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# QBred

## Queensland Breeding Incentive Scheme

### Introduction

QBred is a breeding and racing incentive scheme for Queensland Standardbred horses.

The QBred Scheme is Australasia's most innovative breeding and racing scheme, which distributes some \$2 million in rich feature prizemoney and race winning bonuses each season.

As a prospective owner, you can follow one of two paths to be a part of the QBred Breeding Incentive Scheme:

### Acquisition of a QBred

#### *Purchase a QBred eligible horse*

This can be achieved through a private treaty, yearling sales, claiming races, or from advertisements in harness racing publications.

#### *Breed a QBred eligible foal*

There are two ways to breed a QBred eligible foal – through the sire or through the dam.

A foal will be eligible for QBred if it is the progeny of:

(a) a stallion registered and standing in Queensland

or

(b) a mare inseminated in Queensland with the semen of a stallion registered and standing outside of Queensland, at the time of insemination, provided that the foal is born in Queensland, branded in Queensland and is notified to RQL.

### Nominating for QBred

The following nominating procedures apply:

- Nominations must be made on official forms. Forms are available in this brochure, and additional forms can be obtained from RQL upon request.
- A separate form must be used for each nomination. Multiple entries on the same sheet of paper will not be accepted.
- Fees are reviewed by RQL on an annual basis and are listed on the nomination form.
- No late entries will be accepted after the closing date, regardless of circumstances, unless appropriate late fees are paid. See Terms & Conditions under relevant age of horse.
- Pre-paid fees are not transferable.

# QBred

## **Terms & Conditions - For horses that are 2 years old in the 2010/11 season**

### **Nomination Fee**

A nomination fee of \$60 is required at foal notification time to ensure eligibility for the QBred Breeding Incentive Scheme.

### **Sustaining Payment**

A sustaining payment of \$60 per racing season is required to maintain eligibility for the QBred Breeding Incentive Scheme even if the horse does not race in a particular season. The sustaining payment is due by 01 December 2010 for a 2yo not being nominated for the QBred Scheme in the 2010/11 racing season.

### **Late Payments**

A Late Payment Fee of \$5,000 will apply to 2 year olds not paid by the due date of 01 December 2010.

Late Payments are subject to the \$60 Nomination Fee having been paid at foal notification time in all instances.

### **Multiple Eligibility**

The QBred Breeding Incentive Scheme allows for eligibility to multi-state or country sires stakes schemes at any time, providing the horse meets the eligibility criteria.

### **QBred Eligibility Options**

- *For horses by a Qld Sire out of a Qld Mare as per conditions*
- *For horses by a Qld Sire OR out of a Qld Mare as per conditions*

### **QBred Fee Schedule**

	Qld Sire & Qld Mare	Qld Sire OR Mare
At Foal Notification <i>(to ensure QBred eligibility)</i>	\$ 60	\$ 60
2 Year Olds	\$ 60	\$400
Trotters	\$300	\$300

### **QBred Bonus Schedule**

Race winning bonuses vary from \$250 to \$2250, depending on the horse's age and the penalty applying to the race won.

The bonuses only apply to race wins in Queensland.

***Bonuses are capped at 5 wins per season.***

For each season the bonus payments below will be paid to eligible QBred race winners:

	Metropolitan	Career	Graduation	Non-TAB
2 Year Olds	\$2,250	\$1,600	\$800	\$265

***All Bonus payments are inclusive of a Breeder's Bonus of 5% to 2 year old winners. Bonus payments over \$400 are also inclusive of a Trainer's Bonus of 5% and Driver's Bonus of 5%.***

In the case of a dead heat, the bonus applicable to the QBred eligible horse(s) is divided by the number of dead heaters.

## **QBred Stallion Service or Yearling Purchase Bonus Certificate**

Owners are issued a **QBred Stallion Service or Yearling Purchase Bonus Certificate** of **\$1,000 for the first win in a 2yo age race** to be used towards a service by a Queensland based sire or for the purchase of a QBred yearling at a registered Australian standardbred yearling sale. This certificate is to be redeemed at a Queensland stud for the purpose of serving a mare by a Queensland based sire or with a registered selling agent for the purpose of purchasing a QBred yearling at an Australian standardbred yearling sale.

