



FUTURITY / DERBY RULES

Overview: The **BRN4D Futurity/Derby Program** is two fold, Futurity/Derby Sidepots and Approved Futurities/Derbies. You may earn points towards the year-end standings with the Futurity/Derby Sidepots that may be offered at any BRN4D race or by running in BRN4D approved Futurities/Derbies. Points are based on the horse. BRN4D members must nominate horse to the Futurity/Derby Program in order to accumulate points.

SECTION I – Futurity/Derby

- 1) Herein are the Futurity/Derby Rules, for items not addressed refer to the Standard BRN4D Rules. BRN4D management will resolve any conflicts.
- 2) The Futurity season runs December 1 through November 30.
- 3) A \$75 Nomination fee must be submitted, accompanied by a copy of both sides of the horse's registration papers or veterinarian's affidavit if unregistered and nomination form before points will be accumulated. If not already a BRN4D member, a BRN4D membership must also be included on both horse & rider.
- 4) More than one horse may be nominated, as long as the appropriate nomination forms and fees are paid for each horse.
- 5) The horses registered name must be used at all times on any required paperwork. If the horse is not registered the name that appears on the nomination form must be used.
- 6) **To participate in the BRN4D 2D Futurity program,**
 - (a) All Futurity horses must be horses five (5) years old and younger
 - (b) Horses may never have competed for money, prizes or points any time before December 1st of previous year.
 - (c) Any dispute on the age of a horse running must be brought up to BRN4D management. Running a horse that does not qualify under the futurity rules will result in loss of all BRN4D points and disqualification.
 - (d) Futurity horses have one (1) year of eligibility.
- 7) **To participate in the BRN4D 1D Derby program,**
 - (a) All Derby horses must be horses seven (7) years old and younger, as long as they did not compete in futurities as a four (4) year old. (If competed in futurity as a four (4) year old, then cutoff age for derby horse is 6 years old.)
 - (b) Derby horses have two (2) years of eligibility, either as a five (5) and six (6) year old or as a six (6) and seven (7) year old, depending upon the horses age as a futurity horse.
 - (c) Any dispute on the age of a horse running must be brought up to BRN4D management. Running a horse that does not qualify under the Derby rules will result in loss of all BRN4D points and disqualification.

SECTION II – SIDEPOD & BRN4D Futurity/Derby Races

- 1) A Futurity/Derby sidepod may be offered at any BRN4D race not offering a futurity/derby. Existing/new Futurities/Derbies may also be approved. BRN4D management must approve all co-sanctioning. Co-sanctioned events will be governed by the prime sanction rules.
- 2) Futurity/Derby Sidepod races and Futurities/Derbies are open to anyone with an eligible horse.
- 3) A contestant may opt to roll their time from the open class to the Futurity/Derby Sidepod race or contestant may choose to run in the Futurity/Derby Sidepod Class.
- 4) Futurity Sidepod races will be paid in a 2D Format with a one (1) second split. Futurities will be paid in a 2D format with a one (1) split. Sidepod Derby races will be paid 1D format. Payoff will be according to BRN4D percentages, with last hole receiving at least their entry fee back, minus the office charge, paying out as many places that the payoff will allow.
- 5) **FUTURITY/DERBY SIDEPOD ENTRY FEES**

Suggested entry fees

<u>Added Money</u>	<u>Entry Fees</u>
\$0 - \$99	\$15 - \$20
\$100 - \$250	\$20 - \$35
\$250 - \$500	\$30 - \$45
\$500 - \$750	\$40 - \$55
\$750 - \$1,000	\$50 - \$65
\$1,000 & up	\$60 - \$75

SECTION III – Points

- 1) To accumulate points the rider must be a BRN4D member and the horse must be nominated to the BRN4D Futurity/Derby Program.
- 2) Points are accumulated on the horse, not the rider.
- 3) Futurity/Derby points will not count for BRN4D Open points and Futurity/Derby Sidepods & Futurity/Derby races will not count as BRN4D Finals qualifiers.
- 4) Points will be awarded as follows:
 - (1) Participation points per race (must compete) 50 points.
 - (2) Points will be awarded on a dollar won basis. One dollar equals one point, with cents dropped. Points allotted to the division in which you placed 1D or 2D. There will be no double, triple or quad points awarded.
 - (3) A five (5) second penalty will be added for each knocked over barrel, horse will still receive a time.

SECTION IV – Year-End

There will be NO BRN4D Futurity/Derby Finals with this program.

SECTION V – Year-End Awards

- 1) Horses not nominated and non-BRN4D members will not be eligible for year-end

awards.

- 2) Year-end points will determine the winners of the 1D and 2D futurity season and awards will be presented accordingly.
- 3) Year-end points will determine the winners of the 1D derby season and awards will be presented accordingly.
- 4) The point year/season will end November 30th.