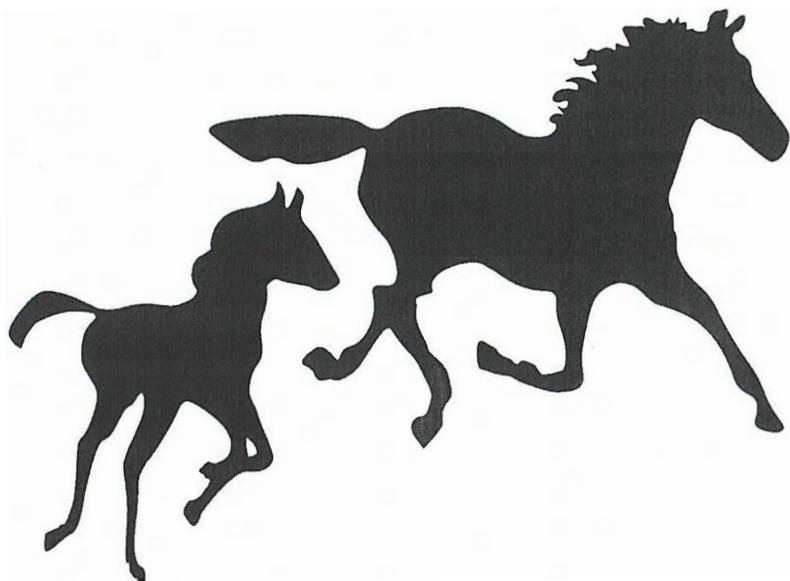


2025 Annual Report



Delaware Standardbred Breeders' Fund



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The Delaware Standardbred Breeders' Fund was created to oversee the state-based breeding program.

- The DSBF Board is made up of 11 appointed members.
- The DSBF Administrator, Mark Short, oversees both the Sires and Racing Programs.
- These programs consist of a minimum of 48 races per year equally divided between two of the state's race tracks; Bally's Dover and Harrington Raceway.
- These 48 races include 2 \$15,000 (guaranteed) Eliminations and a \$100,000 (guaranteed) Final at each track, for each division. Eliminations and Finals went for \$20,000 & \$110,000 in 2025.
- The DSBF strives to maintain a competitive level of purses by annually contributing to the base of horses racing at the states' two harness tracks.
- The DSBF Administrator markets and showcases Delaware sired horses at major Standardbred sales (such as the Harrisburg Sale), supports educational events, and encourages local and state politicians to attend to promote awareness for harness racing and DSBF.
- Another important annual event for the DSBF is the races on Fair Day, held at the Delaware State Fair each July.

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Stallions Registered	36	36	37	43	44	44	43	34	34
Mares Bred	251	347	297	345	345	345	347	311	300
Yearlings Registered	153	116	132	189	162	164	143	194	161
2 & 3 Year Old Payments	341	344	304	314	455	423	423	389	423

Total Bonus Paid to DSBF 2 & 3 Year Olds in DSBF Events: \$378,750

Total Purses Paid: \$3,125,000

2025 Final Winners

3 Year Olds @ Harrington Raceway 7-17 3CP Primo Maschio; 3FP Valentina Station; 3CT Yale; 3FT Kat's Fancy

3 Year Olds @ Bally's Dover 12-15 3FT Take It Easy; 12-16 3CT Yale; 12-17 3FP Bobby's Grace; 12-18 3CP Primo Maschio

2 Year Olds @ Harrington Raceway 10-14 2FP Warrens Charm; 10-15 2CT Thiskissformaryell; 10-15 2FT Tuis Star; 10-20 2CP C Millertimeagain

2 Year Olds @ Bally's Dover 11-20 2CP Watch Em Win; 11-24 2FT Wolfpack One; 11-25 2CT Thiskissformaryell; 11-26 2FP Odds On Put Option