If the full amount is not used to pay for the service or the purchase of a yearling then the residual value of the certificate is forfeited. The stud or selling agent where the certificate is redeemed shall invoice RQL for the amount of the service or the purchase price of the yearling and shall attach the original endorsed certificate to the invoice for payment by RQL.

The Bonus Certificate must be redeemed within 12 months of the date of the race win.

## **QBred Feature Race Series Eligibility**

All eligible QBred standardbreds are entitled to contest the 2 year old feature series in the particular season.

QBred race win bonuses are **not paid** on wins in any QBred only race.

Once paid up, your horse is eligible for the bonus payments under the QBred Scheme, as well as the following feature races:

2 year old feature races worth approximately **\$304,000**, being:

- QBred Breeders at the Gold Coast (\$94,000 - heats and finals)
- QBred Triad at Albion Park (\$210,000 - qualifying races and finals)

Each of the feature race series listed above have additional criteria that apply for final field selections. These are listed in full in the feature race conditions that follow.

## **QBred Feature Race Series Conditions**

### **General Conditions 2yo**

#### **QBred Breeders (Gold Coast)**

The selection criteria for the 2yo QBred Breeders heats at the Gold Coast will be winners first, in order of number of wins, and then as selected by the RQL field selection panel.

RQL will determine the number of heats according to the number of acceptors. However, it is expected that there will be two heats conducted for each sex. The fields for the Finals will be selected from the heats as per the RQL Heat and Final Policy. In the event of insufficient acceptors for two heats, a prelude may be conducted.

#### **QBred Triad (Albion Park)**

Two qualifying races for each sex will be conducted at TAB tracks as programmed by RQL. These races may be cancelled if there are insufficient acceptors. The winners of the qualifying races will be deemed automatic qualifiers for the Triad Finals.

Fields for qualifying races will be selected using the following criteria:

- Preference in selection will be given to horses that haven't yet contested a qualifying race.
- According to the field selection points system, unfulfilled engagements do not apply.

There is no automatic guarantee of a start in these qualifying races.

Once a horse has won a QBred qualifying race, it will be the first horse omitted should balloting be required for the second qualifying race.

#### **QBred Triad Final selection criteria**

The Final field for the 2yo QBred Triad Finals at Albion Park will be selected according to:

- The winner of the QBred Breeders Final at the Gold Coast in the current season
- Winners of a \$10,000 QBred qualifying race in the current season
- The winner of any other group or listed 2yo event in the current season
- The number of races they have won in the current season (excluding races worth \$2,000 or less)
- The current season's stake earnings

## QBred Feature Race Prizemoney

### QBred Breeders (Gold Coast)

*The following distributions are based on a maximum field limit of 10:*

	<b>2yo heats</b> <b>\$6,000</b>	<b>2yo final</b> <b>\$35,000</b>
<b>First</b>	<b>\$3,250</b>	<b>\$19,250</b>
<b>Second</b>	<b>\$1,200</b>	<b>\$7,000</b>
<b>Third</b>	<b>\$600</b>	<b>\$3,500</b>
<b>Fourth</b>	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$1,225</b>
<b>Fifth to last</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$175</b>
Breeder of First	\$300	\$1,750
Breeder of Second	\$120	\$700
Breeder of Third	\$90	\$525

### QBred Triad (Albion Park)

*The following distributions are based on a maximum field limit of 10:*

	<b>2yo qualifying races</b> <b>\$10,000</b>	<b>2yo final</b> <b>\$85,000</b>
<b>First</b>	<b>\$5,500</b>	<b>\$46,750</b>
<b>Second</b>	<b>\$2,000</b>	<b>\$17,000</b>
<b>Third</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>	<b>\$8,500</b>
<b>Fourth</b>	<b>\$350</b>	<b>\$2,975</b>
<b>Fifth to last</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$425</b>
Breeder of First	\$500	\$4,250
Breeder of Second	\$200	\$1,700
Breeder of Third	\$150	\$1,275

