also available on our website @ www.ndtba.com.

2024 Stakes Derby
Race Date: TBD

PLEASE PRINT:

Horse _____ / Sire _____ / Dam _____ / Sire of Dam _____

Owner: _____ Date Foaled: ____ / ____ / **2021**

Address: _____ Phone: _____

_____ Email: _____

Signature: _____ (Owner / Trainer / Agent)

I have enclosed: Check # _____ *OR* Money Order payable to NDTA
 Please charge my Credit Card in the amount of \$ _____ (5% handling fee min. \$5.00 added to all credit card pmts)
 Account # _____ CVN: _____
 Expiration Date: _____ Credit Card Signature: _____

Please return this form, with payment, to the NDTA Office: PO Box 2496, Bismarck, ND 58502-2496

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	Postmarked: _____	Payment: _____	Rec'd by: _____
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NDTA

2025 Stakes Derby Nomination Form

Fargo: Distance 8 furlongs \$30,000 Guaranteed Purse Race Date: TBD
Progeny foaled in 2022 of the listed Stallions are eligible for nomination :

Bay of Biscay	Gotta Curlin	Kela	King Cha Cha
Launch Commander	Midnight Edition	Miles Heir	Phenomenalmoon
Royal Challenger	Sher Supreme	Sky Promise	

NOMINATION RULES

The following rules apply to the North Dakota Stallion Stakes Derby: **The horse must be from the list of eligible stallions for the 2025 race**, In addition: (1) If the race is not run, only those eligible at the time of cancellation will be refunded their individual nomination fees less 10% retainage (2) Transferring ownership of an eligible horse, regardless of the new address of the new owner providing they are NDTA members, does not effect the eligibility of the horse (3) You must pay a NDTA membership of \$75.00 US Funds and the nomination fees on or before June 1st If the payment date falls on a Sunday or holiday, payment must be postmarked PRIOR to due date (4) Any insufficient funds check will automatically cancel your nomination (5) If less than 7 starters, only the number of places run will be paid out (6) If less than 4 horses entered, the race will be cancelled (7) 2.5% of this money will be paid to the Stallion owner and 2.5% to the breeder should one of his progeny win either the Derby (8) Any discrepancies will be settled by the NDTA Board of Directors.

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1st Payment Due by June 1, 2024		\$200.00
2nd Payment Due by June 1st, 2025		\$300.00
Late nomination Due by June 1st, 2025	Triple the first missed payment (\$600) plus current payment (\$300)	\$900.00
Final Payment: Entry (taken at track)		\$400.00
No Early Nomination—All fees paid at entry	\$3000 + \$600 missed in 2024 + \$600 missed in 2025 (Entry fee included)	\$4200.00

I/we nominate the horse listed on this form and agree to all conditions, which are subject to change, as determined by the North Dakota Thoroughbred Association and/or the host track's Racing Secretary.

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2025 Stakes Derby
Race Date: TBD

PLEASE PRINT:

Horse _____ / Sire _____ / Dam _____ / Sire of Dam _____

Owner: _____

Date Foaled: ____ / ____ / **2022**

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____ (Owner / Trainer / Agent)

I have enclosed: Check # _____ *OR* Money Order payable to NDTA

Please charge my Credit Card in the amount of \$ _____ (5% handling fee min. \$5.00 added to all credit card pmts)

Account # _____

CVN: _____

Expiration Date: _____

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Ad space available for future publications in our NDTA Newsletter.

Please contact Tracie @ 701-222-3499 or by the email address on the front cover of this issue!



2023 NDTA AWARD WINNERS

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>HORSE/YEAR OF BIRTH</u>	<u>OWNER</u>
ND BRED 2 YO	<i>Bee A Bali 2021</i>	<i>Hannah Miller</i>
2YO MEMBER OWNED	<i>Bee A Bali 2021</i>	<i>Hannah Miller</i>
ND BRED 3 YO	<i>Liam's Starry Nite 2020</i>	<i>Leigh Backhaus</i>
3 YO MEMBER OWNED	<i>Liam's Starry Nite 2020</i>	<i>Leigh Backhaus</i>
ND BRED OLDER HORSE	<i>Krews Pass</i>	<i>Leigh Backhaus</i>
MEMBER OWNED OLDER HORSE	<i>Sir Deputy 2018</i>	<i>Scott Horst</i>
STALLION STANDING IN ND	<i>Royal Challenger 2003</i>	<i>Leigh Backhaus</i>
ND BROODMARE	<i>Krew's Star 2000</i>	<i>Leigh Backhaus</i>
BREEDER OF THE YEAR	<i>Leigh Backhaus</i>

