Trainers and Owners,

WSQHA is proud to continue the tradition of the Northwest Emerald Masters Futurity with the generosity of our sponsors. The 2022 Masters Futurity will be a Friday evening performance. We are pleased to announce that we are welcoming back Dave Girling as our sponsor for the North West Emerald Masters in 2022 in memory of those we remember. We thank Dave his continued support of the Masters. Machine Made with Dr. Candice Hall and Dr. Cory Seebach will be hosting the Masters Beer & Brat party. We thank Candice and Cory for many years of their continued support for the Masters Futurity and The North West Emerald. The \$1,000 added money and \$500 added to the highest placing rider not to have won the Masters is sponsored by Dave Girling. We will continue to award a buckle to the highest placing Paint horse in the Masters. As always, 100% of the entry fees will be added to the total purse for the class. Multiple nomination dates remain for the Masters. WSQHA Membership must be sent at the time of entry.

The NW Emerald is offering APHA and NWCC points with our traditional AQHA approval and WSQHA points. Buckles will be awarded to every circuit and AQHA All Arounds and APHA High Points awarded. Check the class list on www.wsqha.com to see the full slate of classes and futurities.

Details are outlined below:

1. The 2022 NW Emerald Masters will be a "one-go" event, this class will continue to be held for registered *Two Year Old Quarter Horses, Paints, Pintos, Buckskins and Appaloosas* that have *never* before been shown astride.

2. The entries will be open to any owner that signs up by the deadlines. The entries are not transferable to another owner or horse.

3. For entries postmarked and fully paid by May 31, the entry fee is \$500.00. If entries are paid after May 31th but before September 1, the entry fee is \$1,000.00. After September 1st through noon September 7th, 2022 the entry fee is \$1,500.

>> Credit cards are accepted with added 3 percent charge. All entry fees are jackpotted per NSBA payout rules.

4. Each horse showing in the Masters will be charged a \$75.00 drug fee and will be subject to random drug testing. This fee is due upon entry into the futurity.

Let's continue the Masters Tradition and leading the Northwest with this prestigious event. We look forward to seeing you in September.

Crysta Lombardi Kellar North West Masters Event Chair



Northwest Emerald Masters 2022 Rules

Any and all issues not covered by the below stated rules will be decided by the discretion of the WSQHA Executive Board. All decisions will be final. WSQHA is known and does business as the Washington Quarter Horse Association. WSQHA is not responsible for informing owners of their responsibilities or obligations to the Northwest Emerald Masters Class Rules. It is the responsibility of the Owner to insure that WSQHA has an accurate physical address, phone number, and e-mail on file with the WSQHA Office and the Masters Show Chairman. WSQHA cannot be responsible for undeliverable correspondence.

1. Two year old Masters Western Pleasure entries must never have shown in any riding class at an AQHA, NSBA, APHA, APHC, PHBA, IBHA, ABRA, WSH, or any type of schooling show. Any violation of the "no show" rule will be an immediate forfeit of the entry fee back to WSQHA, and disqualification of the horse. If show record is found and presented to the WSQHA Executive Board as stated above after the show has taken place forfeiture of all moneys paid to owner must be immediately surrendered to the WSQHA and paid to the new winner when monies are paid back to the WSQHA. Violation of this rule will be disclosed to AQHA, NSBA, APHA, and APHC. Any litigation fees incurred by WSQHA from the recovery process will be charged to the horse owner in violation.

2. 20 horses maximum will be allowed on a first come first serve basis at an initial cost to the owner of \$500.00 U.S. This fee must be paid by May 31st. After May 31st the fee will be \$1000.00, with a final entry due date of September 1. After September 1 the fee will be \$1500 and entries will be accepted until noon September 7th, 2022. Current show rules will be announced by April 1st of each year. All fees must be postmarked and received by the Masters Coordinator by above deadlines for the above deadlines. All fees and payments must be paid in US currency.

3. NSF checks are assessed a fee of \$75 and all remaining payments are to be paid by credit card or cashier's check.

4. New Masters Classes can be added at the discretion of the WSQHA Executive Board.

5. AQHA drug rules will be enforced, and drug testing will be at the discretion of the WSQHA Executive Board. An additional \$75.00 drug fee per horse will be collected upon entry.

6. Nomination of Horse must be submitted in writing as required by entry deadlines stated above.

7. All owners and exhibitors must have a current WSQHA membership.

8. Rider of horse must be nominated in writing as required upon entry.

NO substitutions will be allowed for Horse or Rider once nomination dead line has past. Rider that cannot compete due to sickness may submit a written offer of substitution as long the Rider has a document from a physician. (Paper work for this must be submitted to the WSQHA Executive Board and will be approved or denied at their discretion). If no rider is available for replacement the money remains in the Masters payout. Horses may not be replaced due to any reason. No refunds.

- 9. All AQHA rules not conflicting with above stated rules apply.
- 10. Pay outs will follow the NSBA rulebook.
- 11. Payment Program
 - 1. 500.00 one-time fee if paid by May 31st
 - 2. 1000.00 one-time fee if paid after May 31st and by September 1
 - 3. 1500.00 one-time fee paid from September 2 to noon September 7th
 - 4. All horses must pay the 75.00 Drug Fee upon entry
 - 5. Owner and riders must be members of WSQHA