# QBred

## **Terms & Conditions - For horses that are 3yo's & 4yo's in the 2010/11 season**

There are two QBred Bonus Schemes for 3 and 4 year olds:

- **Bonus Scheme I**
- **Bonus and Feature Race Scheme II**

### **Late Payments**

Late payments are applicable for both schemes. **The payment of a late nomination will not entitle the owner to receive retrospective bonus payments for wins accumulated prior to the payment of the nomination fee**

### **Multiple Eligibility**

The QBred Breeding Incentive Program does **not** allow 3yo and 4yo horses that are eligible for multi-state or country Sires Stakes Series or Breeding Incentive Schemes to enter into more than one program **in the same season**.

### **QBRED BONUS SCHEME I**

- Annual pay-up fees of \$415 are due 01 September 2010
- Late entries will not be accepted without the appropriate late fee.
- The schedule below outlines the sliding scale of payments for late fees:

Payments received by 1 September 2010	\$415
Payments received by 1 October 2010	\$830
Payments received by 1 November 2010	\$1,660
Payments received by 1 December 2010	\$3,320
Payments received after 1 December 2010	\$4,150

**Cash bonuses** vary from \$250 to \$3000, depending on the horse's age and penalty of the race won. For 3 and 4 year olds there are unlimited win bonus payments.

Please note Double QBred (refers to a horse by a Qld based sire and out of a Qld eligible mare) and Single QBred (refers to a horse out of a Qld eligible mare or by a Qld based sire only).

For the 2010/11 season the bonus payments below will be paid to eligible winners:

	<b>Double QBred</b>	<b>Single QBred</b>
TAB – metropolitan penalty	\$3,000	\$2,000
TAB – career penalty	\$2,000	\$1,500
TAB – graduation penalty	\$1,000	\$750
NON TAB – all penalties	\$250	\$250

**Bonus payments over \$400 are inclusive of a Trainer's Bonus of 5% and Driver's Bonus of 5%.**

In the case of a dead heat, the bonus applicable to the QBred eligible horse(s) is divided by the number of dead heaters.

### **QBred Stallion Service or Yearling Purchase Bonus Certificate**

Owners are issued a **QBred Stallion Service or Yearling Purchase Bonus Certificate** of **\$1,000 for the first win in a 3yo age race** to be used towards a service by a Queensland based sire or for the purchase of a QBred yearling at a registered Australian standardbred yearling sale. This certificate is to be redeemed at a Queensland stud for the purpose of serving a mare by a Queensland based sire or with a registered selling agent for the purpose of purchasing a QBred yearling at an Australian standardbred yearling sale.

If the full amount is not used to pay for the service or the purchase of a yearling then the residual value of the certificate is forfeited. The stud or selling agent where the certificate is redeemed shall invoice RQL for the amount of the service or the purchase price of the yearling and shall attach the original endorsed certificate to the invoice for payment by RQL.

The Bonus Certificate must be redeemed within 12 months of the date of the race win.

## **QBRED BONUS & FEATURE RACE SCHEME II**

- Annual pay-up fees of \$515 are due 01 September 2010
- Late entries will not be accepted without the appropriate late fee.
- The schedule below outlines the sliding scale of payments for late fees:

Payments received by 1 September 2010	\$515
Payments received by 1 October 2010	\$1,030
Payments received by 1 November 2010	\$2,060
Payments received by 1 December 2010	\$4,120
Payments received after 1 December 2010	\$5,150

QBred race win bonuses are not paid on wins in any QBred only race.

Once paid up, your horse is eligible for bonus payments under Bonus Scheme I, as well as the following feature races:

3 year old feature races worth approximately **\$304,000** being:

- QBred Breeders at the Gold Coast (\$94,000 - heats and finals)
- QBred Triad at Albion Park (\$210,000 - qualifying races and finals)

4 year old feature races worth approximately **\$260,000**, being:

- QBred Breeders at the Gold Coast (\$80,000 - heats and finals)
- QBred Triad at Albion Park (\$180,000 - heats and finals)

Each of the feature race series listed above have additional criteria that apply for final field selections. These are listed in full in the feature race conditions that follow.

