Oktoberfest Sweepstakes Official Rules

The Octoberfest promotion to win wagers on the Breeders's Cup (the "Sweepstakes") is developed and conducted by Hawthorne Race Course, Inc. These are the Official "Rules" and the following information is important and all participants are responsible for knowledge of the content of, and complete compliance with, the Official Rules. Failure to comply with any of the Rules may result in disqualification at the sole discretion of Hawthorne Race Course ("Contest officials").

Sweepstakes Prize:

Five (5) Prizes of \$500 in wagers on the 2023 Breeders' Cup Classic. Five people will win the Sweepstakes prize by a random drawing from the Entries. The winners will be notified by Hawthorne via email and/or phone within (72) hours of when the Sweepstakes has ended.

The prize is non-transferable and may not be substituted or exchanged. The prize winners are responsible for all associated and applicable taxes. Odds of winning depend on the number of entries received.

Entries, or How to Enter:

Contestants may enter for a chance to win by using a Club Hawthorne account to wager on any race held at Hawthorne Race Course on Fridays beginning September 23, 2022 through October 28, 2022. Wagers must be conducted in-person at Hawthorne Race Course or any Club Hawthorne off-track betting venue. Contestants will receive one Sweepstakes entry per wagered race. Club Hawthorne membership is free and available to Illinois residents who are at least 18 years old. Additionally, Contestants can receive one Sweepstakes entry by requesting and submitting a Sweepstakes Entry Form at the Guest Service counter at Hawthorne Race Course (3501 S. Laramie Avenue, Stickney, IL 60804) before October 28, 2022.

There is no purchase necessary to enter the Sweepstakes.

Eligibility Requirements:

The Sweepstakes is open to all Illinois residents who are at least 18 years old by September 23, 2022. Employees of Hawthorne Race Course and their affiliates, agencies and members of their immediate families are not eligible to win.

Indemnification, Judging and Disputes:

Each participant acknowledges and expressly agrees that the Contest Officials shall have the sole and exclusive right to interpret all questions and conditions in regards to the Sweepstakes and all decisions as such shall be final and binding. By entering the Sweepstakes 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 Contest Officials. Hawthorne Race Course reserves the right to change, alter or cancel the Sweepstakes at any time. Anyone found to have engaged in, or attempting to engage in, any act that Contest Officials believe in their sole and absolute discretion that compromises, could compromise, creates a competitive advantage, calls into question the competitive integrity of the Sweepstakes or otherwise violates any of the Rules will be subject to disqualification from all prizes. Contest Officials may remove, hide or delete any comments made on its social media accounts that it deems to be inappropriate. By participating in the Sweepstakes participants hold harmless Hawthorne Race Course and their affiliates, agencies, officers, agents, employees and members of their immediate families and any other acting on their behalf from any damages, injuries or other losses which relate directly or indirectly to the promotion and operation of the Sweepstakes.

General Provisions:

Hawthorne Race Course is not responsible for lost, interrupted, incomplete, inaccurate or incorrect capture of betting information or for computer, telephone, cable, network, electronic or Internet hardware or software malfunctions, failures, connections, availability or jumbled transmissions, service provider accessibility or availability, or unauthorized human intervention. All trademarks used in connection with this Contest and the promotion thereof are the property or their respective trademark owners and are used for identification purposes only. The validity, interpretation and performance of these Sweepstakes Rules shall be controlled and construed under the internal laws of the State of Illinois. No provision of the Rules shall be construed against or interpreted to the disadvantage of any party by any court or other governmental or judicial authority or mediator or arbitrator by reason of any party having or being deemed to have structured or dictated such provision. Venue shall be a court of competent

jurisdiction in Illinois.

Privacy Policy:

Information submitted on the Entry Form and any information provided in connection with the Sweepstakes will be retained by Hawthorne Race Course and may be used for marketing, research or other commercial and noncommercial purposes. In addition, Hawthorne Race Course and its partners and affiliates may send marketing promotions to any participant unless such person specifically requests that Hawthorne Race Course not do so. Personal information pertaining to players and the Sweepstakes will be held by Hawthorne Race Course.

Inquires:

Octoberfest Sweepstakes Hawthorne Race Course 3501 S. Laramie Stickney, IL 60804 contests@ClubHawthorne.com

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