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## **FUTURITY / DERBY RULES**

Overview: The **BRN4D Futurity/Derby Program** is two fold, Futurity/Derby Sidepots and Approved Futurities/Derbies. You may earn points towards the year-end standings with the Futurity/Derby Sidepots that may be offered at any BRN4D race or by running in BRN4D approved Futurities/Derbies. Points are based on the horse. BRN4D members must nominate horse to the Futurity/Derby Program in order to accumulate points.

## **SECTION I – Futurity/Derby**

- 1) Herein are the Futurity/Derby Rules, for items not addressed refer to the Standard BRN4D Rules. BRN4D management will resolve any conflicts.
- 2) The Futurity season runs November 15 November 14.
- A \$75 Nomination fee must be submitted, accompanied by a copy of both sides of the horse's registration papers or veterinarian's affidavit if unregistered and nomination form before points will be accumulated. If not already a BRN4D member, a BRN4D membership must also be included on both horse & rider.
- 4) More than one horse may be nominated, as along as the appropriate nomination forms and fees are paid for each horse.
- 5) The horses registered name must be used at all times on any required paperwork. If the horse is not registered the name that appears on the nomination form must be used.
- 6) To participate in the BRN4D 2D Futurity program,
  - (a) All Futurity horses must be horses five (5) years old and younger
  - (b) Horses may never have competed for money, prizes or points any time before November 15<sup>th</sup> of previous year.
  - (c) Any dispute on the age of a horse running must be brought up to BRN4D management. Running a horse that does not qualify under the futurity rules will result in loss of all BRN4D points and disqualification.
  - (d) Futurity horses have one (1) year of eligibility.

## 7) To participate in the BRN4D 1D Derby program,

- (a) All Derby horses must be horses seven (7) years old and younger, as long as they did not compete in futurities as a four (4) year old. (If competed in futurity as a four (4) year old, then cutoff age for derby horse is 6 years old.)
- (b) Derby horses have two (2) years of eligibility, either as a five (5) and six (6) year old or as a six (6) and seven (7) year old, depending upon the horses age as a futurity horse.
- (c) Any dispute on the age of a horse running must be brought up to BRN4D management. Running a horse that does not qualify under the Derby rules will result in loss of all BRN4D points and disqualification.