



Saturday, July 20, 2019
RULES AND REGULATIONS · AS OF 7/19/2019

1. To Enter, Player Bankroll and Deposit: The Little Red Feather Cares Handicapping Challenge (“Challenge”) is a “real money” contest. Players are required to deposit \$500, of which \$250 will be the player’s live bankroll for wagering and \$250 will go into the Challenge prize pool. At the conclusion of the Challenge, any dollar amounts remaining in the player bankroll – whether it grows to \$10,000 or falls to \$100 – remains the property of the player. Up to a maximum of three entries per person are allowed.

Enter Challenge day on Saturday, July 20, between 11:45 am to 1:45 pm at the main clubhouse entrance, cash only. The deadline to register for the Challenge is 1:45 p.m. on Saturday, July 20. Clubhouse Admission provided and contest area with limited seating on a first-come first-served basis.

2. Format:

Races: Challenge races on Saturday, July 20 include Del Mar live races only (10).

Wagers: THE ONLY WAGER TYPES PERMITTED ARE WIN, PLACE, SHOW, EXACTA, TRIFECTA and DAILY DOUBLE. All other wager types are not permitted and will subject players to disqualification.

PLAYERS MAY WAGER ANY AMOUNT OF THEIR BANKROLL, INCLUDING WINNINGS, ON ANY RACE. A MINIMUM TOTAL OF \$50 MUST BE WAGERED DURING THE CHALLENGE ON FIVE INDIVIDUAL RACES.

Should a player fail to bet the minimum wager amount (5 races x \$50) required, the player is subject to disqualification from all prizes. There are no caps on payouts. The player with the highest Challenge score after the last Del Mar race is the First Place winner. Remaining balances can be withdrawn on-track three minutes after the final race is official by withdrawing a voucher from any self-service machine and presenting to a mutuel teller. This is a contest of skill to determine the Challenge winner.

3. Estimated Prizes: 60% of the total prize money pool will be returned in cash and prizes. Based on an expected 100 entries, the Prize Pool will be:

2019 Del Mar July 27 & 28 Summer Challenge (DM Summer)

2020 National Horseplayers Championship (NHC)

1st	\$8,000 DM Summer Entry
2nd	NHC Entry, Hotel and \$500 Travel
3rd	NHC Entry, Hotel and \$500 Travel

Prizes: Based on the final number of entries, the Prize Pool for the top finishers will be scaled up proportionately to ensure 60% of the Prize Pool is distributed. The prizes will be finalized at the start of the contest.

DEL MAR SUMMER CHALLENGE (DM Summer): One Del Mar live money Summer Challenge \$8,000 entry for July 27 & 28, 2019, will be awarded. Del Mar entries are fully transferable to another person. There is no cash option or other alternative to the Del Mar entry.

NHC: Prior to the start of the Challenge, all participants that wish to compete for a NHC entry must be registered as 2019 members of the NHC Tour. Register for \$50 at www.nhctour.com. Two 2020 NHC entries will be awarded to the 2nd and 3rd place finishers. If the 2nd and/or 3rd place finishers are not NHC eligible or NHC double qualified, the NHC Entry and hotel/travel will be awarded to the next highest eligible finisher. This is an official NHC Tour event. NHC Tour points are awarded in accordance to NHC Tour rules and policies. A player may qualify to the NHC twice, but only once in any single NHC qualifier.

4. Challenge Bankroll and Placing Wagers:

On-Track: Each participant will be issued a player card used for all wagers on self-service machines only. This card contains the “real money” bankroll of \$250. Upon receipt of the player card, participant should test the card to insure it is working properly. Players will receive a four digit PIN number which secures the card much like an ATM card. If a player loses his/her card or the card is not working, the player should immediately report to the 4th floor Pacific Classic Room or any customer service booth throughout the facility. All wagers must be placed through self-service machines, located

throughout the facility. The self-service machines do not print out wagering vouchers. However, previous wagers can be reviewed on the self-service machines. Wagers will not be accepted through mutuel tellers. Players must place all wagers personally. No person shall directly or indirectly act as an intermediary, transmitter or agent in placing wagers for the player, unless expressly authorized by Challenge Officials. Official track rulings will apply to wagers and Challenge scoring is based on official mutuel payoffs at Del Mar. If a player wagers on a track other than Del Mar for purposes of the contest, the player will be subject to disqualification. Balances will be available for withdrawal a few minutes after the final race is declared official.

