

2010 Lone Star Park Handicapping Championship Series

Qualifier 1 Tournament – Saturday, March 13

Qualifier 2 Tournament – Saturday, June 19

Qualifier 3 Tournament – Saturday, July 31

Lone Star Park Handicapping Championship Tournament – October 16, 2010

Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie

1. TO ENTER:

1.1. QUALIFIER 1: The first qualifier tournament for the Handicapping Championship Series is open to enter through close of business, Monday, March 8, 2010. Interested players may submit an official entry form containing their name, *Star Player Rewards* number, address, city, state, zip code and phone number to Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie, 1000 Lone Star Parkway, Grand Prairie, TX 75050. Entry forms must be received by Lone Star Park prior to entry deadlines. Limit one entry per person. Contestant must be a valid *Star Player Rewards* member at Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie. Qualifier 1 is limited to four hundred and fifty (450) people on a first come first served basis. All participants must sign up for each tournament individually. (To sign up for *Star Player Rewards*, please apply in person at Lone Star Park during operating hours. *Star Player Rewards* applications will not be accepted by phone, email or mail. Must be signed up by deadline.) The top fifty (50) finishers in Qualifier 1 become eligible for the Handicapping Championship.

1.2. QUALIFIER 2: The second qualifier tournament for the Handicapping Championship Series is open to enter starting Saturday, March 13 through close of business, Monday, June 14, 2010. Interested players may submit an official entry form containing their name, *Star Player Rewards* number, address, city, state, zip code and phone number to Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie, 1000 Lone Star Parkway, Grand Prairie, TX 75050. Entry forms must be received by Lone Star Park prior to entry deadlines. Limit one entry per person. Contestant must be a valid *Star Player Rewards* member at Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie. Qualifier 2 is limited to four hundred and fifty (450) people on a first come first served basis. All participants must sign up for each tournament individually. (To sign up for *Star Player Rewards*, please apply in person at Lone Star Park during operating hours. *Star Player Rewards* applications will not be accepted by phone, email or mail. Must be signed up by deadline.) The top 50 finishers in Qualifier 2, not already qualified in Qualifier 1, become eligible for the Handicapping Championship.

1.3. QUALIFIER 3: The third qualifier tournament for the Handicapping Championship Series is open to enter starting Saturday, June 19 through close of business, Monday, July 26, 2010. Interested players may submit an official entry form containing their name, *Star Player Rewards* number, address, city, state, zip code and phone number to Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie, 1000 Lone Star Parkway, Grand Prairie, TX 75050. Entry forms must be received by Lone Star Park prior to entry deadlines. Limit one entry per person. Contestant must be a valid *Star Player Rewards* member at Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie. Qualifier 3 is limited to four hundred and fifty (450) people on a first come first served basis. All participants must sign up for each tournament individually. (To sign up for *Star Player Rewards*, please apply in person at Lone Star Park during operating hours. *Star Player Rewards* applications will not be accepted by phone, email or mail. Must be signed up by deadline.) The top 50 finishers in Qualifier 3, not already qualified in Qualifier 1 or Qualifier 2, become eligible for the Handicapping Championship.

1.4. NO PURCHASE NECESSARY: If you wish to enter a qualifier tournament for free, you must submit your entry form by the appropriate deadline. On the day of the tournament, you must pick up your bet slips between 10:00 and 11:15 a.m. at the Admission booth at the Post Time Pavilion located at 1000 Lone Star Parkway, Grand Prairie, TX 75050. You must complete your bet slips and return them by 11:25 a.m. or prior to the first post time of the first race you selected to play, whichever comes first. A representative from Lone Star Park will walk you to the designated mutuel windows to place your bets. A representative from Lone Star Park will then escort you back out of the park.

1.5. CHAMPIONSHIP: The Handicapping Championship is only open to qualifiers from the first three qualifying tournaments. The Handicapping Championship is restricted to the Top fifty (50) finishers from Qualifier 1, Top fifty (50) finishers not already qualified from Qualifier 2 and Top fifty (50) finishers not already qualified from Qualifier 3. Limit one entry per person.

