



Fall Color Classic Stallion Service Sale Rules

STALLION SERVICE SALE (SSS) REQUIREMENTS:

1. The Michigan Paint Horse Club (MPHC) Fall Color Classic Stallion Service Sale (FCCSSS) is open to APHA, AQHA, JC, and ApHC registered stallions for the 2026 breeding season.
2. Foals resulting from the purchased breeding(s) must be eligible for registry in AQHA, APHA, or ApHC.
3. For an APHA, AQHA, or ApHC registered horse to be eligible to compete in the MPHC Fall Color Classic Futurity classes, the horse's sire must have sold in the prior year of the horse's birth year. That resulting foal crop is futurity eligible in perpetuity. For example: Stallion breeding is sold in 2026, foal is born in 2027, making all 2027 foals by the stallion eligible.
**In this transition period, horses by stallions that sold a breeding in 2025 and 2026 are eligible to show in perpetuity.
4. Stallion breedings are sold on a first come, first served basis at half of the advertised stud fee (minimum purchase price is \$300) plus a \$35 administration fee per service sold. Stallions listed as "Private Treaty" will have a \$300 fee to MPHC + \$35 admin fee. Any breeding not paid in full within 7 business days of purchase will be resold.
5. All stud fees, including Private Treaty, must meet the minimum stud fee of \$300 in order to participate in the FCCSSS program.
6. Stallion nomination forms must be completed by a stallion owner or a stallion agent and submitted to the designated agent of MPHC FCCSSS.
7. Make checks payable to the Michigan Paint Horse Club. Payment is also accepted via PayPal with a 4% convenience fee (fccfuturity@gmail.com).
8. There are NO refunds for FCCSSS purchased breedings, and FCCSSS breedings may NOT be resold.
9. Mare owners must comply with the stallion's breeding contract. Booking fees, collection fees, and shipping fees are NOT included in the FCCSSS purchase price and are payable to stallion owner or stallion agent as identified in the breeding contract. (Additional CHUTE fees are not allowed.) All matters that arise following the purchase of the breeding through the FCCSSS will be handled by the stallion owner and mare owner directly, without any involvement by the MPHC.
10. If the stallion's breeding sells, the stallion owner will then receive ONE FREE ENTRY into the FCC Futurity, excluding Sweepstakes classes. This free entry may be used on ANY horse that is sired by his/her stallion that SOLD in the FCCSSS during the competition year. The FREE ENTRY certificate can be found on MPHC.com and must be presented at the time of entry. Stallion owner can transfer free entry by completing the appropriate Transfer Form.
11. If the stallion DOESN'T SELL by July 1, the stallion may pay a "Buy Back/Repurchase Fee" as described on the stallion nomination form. The stallion owner will then receive ONE FREE ENTRY, excluding Sweepstakes classes, to be used during the current competition year that the breeding was REPURCHASED. These free entries may be used on ANY horse that is sired by the repurchased stallion. The FREE ENTRY certificate must be presented at the time of entry.
12. Buy Back/Repurchase of a donated service by anyone other than the stallion owner will receive ONE FREE ENTRY, excluding Sweepstakes classes, to be used during the current competition year that the breeding was REPURCHASED. Stallion owner approval of repurchase is required. This free entry may be used on ANY horse that is sired by the repurchased stallion. The FREE ENTRY certificate must be presented at the time of entry.
13. All funds generated from the FCCSSS (100%) (excluding the administration fee) will be paid out in the current year Fall Color Classic Futurity classes held at the MPHC Fall Color Classic show.
14. MPHC is not responsible for the accuracy of any information provided on nominated stallions, including, but not limited to pedigree, genetic testing results, color testing results, show records, progeny, or other program eligibility. Please contact the stallion owner with questions prior to purchasing a breeding.
15. Eligible horses MAY BE refunded their entry fees with written notification of withdrawal and an accompanying veterinarian certificate stating the reason the horse is unable to be shown.

All disputes arising during the FCC Futurity, including but not limited to entry eligibility, class placings, tie break placings, or perceived rule violations, will be resolved by the FCC Committee Members present at the show, and all decisions are final.