### **QBred Feature Race Series Conditions**

#### **General Conditions 3yo Series**

##### **QBred Breeders (Gold Coast)**

The selection criteria for the 3yo QBred Breeders heats at the Gold Coast will be winners of country or metropolitan races in the current season first, in order of number of wins, and then as selected by the RQL field selection panel. RQL will determine the number of heats according to the number of acceptors. However, it is expected that there will be two heats conducted for each sex. The fields for the Finals will be selected from the heats as per the RQL Heat and Final Policy. In the event of insufficient acceptors for two heats, a prelude may be conducted.

##### **QBred Triad (Albion Park)**

Two qualifying races for each sex will be conducted at TAB tracks as programmed by RQL. These races may be cancelled if there are insufficient acceptors. The winners of the qualifying races will be deemed automatic qualifiers for the Triad Finals.

Fields for qualifying races will be selected using the following criteria:

- Preference in selection will be given to horses that haven't yet contested a qualifying race.
- According to the field selection points system, unfulfilled engagements do not apply.

There is no automatic guarantee of a start in these qualifying races. Once a horse has won a QBred qualifying race, it will be the first horse omitted should balloting be required for the second qualifying race.

##### **QBred Triad Final selection criteria**

The Final field for the 3yo QBred Triad Finals at Albion Park will be selected according to:

- The winner of the QBred Breeders Final at the Gold Coast in the current season
- Winners of a \$10,000 QBred qualifying race in the current season
- The winner of any other group or listed age event in the current season
- Horses that have an open age metropolitan assessment
- The number of races they have won in the current season (excluding races worth \$2,000 or less)
- The current season's stake earnings

## General Conditions 4yo Series

### QBred Breeders (Gold Coast) & QBred Triad (Albion Park)

The selection criteria for the 4yo QBred Breeders and 4yo QBred Triad heats will be:

- Winners of any group or listed 4yo event
- Horses with a metropolitan assessment
- The number of races they have won in the current season (excluding races worth \$2,000 or less)
- The current season's stake earnings

RQL will determine the number of heats according to the number of acceptors. However, it is expected that there will be two heats conducted for each sex. The fields for the Finals will be selected as per RQL Heat and Final Policy. In the event of insufficient acceptors for two heats, a prelude may be conducted.

### Preludes

If a prelude is conducted, fresh nominations will be called for the Final. Preference in the Final will be given to horses that started in the prelude, and the remainder of the field will be selected using the QBred Triad final selection criteria for that age group.

### QBred Feature Race Prizemoney

#### **QBred Breeders (Gold Coast)**

*The following distribution is based on a maximum field limit of 11:*

	<b>3yo heats \$6,000</b>	<b>3yo final \$35,000</b>	<b>4yo heats \$5,000</b>	<b>4yo final \$30,000</b>
<b>First</b>	<b>\$3,250</b>	<b>\$19,250</b>	<b>\$2,700</b>	<b>\$16,500</b>
<b>Second</b>	<b>\$1,200</b>	<b>\$7,000</b>	<b>\$975</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>
<b>Third</b>	<b>\$600</b>	<b>\$3,500</b>	<b>\$490</b>	<b>\$3,000</b>
<b>Fourth</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$1,050</b>	<b>\$130</b>	<b>\$900</b>
<b>Fifth to last</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$175</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$150</b>
Breeder of First	\$300	\$1,750	\$250	\$1,500
Breeder of Second	\$120	\$700	\$100	\$600
Breeder of Third	\$90	\$525	\$75	\$450

#### **QBred Triad (Albion Park)**

*The following distribution is based on a maximum field limit of 11:*

	<b>3yo qualifying races \$10,000</b>	<b>3yo final \$85,000</b>	<b>4yo heats \$7,500</b>	<b>4yo final \$75,000</b>
<b>First</b>	<b>\$5,500</b>	<b>\$46,750</b>	<b>\$4,110</b>	<b>\$41,250</b>
<b>Second</b>	<b>\$2,000</b>	<b>\$17,000</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
<b>Third</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>	<b>\$8,500</b>	<b>\$750</b>	<b>\$7,500</b>
<b>Fourth</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$2,550</b>	<b>\$225</b>	<b>\$2,250</b>
<b>Fifth to last</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$425</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$375</b>
Breeder of First	\$500	\$4,250	\$375	\$3,750
Breeder of Second	\$200	\$1,700	\$150	\$1,500
Breeder of Third	\$150	\$1,275	\$110	\$1,125

