## ASHA MEMBERSHIP AND PRICING

Welcome to the Alberta Standardbred Horse Association (ASHA).

ASHA could not survive as an Association and still provide all the benefits to its members that we do without recovering and subsidizing some costs. Examples of such costs would include trophies, blankets, the Children's Christmas Party, horsemen's meetings, qualifiers, and life insurance. ASHA is a **not-for-profit organization** that requires funding in order to conduct its business. The cost to ASHA increases yearly, as HRA and racetracks continue to move costs our way. The benefits the membership have received in the past have been available to anyone, not only to members. Therefore, we have made amendments to the way we operate and shall adhere strictly to the following in order to conduct business in the future.

## NOTICE TO ALL:

• Effective as of the 2015 membership year:

Century Group (owners and operators of Century Downs and Century Mile Racetracks and Casinos) is enforcing *full* membership to all ASHA members in order to provide <u>liability coverage</u> for those involved at *any* capacity around the race grounds. This means that all grooms, drivers, trainers, breeders and owners must have current memberships to ASHA in order to be on Century Group premises for any race related activity. Century Group, not ASHA, enforce this policy.

The following is a list of services and events for Full Members, Associate Members, and Non-Members ASHA membership is \$100 for full membership or \$25 for Associate members.

ASHA Membership Benefits & Pricing			
Events/Service	ASHA Full Membership (\$100)	ASHA Associate Membership (\$25)	Non-Member Cost (\$0)
Life Insurance (Up to \$10, 000) For <b>eligible</b> members <b>† See Below</b>	Included	No Coverage	No Coverage
Liability Coverage at AB Racetracks ( <i>enforced by</i> <i>Century Group</i> )	Included	No coverage nor access to any racing activity at AB Century Racetracks	No coverage nor access to any racing activity on AB Century Racetracks
Disability Insurance	Included	No Coverage	No Coverage
Stabling	Set-Rate	N/A	*See Below
Mares Bonus	Included	N/A	\$100 Admin. fee
ASHA Qualifiers	Included	Included	\$50/horse
ASHA Awards	Provided	** See Below	Not Eligible
Mail-outs	Included	Included	Not Included
Horseman's Luncheon Meetings	Included	Included	Must be an ASHA member to attend
AGM	Included	Included, No Voting privileges	Must be an ASHA member to attend
Classified Ad Posting on ASHA website	Included ***See Below	Same as full membership	\$25 /60 days (Must be paid before being posted)

\*ONLY ASHA members in good standing will be considered for stabling in AB racetracks \*\* Can attend Awards ceremony, but nominations and presentations *restricted* to full memberships

\*\*\* Members of affiliate organizations eligible to post, upon verification of membership.

<sup>+</sup> To be eligible, members are Canadian<sup>\*</sup> residents; first-time applicants must be under 65 years of age.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us at anytime at

403-263-7765

403-263-8903 or toll free (AB) 1-800-852-5985

Thank you for continuing to support the Alberta Standardbred Horse Association

\*\*\*Remember to show your ASHA Membership card to "*the Derby* "*at* Century Downs Racetrack and Casino for a discount of 25% on your meal. (Not applicable to drinks or during live racing, other conditions may apply) \*\*\*