



THE BARBADOS THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION
In Association With
THE BARBADOS TURF CLUB

THE MICHAEL PARRAVICINO MEMORIAL
HOPEFUL BREEDERS' STAKES & TROPHY [Gr.2RB-Bar]

(Barbados-bred 3YO - About 7.8 furlongs or 1,570 metres)

To be run in February, 2025

PURSE/VALUE OF RACE

Minimum Guaranteed - **\$25,000**

ELIGIBILITY

Open to **THREE-YEAR-OLDS in 2025**, foaled in Barbados, and which are eligible by virtue of having paid all the general and required, accepted and registered qualifying nominations to the BTBA Breeders' Stakes Program.

WEIGHT CONDITIONS

The weights to be carried by each horse will be "Allotted" as set out below:

Colts and Geldings - 123lbs

Fillies - 118lbs

NO APPRENTICE, MAIDEN nor RATING ALLOWANCES.

PRESCRIBED NOMINATION SCHEDULE

1st Nomination of \$200 payable on or before Friday 8th November, 2024

2nd Nomination of \$400 payable on or before Friday 29th November, 2024

3rd Nomination of \$600 payable on or before Friday 13th December, 2024

Any owner who fails to subscribe by the due dates stated above may subscribe at any of the later dates, provided the previous unpaid nominations are paid together with the penalties according to the following schedule. If only the first nomination is paid for a horse, but the horse is still not paid up for in full by the 3rd nomination deadline, that horse may still be made eligible via payment of the "Late Penalty" by its deadline (again provided all previous unpaid nominations are also paid. In cases where the first two nominations were paid for a horse, but the horse is still not paid up in full by the 3rd nomination deadline, then 50% of the "Late Penalty" would then be due by its deadline along with all previously missed nominations. If no prior nominations were received for a horse, then the Supplementary payment becomes due and payable by its deadline, in lieu of the other nominations and penalties, in order for that horse to be made eligible.

PENALTY SCHEDULE

<u>STAGE</u>	<u>DUE DATES</u>	<u>PENALTY</u>
2nd Penalty	29 th November, 2024	\$300
3rd Penalty	13 th December, 2024	\$400
Late Penalty	At time of Entry	\$600
Supplementary	At time of Entry	\$2,250

- The schedule for this race to be run, and all conditions herein stipulated are subject to the clause that if due to financial or other unforeseen circumstances the race cannot be staged (or a specific condition met), then any other schedule, condition or determination will be at the sole discretion of the Barbados Thoroughbred Breeders' Association without any liability whatsoever to the Barbados Turf Club or the Barbados Thoroughbred Breeders' Association. Adequate notice will be provided in the event of such changes.
- Payments made by cheque and delivered through the post, must be posted or delivered so as to be received at the Registered Office of the Barbados Turf Club, The Garrison, St. Michael, by or before 4:00pm on the due dates, and unless received by 4:00pm on the due dates **will not** be accepted.

- There will be an Entry fee of 2.5% of the first prize payable on the day appointed for the taking of General Entries.
- **NOMINATIONS AND PENALTIES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. Entry fees only will be refunded to any horse eliminated from the race.**

PURSE DISTRIBUTION

Purse distribution will be in accordance with the following table:

1 st -	55%
2 nd -	21%
3 rd -	11%
4 th -	8%
5 th -	5%

BREEDERS' PREMIUMS

Breeders' and Sires' Premiums will be paid in amounts determined by the Barbados Thoroughbred Breeders' Association and The Barbados Turf Club.

- **BTBA BREEDERS' AND SIRES' INCENTIVES WILL ONLY BE PAID TO BREEDERS WHO ARE BTBA FINANCIAL MEMBERS AT THE TIME THE RACE IS RUN.**

NUMBER OF STARTERS and QUALIFICATION TO START

The maximum number of starters will be TWELVE. In the event of more than twelve horses being declared to start, qualification to start will be determined based on the performance of each horse in its career, in accordance with the points schedule set out below.

POINTS SCHEDULE

	Points Distribution			
	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
<u>2-Y-O races</u>				
Maidens & Conditional Races	2	1	½	¼
Handicap	3	2	1	½
Graded Stakes, Subscription/Nomination races	6	4	2½	1½
<u>3-Y-O or Older races at 1000 or 1100 metres</u>				
Maidens & Conditional Races	3	2	1	½
Handicap	4	2½	1½	1
Graded Stakes, Subscription/Nomination races	6	4	2½	1½
<u>3-Y-O or Older races at 1570, 1800, 2000 or 2200 metres</u>				
Maidens & Conditional Races	6	4	2	1
Handicap	8	5	3	2
Graded Stakes, Subscription/Nomination races	12	8	5	3
<u>Key</u>				
H/C - Handicap; W/A - Weight for Age; C/R - Conditional Race				

In cases where horses have the same number of points (or no points at all), qualification will be determined by drawn lot.