5. Advance Wagering: Advance wagering is not permitted unless prior express approval has been obtained by a Challenge Official. Wagers must be placed after the race prior has been declared official. This rule is designed to maintain an accurate leader-board.

6. Scratches/Non-Starters: If a horse is scratched after a wager is placed, it is the player's responsibility to change his/her selection prior to the race subject to all other Challenge and mutuel wagering rules. No penalties will be assessed on wagers involving any horses ruled as non-starters by stewards if a non-starter prohibits the player from wagering the minimum total wagering required.

7. Ties: If there is a tie for a NHC or DM Summer placing positions, the player with the most money wagered in the Challenge will be declared the winner from the placings involved. If there is still a tie, the player with the most money earned in the last Challenge race will be declared the winner for the placings involved, then the player with the most money wagered in the last Challenge race, then, most money earned in the second to last race, most money wagered in the second to last race, etc., until a winner is declared.

8. IRS Withholding: For any wager that triggers IRS withholding, the withholding amount will be automatically deducted from the player's bankroll. For Challenge scoring purposes, withholding is not added back into the player's score.

9. Standings and Results: Officials will endeavor to email the standings after each race but various issues could delay the score postings. All standings are unofficial until the final results are audited. Players are encouraged to maintain an accurate record of their wagers and scoring. Results will be emailed to participants and posted on the DMTC website shortly after the final race.

10. Eligibility: Players must be at least 18 years of age to participate in the Challenge and at least 21 years old to qualify for the NHC in Las Vegas. If a player is not 21 by the start of the NHC or unable to participate for any reason, the next highest finisher will take his/her place. The following are ineligible to participate: licensed trainers, employees of the Del Mar Thoroughbred Club (DMTC), AmTote or any of their subsidiaries or members of the immediate families of the foregoing. In races involving horse owners with a horse in any contest race, the horse owners must wager according to the California Horse Racing Board rules.

11. Taxes: Liability for any and all federal, state, or local taxes is solely the responsibility of prize winners. Without a valid taxpayer identification number (TIN), prize award payouts will be subject to backup withholdings of 30%. A California tax withholding of 7% may apply to cash prize winners residing outside of California when the total payments or distributions is greater than \$1,500 for the calendar year. Note certain exemptions apply, most notable being a California resident.

12. Affidavits: Affidavits confirming compliance of all Challenge rules will be required of all players. All players acknowledge that if they enter this Challenge under a fraudulent name and/or Social Security number, they will be immediately disqualified from this and all future contests held by DMTC. Positive identification is required of all prizewinners. Each player permits and licenses to DMTC and its assignees the player's likeness and images, pictures, photos, video, names and specific wagers made during the Challenge for promotional and other purposes.

13. Judging and Disputes: Each participant acknowledges and expressly agrees that DMTC, through its management, shall have the sole and exclusive right to interpret all questions and conditions in regard to the Challenge and all decisions of DMTC shall be final and binding and by entering each participant waives and forever relinquishes any and all claims for damage or recourse of any kind or nature whatsoever, whether legal, equitable or otherwise. All questions not covered in these rules shall be decided by the management of the DMTC with those decisions to be final and binding on all participants. DMTC reserves the right to amend the rules and change, alter or cancel the Challenge at any time. If for any reason there is a cancellation in racing, the contest may be based on the races completed during the event or substitute races may be assigned by Challenge Officials. All players must make his or her own selections independently of every other player in the contest. Participants are prohibited from coordinating their selections with other players, such as two or more players coordinating multiple bankrolls wagering on one particular race and covering several different horses in a pattern that would be viewed as an unfair advantage. If DMTC concludes, in their sole and absolute discretion: (1) a player engaged in or attempted to engage in any act that compromises or could compromise the competitive integrity of the Challenge; (2) tampered with or attempted to tamper with the betting process and/or operation of the Challenge or any player then such player will be subject to sanctions imposed by DMTC management that may include, but shall not be limited to the following: forfeiture of prizes; disqualification from the contest; loss of privilege to participate in future Del Mar contests; or any combination of sanctions. Players with multiple entries are permitted to play the entries in their own names in any way they wish.