2. HOW TO PLAY:

2.1. QUALIFIER 1 – Saturday, March 13: Players select any races from any of the five (5) tracks from the following list: Gulfstream Park, Fair Grounds, Aqueduct, Oaklawn Park or Santa Anita Park, on Saturday, March 13. Players must make \$1,140 in mythical wagers on ten (10) races (one (1) wager per race) at any of the designated tracks. The player will select any race at any designated track and then select only one (1) wager type for each selected race. The player must make ten (10) mythical wagers on ten (10) different races at any of the designated tracks. The wagering types are the following: two (2) \$50 Win, Place, Show on one (1) horse (total of \$300); two (2) \$10 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$120); two (2) \$20 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$5 Trifecta box with four (4) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$1 Superfecta box with five (5) horses (total of \$240). Lone Star Park representatives may select alternate tracks in the event that any or all designated tracks cancel race cards on Saturday, March 13.

2.2. QUALIFIER 2 – Saturday, June 19: Lone Star Park is a mandatory track. Players must make one wager of each wager type on any five (5) races at Lone Star Park. Players must make one wager of each wager type on an additional five (5) races from any of the tracks in the following list: Lone Star Park, Belmont Park, Arlington Park, Churchill Downs, Hollywood Park or Louisiana Downs, on Saturday, June 19. Players must make \$570 in mythical wagers on five (5) races at Lone Star Park and \$570 in mythical wagers on five (5) races at any of the designated tracks. The player will select any five (5) races at Lone Star Park and any five (5) races at any designated track and then select only one (1) wager type for each selected race. The player must make a total of ten (10) mythical wagers on five (5) different races at Lone Star Park and an additional five (5) different races at any designated track (total of ten (10) different races). The wagering types are the following: two (2) \$50 Win, Place, Show on one (1) horse (total of \$300); two (2) \$10 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$120); two (2) \$20 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$5 Trifecta box with four (4) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$1 Superfecta box with five (5) horses (total of \$240). In the event that Lone Star Park cancels its race card on Saturday, June 19, Lone Star Park representatives will announce to the contestants that they will need to choose ten (10) races from the designated tracks. Lone Star Park representatives may select alternate tracks in the event that any or all designated tracks cancel race cards on Saturday, June 19.

2.3. QUALIFIER 3 – Saturday, July 31: Players select any races from any of the five (5) tracks from the following list: Arlington Park, Louisiana Downs, Calder, Del Mar or Saratoga, on Saturday, July 31. Players must make \$1,140 in mythical wagers on ten (10) races (one (1)

wager per race) at any of the designated tracks. The player will select any race at any designated track and then select only one (1) wager type for each selected race. The player must make ten (10) mythical wagers on ten (10) different races at any of the designated tracks. The wagering types are the following: two (2) \$50 Win, Place, Show on one (1) horse (total of \$300); two (2) \$10 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$120); two (2) \$20 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$5 Trifecta box with four (4) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$1 Superfecta box with five (5) horses (total of \$240). Lone Star Park representatives may select alternate tracks in the event that any or all designated tracks cancel race cards on Saturday, July 31.

2.4. **CHAMPIONSHIP – Saturday, October 16:** Players may select any races from any of the four (4) tracks from the following list: Belmont Park, Keeneland, Oak Tree at Santa Anita or Calder, on Saturday, October 16. Players must make \$1,140 in mythical wagers on ten (10) races (one (1) wager per race) at any of the designated tracks. The player will select any race at any designated track and then select only one (1) wager type for each selected race. The player must make ten (10) mythical wagers on ten (10) different races at any of the designated tracks. The wagering types are the following: two (2) \$50 Win, Place, Show on one (1) horse (total of \$300); two (2) \$10 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$120); two (2) \$20 Exacta box with three (3) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$5 Trifecta box with four (4) horses (total of \$240); two (2) \$1 Superfecta box with five (5) horses (total of \$240). Lone Star Park representatives may select alternate tracks in the event that any or all designated tracks cancel race cards on Saturday, October 16. The top six (6) finishers in the Championship earn a berth to the 2010/2011 Daily Racing Form / NTRA National Handicapping Championship.

