
LICENSING

*****Multiple Year Licenses are available for the following:
Jockeys, Owners, Trainers and Veterinarians.**

Prior to entering a horse at Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie, all participants [Trainer and Owner(s)] should have a current Texas Racing Commission License.

TRAINERS:

1. All Trainers should be licensed prior to the entry procedure.
2. It is the trainer's responsibility to keep the Texas Racing Commission licensing office current on their owners' and employees' status. Failure to do so may result in disciplinary action by the stewards.
3. Whenever a trainer terminates an employee, the licensing office should be notified and badge returned. The license badge may be returned to the licensee if and when he/she is employed by another licensed trainer.

OWNERS:

1. All Owners, as listed on the horse's registration papers, should be licensed prior to the entry of that horse.
2. Owners' license will not be issued unless a licensed trainer is named on his/her application.
3. If an owner is unable to complete his/her application due to the illness or absence, the licensed trainer desiring to enter the horse may complete an emergency owner's license for the absent owner.
4. All owners who lease horses for racing purposes are responsible for licensing both the Lessee and Lessor.
5. If the owner is not an individual, each partner who has an ownership interest of five percent (5%) or more must be licensed by the Texas Racing Commission.
6. A person may not be licensed as an owner if the person is not the owner of record of a properly registered race animal which the person intends to race in Texas which is in the care of a trainer licensed by the Texas Racing Commission.

NOTE: Owners, trainers, lessors and lessees **must** be licensed prior to post time for the first race of the day. License forms can be obtained in advance by calling the Texas Racing Commission at (512) 833-6699.

For complete information on the rules of racing of the Texas Racing Commission, please request a rule book from the licensing office at Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie (972-237-5060) or contact the Austin office at 8505 Cross Park Drive, Austin, TX 78754-4594, (512) 833-6699 or on the web at txrc.state.tx.us.