



**Futurity Program**

## **Purpose:**

The purpose of the GHRA Futurity program is to provide an opportunity for GHRA horse owners to showcase & promote their offspring. GHRA nominated horses are eligible to compete in a select slate of classes. All select futurity classes are held at the GHRA North American Championship show.

## **Definitions:**

Breeding Year – the calendar year that the stallion bred a mare.

Enrolled – Nominated and accepted into the program

Foaling Year – the calendar year a mare foals

Futurity – Specific classes for horses 4 years old and younger sired by enrolled stallions or mares

GHRA – Gypsy Horse Registry of America

Nominated - Horses that have met all requirements and obligations of the program

Nomination – The act of enrolling a horse in the program

Nominator – Person enrolling foal in the program

Progeny – Offspring of a stallion or mare

Purse – Total amount of award money available for a class

## **Eligibility:**

### **Horse:**

1. Only GHRA registered horses are eligible for the Futurity program. Only properly nominated and enrolled horses will be eligible to participate in Futurity classes at the North American Championship. No pending registrations will be accepted for entry to compete in the Futurity classes. All fees and/or penalties must be paid in full prior to exhibiting.

2. Eligible horses are allowed to participate through their 4 year old year and will age out January 1<sup>st</sup> of their 5th year.

## **People:**

Stallion owner, horse owner, recorded lessee, exhibitor must have a current GHRA membership to nominate and/or compete in futurity classes.

## **Divisions:**

There are 2 division: (1) Halter and (2) Performance. Each division is open to Stallions, Mares, Geldings and Crosses.

The Halter Futurity is only for Weanling, Yearling & 2YO horses. The performance Futurity is only for 3YO & 4YO horses.

## **Futurity Classes:**

Weanling Colt Halter

Weanling Filly Halter

Weanling Gelding Halter

Yearling Colt Halter

Yearling Filly Halter

Yearling Gelding Halter

2YO Colt Halter

2YO Filly Halter

2YO Gelding Halter

Cross Halter Weanling & Yearling    Cross 2YO Halter

Performance Futurity will consist of performance classes divided age.

3YO Western Pleasure WJ    3YO English Pleasure WT    3YO Cross English Pleasure WT  
4YO Western Pleasure WJ    4YO English Pleasure WJ    4YO Cross West Pleasure WJ

### **Nominations:**

1. Horses must be GHRA registered prior to submitting nomination form. The nomination fee is non refundable and the nomination form can be submitted by the stallion's owner, the owner of the progeny or lessee. Should the stallion owner, progeny owner or lessee submit enrollment simultaneously, the stallion owner shall prevail and any fees paid by the progeny owner or lessee will be refunded.
2. Stallion must be nominated for each breeding year and mares must be nominated for each foaling year.

### **Stallions: Must be a minimum of 2 years old for nomination**

1. Stallions participating in the GHRA Stallion Service Auction:
  - a. will be automatically enrolled (at no charge) for the following breeding season. All foals conceived during the stallion's enrollment year(s) will be eligible for nomination into the program.  
For example, a stallion participates in the 2025 auction, all foals born in 2026 are eligible to apply for nomination into the program.
  - b. In addition, participating stallions in the inaugural 2025 service auction will be grandfathered into the program beginning from breeding year 2020, complimentary. Therefore any progeny born in 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025 will be eligible for nomination.
2. Stallions **not** participating in the service auction:
  - a. stallion owner, progeny owner or recorded lessee may nominate a stallion for the program. The nomination fee is \$250 to be received no later than December 31<sup>st</sup> prior to the next breeding year. Example: stallion must be nominated in 2025 for breeding year 2026, then the resulting progeny in 2027 will be eligible for nomination.
  - b. if stallion nominator wants their 2025 breeding year to be eligible, a fee of \$350 must be received along with all forms no later than February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Nominations received after February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025 will be returned or applied to 2026.
  - c. stallion owner or progeny owner, may pay a retroactive fee of \$250 each for years 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 in order to qualify progeny. Nomination enables the offspring to participate in eligible futurity classes at the GHRA North American Championship as long as the participating offspring have been successfully nominated and all fees paid in full.

The stallion owner, progeny owner or recorded lessee may nominate the stallion and pay the required fee(s). Stallion owner will take precedent over nomination if multiple people apply.

