



## Futurity/Derby/Maturity Rules



- Futurity is open for all registered horses 5 years old and younger. The horse cannot have been competed Dec 1 prior year. This includes play days, WSCA shows, AQHA, rodeos, etc. If proof is found that your horse has been competed on prior to this date you will be disqualified and your money will not be refunded.
- Derby class is open to all registered horses, 7 and under, not futurity eligible
- Grade horses are NOT eligible to enter any SC Productions Futurity Or Derby/Maturity Events
- Maturity will be a 2 Go rounds and an Average. Open to any horse 7 years of age and under, OR any aged horse sired by a nominated MN Breeders Incentive Stallion – Check [SCProductionsLLC.com/MNFuturity.com](http://SCProductionsLLC.com/MNFuturity.com) Stallion page for nominated stallions, OR those that have run in previous MN Futurity OR MN Derby/Maturities will be eligible to run in the Maturity. They CANNOT compete in both the Futurity and the Maturity in the same year.

**Dress code:** Full dress code will be enforced for all futurity derby events. Professional photographer & videographer will be on site. Long sleeve, jeans, boots & Hat/Helmet – contestants not in full dress code will result in a disqualification

**Entry Forms:** Found on [SCProductionsLLC.com/forms](http://SCProductionsLLC.com/forms). Copy of horse’s registration papers must accompany the first nomination payment for entries to be accepted. No refunds for any reason.

Entries carrying over to the Open class on the same day must have it marked on the open entry form before the start of the futurity/derby class

**Late Fees:** Late fees apply after postmarked date. \$25.00 per missed payment. Late entries accepted at event by 6pm Friday before event with a \$50.00 late fee. Must have a copy of registration papers for the show office to late enter at event. Futurity/Derby Entries close at 6pm Friday night before event.

**Changes/Substitutions:** Horse substitutions & Rider Substitutions are allowed up to 6 pm Friday of said event with a substitution fee. You can find the GREEN Futurity Derby Change Forms in Show office. This form is to be completed and all fees paid by 6pm Friday. If carrying Futurity/Derby time to the open, contestant must complete a Pink open change form in the show office

### Payout:

- Payout will be 2 Go’s and an Average payout
- Futurity is a 2D Format – Full second split – Tipped barrel is a no time
- Derby/Maturity is a 2D Format – Half second split – Tipped barrel is a no time
- Payback is 75% of Entry Fee & - 100% of added money
- 100% payback of Breeders Incentive money at Breeder’s Events

1<sup>st</sup> Go – 30%, 2<sup>nd</sup> Go – 30%, Average – 40% - Division Payout: 1D 70%, 2D 30%

### Check in Futurity Horse

- Check Event Schedule for Check in Times at each event. Please bring required registration papers (copies are accepted front and back) coggins test paper work with to check in. Horses will not be eligible to compete unless they have been checked in.
- Owners may enter and ride more than one horse. The owner does not have to ride his or her own horse
- The three-gate call rule will be used and enforced. If you are not at the gate after your name has been called three times you will be disqualified. You must be in the warm up pen during the drag prior to your run. Running out of draw order – Disqualification
- The second go will be run in reverse order.
- We will drag after every 5 runners.
- No switching draw positions – Draw will be posted on [SCProductionsLLC.com/Draw](http://SCProductionsLLC.com/Draw) Page

2D # of Entries	Placings
1-10	1
11-20	2
21-30	3
31-40	4
41-50	5
51-60	6
61-80	8
81-100	10
101 +	12

## SC Productions General Rules

- ALL FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE SHOW OFFICE PRIOR TO MAKING YOUR RUN
- When Entering on line payment is required at the SAME DAY you enter either PayPal or a check postmarked by the next day. Any payments made AFTER the Pre-Entry Date will result in a LATE FEE. Contestants reserve stalls, electrical, warm Ups and Exhibitions we consider them sold.
- A \$25.00 return check fee plus bank fees will be charged on all returned checks.
- All contestants must have a current W9 form for the current year on file to receive a check. Checks are valid for 90 days. Any checks that need to be re-issued will be charged a \$25 Fee. Any checks not cashed within the 90 days (as printed on the checks) will be considered void and will not be re-issued for any reason.
- Absolutely nobody on the ground before 8 am on Friday
- NO REFUNDS after pre-entry deadline for any REASON.
- By entering you agree to abide by and follow all rules and are responsible for any horse you bring to this event and will be considered an agent for such horse. We reserve the right to refuse any entry for any reason.
- SC Productions have the final say on all rulings.

**Horse OR Rider Substitutions Rule:**

**Revised JULY 1, 2020:**

**Horse and/or Rider Substitutions / buying spots are allowed in the event a horse or rider gets hurt during the time Pre-Entries Close and the start of said event.**

- Refunds will be granted for any reason prior to the pre entry date. Less office fee
- No refunds for any reason after the Close of the Pre-Entry Date for said event
- Changes must be submitted on an Official Horse/Rider Change form in the show office
- Horse/Rider Substitutions Close at:
  - Friday at 4:00 PM
  - Saturday 10:00 AM
  - Sunday's Race must be done by 8pm Saturday night.
- **\$5 change Fee PER DAY/PER CHANGE.**
  - FOR EXAMPLE) If you change Friday, Saturday & Sunday Open Classes it's \$5 per day/per change = \$15.00
  - If you're changing youth spots on top of the open that's an additional \$5 per change/per day
- Side Pots can NOT be sold
- No changes on Sunday morning for any reason. Changes associated with buying a spot cannot be made by email, text or face book.
- ALL CHANGES must be made in the show office.
- The NEW RIDER will pay the office fee to the show office and the change fees.
- New Riders must sign release form in the show office
- Futurity/Derby changes - see Futurity Derby Rules Rules

