

**LITTLE BROWN JUG NO. 73
and JUGETTE NO. 48**

Sponsor:

Little Brown Jug Society.

For:

Foals of 2015. Pacers to race as 3-year-old colts and fillies in 2018.

Added Money:

The Delaware County Agricultural Society will add \$50,000 minimum guarantee to the open race and \$25,000 minimum guarantee to the companion filly race.

To Be Raced At:

Delaware, Ohio, during Grand Circuit week in 2018.

Nomination Fee:

\$50 on May 15, 2016.

Special Notice to Foreign Nominators:

Nominators shall be active members of the USTA and the yearling must be properly identified to the satisfaction of the USTA at the time of nomination.

Future Payments for Colts and Geldings: (U.S. Funds only)

Supplemental Fee -March 15	\$400
March 15, 2017	\$500
Feb. 15, 2018	\$750
Starting Fee	\$7,000

Future Payments for Fillies: (U.S. funds only)

Supplemental Fee -March 15	\$400
March 15, 2017	\$400
Feb. 15, 2018	\$500
Starting Fee	\$4,000

Starting Fee:

Due by 10 a.m. five days before date of race. (Sundays counted).

Estimated Purse:

Little Brown Jug	\$700,000
Jugette	\$300,000

Supplemental Payment:

2-year-olds not nominated in the May 15 yearling payment, may be made eligible thru a supplemental nomination fee of \$400 due on or before the March 15 payment. This supplemental payment is in addition to the normal March 15 payment.

Filly Notice:

Any nominated filly making payments when due may start in the Little Brown Jug to which she is eligible by paying an additional amount equal to the total required of colts and geldings plus the starting fee. Fillies may not declare or enter in both events.

Transfer:

Any horse or filly nominated to the Little Brown Jug or Jugette can be transferred to the Old Oaken Bucket or Buckette if a change is made in the gait by making up the equal amount in payment. The same conditions prevail for any horse or filly nominated to the Old Oaken Bucket or Buckette to transfer to the Little Brown Jug or Jugette

Racing Conditions for the Jug:

The track retains the right to conduct either or both events in a single dash with 20 percent going to the race winner in addition to the 50-25-12-8-5 percent pay off. The Little Brown Jug Society, "Society", at its sole discretion, reserves the right to limit the race to eliminations and a final only. This action would be decided at the discretion of the Society thus potentially removing the possibility of the "if Necessary (third heat)". In the event the Society chooses to remove the "If Necessary" race from the program the 20% set aside monies will be added to the Final Heat Race and divided the same as the other monies.

Race sponsor shall determine the number of horses that will start in each division not to exceed 10. If one division the event will be raced two heats of one mile. Post positions for 2nd heat to be determined by order of finish of first heat. If separate heat winners, the heat winners will return to race the third and final heat. The winner must win two heats. Twenty percent

will be set aside for the ultimate winner, forty percent to the elimination heats and 60 percent to the final. Purse will be divided 50-25-12-8-5 percent each heat with the exception of the third heat if necessary. The track retains the right to conduct either or both events in a single dash with 20 percent going to the race winner in addition to the 50-25-12-8-5 percent payoff.

Eliminations for the Jug:

If the field is divided into two groups, 20 percent of the total purse will be set aside for the race winner. The remaining 80 percent will be divided as follows:

The first division will race for 20 percent of the remaining purse and the second division will race for 20 percent of the remaining purse. The first four horses in each division will qualify for the second heat, which will be raced for 60 percent of the remaining purse. Post positions for the second heat to be determined by order of finish and blind draw of divisions. If after the second heat no horse has won both heats, a third heat shall be raced of only the heat winners. The race winner shall receive the 20 percent set aside. Although only four horses return out of the first and second divisions, five monies will be paid each and every heat except the third if necessary heat. The all monies will be divided 50-25-12-8-5 percent with the exception of the third heat.

Special Elimination Conditions for the Jug:

If there are three divisions, then three elimination heats will be held. Five monies will be paid in each elimination heat, but only three from each elimination heat will return for the second heat. Post positions for second heat to be determined by order of finish in divisions and blind draw of divisions. Only heat winners will return for the third if necessary heat to determine the race winner. Twenty percent of the total purse will be set aside for the race winner. The remaining 80 percent will be divided as follows:

The first three elimination heats will be raced for 40 percent of the remaining purse, divided into equal shares of one third each. The second heat will be raced for 60 percent of the remaining purse. If after the second heat, no horse has won two heats, a third heat shall be raced of only heat winners to determine the race winner. The race winner shall receive the 20 percent set aside. The track retains the right to conduct the event in divisions, with each division racing for an equal share of the purse. Twenty percent of the total purse would go to the winner of the fastest heat and said heat winner would be declared the race winner. All heats will be paid 50-25-12-8-5 percent.

Racing Conditions for the Jugette:

Race Sponsor shall determine the number of horses that will start in each division not to exceed 10. If one division the event will be raced two heats of one mile with the winner of the second heat being declared the winner of the Jugette. The first eight finishers will return for the second heat. Post position for the second heat to be determined by finish of the first division. The purse for the first heat will be 30 percent of the total purse and the remaining 70 percent of the total purse goes to the second and final heat. Purse will be divided 50-25-12-8-5 percent each heat. The track retains the right to conduct the event in a single dash.

Eliminations for the Jugette:

If the field is divided into two groups 40 percent of the total purse will go to the eliminations. The remaining 60 percent will go to the second heat. The two divisions will race for an equal amount of the 40 percent. The first four horses in each division will qualify for the second heat, which will be raced for the 60 percent set aside for the second heat. Post positions for the second heat to be determined by order of finish and blind draw of divisions. The winner of the second heat will be declared the winner of the Jugette. Although only four horses return out of the first and second divisions, five monies will be paid each and every heat. Purse will be divided 50-25-12-8-5 percent each heat. Special Elimination Conditions for the Jugette:

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Limited Field for the Jug and Jugette:

If more than 24 horses declare in to start, only the (24) twenty-four horses with the highest lifetime earnings will be allowed to start. All paid in fees will be refunded to those not permitted to start.

Performance Requirement:

In order to start a horse in the Little Brown Jug or the Jugette, a horse is required to have a race line or a qualifying line of 2:00 or better the year of the race.

Special Supplemental Declaration:

Three-year-old pacers not eligible as of Feb. 15, 2018 may, with a payment of \$45,000, supplement to the Little Brown Jug if they have won either the Cane Pace, the Messenger, The North American Cup or the Meadowlands Pace.

Supplemental declaration fees are due with the intent to start in the Race Office at a prescribed time and day scheduled by the host track.

Notice:

USTA Rule 11, Section 3 provides: "Failure to make any payment required by the conditions constitutes an automatic withdrawal from the event." The Little Brown Jug Society will construe payment to require that cash or check duly honored upon presentation to be received at the time specified in USTA Rule 12, Section 4. If a check is not duly honored upon presentation, the horse becomes ineligible to race, or if it races, to participate in the purse.

Rules:

This track is licensed by the State of Ohio Racing Commission and operates under the rules of The Ohio State Racing Commission in conjunction with The United States Trotting Association. The Little Brown Jug Society shall have the final decision on all matters pertaining to the racing of these stakes.

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