## **Mares:**

1. The mare used by winning bidder from the service auction:
  - a. will be automatically enrolled, for the foaling year into the futurity program at no charge.
  - b. the resulting foal will be eligible for nomination beginning the year of birth.
  - c. In addition, participating mares used from the 2025 service auction will be grandfathered into the program from breeding year 2020, complimentary. Therefore any progeny born in 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025 will be eligible for nomination.
2. Mares NOT participating in the annual service auction:
  - a. Mare owner, progeny owner or recorded lessee may nominate a mare for the program. The nomination fee is \$75 to be received no later than December 31<sup>st</sup> prior to the foaling year. Example: mare must be nominated no later than Dec 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025 for the 2026 foaling year.
  - b. if mare nominator want their 2025 foal to be eligible, a fee of \$150 must be received along with all forms no later than February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Nominations received after Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025 will be returned or applied to 2026.
  - c. Mare owner or progeny owner may pay a retroactive fee of \$75 each for years 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024 for progeny to be eligible. Nomination enables the offspring to participate in eligible futurity classes at the GHRA North American Championship as long as the participating offspring have been successfully nominated and all fee paid in full.

If the mare owner, progeny owner or recorded lessee may nominate the mare and pay the required fee(s). Mare owner will take precedent over nomination if multiple people apply.

## **Guarantees:**

GHRA makes no warranty or guarantee that the stallion will be available for breeding within a certain time period nor that the breeding will result in the birth of a viable foal.

## **Progeny:**

Sire and/or Dam must be enrolled at the time of progeny nomination. Sire and/or Dam must be enrolled for the appropriate year of progeny nomination.

1. Weanling – To be eligible for participation in the North American Championship futurity classes, the following terms must be met:
  - a. Submit a completed nomination form
  - b. Submit a fee of \$75 with the nomination form.
  - c. Nomination forms must be postmarked or electronically received by September 15<sup>th</sup> of the foaling year.
  - d. Nomination forms received after September 15<sup>th</sup> will incur a late fee of \$75 in addition to the nomination fee.

2. Yearling – To be eligible for participation in the North American Championship futurity classes, the following terms must be met:
  - a. Submit a completed nomination form
  - b. Submit a fee of \$100 with the nomination form
  - c. Nomination forms must be postmarked or electronically received by September 15<sup>th</sup> of the yearling year.
  - d. Nomination forms received after September 15<sup>th</sup> will incur a late fee of \$100 in addition to the nomination fee.
  
3. Two Year Old – To be eligible for participation in the North American Championship futurity classes, the following terms must be met:
  - a. Submit a completed nomination form
  - b. Submit a fee of \$150 with the nomination form
  - c. Nomination forms must be postmarked or electronically received by September 15<sup>th</sup> of the 2YO year.
  - d. Nomination forms received after September 15<sup>th</sup> will incur a late fee of \$150 in addition to the nomination fee.
  
4. Three Year Old – To be eligible for participation in the North American Championship futurity classes, the following terms must be met:
  - a. Submit a completed nomination form
  - b. Submit a fee of \$200 with the nomination form
  - c. Nomination forms must be postmarked or electronically received by September 15<sup>th</sup> of the 3YO year.
  - d. Nomination forms received after September 15<sup>th</sup> will incur a late fee of \$200 in addition to the nomination fee.
  
5. Four Year Old and over – To be eligible for participation in the North American Championship futurity classes, the following terms must be met:
  - a. Submit a completed nomination form
  - b. Submit a fee of \$250 with the nomination form
  - c. Nomination forms must be postmarked or electronically received by September 15<sup>th</sup> of the 3YO year.
  - d. Nomination forms received after September 15<sup>th</sup> will incur a late fee of \$250 in addition to the nomination fee.

## Purse Distribution

1. Funding for the GHRA futurity program is derived from enrollment fees of the horses entering the program. Of all the enrollment fees paid, GHRA will retain 10% for administration costs to run the program. The remainder, 90% will be distributed and prorated based on the available funds.
2. Up to 10 placings will be distributed.
3. Owner, as shown on the horse's GHRA registration papers will receive 80% of the payout and the stallion owner will receive 20%.

### Payout Scale:

# Entries	Placing									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	100%									
2-3	60%	40%								
4-6	40%	35%	25%							
7-9	30%	25.5%	23%	21.5%						
10-12	25%	21%	20%	17.5%	16.5%					
13-15	24%	18%	17%	15%	14%	12%				
16-18	23%	17%	15.5%	13.5%	12.5%	10%	8.5%			
19-22	22%	16.5%	15%	12.5%	11%	9%	7.5%	6.5%		
23-26	21%	16%	14%	12%	10.5%	8.5%	6.5%	6%	5.5%	
27>	20%	15%	13%	11%	10%	8%	6.5%	6%	5.5%	5%

### Payout example:

A yearling class of 6 which equal \$540 total purse (6 horses x \$100 enrollment fee less 10% administrative cost).

1<sup>st</sup> place will receive \$216, 2<sup>nd</sup> = \$189 and 3<sup>rd</sup> = \$135. 1<sup>st</sup> place payment, 80% (\$172.80) will go to the horse owner and 20% (\$43.20) will go to the sire owner, etc for each payout.