As the North Dakota Thoroughbred Association prepares for the beginning of the 2024 racing season, we would like to thank our members and reflect on the amazing support of our partners, sponsors, TB Stallion donors, and other agencies continue to work for expanding racing opportunities in North Dakota.

Special Thanks to:

*North Dakota Racing Commission
North Dakota Horse Park, Fargo
Chippewa Downs, Belcourt*

And our generous ADW Donors:

Paribet, Watch and Wager, Elite Turf Club, US Off-Track, and Global Wagering Group

All NDTA races require that you are a member for the 2024 race year by June 1st, 2024

And

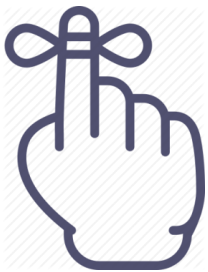
All Registrants agree to abide by the NDTA Rules & that all disputes or decisions will be made in accordance to NDTA rules.



NDTA 2024 Members

Each identified member equals 1 vote; if two persons are listed together, they share one vote.

- 1) Azure, April
- 2) Backhaus, Lexon
- 3) Backhaus , Leigh
- 4) Black, Shayna
- 5) Boschee, Greg
- 6) Brehm, Kenneth
- 7) Bruner, Ken & Florence
- 8) Buchholz, Bob
- 9) DeCoteau, Blaine
- 10) Delorme, Waylon
- 11) DeMontigny, Doug
- 12) Erfle, Avery
- 13) Ernst, John & Allegra
- 14) Gourneau, Jr., Larry
- 15) Hanson, Dan & Debi
- 16) Horst , Scott
- 17) Horst, Sina
- 18) Johnson, Bruno
- 19) Longie Jr, Larry
- 20) Martin, Dean
- 21) Mathiason, Lars
- 22) Moen, Becky
- 23) Moen, Kris
- 24) Nieswaag, Steph
- 25) Nieswaag , Darren
- 26) Peterson, Dion
- 27) Rohweder, Curtis
- 28) Sabbe, Kristy & Vince
- 29) Skarperud, James
- 30) Smith, Jason
- 31) Smith, Rodney J.
- 32) Suter, Milton & Janice
- 33) Thompson, Elizabeth {Betsy}
- 34) Wilke, Gordy & Tammy
- 35) Wilson, Richard & Theresa
- 36) Wilson, Robby
- 37) Wilson's Racing Stables



*2024 Memberships are due by June 1st!
Membership form is printed on back cover
or available on our website @ ndtba.com*

Please get you membership payments in to the office as soon as possible. The first day of racing at Belcourt is on Saturday, June 1st. Memberships must be received and verified by the office before Wednesday, May 29th if you plan on competing in races on opening day! Call Tracie to pay by debit or credit card if you don't get it mailed in time (\$5 service charge will apply.)

2024 NDTA Membership Application

DEADLINE TO JOIN: JUNE 1, 2024

Dues: \$75

To participate in a North Dakota Thoroughbred Association sponsored race, your membership dues of \$75 **MUST** be postmarked by June 1st of the race year. No exceptions or transfers will be considered.

PLEASE PRINT:

Membership expires December 31st

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

*Email: _____

Consent to receive NDTA Newsletters by email instead of through the mail? Circle one: YES NO
Do you want a membership card mailed to you? Circle one: YES NO

As a member you receive: • Voting privileges at general membership meetings • Newsletters • Payment schedules
• Eligibility to enter association sponsored races • Awards & Bonus Points Program eligibility
• Annual Horsemen's Awards Banquet invitation, and more!

ALL members of a partnership or corporation must be current members to be eligible for association races.

Please mail the membership form and payment to: NDTA ~ PO Box 2496 ~ Bismarck, ND 58502-2496

Additional information can be found online at: www.ndtba.com

Thank you for your support of the North Dakota Thoroughbred Association!!

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