



**REFUNDS** 

# **2024 FUTURITY ENTRY FORM**

Name of Registere	d Horse:		
iire:Dam:			
Year Foaled:	Circle One: Stallic	on Mare	Gelding
	RIDER	OWNER	Check if same
NAME			
ADDRESS			
EMAIL			
PHONE			
Breeder's Incentive Side Pot (check one):YESNO			
I (we) hereby make application to enter the above named horse in the Gridiron Futurity. I (we) agree that all Gridiron Futurity decisions are final. I (we) hereby release the Gridiron Futurity, TH Productions LLC, futurity co sponsors and the Bowman County Event Center from any claim or loss to myself, rider, employee, horses, and/or equipment.			
Signature (parent if minor):		Date:	
Write checks to (ci	rcle one): Rider Owner		
ALL ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY May 10th, 2024—\$100 late fee after deadline  Entry fee for Futurity: \$300 plus \$100 for Breeder's Incentive Sidepot  Include copy of registration papers with payment.			
mana copy or community papers mini payment.			NO

See all rules @ gridironbarrelfuturity.com

Mail payment and entries to: TH Productions LLC PO Box 231 St Onge, SD 57779

## **GRIDIRON Rules and Regulations**

The GRIDIRON will be supervised by our GRIDIRON Committee and their decisions are FINAL. We reserve the right to refuse entry to any horse or individual. No discrimination will be tolerated. No disrespect towards any member of the GRIDIRON "crew" will be tolerated!

- Substitutions are allowed due to illness, injury, or death of the nominated horse. A veterinarian's affidavit of proof MUST accompany substitutions along with a \$50 fee. This means that buy-outs are allowed, though the transaction of fees must occur between the two parties & not the office. The necessary papers on the horse must accompany the \$50 fee. Any substituted horse will be ridden by the originally nominated rider. No exceptions. The transactions will only be accepted up to May 27th, 2024.
- Buyouts will be taken ONLY on horses paid in full and can only be done between May 10<sup>th</sup> and May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Entry fees are to be exchanged between the two parties and a \$100 buyout fee submitted to TH Productions, LLC along with a copy of the registration papers.
- ♣ Rider changes will be accepted until May 27th, 2024 with a \$20 processing fee.
- **THERE WILL BE NO CHANGES ONCE THE DRAW IS POSTED.**
- To be eligible to enter the Breeders Incentive Side-pot of the Futurity, the horse must be sired by one of the currently nominated stallions. A list of those stallions can be found at <a href="https://www.gridironbarrelfuturity.com">www.gridironbarrelfuturity.com</a>.
- There will be no age limit on the riders.
- Should a nominated horse be sold during the course of the payment period, written authorization must be received from the original owner before the horse will be entered.
- Late entries for the Futurity and Maturity will be accepted until May 27th, 2024 and will be assessed \$100 late fee. Late entries will run last both go-rounds. No Futurity or Maturity entries will be accepted after May 27th, 2024.
- There will be no refunds for any races at the Gridiron Futurity. Refunds will only be **considered** due to the death of the nominated horse.
- A photocopy of the FRONT & BACK of the registration papers of the horse must accompany all entries; if not included, will be figured as late until received.
- If you are unable to pick up your award, please have someone available to pick them up for you and stand in for pictures. This is very important. We have such generous sponsors and stallion owners and we want to thank them in every way possible.

**NO AWARDS WILL BE MAILED!!!!** 

### **Open 2D Futurity**

### With Breeders Incentive Side Pot - 100% Payback

- The Futurity is open to horses that are four or five years old. They may not have reached the age of six by the time of the Futurity. Horses must be checked in prior to running.
- To be eligible for the Futurity, the horse must NEVER have competed in ANY barrel race, including AQHA shows, play days, novice horse events, derbies, rodeos, etc. prior to November 15, 2023. To do so means forfeit of any & all fees paid & elimination from the Futurity. However, horses may have competed anywhere after November 15, 2023. Horses may have been entered in other events.
- Owners may enter more than one horse. The owner does not have to ride his/her horse. Either male or female rider is allowed.
- There will be two go-rounds at the GRIDIRON Futurity. The total times of the two go's will determine the Winner of the 1st place award.
- Futurity will be paid out in a 2D format with the split being 1 second. Average will paid out on a 2 second split. A tipped barrel will result in a no time.
- An electric eye will be used. Should the electric eye fail, you will be given the option of a rerun if you did not tip a barrel or break the pattern. A tipped barrel or a broken pattern will result in a no time.

#### **SOME LIMITS**

- There will be a one-time annual fee of \$100 per contestant. This allows for the nomination of one horse. Each additional horse will be an additional \$100 for the year. Should a nominated horse become injured or sold, substitution of another horse will be considered if it is also owned by the rider or an immediate family member. Contestants do not need to be from the state of South Dakota to enter, but the money will be paid out amongst South Dakota futurities. The number of included futurities will depend on the number of entries. In 2024 equal money will be distributed between the Gridiron, Dash and Dance and the 5-State Breeders Futurity.
- 100% of the contestant entry fee will be paid out along with 100% of the added money. Checks will be paid out by LI Productions, LLC. The payout at each of the 3 futurities will be equal and will consist of at minimum \$333 added money and 1/3 of the total contestant entry fees. The number of places paid will be determined by the number of total Some Limits entries. The last hole will be paid to the first 2D time (i.e. if 5 places are paid, the 4 fastest times will be paid and the 5th hole will be 1 second off the winning Some Limits time). If the 1D is not filled, the places will be paid progressively with no 2D. Since the 5-State is a limited Futurity, times of the futurity horses in the Saturday night 5D will be included. At the Gridiron, the Open Futurity will determine placings. Other Futurity events not limited will also be paid off of the placings in the Futurity entry. Except for the 5-State, you must enter the Futurity to be eligible for the money. Year-end awards will be given as well as awards at each event. Year-end awards will be given based on high money earnings. The number of places to be awarded will be determined based on high money earnings. The number of places to be awarded will be determined based on the final number of entries.

Guidelines to qualify for Some Limits Futurity Incentives are as follows:

- 1. Have not shown, trained, or assisted in training a horse for payment the past 5 calendar years.
- 2. Horse entered is currently owned by the contestant or owned by an immediate family member of the contestant.