### General Provisions:

1. GHRA will not be responsible for entries or payments not received by the due date. It is recommended to send with tracking.
2. GHRA is not responsible for incorrect or omitted information submitted on an application.
3. There are no horse substitutions allowed for any reason.
4. GHRA reserves the right to refuse entry into the program for any reason
5. An entered horse (stallion or progeny) may change ownership and retain entry status under the new owner, provided a transfer form has been submitted and paid to the GHRA registrar. Otherwise, the recorded owner at the time of the competition will receive any money awarded.
6. There is no guarantee that participation in this program will result in a payout.
7. **The GHRA Futurity program is administered by the GHRA Board of Directors and the rules are subject to change or cancellation with or without notice.**
8. The futurity does not awards points, instead it has a payback to the owner and nominator.
9. GHRA does not guarantee an annual stallion service auction. If a service auction is not offered the rule for non auction participation applies to nominations.

**Payment of Fees:**

1. All fees are payable to GHRA.
2. Entry checks returned due to insufficient funds will constitute an incomplete application. Application will not be processed until payment in full has been received.
3. Acceptable forms of payment include, personal check, money order, cashier's check, bank wire, paypal or credit/debit card. Paypal and credit/debit card transactions will incur an additional 3% processing fee.



**GHRA**  
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**Mare Nomination Form**  
GYPSY HORSE REGISTRY  
OF AMERICA

Mare's Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

GHRA Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded Owner's GHRA Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Farm/Ranch Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Person Enrolling Mare:  Owner

Other (please give name and contact information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Was mare used by winning bidder of the Auction?  Yes  No

1. If yes, enrollment for the current breeding year is complimentary.
2. If mare **did not** participate in the service auction, the nomination fee is \$150 for breeding year 2025 with foal eligible to enroll 2026.  2025 check to select
3. Mare is also eligible to purchase retroactive nominations with a fee of \$75 for each year selected.

Check desired years for enrollment: select by breeding year

2020  2021  2022  2023  2024



**Futurity Program Agreement**

- 1. I agree to pay the designated fees to the program as outlined to the GHRA. I understand that there is a late fee for a missed deadline.
- 2. I have read and understand the futurity program guidelines.
- 3. I understand that this contract is a binding agreement between me, personal representatives, and the GHRA.
- 4. GHRA is not responsible for lost mail or entries received after the due date.
- 5. The GHRA Futurity program is administered by the GHRA Board of Directors and the rules are subject to change or cancellation with or without notice.

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Please send copy of front and back of GHRA registration papers.

**Payment Information**

Amount Due: \_\_\_\_\_  Check  Credit Card  Paypal

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Card No: \_\_\_\_\_

CVV: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Signature authorizes GHRA to charge the card above for the designated amount + 3% fee\*\***

Submit forms to: [ghrafuturity@gmail.com](mailto:ghrafuturity@gmail.com) or mail to PO Box 872, Louisburg, KS 66053



**GHRA**  
**Futurity Program**

**Progeny Nomination Form**

GYPSEY HORSE REGISTRY  
OF AMERICA

Horse's Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

GHRA Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded Owner's GHRA Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Farm/Ranch Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Person Enrolling Horse: \_\_\_ Owner \_\_\_ Other (please give name and contact information  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's Social Security No or Federal Tax I.D. No. \_\_\_\_\_

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I am nominating a: \_\_\_ Weanling (\$75) \_\_\_ Yearling (\$100) \_\_\_ 2YO (\$150)

\_\_\_ Colt \_\_\_ Filly \_\_\_ Gelding

Select Years Desired \_\_\_ 2023 \_\_\_ 2024 \_\_\_ 2025

Is progeny sired by stallion that participated in the Service Auction? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

If progeny from a Mare used in the Service Auction? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

If yes, indicate breeding year \_\_\_\_\_.

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2. I have read and understand the futurity program guidelines.
3. I understand that this contract is a binding agreement between me, personal representatives, and the GHRA.
4. GHRA is not responsible for lost mail or entries received after the due date.
5. I understand that either the Stallion or the Dam must be enrolled in the futurity program for any progeny to be eligible for nomination.
6. The GHRA Futurity program is administered by the GHRA Board of Directors and the rules are subject to change or cancellation with or without notice.

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**GHRA**  
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**Stallion Nomination Form**

GYPHY HORSE REGISTRY  
OF AMERICA

Stallion Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

GHRA Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded Owner's GHRA Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Farm/Ranch Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Person Enrolling Stallion:  Owner

Other (please give name and contact information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Did stallion participate in the Auction?  Yes  No

1. If yes, enrollment for the current breeding year plus retroactive from 2020 is complimentary.

2. If stallion **did not** participate in the service auction, the nomination fee is \$350 for breeding year 2025 with foal eligible to enroll 2026. Deadline is Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> 2025 to submit nomination.

2025 check to select.

3. Stallion is also eligible to purchase retroactive nominations with a fee of \$250 for each year selected.

Check desired years for enrollment: select by breeding year

2020  2021  2022  2023  2024

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