

HOLLYWOOD CASINO
HOTEL & RACEWAY
Presents for 2014 the
ESCALADE SERIES
FOR \$3000 CLAIMING HORSES

**ELIGIBILITY: THIS SERIES IS OPEN TO ANY HORSE THAT
HAS STARTED FOR A BASE CLAIMING PRICE OF \$3000
OR LESS AT LEAST ONCE IN ITS PAST FIVE STARTS PRIOR
TO MAY 7, 2014**

**FIRST LEG: FRIDAY, MAY 9, 2014. PURSE \$3250
HORSES RACING THIS LEG MAY BE CLAIMED FOR
\$4000**

**SECOND LEG: SATURDAY, MAY 17, 2014. PURSE \$3500
HORSES RACING THIS LEG MAY BE CLAIMED FOR
\$5000**

**THIRD LEG: FRIDAY, MAY 23, 2014. PURSE \$4000
HORSES RACING THIS LEG MAY BE CLAIMED FOR
\$6000**

**FINAL: FRIDAY, MAY 30, 2014. PURSE \$10,000
HORSES ELIGIBLE TO THE FINAL MAY NOT BE CLAIMED.**

**RULES ON REVERSE SIDE
CLAIMING ONLY ALLOWED IN LEGS. ELIGIBLE HORSES MUST
RACE IN EACH LEG TO BE ELIGIBLE TO THE FINAL.**

ESCALADE SERIES CONDITIONS

1. The conditions for all races will comply with the Rules of the Maine Harness Racing Commission and the United States Trotting Association.
2. The series will be raced each dash at one mile. Money divisions are 50, 25, 12, 8, 5 (%)
3. Horses may be claimed out of the first three legs but not the final. All claiming allowances apply.
3. **Horses can not change trainers during the series unless they are claimed.**
5. Horses must start in all legs to be eligible to the final.
6. No more than two coupled entries will be eligible to the final, **a minimum of six separate interests required for the final.** If there are more than two coupled entries eligible to the final the lowest money earner among the coupled will be drawn out. Should there be a tie, it will be drawn by lot.
7. Horses declared for each leg of the series will be randomly split into divisions as necessary after separating common interests. Leg #2 will be limited to a maximum of 24 starters taken from the highest placings in the official order of finish for Leg #1 that declare until those 24 positions are filled. Also eligibles may be taken using the same process. Leg #3 will be limited to the top 16 horses that declare using the same process above. The final will be comprised of the top 8 horses that declare, using the same process but must have 6 separate betting interests or the final WILL BE DECLARED OFF.
8. DECLARATIONS CLOSE AT THE TIME AND DATE POSTED ON THE WEEKLY CONDITION SHEETS. Horses must be declared for each leg and final.
9. All horses must have a current negative Coggins test, current proof of EHV vaccination, and a claiming authorization on file in the Race Office.
10. Hollywood Casino Hotel & Raceway reserves the right to reject any entry for any reason.
11. Hollywood Casino Hotel & Raceway is not liable and assumes no responsibility for any loss by fire, theft, or accident, of or to persons, animals, equipment or vehicles on the premises.

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