This change has been put into place to the overwhelming amount of changes. Over the past year we are doing over 200 changes per event. This accommodation has been getting out of control and we have decided in order for us to host a faster, smoother & less chance for errors in the draw we had to make changes in order for us to do a better job hosting an event that you will enjoy to attend. In order for our staff to get the changes and late entries put into the computer, printed for the contestants and copies to the announcer, timer & gate officials on time BEFORE the start of the race. We had to come up with a new plan for changes. No one wants to see errors in the draw or payouts. We had to make these hard business changes in order for SC Productions to produce better events for the contestants

**Dress Code:** Contestants must wear western boots, long sleeve shirt. (any long sleeve shirt is fine) Hat/helmets optional

**Competition Rules**

- Rerun will be given to those horses that ran with a barrel off set on the marker or incase the timer fails. All reruns will be the decisions of the Arena Director
- We will drag after every 5 riders, big drag every 50 riders
- A horse may enter each race only once.
- Tipped barrel results in as a no time
- The three-call rule will be used and enforced. If you are not at the gate after your name has been called three times you will be disqualified.
- Only the next 10 riders may be in the warm up arena prior to your run. ALL CONTESTANTS MUST CHECK IN WITH GATE OFFICIAL THEMSELVES PRIOR TO RUNNING OR THEY MAY BE SUBJECT TO Disqualification. If you have a safety issues, please talk to the gateman so that we can work with you PRIOR to making your run. NO TAKING TACK OFF IN THE WARM UP PEN AFTER YOUR RUN!
- No Running out of draw order. No switching of draw positions. HORSE MUST RUN IN POSITIONS DRAWN! – Disqualification
- No letting horses roll or lounging horses in warm up arena during the barrel race, warm ups or exhibitions.
- Pre-Draw will be posted on SCProductionsLLC.com/Draw Page
- Any excessive whipping, jerking or tuning in the competition arena will NOT be tolerated. A warning will be issued to leave the arena if not followed by a \$50.00 fine will be accessed.
- You may circle once in the arena prior to the start of your run
- Riders MUST maintain forward motion! Disqualification

**Late Entries**

- Are accepted, whether you are entering for 1 day or all 3 days. Late Entries close at draw #50 in each Open class

**Exhibitions/Warm Ups:**

- Friday Warm Ups and Exhibitions will be sold on SC Productions Website. Saturday's will go on sale in the show office Friday night and Sundays will go on sale in the show office Saturday night. CASH ONLY for SAT & SUN
- No ponying horses in 30 min warm ups
- Exhibitions will be 60 seconds, 1 trip through, Limited number sold each day.

**Facility Rules:**

- All horses must be placed in a stall belonging to the arena.
- One horse per stall. No portable pens. No tying horses outside overnight – results in disqualification
- All bedding must be purchased through the event facility. No outside shavings or straw allowed! \$50 fines will apply
- Everyone will be photographed at these events and videoed.
- NO DOGS IN THE SHOW ARENA DURING THE BARREL RACING COMPETATION.

**Payout Back Scale:** 75% Entry fees, 100% Added money, No Time for tipped barrel

**Open Class** 5D Format, Half second split.

**Youth Class** 4D Format, half second split. Youth 18 & Under, as of Jan 1<sup>st</sup>

Youth contestants that wish to enter same horse in the Open the same day MUST carry over. (CAN NOT RUN TWICE)

**Senior Side Pot** 4D Format, half second splits. As of Jan 1<sup>st</sup>. Open to anyone 50 & over.

You must enter the open class to carry your time.

5D # of Entries	Placings
1-16	1
17-33	2
34-66	3
67-95	4
96-133	5
134-166	6
167-222	8
223-333	10
334-500	12

**Open Futurity & Derby Side Pot:** 2D Format, Futurity full second split. Open to horses 5 years old and under. The horse cannot have been competed Dec prior year. All futurity horses must be registered. Copy of horse's registration papers. Derby 2D format, half sec split, horses not eligible for futurity

**SIDE POT:** Any Changes or corrections to side pot entries must be made before the end of that race. Once results are posted for side pot ..... changes will not be made to the results. Results posted are FINAL. Please double check to make sure you listed in all side pots you entered.

**Vendors:**

- All vendors must have approval to sell a product or provide a service at any SC Productions Events. Vendors will receive advertising during event with approval
- Contact Casey 507-450-6080 or email [scvarpness@hotmail.com](mailto:scvarpness@hotmail.com)
- Selling products or providing a service on the MEC, grounds without a vendor approval from Casey. This will result in disqualification.
- SC Productions or event facility are NOT responsible for your vendor booth or products or service while you attending SC Productions events.

**Pole Bending:** 3D format, full second splits, 75% entry fee, 100% Added money, Tipped pole No Time.

SC Productions, Sponsors & MN Equestrian Center & Double F Arena are not responsible for any, injury, accidents, loss or theft that may occur to You, your horse or Your Property while attending this event either as a spectator or contestant. Every contestant will be required to sign a waiver form before you enter the arena at each event. We DO NOT have Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) on site during SC Productions events.

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