3. **QUALIFIER PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION –**

Only the top five (5) players in each qualifier will split the prize money. If a player that falls in the top five has not qualified for the bonus payout structure, he will receive the designated amount listed in the “Not Qualified” payout chart. If a player that falls in the top five (5) players of a particular tournament has placed in a qualifying level of any previous tournament, the player will qualify for the bonus payout structure listed below in the “Qualified Player” payout chart. Once a player qualifies in a tournament, the player will qualify for the bonus payout structure in all future tournaments of the series listed above. The prize money will be distributed based on the eligible prize money for each of the Top 5 players – 60% to the winner; 20% to second, 11% to third; 6% to fourth; and 3% to fifth.

Qualifier Prize Money Distribution Chart

Saturday, March 13

1 st place	every player	60% of \$1,000	\$600
2 nd place	every player	20% of \$1,000	\$200
3 rd place	every player	11% of \$1,000	\$110
4 th place	every player	6% of \$1,000	\$60
5 th place	every player	3% of \$1,000	\$30

Saturday, June 19

1 st place	Qualified Player	60% of \$5,000	\$3000
2 nd place	Qualified Player	20% of \$5,000	\$1000
3 rd place	Qualified Player	11% of \$5,000	\$550
4 th place	Qualified Player	6% of \$5,000	\$300
5 th place	Qualified Player	3% of \$5,000	\$150

1 st place	Not Qualified	60% of \$1,000	\$600
2 nd place	Not Qualified	20% of \$1,000	\$200
3 rd place	Not Qualified	11% of \$1,000	\$110
4 th place	Not Qualified	6% of \$1,000	\$60
5 th place	Not Qualified	3% of \$1,000	\$30

Saturday, July 31

1 st place	Qualified Player	60% of \$15,000	\$9000
2 nd place	Qualified Player	20% of \$15,000	\$3000
3 rd place	Qualified Player	11% of \$15,000	\$1,650
4 th place	Qualified Player	6% of \$15,000	\$900
5 th place	Qualified Player	3% of \$15,000	\$450

1 st place	Not Qualified	60% of \$5,000	\$3,000
2 nd place	Not Qualified	20% of \$5,000	\$1,000
3 rd place	Not Qualified	11% of \$5,000	\$550
4 th place	Not Qualified	6% of \$5,000	\$300
5 th place	Not Qualified	3% of \$5,000	\$150

Saturday, October 16

1 st place	\$1,500 Plus Trip to NHC
2 nd place	\$500 Plus Trip to NHC
3 rd place	\$500 Plus Trip to NHC
4 th place	\$500 Plus Trip to NHC
5 th place	\$500 Plus Trip to NHC
6 th Place	\$500 Plus Trip to NHC

