

The Post Racing BONUS



The Post Racing Bonus...

- Adds value to horses who have raced in Ontario,
- Is an incentive for people to buy racehorses at the end of their racing career,
- Is an incentive for people to use ex-racehorses in horse sport.

The Ontario Racing Commission, as Program Administrator for the Ontario Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program, reserves the right to alter Post Racing Incentive Program criteria for future years.



ONTARIO QUARTER HORSE RACING
INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

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Your chance to share in
\$20,000

For ex-racehorses of
Quarter Horse racing
in ONTARIO



ONTARIO QUARTER HORSE RACING INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The Ontario Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program has allocated \$20,000 for annual bonus payments to be shared by eligible ex-racehorses earning points in recognized events each year.

Eligible horses must:

- Be an ex-racehorse of Quarter Horse racing in Ontario,
- Compete in an event recognized by the Ontario Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program,
- Earn points unique to the Post Racing Bonus (see below),
- The owner of an eligible horse must apply annually and provide supporting documentation by November 20th.

How are points earned?

Horses competing in events recognized by the Ontario Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program earn points. Participation earns points, and placing first, second or third earns more points.

1ST PLACE	3 POINTS
2ND PLACE	2 POINTS
3RD PLACE	1 POINT
SHOW PARTICIPANT	1 POINT

The Post Racing Bonus will be divided among eligible horses based on the total points earned. Bonuses will be calculated based on:

$$\text{Total points earned} \times \text{value per point} = \text{bonus payment per horse*}$$

*There will be a maximum payment per horse per year.

What are recognized events?

The Post Racing Bonus is attached to performance and participation in horse sports, particularly speed events such as barrel racing and pole bending. Recognized events are hosted by participating Industry Associations. Participating Industry Associations are expected to promote the Post Racing Bonus to their membership. It is the owner – as declared on the Certificate of Registration for the horse – who benefits from the Bonus. It is the owner's responsibility to provide accurate reporting of the horse's performance and documentation to prove that the horse is eligible.

Claiming a Post Racing Bonus Payment

Claims for the Post Racing Bonus must be submitted to the Ontario Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program by November 20th each year. Documentation to support your claim will be required.



- Obtain an application form by downloading it from the Ontario Quarter Horse Racing Program Section at www.ontarioracingcommission.ca, or by contacting the Quarter Horse Program Coordinator at 416-213-0520.
- Provide a copy of the horse's Certificate of Registration (AQHA, APHA, ApHCC) that indicates the current owner-of-record (this is the person who will be paid).
- Provide evidence that the horse has raced in Quarter Horse racing in Ontario from AQHA records and/or official race records from Ajax Downs (formerly Picov Downs).

Supporting documentation must be submitted by November 20th each year to:

**Ontario Quarter Horse Racing
Industry Development Program**

Attn. Program Coordinator

Ontario Racing Commission

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The Post Racing Bonus was introduced in 2009 as an element of the Post Racing Incentive Program. In 2009 participating Industry Associations included Ontario Barrel Racing Association, National Barrel Horse Association (Ontario), Eastern Canadian Barrel Futurities and Dodge Rodeo Tour.

