

# 2010 BLACK GOLD FUTURITY- RGII

Quarter Horse foals of 2008 by Black Gold Stallions

**\$650,000 +\***

Estimated Gross Purse for all 4 races

## FOUR RACES with one Nomination!

**300 Yard Division - Trials, June 30.. Finals, July 18 — Fair Meadows**

**330 Yard Division - Trials, September 4.. Finals, September 18 → Will Rogers Downs**

**350 Yard Division –Trials, October 2.. Finals, October 16 → Will Rogers Downs**

**Championship –Trials, October 31, Finals, November 14 → Will Rogers Downs**

**122lbs.** This is a Quarter Horse Racing program for Two Year Old foals of 2008 by Participating Stallions since the program was founded.

New Stallions may be added as their ONE TIME – LIFETIME FEE is paid. Contact OQHRA for a list of eligible stallions.

\*Estimated Gross purse based on 160 nominations. EVERY eligible horse may run at one or all distances. Timed trials will be run in each distance division.

The 10 fastest horses from trials for each distance division will compete in finals for that distance division.

Those 10 finalists are also eligible to compete in trials for the 2010 Championship. NO SUPPLEMENTAL TIME OF ENTRY PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED

### PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

October 15, 2009	\$100 to nominate
November 15, 2009	\$200 to sustain
December 15, 2009	\$300 to sustain
January 15, 2010	\$300 to sustain
February 15, 2010	\$300 to sustain
March 15, 2010	\$300 to sustain
April 15, 2010	\$300 to sustain
May 15, 2010	\$300 to sustain
June 15, 2010	\$300 to sustain

### PENALTY TO NOMINATE LATE:

November 15, 2009	payments to date (\$300*)
December 15, 2009	\$50 + payments to date (\$650*)
January 15, 2010	\$100 + payments to date (\$1,000*)
February 15, 2010	\$150 + payments to date (\$1,350*)
March 15, 2010	\$750 + payments to date (\$2,250*)
April 15, 2010	\$1,500 + payments to date (\$3,300*)
May 15, 2010	\$3,000 + payments to date (\$5,100*)
June 15, 2010	\$5,000 + payments to date (\$7,400*)
July 15, 2010	\$10,000 + payments to date (\$12,400*)

**TOTAL \$2400** (makes offspring eligible for ALL qualifying distances)

\* Total of Late Nomination Payment - Additional monthly payments will apply.

### ***If a payment is missed, that payment must be doubled to remain eligible.***

Payments shall be sent to: Oklahoma Quarter Horse Racing Assn. - P.O. Box 2907– Edmond, OK 73083

\$25,000 will be added to the Championship from Horsemen's Purse Account as well as \$21,250 in Stallion Funds for 2010. An additional amount of \$225,000 from the Oklahoma Tribal Purse fund will be added to nomination payments. There will be a 15% deduction from total nominations, late payments, and penalty payments for administrative and advertising expenses. 20% of the nomination payments, late payments and penalty payments will be carried to the purse for the 2010 Championship. The balance remaining will be used to provide \$100,000 of gross purse for each of the three qualifying divisions (\$300,000 total) with the remainder added to the purse for the 2010 Championship. 5% will be deducted from each division purse and from the Championship purse and paid in Stallion Awards. Stallion awards will pay 10 places in division finals and Championship. The three division distances will be 300 yards, 330 yards, and 350 yards. The Championship will be 400 yards. All 2010 Black Gold Races will be conducted between August and November 2010.

**PURSE DISTRIBUTION FOR DIVISION FINALS:** 30%, 20%, 12%, 10%, 8%, 6%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%

**PURSE DISTRIBUTION FOR CHAMPIONSHIP:** 50%, 17%, 12%, 7%, 4%, 3%, 2.5%, 2%, 1.5%, 1%

OQHRA reserves the right to promote the Black Gold Futurity in any manner deemed appropriate. OQHRA reserves the right to increase added money or otherwise amend these conditions, added money from Oklahoma tribal purse funds subject to availability and approval by OHRC. Awards and Trophies are provided by OQHRA.

**\*\* Credit card payments will be applied plus a 3.5% service charge by the credit card company. \*\***

**Make payable and Mail To: OQHRA - P.O. Box 2907-Edmond, OK 73083**

**(405) 216-0440**

**NOMINATION FORM**

Name & No.	Name of Race	Color	Sex	Year Foaled	Sire	Dam

Credit Cards Accepted:  Visa  M/C  American Express  Discover Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## \$650,000 +\*

### Estimated Gross Purse for all 4 races

Includes Three \$100,000 Guaranteed Qualifying Distances

300 yards – 330 yards – 350 yards

And a 400 yard CHAMPIONSHIP

122 lbs

\* estimated purse based on 160 nominations Total Program Payments only \$2,400

## NOMINATE YOUR YEARLINGS BY OCTOBER 15, 2009

### Tentative Dates for the 2010 Black Gold Futurity

(subject to OHRC approval)