4. Wagers are limited to the wagering types mentioned above. Official program numbers from the Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie Racebook programs must be used for all wagers. Players must use the provided bet slips for the mythical wagers; and the bet slips are to be given at the designated mutuel windows. Please check your tickets before leaving the window, as prizes will be awarded based on the horses selected through the Tote system and official mutuel tickets.
5. The player must clearly state the name of the track, race number and wager type on the number of the horse/horses they wish to wager. Also, each bet slip must be printed clearly and legibly. Each contestant is responsible for the accuracy of their official mutuel tickets. Bet slips are only provided as a courtesy to the contestant to help ensure accuracy of each official wager.
6. Wagers are limited to the five (5) wager types and amounts only.
7. Wagers will only be accepted at designated mutuel windows. All wagers must include the official bet slip. Each player will be provided an official mutuel ticket based upon his bet slip. However, in instances where a discrepancy exists between the bet slip and the official mutuel ticket, the official mutuel ticket will be the final determination of the actual wager. **IT IS THE PLAYERS' RESPONSIBILITY TO CONFIRM ACCURACY OF THE OFFICIAL MUTUEL TICKET BEFORE LEAVING THE WINDOW.**
8. All mutuels for this tournament will be verified by the Tote system based upon the official mutuel ticket. In all cases, the official mutuel payouts according to the Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie Tote system will be considered official and final.
9. There will be no specifying of alternates. If there is a scratch in a race that the player has selected, the player can change his or her wager by placing a revised wager at the designated mutuel windows prior to the post time for the indicated race. If the wager is not revised at the designated mutuel windows and includes a late scratch, straight wagers on scratched horses will be voided. Multiple horse wagers will be accepted with the remaining horses of the original bet.
10. In the event a player does not make one of the mandatory wager types on ten (10) different races at each track, the contestant will receive zero (0) dollars for each wager missed. If a player does not make one of his ten (10) wager types the amount of the wager will be removed from the player's bankroll. If a player places a second wager type on the same race, the first wager type placed will be considered valid. The second wager type will be considered invalid and any winnings will be removed from the players account.
11. Players must place all wagers personally. The entrant whose name appears on the official entry form and bet slips must place all wagers. No person shall directly or indirectly act as an intermediary, transmitter, or agent in placing wagers for the entrant. No one person may enter more than once, either under one or multiple names.
12. Players must fill out each bet slip provided to them on the day of the tournament. Each slip must be legible. All wagers on a tournament race must be placed with the mutuel clerks at the designated mutuel windows before the race. No exceptions will be made.
13. Individual winners will be determined by the total combined mutuel payouts of all ten (10) wagers placed on the day of the Tournament, pending verification that all wagers were made in accordance with tournament rules. In the event of a tie, the prize money will be divided between those who are involved in the tie.
14. The top 50 finishers in Qualifier 1, The top 50 finishers in Qualifier 2, that have not already qualified in Qualifier 1, and the top 50 finishers in Qualifier 3, not already qualified in Qualifier 1 or 2, will become eligible for the Championship on October 16.
15. All players are responsible for ensuring each wager is placed correctly. Please follow the instructions in these official rules.
16. In the case of a Tote malfunction: If less than six (6) tournament wagering opportunities are available, the tournament will be cancelled and rescheduled. In the event that six (6) or more races were wagerable, the day's tournament will be declared official.
17. Contestants must be 21 years of age or older on or before the tournament date, to participate. Employees of Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie and its advertising agencies, trainers and jockeys, stable personnel, or any members of the immediate families of the foregoing and any individual admitted to Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie free of charge due to employment on Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie property are not eligible to participate in any of the Qualifier Tournaments or the Handicapping Championship. Liability for any and all federal, state and local taxes rest solely with the prizewinners. Any winner must sign a release form, confirming compliance with these rules and regulations of this contest, and fill out a W-9 form for tax purposes. Note: Eligibility (e.g., employment or affiliation, family relationship, past winnings,) may vary between the qualifying tournaments, however, eligibility of finalists for the National Handicapping Championship shall be established by NTRA and DRF and shall apply to the National Championship event.
18. The top six (6) finishers in the Lone Star Park Handicapping Championship on Saturday, October 16, 2010, earn a berth to the 2010/2011 Daily Racing Form/NTRA National Handicapping Championship contest in Las Vegas, Nevada, held in January 2011, as Lone Star Park Team 1 and Team 2. These six (6) qualifiers will compete for the prize money for the 2010/2011 Daily Racing Form/NTRA National Handicapping Championship. Each of the six (6) qualifiers must be in attendance at the National Handicapping Championship on each day of the event. If one of the top six (6) finishers cannot attend, the next highest placing qualifier will earn a berth in the National Handicapping Championship. Depending on a particular situation, Lone Star Park, in cooperation with the NTRA, may assign an alternate qualifier. By participating in this contest, all players agree to abide by these determinations. More details will be provided. All airfare and hotel accommodations will be paid for by Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie for the top six (6) contestants representing Lone Star Park in the tournament in January (travel costs for spouses, guests, dates, and significant others traveling with the contestant will be the responsibility of each individual contestant). Airfare will be purchased departing from and returning to DFW Airport. Lone Star Park shall arrange all airfare for each contestant, and participants agree to travel according to the accommodations provided by Lone Star Park.
19. All contestants are responsible for their own admission, food and beverages, Daily Racing Form, the Race Book daily program and seating.
20. Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie, through its management, reserves the right to interpret all questions and conditions in regard to this event, without claim for damages or recourse of any kind.
21. All questions not covered in these rules will be decided by the management of Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie, its decision to be final.
22. Any specific questions regarding the contest should be directed to, John Records at (972) 237-5003.