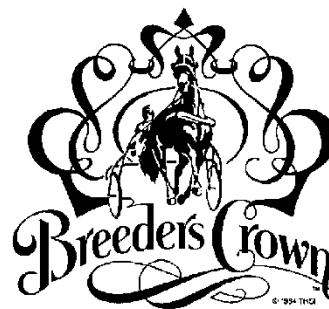


# ATTENTION STALLION OWNERS & BREEDERS



**2017 CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES**  
ALL 12 RACES HOSTED BY  
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*Nominate Your Stallion by January 15 to Make Foals Eligible  
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## BREEDERS CROWN NO. 34 – FOR FOALS OF 2018 TOTAL ESTIMATED VALUE – \$6,000,000

STALLION NOMINATION FEE: Due and payable January 15, 2017, in the amount of the advertised stud fee for the 2017 breeding season (\$500 U.S. funds minimum) -- plus an additional surcharge as indicated below -- provided, however, that for first-year stallions placed in commercial service (which would not include test breedings) after January 15, the nomination must be paid within 60 days after the stallion first breeds a mare. In no event will any first-year stallion nomination fee be accepted after December 31, 2017. The Hambletonian Society reserves the right to determine the stallion nomination fee of those stallions whose 2017 service is advertised as private treaty, or if the amount of the fee is not advertised. This payment covers 2017 matings (foals of 2018).

In addition to the 2017 service fee, the amount of the stallion nomination fee must include a surcharge as follows:

a) For stallions that stand for a fee from US\$3,000 to \$5,999 (or \$4,026 CAD (Canadian Dollars) to \$8,050 CAD), an additional amount equal to 40% of 2017 service fee must be paid;

b) For stallions that stand for a fee from US\$6,000 to \$9,999 (or \$ 8,051 CAD to \$13,415 CAD), an additional amount equal to 75% of 2017 service fee must be paid;

c) For stallions that stand for a fee of US\$10,000 (\$13,416 CAD), or more, an additional amount equal to 200% of 2017 service fee must be paid.

For stallions that stand for a service fee of less than US\$3,000 (or \$4,026 CAD), no additional surcharge is necessary for nomination.

*Note: For the purpose of determining the surcharge in other than U.S. funds, the December 1, 2016 exchange rate is used; a rate of \$.7453 CAD per US\$.*

Stallion nominations for other than first-year stallions that are postmarked after January 15, 2017, but on or before December 31, 2017, will be accepted upon payment of an additional penalty amount equal to 50% of the above stallion nomination fee (including the above surcharge). Likewise, stallion nominations for first-year stallions that are postmarked after the above sixty-day deadline, but on or before December 31, 2017, will be accepted upon payment of an additional amount equal to 50% of the above stallion nomination fee (including the above surcharge).

Any payment on a stallion that does not commercially conceive a foal or breed a mare by any means during the entire 2017 breeding season may be refunded, provided, however, that it shall be the obligation of the stallion nominator to notify the Society in writing of any request for refund by December 31, 2017.

Moreover, if a nominated stallion does not breed more than twenty (20) mares in 2017 or produce more than fifteen (15) registered foals in 2018, up to 50% of the stallion nomination fee may be refunded, provided, however, that it shall be the obligation of the stallion nominator to notify the Society in writing of any request for adjustment by December 31, 2018. No stallion nomination fee will be reduced to less than \$500.00 U.S. funds.

Any payment on a North American stallion that has been nominated by January 15, 2017, and is subsequently exported prior to February 15, 2017 and that does not commercially breed a mare in North America by any means during the entire 2017 breeding season, may be refunded, provided, however, that it shall be the obligation of the stallion nominator to notify the Society in writing of any request for refund by December 31, 2017. With the exception of supplemental nominations or declarations as provided in the conditions, foals of 2018 by a stallion for which the above nomination fee has been refunded will be ineligible to the Breeders Crown unless an additional amount equal to the amount of the refund is paid.

Except as provided above, stallion nomination fees shall not be refunded.

Stallion payments may be made in the local currency of the nation in which the stallion stands, or in equivalent U.S. funds (\$500 U.S. funds minimum).

Conditions for nominating yearlings will be published in the U.S.T.A. Stakes & Futurities Nomination Book. Specific conditions for the races for which these foals are eligible will be published in the U.S.T.A. Stakes Guide in the year of the races. The Hambletonian Society reserves the right to add to, amend or delete the conditions of all or any part of the Breeders Crown program, without liability.

In 2017, 2-year-old, 3-year-old and open Breeders Crown events will be conducted under the conditions of Breeders Crown 2017. All of these races are closed with sustaining payments due in 2017, with the exception of supplemental nominations.

*For more information contact: The Hambletonian Society/Breeders Crown at (609) 371-2211 or [www.hambletonian.org](http://www.hambletonian.org)*

### BREEDERS CROWN STALLION NO. 34 NOMINATION BLANK

Name of Stallion \_\_\_\_\_ Age/Foal of: \_\_\_\_\_ 2017 Service Fee \_\_\_\_\_

Sire \_\_\_\_\_ Dam \_\_\_\_\_ Sire of Dam \_\_\_\_\_

Farm: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Please check [✓]: [ ] In-production stallion (by Jan. 15, 2017) [ ] With penalty (additional 50% after Jan. 15, 2017)

[ ] First-season stallion (within 60 days of 1<sup>st</sup> cover) [ ] First-season with penalty (additional 50% after 60 days)

*The Stallion Nomination Fee is the amount of the 2017 Service Fee plus the above surcharge for fees \$3,000 US (\$4,026 CAD) or over*

2017 Service Fee \_\_\_\_\_ + Surcharge ( % ) \_\_\_\_\_ = Nomination Fee enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks Payable to  
and Mail to:**

THE HAMBLETONIAN SOCIETY, INC.  
Cranbury Gates Office Park  
109 South Main Street, Suite 18  
Cranbury NJ 08512-3174

Nominator \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_