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#### **RACE CONDITIONS:**

1. These provisions are for Futurity and Derby and Nomination Payment Races owned and/or administered by Oklahoma Quarter Horse Racing Association running at Fair Meadows and Will Rogers Downs
2. An owner may nominate as many horses as desired. If one or more nominations are withdrawn prior to the actual running of the race, it is the owner(s) responsibility to specify which nomination(s) are withdrawn when making payments. Nominations or subscriptions to any Stake or Feature Race may be refused or canceled, without liability at any time prior to the actual running thereof, except for the return of any nomination, sustaining and entry fees paid. All payments must be postmarked no later than the dates due and should be sent by certified mail. THE SENDER'S RECEIPT MUST BE PRESENTED AS PROOF OF PAYMENT SHOULD ANY DECREPANCY OCCUR. All checks returned by the bank will constitute no payment. All payments for Futurity or Derby races shall be remitted to and collected by the race sponsor.
3. In all Trials or Final(s) for these races, all entry fees must be on deposit at time of entry. BEING PAID UP FOR SUCH RACE DOES NOT GURANTEE ENTRY. Refer to condition book and Racing Secretary for entry time and dates on all races.
4. TIME OF ENTRY PAYMENTS (if any) MUST BE ON DEPOSIT WITH HORSEMEN'S BOOKKEEPER OR MADE NO LATER THAN TIME OF ENTRY IN ORDER FOR ELIGIBLE HORSES TO BE INCLUDED IN THE DRAW FOR POST POSITIONS.
5. Prior to racing, an owner is required to have on deposit with the Horsemen's Bookkeeper the amount required to cover all costs of starting a horse, including minimum jock mount for trial races if required by the Racetrack conducting the races.
6. TIME TRIALS: the procedure to select FASTEST QUALIFIERS will be on a time basis in the finest time increments available unless otherwise specified in the condition book at the racetrack conducting the races. Each trial shall consist of not more than 10(horses) and shall be conducted under the same conditions as set out on the nomination blank for the races. Times of horses in separate Trials will be determined by electric timer. In the event horses in the same trial are given identical times, the selection of horses advancing to finals will be determined by order of finish posted by the racing officials. No adjustments will be made in a recorded time for weather or track conditions. Should a mechanical failure occur with the electric timer for any trial, the winner and/or the time assigned to each trial participant shall determined by the stewards using either current AQHA Time Trial Rules or as determined from a frame by frame analysis of the races. Times will be assigned to horses in the race based on their relative position on the photo strip. If no photo strip is obtained, it can have no bearing as to not constituting a race. If there are more trial heats than can be conducted in one program, they will be divided by a draw and may be run on two separate days. The fastest times of each day will be used to select the finalist taking the five fastest times from each day for the Finals. This will not be done unless absolutely necessary. In the event twelve (12) horses or less are eligible to run in the trials of a Stake or Feature Races, only a Final may be run. The Final may be run either on the regularly scheduled Trial day or Final day at the discretion of the management and /or the race sponsor if applicable. There will be no also-eligible list for trials or finals. If one or more horses scratch from the Finals, the owner (s) of scratched horses will receive last place purse money, and the remaining purse money shall be distributed proportionately to the horses running in the Finals.
7. If the front gates on the starting gate fail to open due to mechanical failure, or if a horse is left behind the gate when the field is dispatched during the running of the Trials, such horse may be declared a non-starter and the stewards may be determine that owner is entitled to a refund of all nominating, sustaining and entry fees but not including administrative and advertising fees deducted from gross purse with a subsequent revision in the final purse distribution to reflect the refunded amount. During the running of a Finals such horse may be declared a non-starter and shall be classified as a scratched horse and shall be paid last place purse money in the race.
8. Racetrack management (with approval of race sponsor if applicable) or the races sponsor, and the OHRC may change the running date of Trials and Finals. All races described herein may be cancelled, rescheduled, or relocated at any time prior to the actual running thereof, without liability, except for the return of nomination and sustaining fees paid if cancelled.
9. Eligibility for a stakes race does not guarantee a stall assignment for the entire meet. No entry will be received and no stabling will be permitted except upon the conditions that all disputes, claims, and objections arising out of racing or with respect to interpretations of any rules, conditions of races, or otherwise shall be decided by the Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission, the Stewards, the Racetrack Management, or the race sponsor if applicable as the case may be, and such decision upon all points shall be final. All horses, either by the time or performances, which do not meet OHRC or Racetrack Eligibility Rules, will be ineligible for entry.
10. Race sponsor is Oklahoma Quarter Horse Racing Association. All disputes as to eligibility to participate in the race will be determined in the sole discretion of OQHRA and the decision of OQHRA will be absolute, final and binding.

