TRIALS JUNE 24, 2018 (Tentative)
FINALS JULY 8, 2018 (Tentative)
WEIGHT 125 LBS. NO SEX ALLOWANCE
400 YARDS

Estimated $ 7,000 added money
Sponsored by Oregon Quarter Horse Racing Association

2018 GRANTS PASS DERBY

IMPORTANT NOTICE: This race will be zero tolerance for Clenbuterol, albuterol, zilpateral, ractopamine or any analogues. Trials and final winners will be hair, blood and urine tested. All horses entering will be subject to random testing. Horses testing positive for these substances will be declared unplaced and forfeit all winnings. Hair test will be performed at UC Davis by S.O.H.R.A. & OQHRA.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

	PAYMENT ON TIME	LATE PAYMENT	TOTAL DUE
APRIL 15, 2018	$ 200		
MAY 15, 2018	$ 200	$ 400	$ 600
TRIAL PAYMENT	$ 200	$ 800	$1,200
TOTAL FEES	**$ 600**		

LATE NOMINATIONS AT TIME OF TRIALS MUST be in Association office at least seven (7) days prior to trial entry date.

THREE YEAR OLDS DULY REGISTERED BY THE AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION.

Nominations and sustaining fees will be accepted through the United States mail POST MARKED NO LATER THAN DATE DUE. Fees defaulted by return of insufficient fund checks will cause the immediate dropping of the nominee. Cash or Certified Check required for fee to enter trials.

TRIALS: Trials will be electrically timed elimination trials. The 8 fastest times will be placed in the derby. If the electrical timer fails in any trial, the stewards may then select the finalists for the derby from the order of finish in the trials. Times will be taken at 1/1000th of a second. If a tie should occur any decisions shall be determined by lot. Should a horse be disqualified it shall be given the time of the horse it is placed behind plus 1/1000th of a second. If the gate fails to open in the trials, the horse shall be declared a non-starter and all nominating and entry fees, less administrative and promotional monies, will be refunded. If the gate fails to open during the derby or consolation the horse shall be declared a non-starter and placed last in the respective race. Each trial shall consist of not more than 8 horses. In the event 8 horses or fewer enter the trials the OQHRA reserves the right to conduct the derby without trials including all horses entered. Any situation or incident not covered in these conditions/terms, shall be governed by the AQHA time trials procedures.

The Association reserves the right to change the advertised date or to hold time trials on a non-race day, and to establish trial race purses if possible, at its discretion.

The purse of the derby shall consist of the nomination, sustaining and trial entry fees plus added money, less up to 15% for advertising and promotion, shall be distributed: 40% to 1st; 20% to 2nd; 15% to 3rd; 10% to 4th; 6% to 5th; 3% to 6th; 3% to 7th; 3% to 8th.

This will be your only notice. Owners are responsible for keeping their horses eligible. **Owners must be a current OQHRA member to run in an Association sponsored race.**

ALSO ELIGIBLE: There will be NO ALSO ELIGIBLE list for the Derby. If a horse which has qualified for the finals and is thereafter unfit medically or ineligible to compete in the finals, the horse will receive last place money by right of its performance in the trial. If more than one horse should scratch then those monies shall be added together and divided equally among those scratching out of the race.

There will be no consolation with the Grants Pass Derby.

There can be no substitutes of horses after one has been nominated, but transfer of ownership will not affect the eligibility. OQHRA must be advised in writing of the sale of all nominated horses and furnished with the name and address of the new owner.

Entries are made with the understanding that the horse or horses so entered will only be allowed to start if in good standing at the time of the actual running of this event.

The Board of the OQHRA reserves the right to change the dates of the trials and finals.

The rules of the Oregon Racing Commission in effect at the time the race is run govern all races at Grants Pass.

MEMBERSHIP DUES.... $45.00 ANNUALLY (Jan. 1 through Dec. 31) Separate check, please

*Detach & mail **no later than April 15, 2018** to O.Q.H.R.A., 7479 Nelson Lane, Turner, OR 97392, phone: (503)743-2528 or Fax: (503)743-4312*

Please indicate which horse(s) you are nominating: *(please print clearly)*

1. _____
(Name of Horse) *(Sire)* *(Dam)*

2. _____
(Name of Horse) *(Sire)* *(Dam)*

3. _____
(Name of Horse) *(Sire)* *(Dam)*

OREGON BRED (CHECK ONE) YES ( ) NO ( ) BREEDER NAME _____

BREEDER ADDRESS _____

OWNER _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIPCODE: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

NOMINATION FEES $_____ FOR _____ (NO. OF HORSES) **TOTAL ENCLOSED** $_____

GPD ***Make checks payable to: OQHRA, and mail to 7479 Nelson Lane, Turner, OR 97392***

Separate checks for each horse in the same race is not necessary. Don't forget to pay your 2018 membership dues.