# QBred

## **Terms & Conditions - For horses that are 5yo to 10yo in the 2010/11 season**

### **QBred Bonus Schedule**

Race winning bonuses vary from \$250 to \$1500 for 5 year old to 10 year old horses.

The bonuses only apply to race wins in Queensland.

***Bonuses are capped at 5 wins per season.***

The bonus scheme terminates when a horse attains the age of 11.

For each season the bonus payments below will be paid to eligible QBred race winners:

	<b>Metropolitan</b>	<b>Career</b>	<b>Graduation</b>	<b>Non-TAB</b>
<b>5 to 10 Year Olds</b>	\$1500	\$1000	\$500	\$250

***Bonus payments over \$400 are inclusive of a Trainer's Bonus of 5% and Driver's Bonus of 5%.***

In the case of a dead heat, the bonus applicable to the QBred eligible horse(s) is divided by the number of dead heaters.

### **QBred Fee Schedule**

<b>5 to 10 Year Olds</b>	<b>\$400</b>
<b>Trotters</b>	<b>\$300</b>

### **Late Payments**

Annual pay-up fees are due by 01 September 2010. Late entries will not be accepted without the Late Payment Fee of \$3,000 for 5 to 10 year olds.

## RQL Contact Details

Your form should be lodged, **with payment**, to:

Registrar - Harness  
Racing Queensland Limited  
PO Box 63  
Sandgate QLD 4017

For additional forms, or for more information:

Phone: 07 3869 9777

Email: [info@racingqueensland.com.au](mailto:info@racingqueensland.com.au)

Web site: [www.racingqueensland.com.au](http://www.racingqueensland.com.au)

Racing Queensland Limited reserves the right to make any alteration or amendment to these conditions that it deems necessary for the proper conduct of the QBred schemes, from time to time. The decision of RQL will be final in respect to any dispute or matter relating to the conditions.

**2YO Nomination for QBred Scheme 2010/2011**

Form 4E

(PLEASE PRINT USING BLOCK LETTERS)

**1. Name of horse to be nominated (if unnamed, please list breeding, foaling year, and brand if known)**

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**2. If your horse is turning 2yo on 01 September 2010 –What are you applying for? (Please tick appropriate box)**

- QBred (Qld Sire & Mare) Fee \$ 60
- QBred (Qld Sire OR Mare) Fee \$400
- QBred Trotter (Qld Sire OR Mare) Fee \$300
- Sustaining Fee (non participation) Fee \$ 60

**3. Is your horse turning 2yo on 01 September 2010?**

- Yes This nomination must be lodged by **01 December 2010**.

**4. Signature**

- a) The appropriate payment is enclosed.
- b) I am fully aware of the conditions described below and agree to abide by them.

Signature:	Date:
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This form, together with the appropriate fee, should be sent to Racing Queensland Limited, PO Box 63, Sandgate QLD 4017.

Conditions for nomination to the QBred Scheme:

1. Nominations:

- a) Nominations will only be accepted on this form
- b) One horse nominated per form
- c) Sheets of paper containing several entries will NOT be accepted.

2. Eligibility

See terms and conditions

3. Pay ups

Pay ups will not be accepted after the closing date.

4. Late entries

No late entries, irrespective of circumstances, will be accepted. A late payment fee is applicable to re-enter the scheme. These Late Payments are subject to the \$60 fee at foal notification time having been paid in all instances.

5. Transfers

Pre-paid fees are not transferable.

6. Refunds

All payments are non-refundable.

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

Amount Paid:	Certificate Number:
Receipt Number:	Foaling Year:

**CREDIT CARD PAYMENT**

Card Type (circle one): VISA      MASTERCARD

Card Number: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Amount of Payment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name On Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



