

**DOWNSTATE CLASSIC STAKES
Foals of 2017- Three-Year-Olds**

SPONSORED BY: Downstate Classic Colt Stakes Inc.
TROPHY: To be awarded to the Breeders of race winners

**3-Year-Old races will be held Wednesday August 5, 2020 at the
Effingham County Fairgrounds in Altamont, Illinois.**

Entry Fee: \$200

RACING CONDITIONS: All events to be raced one dash at one mile. If more than 8 declare in to start, the track reserves the right to race divisions. In the event divisions are raced, the purse will be divided equally by the number of divisions raced. The races will be divided by sex.

ELIGIBILITY: Only horses that are Illinois Conceived and Foaled and properly registered with the Illinois Department of Agriculture.

NOMINATIONS: Yearlings: Foals of 2017 nominations of \$25.00 were due June 15, 2018. Late nominations for foals of 2017 were accepted through December 31, 2018 for \$50.00.

FUTURE SUSTAINING PAYMENTS:
3- Year-Old - \$200.00 sustaining Payment due March 15, 2020

SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENTS: Horses that were nominated as yearlings but failed to be sustained at 2 Y.O. can still be made eligible as a 3 Y.O. by making a supplemental payment of \$400 by March 15th of their 3 Y.O. year.

Horses that were not nominated as yearlings or supplemented at 2 Y.O. can be made eligible at 3 Y.O. by making supplemental payment of \$1,000 by March 15th of the 3 Y.O. season

DECLARATION: Due in the race secretary's office in accordance with standards of hosting tracks- 72-Hour box

PAYMENT DISTRIBUTION: Nomination payments to be divided equally between age, gait and sex. Sustaining payments follow gait and sex of division in which horse is entered. An administration fee of up to 5% may be deducted.

TRANSFER: Gait may be changed upon proper notification to the Downstate Classic Stakes office. All subsequent payments after the nomination shall follow the adopted gait.

NOTICE: USTA Rule 11, Section 3 provides "Failure to make any payment required by conditions constitutes an automatic withdrawal from the event." The Downstate Classic Stakes will construe payment to require that cash or check duly honored upon presentation be received at the time specified. If check is not duly honored upon presentation, the horse(s) become ineligible to race.