



New Zealand Metropolitan Trotting Club Inc.
New Zealand Standardbred Breeders Association

MET BREEDERS BONUS

AUGUST 2017

Any member* of the New Zealand Standardbred Breeders Association (NZSBA) who breeds the winner of a totalisator race at a New Zealand Metropolitan Trotting Club (NZMTC) meeting held at Addington Raceway will be eligible for a \$500 bonus payment.

Terms and Conditions:

1. A race is defined as any totalisator race conducted by the NZMTC at Addington Raceway (only) from 1 August 2017 excluding any five and six star rated race days (listed below), all Group and Listed Races and all New Zealand Sires Stakes Board (NZSSB) administered races.
 - i. 6 October
 - ii. 14 November
 - iii. 17 November
 - iv. 16 February
 - v. 23 March
 - vi. 6 April
 - vii. 11 May
 - viii. 18 May
2. Group and Listed Races defined as per the list of such approved races published each season by Harness Racing New Zealand (HRNZ) to be conducted by the NZMTC.
3. There is no limit to the number of Bonus payments a horse can earn, subject to the terms and conditions listed.
4. A breeder is the entity as shown on the HRNZ records for that horse as breeder.
5. The breeder will be recognised for reward if the breeding entity/partnership has a 50% or greater NZSBA financial membership.
6. The bonus will be paid to the first name in the registered breeders entity, however if that name is not a paid up member of NZSBA it will be paid to the first name that is.
7. The NZSBA member or member entity must be a fully paid up current member of NZSBA as at 31 August 2017, to be eligible to receive the bonus payment.
8. The winner of a race is defined as a horse who is the declared winner of a race by the New Zealand TAB (NZRB) and who receives the winning stake after the clearance of any swabs. In the event of a dead heat in a race by two qualified horses, the bonus would be shared.
9. The breeder must submit an invoice to NZMTC within 30 days of the win for the bonus to be paid out. The invoice can be emailed to breeders@addington.co.nz or mailed to the Finance Department, Addington Raceway, PO Box 9036, Tower Junction, Christchurch 8149. The \$500 (plus GST, if applicable) bonus will be payable on the 20th of the month following invoice, providing swabs have cleared. The total bonus pool per racing season is limited to \$80,000, noncumulative from season to season.
10. The bonus is payable in NZ dollars.
11. The decision about if a bonus is to be paid and who it is to be paid to shall be absolutely at the discretion of the CEO NZMTC acting on advice from the HRNZ Keeper of the Studbook and the Executive Manager NZSBA and cannot be reviewed by any person or body.
12. NZMTC reserves the right to review the scheme annually in May of each year and cancel, alter or otherwise amend the scheme in anyway. Notification of such to be made annually to the industry no later than the 31 December 2017. NZMTC will meet all obligations in that current racing season (up to 31 July), should any decision be made to discontinue or alter the terms from the start of the following season.

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