

2011 GULF COAST PAINT CLASSIC FUTURITY BREEDERS FUTURITY RULES

As amended 7 FEBRUARY 2011

II - FUTURITY RULES

1. All owners and exhibitors of entries must be current members in good standing of Gulf Coast Paint Horse Club and APHA.
2. All futurity entries are limited to APHA registered or eligible horses.
3. By entering and exhibiting, owners/handlers acknowledge the right and give permission to the futurity committee to administer drug testing (blood and/or urine) of any or all entries, randomly or in any manner decided by the committee. APHA drug testing rules will be used as guidelines.
4. The rules of the Gulf Coast Paint Classic Futurity will govern all Futurity classes.

5. A legible copy of the registration certificate must be presented to the Futurity Committee with an entry form (properly completed) and payment of entry fees on or before August 15, 2011, to avoid late fees. The Gulf Coast Paint Horse Club cannot assume responsibility for typographical errors or the efficiency of the United States Postal Service or any other delivery service applicable to the delivery of entries to the Futurity Committee.
6. It is the responsibility of the participant to obtain and be aware of the rules governing the futurity.
7. Any entry must exhibit in all applicable go rounds to receive payback money.
8. A horse dismissed from a class for unsoundness WILL NOT be refunded any money nor receive any payback money.
9. Each class will be judged by four judges, to be drawn by the committee. Additionally, one of the four judges will be drawn to determine the tie breaker judge. In the case of a tie in a money paying position, the tie breaker judge will determine placing and monies and prizes will be awarded accordingly. Points from all four judges will count. Performance classes will be judged in one go round.
10. When all horses have been judged and placed each horse will receive points according to their position in which each was placed. 1st = 1 point, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 3 points, etc, and through the last place horse. The horse receiving the lowest placing cumulative score will be declared the winner of each applicable class.

ELIGIBILITY

2-YEAR-OLD ELIGIBILITY (2011 FUTURITY): Paint or Solid Paint Bred / Breeding Stock 2-year-olds must be sired by a stallion whose service was purchased in the previous stallion service auctions. 2 year olds must be registered in the regular or solid paint bred / breeding stock registry. A copy of the papers must accompany the entry or the entry will be considered a late entry.

CLASSES 2011

PERFORMANCE:

Two year old snaffle bit

P/SPB

PURSES: The purse for 2 year old Snaffle Bit or any other class as offered by the club will consist of 80% of entry fees, including late fees, plus “added money” as determined by the club.

No money will be paid until all checks have cleared the bank. Returned checks will be charged \$50. plus any related bank charges and entry will be assessed a late fee.

If a futurity entry is ill, lame, or the owner is ill or has other extenuating circumstances the Futurity Committee will consider a refund of fees received on a case by case basis. Appropriate documentation will be required in all cases. However, a horse dismissed from a class for unsoundness will not be refunded any money nor receive any payback money. If a participant picks up the Futurity entry number and chooses not to show or misses the class, there will be no refund of fees and the money will remain in the purse for that entry and that class.

No substitutions will be allowed for any reason.

Payback will be awarded based on the number of entries shown in the class. Prize moneys will be paid to the current owner of the entry as listed on the registration certificate or breeder’s certificate at the time of the futurity judging, unless otherwise instructed by the owner. The Social security number applicable to the payee is required to receive payback money. Prize money should be paid within four weeks of the conclusion of the futurity.

PAYBACK SCHEDULE FOR THE GCPHC BREEDER’S FUTURITY:

Entered	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
1	100%					
2-5	60%	40%				
6-9	45%	35%	20%			
10-13	40%	30%	20%	10%		
14-18	34%	27%	20%	10%	9%	
19 & more	32%	22%	19%	10%	9%	8%

The futurity is under the jurisdiction of the GCPHC Futurity Committee and the GCPHC Board of Directors. Decisions concerning the futurity and matters requiring attention during the futurity will be handled by the Committee and Board members present at the show.

ENTRY FEES: The amount of the entry fees will be determined by the club on an annual basis.

Entry fees applicable to the 2011 Gulf Coast Paint Horse Club futurity are as follows;

BREEDER AND OPEN FUTURITY CLASS ENTRIES:

Regular entry, postmarked by 8/15/2011 \$175.00 per class

Late entry, postmarked after 8/15/2011 \$225.00 per class

Late entries are accepted up to 7pm the day before the class to be entered.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO GCPHC.

PLEASE MAIL YOUR ENTRIES TO;

**SUZAN ARMSTRONG
13318 TELGE ROAD
CYPRESS, TEXAS 77429**

Please include a copy of the horse's registration certificate or breeder's certificate, and a copy of current youth or amateur card (as applicable).

Entry and membership forms are available at www.GCPHC.com.

Questions should be directed to: Kevin Smith @ 713-675-4442 or email Kevin.smith@equipmentmanagementservices.com

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The GCPHC and the futurity committee welcome any and all sponsorships. Sponsorships may be in the form of money donated to the futurity or products in kind. 100% of any donated sponsor money or products will be awarded at the 2011 Labor Day Classic and Futurity show.

Sponsors will receive name and product recognition during the show, both in writing and by way of announcement and be allowed to place signs or banners in appropriate location(s) at the show.

While the club will accept any sponsorship, we offer the following schedule of sponsorship level;

Platinum	\$1,000.
Gold	\$ 500.
Silver	\$ 250.
Class sponsor	\$ 150.

Unless so designated to a specific class by the donor, the club will allocate all sponsorship monies to the whole of the futurity purse.

Please contact any GCPHC board member or futurity committee member concerning your sponsorship donation. Thank you!!

ELIGIBLE STALLIONS FOR 2010 2 YEAR OLD BREEDERS FUTURITY

Awesome Mr Conclusion	Copy Top Gunner	DC Precision
Hot Shines On	JMK Mega Fella	JMK Streakin
Star Buster	Titanic Uno	