

The Meadows Claiming Procedure

Who May Claim: A current member or associate member of the United States Trotting Association or a current licensee of this or another jurisdiction may claim any horse in a claiming race if the member, associate member or licensee has on credit, with the association conducting the race, an amount equal to the specified claiming price. A person may file only one claim in one race.

What Is Required: Only Cashier Checks, Money Orders, Meadows Racetrack & Casino ~~purse checks or Meadows Racetrack & Casino~~ **Claim Check from a previous claim** will be accepted as funds for a claim at the Bookkeeper's office. Cash for a claim will be accepted in the mutuels area of the Casino and a voucher will be issued evidencing the deposit. The voucher must be submitted with the claim to the Bookkeeper. Also required will be the requisite fees for transfer of title. **Transfer fee is \$35** which should be a **personal check only** made out to the U.S.T.A.

Where to Make Claims: All claims are made with the Horsemen's Bookkeeper located in the Race Office. Any questions regarding a claim are to be directed to the Judges. The Bookkeeper will not answer any questions.

When to Make Claims: Claims shall be in writing on forms and in envelopes provided by the association, sealed and deposited in the claim box **at least 15 minutes** before the time originally scheduled for the race to begin.