

HARNES RACING YOUTH LEAGUE – Level 1
General Information

- *Applicants must be age 11, 12 or 13 at time of deadline.
- *Applicants may be from anywhere in North America but, if selected, applicant will be responsible for all transportation costs to and from the HRYL camp location.
- *If an applicant is not selected to attend the HRYL of his/her first choice, then he/she may consider another location. Applicant should indicate the second choice.
- *Applications and related documents should be submitted to HHYF or host track location to the attention of the indicated contact person by the deadline indicated.
- *There will be a registration fee of \$150 per applicant. This fee includes all meals, board, and expenses for the camp. Checks should be made payable to HHYF.
- *Selected participants will be notified; all necessary forms and waivers will be sent at time of notification. All forms must be signed and on file prior to first day's participation.
- *Due to limited space, HRYL – Level 1 will not be able to accept repeat attendees. However, members of the same family are welcome to apply.

HARNES RACING YOUTH LEAGUE – Level 2
General Information

- *Applicant must be ages 14, 15 or 16 or be previous participant in HRYL – 1. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend this event since the program is designed for joint participation. A photo copy of Level – 1 certificate of completion should accompany application.
- *Applicants are responsible for making hotel reservations and for payment of them. Springhill Suites, 863 South Broadway, Lexington has been selected as the host hotel. Their phone number is 859-225-1500. A block of 30 rooms (which are all suites) has been reserved. Mention "HHYF" when making reservations in order to obtain the group rate. Rooms will be held until July 1. It is suggested that all HRYL participants stay at this hotel to make transportation to various activities easier to handle.
- *There will be a registration fee of \$75 per person. This fee includes all meals, transportation, and other costs during the event.
- *Applications should be submitted to HHYF by the deadline indicated.
- *Selected participants will be notified; all necessary forms and waivers will be sent at time of notification. All forms must be signed and on file prior to first day's participation.

Questions concerning HRYL may be answered by contacting



Harness Horse Youth Foundation
16575 Carey Road, Westfield IN 46074
317-867-5877 phone; 317-867-5896 FAX; ellen@hhyf.org

HARNES RACING YOUTH LEAGUE APPLICATION

A Program of the Harness Horse Youth Foundation

Applicant name Male / Female
Circle one

Address

City/state/zip code Date of birth Age _____
Month/day/year

Best emergency phone number (include area code)

Home phone (include area code)

Cell phone (include area code)

Email address

Which HRYL location do you wish to attend? _____

Do you wish to be considered for an alternate HRYL - 1 location? If so, which one?

Please answer the following questions on a separate paper (type or print legibly).

1. Are you related to someone participating in harness racing? If so, what is the relationship and how are you involved in their participation?

2. Have you attended live harness racing or watched it on tv? If so, which tracks?

3. What is your experience with horses and/or harness racing? If applying for Level 2, what have you done since Level 1 to further increase your knowledge and experiences about harness racing?

4. In 250 words or fewer, why do you want to feel the wind in your helmet, experience the thrills of driving, and attend HRYL? (Note: the essay is not a requirement of Level 2 applicants.)

I, the undersigned, understand it is a privilege to attend HRYL and agree to honor all of the rules of the event.

Signature of participant

Signature of parent/guardian

Date of application

Signature of parent/guardian

Upon notification of acceptance, a registration fee will be payable to HHYF.

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2008 Dates & Locations

June 18 to June 22

Odds On Racing, Crete, IL

Contact: Ellen Taylor/Ellen@hhyf.org

Deadline for applications: May 1

June 29 to July 3

Harrington Raceway, Harrington, DE

Contact: Karen Craft/kcraft@harringtonraceway.com

Deadline for applications: June 1

July 6 to July 10

Vernon Downs, Vernon, NY

Contact: Jason Settlemoir/Jason@tiogadowns.com

Deadline for applications: June 1

July 13 to July 17

The Meadows, Washington, PA

Contact: Debbie Ross/deb.ross@themeadowsracing.com

Deadline for applications: June 1

July 21 to July 25

Indiana Downs, Shelbyville, IN

Contact: Janie Schuster/jschuster@indianadowns.com

Deadline for applications: June 15

Level 2

August 7 to August 10

The Red Mile, Lexington, KY

Deadline for applications: June 15

*For further information about HHYF or HRYL, contact
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