For more information on the Black Gold Program visit the websites:  
**[www.oklahomaracinginfo.com](http://www.oklahomaracinginfo.com) or [www.oqhra.com](http://www.oqhra.com)**

*The Black Gold Program is owned and administered by OQHRA*

Oklahoma Quarter Horse Racing Association  
**BLACK GOLD FUTURITY PROGRAM**  
**STALLION NOMINATION AGREEMENT**



This agreement is made on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ between the Black Gold Futurity Program owned and administered by Oklahoma Quarter Horse Racing Association, hereinafter called Black Gold Program and the undersigned Stallion Nominator (Stallion's owner of record as recorded by AQHA for the following stallion:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Stallion Name & AQHA ID Number

The parties agree to the following stipulations:

- **ONE-TIME, LIFETIME STALLION PARTICIPATION FEE**
  - \$2,500 for stallions that have not yet bred a mare provided fee must be paid prior to breeding the first mare; or
  - \$5,000 for stallions that have previously bred a mare or mares.

Stallion breeding reports submitted to AQHA will be used to verify the appropriate fee for stallions enrolling in the program. Any stallion found to have bred a mare prior to enrollment will be required to pay the additional \$2,500 or will be removed from program and foals by that stallion will not be eligible for races. OQHRA is not liable for any damages to a breeder as a result of a stallion determined to be ineligible for participation due to a misrepresentation of the status of the stallion at the time of enrollment.

- **STALLION BECOMES A BLACK GOLD STALLION FOREVER**  
 Once a stallion participation fee is paid in full, foals (past, present, & future) may nominate to Black Gold Races.
- **THIS PROGRAM IS FOR REGISTERED QUARTER HORSE OFFSPRING BY PARTICIPATING STALLIONS**
- **THE BLACK GOLD FUTURITY AND DERBY PROGRAM IS OWNED BY THE Oklahoma Quarter Horse Racing Association, Inc. (OQHRA, INC)** and operates under the laws of the State of Oklahoma, the rules and regulations of the Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission, and Blue Ribbon Downs.
- **PARTICIPATION FEE PAYMENTS** will be escrowed upon receipt for use as Added Money for the Black Gold Programs.
- **STALLION AWARDS:** 5% deducted from purse of each Futurity distance division and from each Championship Futurity and paid to the owner of record according to the AQHA at the time the dam of the money earning offspring was bred. Exception: If a dam was bred before the Stallion's enrollment, and the Stallion's Owner of Record at breeding was other than the Owner of Record named herein, the award will be paid to the Stallion's Owner of Record named herein, since already born offspring were nominated to the Futurity as a result of the Stallion's Enrollment in the program. Stallion awards pay 10 places in division finals and Championship of Futurity. Stallion participation follows the Stallion. If the stallion is sold the Owner of Record prior to the sale agrees to notify OQHRA that the Stallion has changed ownership.
- **STALLION SUBSTITUTION:** For all stallions enrolled after October 19, 2006 there will be no substitution in the event of death or inability of the stallion to service mares in subsequent years however all foals by such stallions conceived as a result of frozen semen or frozen embryos will remain eligible for the program. If a first time stallion is enrolled and dies or becomes incapable of service prior to breeding the first mare, the enrollment fee may be refunded.
- **PROGRAM PROMOTION:** For each breeding season Stallion Nominator agrees to furnish the Black Gold Program (OQHRA, Inc) with a list of mares in foal to this stallion, their registration number, the owner's name, address and phone number; and to encourage owners of offspring to nominate to the races. Stallion Nominator agrees to include the Black Gold Futurity among the stallion's Program Eligibilities in his own advertising.

- **PROGRAM & RACE CONDITIONS:** Stallion nominator agrees to the terms of these Program conditions as written by the Black Gold Program (OQHRA, Inc); that the Black Gold Program has the right to accept or reject any stallion at its sole discretion; that Black Gold Program reserves the right to promote this Program in any manner it deems appropriate. Black Gold Program (OQHRA, Inc.) reserves the right to increase Added Money, or otherwise amend Program Conditions, or future Stallion Nomination agreements.
- **ADVERTISING AND ADMINISTRATION:** 15% will be deducted from Stallion Participation fees with remainder applied to purses for the Black Gold Program.
- **INTEREST** (if earned) will be added to the purses
- **AWARDS:** All Awards and trophies will be provided by OQHRA.

Owner of Record: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of Record Tax ID number (or social security number): \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**STALLION ENROLLED:**

Stallion Name: \_\_\_\_\_ AQHA Reg. # \_\_\_\_\_

Year Foaled: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of 1<sup>st</sup> crop to race: \_\_\_\_\_

Location where Stallion Stands: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of the promises, terms, conditions and payment of sums contained herein, it is agreed between the parties as set forth above. This agreement may not be assigned or transferred to any other person without the specific consent, in writing, by OQHRA. The conditions herein are binding upon all parties hereto, their heirs, their devisees, executors, administrators, assignees, and all other legal representatives.

THEREFORE, each of the parties hereto has signed this Agreement, or caused it to be signed on his behalf:

Black Gold Program

Stallion Nominator

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Officer or Authorized Agent

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Stallion Owner or Authorized Agent

**RETURN TO:** Black Gold Futurity Program c/o OQHRA P.O. Box 2907, Edmond, OK 73083  
405-216-0770 phone or 405-216-0770 Fax Email: [qhra@aol.com](mailto:qhra@aol.com)  
Please enclose enrollment fee with Application