

CADUCEUS CLUB FILLIES SERIES NO 20

Conditions and Regulations

CLOSES 1ST JULY 2016 \$100.00 (Plus GST)

NOMINATIONS AND SUSTAINING PAYMENTS (NON REFUNDABLE)

All entries for foal nomination and sustaining payments must be made in writing and accompanied by the said fee plus GST and be received by the Secretary of the Caduceus Club Series Trust Board at its registered office by the closing date. Any such nomination forwarded by post and postmarked not later than the closing date, will be accepted. Where any nomination is sent by post but is not received until after the closing time, the Board may admit the same, subject to its satisfaction that it should in the ordinary course of post, have been received in time.

RACES IN THE CADUCEUS CLUB FILLIES SERIES NO 20:

	Est Stake
Woodlands Stud Caduceus Club Fillies Classic (Group 1)	\$110,000
Woodlands Stud Caduceus Club Fillies Classic Consolation	\$7,500
Peter Breckon Memorial Ladyship Stakes (Group 2)	\$65,000
Peter Breckon Memorial Ladyship Stakes Consolation	\$7,500

1 FOAL NOMINATION PAYMENT A - NOMINATION

All entries for foal nomination must be made in writing and accompanied by \$100.00 plus GST and be received as above before closing date 1st July 2016.

2 YEARLING SUSTAINING PAYMENT B - YEARLING

A further yearling sustaining payment of \$100.00 plus GST will be due not later than 1st July 2017, to validate entries for both the two and three-year-old series.

3 TWO-YEAR-OLD SUSTAINING PAYMENT C - 2-YEAR-OLD

A further sustaining payment of \$100.00 plus GST will be due not later than 1st December 2017 to validate entries for the two-year-old series.

4 THREE-YEAR-OLD SUSTAINING PAYMENT D - 3-YEAR-OLD

A final sustaining payment of \$100.00 plus GST will be due not later than 31st July 2018 to validate entries for the three-year-old series. All payments have been calculated on the basis of ruling GST rate and in the event of a GST alteration, are subject to change. Starting fees will still be payable to the appropriate Club in the normal manner. Non-payment of the two-year-old sustaining fee payment (payment C) to validate entries for the two-year-old series will not exclude a horse from contesting the three-year-old series, provided it was properly entered as a foal (A) and the Yearling Sustaining Payment (B) has been made. All entries must be in writing and accompanied by the appropriate payment. No entry will be accepted without payment and the failure to make all payments by the advertised date will mean the elimination of that horse from that part of the series for which the payment was due. Telephone entries will not be accepted under any circumstances. All pre-payment monies will be allocated by the Caduceus Club Series Trust Board, at its discretion, to this series and the associated costs of this series, and/or to the accumulated funds of future series. Normal starting fees will be payable to individual Clubs staging any of the races, but in no case shall exceed one per cent of the Club's contribution to the stakes for said event. Where any race is run as a non-totalisator event, the starting fees shall be negotiated between the Board and the Club. Dates for payment of all starting fees for the series will be notified in the Club programme where applicable, and in the Harness Racing NZ publication. Subject to the prior consent of Harness Racing New Zealand, the conditions of this series may be amended as deemed necessary by the Caduceus Club Series Trust Board.

Late Fee Provision for Foal Nomination and Sustaining Payments

A late fee provision to incur a 20% premium payment and extend for a maximum of fourteen days, or, 100% premium payment from 15 to 30 days in total past the closing date, is applicable to foal nomination and yearling sustaining payments (payments A & B). There shall also be for the Three-Year-Old sustaining (Payment D) a premium payment of 20% for a maximum of **FOURTEEN DAYS ONLY** past the closing date.

5 NUMBER OF STARTERS AND RACES

All races will be despatched from a mobile start and the number of starters will be in compliance with the safety limit for the track in accordance with the Regulations and Rules of Harness Racing. There will be up to two reserves for all races.

6 NOMINATOR'S AWARD

An amount of 5% of the total stake for each of the races shall be paid to the original foal nominator of the winners of the respective finals, subject to the foal remaining eligible throughout the sustaining payments. These amounts will be allocated from the total stake of each respective race. In the event of the winner being a Late Entry for the series, the Nominator's Award will be paid to the nominator of the next eligible placed horse.

