



FEBRUARY 1ST PAYMENTS

- 2021 Canada QH Cup Futurity
 - \$150- Sale Horses
 - \$350- Non-Sale Horses
- Alberta Stallion Stakes Sire Nomination-no late nomination available for out-of-province stallion
 - \$200
- 2021 Memberships are due with these payments

CENTURY MILE

- [Stall applications](#) due February 1st

2021 STAKES ENTRY FEE UPDATES

<u>Track</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>Total Entry Fee</u>
Ctm	Maiden Express (3 & Up)	\$400
Ctm	Alberta Stallion Stakes Futurity	\$600
Gpr	Sale Stakes Futurity	\$400
Ctm	Alberta Bred (RG3) Futurity	\$700
Ctm	Alberta Bred Derby	\$600
	Aged Series Races- TOE Only	\$200

FUNDING AND RACE DATES

Added Monies and Race Dates subject to Horsemen's and Track Agreements and HRA funding approval will be released in the very near future.

Horse Racing Alberta 2021 Racing [Calendar](#)

RMTC Spring: May 1 – June 27

Century Mile: May 2 – November 6

Grande Prairie: July 11 – August 29

RMTC Fall: September 6 – October 11

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JANUARY
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MEMBERSHIP- no change in fees for 2021

Membership fees will remain the same in 2021. Membership Year is from January 1 to December 31. A membership is required in order to participate in any AQHRA Stakes and Awards programs, Equine Events and “Foaled in Alberta” programs, incentives, and bonuses.

2020 Membership Breakdown
Alberta: 149 | British Columbia: 7 |Saskatchewan: 8

[2021 Membership Form](#)

Alberta Stallion Stakes- 2021 Enrollment Changes

2021 APPLICATION DEADLINES AND FEES

On or before February 1st of breeding season \$ 200
After February 1st and on or before March 31st of breeding season \$ 300

- Stallions must stand the entire breeding season (that being a minimum of five consecutive months, commencing no later than Feb 1st) in Alberta. No late nomination available to out-of-province stallion.
- Death of Nominated Stallion:immediately following the year of the stallion’s death and should frozen semen be available for use, the stallion owner may continue to enroll in the Alberta Stallion Stakes program for up to two consecutive calendar years.

More information can be found at www.aqhra.ca/stallion-stakes

ASSOCIATION BYLAWS

Currently under review with recent inputs from Bylaw committee members, including members-at-large to come up with a consensus.

<http://www.aqhra.ca/membership> >>Bylaws

2021 STAKES BOOK ADS

- Deadline February 3
 - Full Page \$125
 - 3.75” x 10.5” Black and White
 - Half Page Black & White \$75
 - 3.75” x 5.25” Black and White

BREED IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM – Rule changes for 2021

The Quarter Horse Breed Improvement program rules are published on the website.

A bonus payment will be paid on eligible races after the conclusion of the Alberta Racing season if the following applies and a minimum payout is met:

- (a) race is carded in QH distances (yards) and
- (b) races carded as mixed race with TB participation will not be eligible (new)
- (c) races that have four (4) or less starters will not be eligible

As we approach the start of a new race season, ensure your AB-Bred Accreditation paperwork has been submitted to and approved by the AQHRA.

SALE STORY

History was made of Sept 18, 2020 when AQHRA held their 25th annual Quarter Horse Yearling Sale in conjunction with the thoroughbred yearling sale held at Westerner Park in Red Deer. AQHRA would like to congratulate Mohamad Khan, a thoroughbred A Track owner for purchasing a yearling quarter horse at the AQHRA sale. A prospect to add some more excitement to his racing stable: Archie Royal First. AQHRA wishes him success in the exciting sport of quarter horse racing in the upcoming season.



MARKETING COMMITTEE

Members are encouraged to send any ideas on the following topics to the office and/or marketing committee (Kathy, Ken and Joe)

- Slogans for posters and/or poster designs
- Promotional items that you would like to see that AQHRA have in stock

AQHA CANADIAN RACING CHAMPION

Freshman Eyesa Timber is the Canadian Champion. Bred and raced by Wesley T. Oulton, the Alberta-bred gelding is by First Timber and out of the Mr Jess Perry mare Eyesa Perry. He began his year racing in the United States before returning home, where at Century Mile he won the Alberta-Bred (RG3) Futurity and Canada QH Cup (RG3) Futurity. He won four of seven starts, with two second-place finishes, and earned \$56,491. The horse was trained by Wesley Oulton and Durk Peery, and ridden by J. Botello, Jose Rocha and Jose Vega.



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SOCIAL MEDIA

Remember to follow Alberta Quarter Horse Racing Association (@aqhra1984) on Facebook and Instagram

- Foal Fridays
 - Send in your 2021 future stars with sire, dam and date of birth to be featured
- Stallion Feature
 - 2021 Alberta Stallion Stakes Sires will be featured throughout the breeding season
- Throwback Thursdays
 - AQHRA is wanting to feature YOU, send us old photos and the story behind them to be featured

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