



ONTARIO QUARTER HORSE RACING  
INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

# Post Racing Incentive Program

Ontario's Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program (QHRIDP) Post Racing Incentive Program is designed to support the market for Quarter Horses at the end of their racing career in Ontario, by encouraging people to purchase retired racehorses for participation in horse sport.

## How It Works:

Participating associations promote and host recognized events. Ontario competitors using Quarter Horses that have previously raced in Ontario can earn points in recognized events and become eligible to receive a share of the Program's

### **\$20,000 Post Racing Bonus!**

The Post Racing Bonus is based on performance and participation in horse sport competitions within participating Associations.

*The Post Racing Incentive Program is part of the Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program, administered by Ontario Racing. The Program Administrator reserves the right to alter the Post Racing Incentive Program including the Post Racing Bonus Program criteria for future years.*

## How to Participate:

It is the owner - as declared on the Certificate of Registration - of the participating horse that receives the Bonus. It is the owner's responsibility to provide accurate reporting of the horse's performance and documentation to prove the horse is eligible. Owners of an eligible horse must apply annually and provide documentation by November 30th.

Application forms and a list of participating associations are available online at **[www.ontarioracing.com](http://www.ontarioracing.com)** "Breeding Programs" (Quarter Horse - section) or contact the Program Administrator.

A copy of the horse's AQHA Certificate of Registration indicating the current owner-of-record (this is the person that will be paid) is necessary. Evidence that the horse has raced in Quarter Horse (on-track) racing in Ontario is also required.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

**Ontario Racing (Attention: Quarter Horse Racing Industry Development Program)**

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## Ontario's Post Racing Incentive Program

- Adds value to horses that have raced in Ontario
- Provides an incentive for people to buy racehorses at the end of their racing career
- Provides ex-racehorses with a second career

### Eligibility

Eligible horses must be a Quarter Horse that has previously raced in Ontario. They must compete in an event recognized by the Ontario Quarter Horse Industry Development Program and earn points unique to the Post Racing Incentive Program. Established Associations partner with the QHRIDP and have their events approved for Post Racing Bonus points.

### How Are Points Earned?

Horses competing in events recognized by the QHRIDP through partner associations earn points:

1st place	4 points
2nd place	3 points
3rd place	2 points
Show participant	1 point

The total available Post Racing Bonus money will be divided by the total points earned by eligible horses to arrive at a dollar per point value.

Bonuses will be calculated based on:

***Total points earned x value per point = bonus payment per horse (to a maximum payment of \$1,500 per horse)***

**Applicants must provide verified evidence of participation and placing in the events for which they are claiming points.**

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