7 NOMINATION

Even though a two or three-year-old may be eligible to start in each of the races, it will be necessary to nominate for each race to the Club in the normal manner.

8 FIELD SELECTION

The field for the Woodlands Stud Caduceus Club Fillies Classic and the Peter Breckon Memorial Ladyship Stakes will be selected from those fillies that have satisfied the Nomination and Sustaining Payments for the series or having fulfilled the late entry provisions and for whom the appropriate nomination for the race has been made. The field will be determined by a selection panel. The selection panel will comprise a representative of the Caduceus Club Series Trust, the Racing Manager of the Auckland Trotting Club and the Handicapper, Harness Racing New Zealand.

9 All starters shall receive a percentage of the stake.

10 In the event of a Club obtaining approval to abandon any race included in these conditions as a totalisator race, the Trust Board will arrange for the abandoned race to be run as a non-totalisator race, with stakes to be adjusted according to the contract between the Trust Board and the Club. The minimum stake for the non-totalisator race is the Nominator and Sustaining Fees in respect of the race.

11 STAKES DISTRIBUTION

Stakes will be paid as listed below after deduction of the Nominator's Bonus where applicable: 1st 60%, 2nd 15%, 3rd 8%, 4th 4%, 5th 3%, Other Starters 10%. The 10% is to be divided amongst all other starters provided that each horse is not allocated an amount which is 2.5% of the stake after the deduction of the Nominator's Bonuses. Where in any case there are less than 9 starters, the Trust Board shall maintain a pro rata distribution of any residue stake to the first five placegetters. Where, following that single calculation, any surplus stake money remains, it shall be paid to the winner.

12 LATE ENTRY PAYMENT

Notwithstanding the foregoing conditions as to prepayment for this series, the Trust Board may accept a Late Entry subject to the following:

a) A late entry fee shall be made totalling \$12,500 plus GST to cover the Woodlands Stud Caduceus Club Fillies Classic and Peter Breckon Memorial Ladyship Stakes or \$7,500 plus GST in respect of the Peter Breckon Memorial Ladyship Stakes only.

b) The nomination as aforesaid must be lodged with the Secretary of the Caduceus Club Trust Board prior to the closing of nominations with the Club empowered to conduct the first race in the series.

c) Where the horse is not selected for that event or was on the emergency list and became a compulsory scratching and in all cases and in all respects has complied with the Rules of NZ Harness Racing, the Late Entry fee will be refunded, less the nomination and sustaining payments applicable to all other entrants.

d) Where a horse has been partly sustained but eligibility payments have not been completed in accordance with the Conditions and subsequently a Late Entry is lodged, the amount already paid to the Trust Board will be deducted from the Late Entry payment.

If for any other reason, a nominator has paid a Late Entry fee and the horse is unable to start, the nominator may apply to the Trust Board for a refund and the Trust Board in its sole discretion shall decide whether or not a refund is effected. Provided the Trust Board is satisfied that its budget considerations for any series are adequate to cover all contingencies, it shall add any Late Entry payment to the total stake of each respective race, Woodlands Stud Fillies Classic or Peter Breckon Memorial Ladyship Stakes.

13 The rules, standing orders, regulations and by-laws adopted by the Caduceus Club Trust Board and approved by the Society shall apply to all organisations, owners and all other persons, residents in New Zealand or otherwise, entering or nominating any horse for any Caduceus Club Series advertised by the Caduceus Club Series Trust.

14 The trust will not accept responsibility for the reminder notices that are sent out not reaching their destination or reaching the correct owner. It is up to the owners to make the necessary sustaining payments to the Trust as prescribed within the conditions

SPECIAL NOTE APPLICABLE TO THESE CONDITIONS

As the primary objective of the series is increasing opportunities for foal owners to qualify for the major races of this series, the Trust is constantly considering options designed to assist all nominators. It is envisaged that to achieve that aim, the foregoing conditions may be subject to change. The Trust reserves the absolute right to make any amendment it thinks fit, subject to consultation with and approval by Harness Racing New Zealand. All nominators will be advised of any such alteration.

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Foal Nomination – Closes 1st July 2016

Name of Foal (if named)

Sire

Dam

Nominator

Name

Address

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