16. MPHC reserves the right to alter the conditions of the FCCSSS as necessary.

17. **MPHC reserves the right to refuse entries from anyone not a member in good standing with APHA.**

FUTURITY ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

1. Any APHA, AQHA, or ApHC horse sired by a stallion who sold in the current year Fall Color Classic Stallion Service Sale (FCCSSS) is eligible to compete in the Fall Color Classic Stallion Service Sale Futurity.
2. The FCCSSS Futurity classes will be held in conjunction with the MPHC Fall Color Classic Show and will be judged by the same judges.
3. Owners of horses entered in FCC Futurity or Sweepstakes classes must be members in good standing of MPHC.
4. Substitutions:
 - a. Will be allowed ONLY with a valid vet certificate
 - b. Substitute horse must be owned by the same owner as the horse that it is replacing and sired by the same stallion.
5. Paid entries may be transferred to new owner if horse is sold
 - a. A request from original owner must be made to the Futurity Chairman and new document of ownership of horse is required.
 - b. Transfer of MPHC membership is NOT allowed. New owner must purchase his/her own membership.
6. The Fall Color Classic Futurity classes may be added to or modified at any time with approval of Officers, Board, and Futurity Committee.
7. Weanling classes may be split into early/late if entries warrant (13 entries or more; split date will be the average of dates of birth).
8. A tie-breaker judge for each Futurity and Sweepstakes class will be selected prior to the start of the show.
9. Fall Color Classic Futurity classes will pay back 100% of entry fees; in addition, MPHC guarantees an added money purse in each class. Total purse amount will be determined based on the money in the Fall Color Classic Stallion Service Sale that year and any sponsor added money. 100% of sponsorship money will be paid out. Disqualified horses/exhibitors will not be awarded payout monies in the class in which the DQ occurred.
10. Any Futurity entry testing positive for drugs and/or tail fixing under APHA rules will forfeit any Futurity money and/or awards won. Futurity winnings will be mailed out within 6 weeks of the show unless waiting on APHA test results.
11. Checks returned by the bank for non-payment will be assessed an additional charge of \$50.00 per occurrence.
12. The Futurity Chairman in attendance at the show will settle any dispute concerning the rules of the Futurity.
13. The following documents must accompany each entry:
 - a. Entry form with payment for futurity classes
 - b. APHA registration certificate or breeder's certificate
 - c. Completed W-9 form for 1099 reporting
 - d. MPHC Membership form for owner (if applicable)
14. All futurity entries must submit a Fall Color Classic Show Entry Form to the Show Secretary and must show in a corresponding open APHA class or pay an additional class entry fee.
15. Please make all checks payable to: Michigan Paint Horse Club with Futurity in the Memo.
16. The Fall Color Classic Futurity payback amounts will change, and amounts will be decided by the number of horses entered into each class (this will be called a factor). The total monies collected from the FCCSSS will be divided by the total number of entries in the Futurity. That resulting number will then be multiplied by the number of horses entered in a class, to determine the base purse for that class. 100% of the entry fees for that class, along with any added money, will then be added to the purse for that class. Paybacks will be determined as per the schedule below. Stallion owners will receive 10% of any offspring earnings, i.e.: foal earns \$500 in a class. Stallion owner will receive \$50 and the foal owner/exhibitor as designated will receive \$450. Sweepstakes classes will pay out 100% of entries but will not receive additional funds from the FCCSSS.

2024 Fall Color Classic Futurity Class List:

Weanling Stallions/Geldings Yearling Stallions
 Weanling Mares Yearling Geldings
 Yearling Mares
 Yearling Longeline
 Yearling In-Hand Trail
 2YO Longeline / 2YO In-Hand Trail
 (cannot have been shown in a riding class to show in LL or IHT)
 2 & 3YO HUS
 2 & 3YO WP
 Get of Sire (3 offspring from a participating stallion)

# of Horses	Places Paid	Payback
1	1	100%
2	2	60% - %40
3	3	50% - 30% - 20%
4	4	40% - 30% - 20% - 10%
5	5	34% - 24% - 19% - 13% - 10%
6	6	32% - 22% - 18% - 12% - 10% - 6%