

**THE SECRETARY'S SERIES  
2019 Late Closer**

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**Serviced By:**

The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono

**Sponsored By:**

The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono & Pennsylvania Harness Horsemen's Association

**For:**

4 Yr. Olds & Older Pacers & Trotters – Horses & Geldings & Fillies & Mares in separate categories. Non-winners of \$50,000 in 2018

4 Yr. Olds & Older Pacers & Trotters – Horses & Geldings & Fillies & Mares in separate categories. Non-winners of \$75,000 in 2018

**To Be Raced As:**

Three preliminary legs and a Final along with consolation(s).

**Guaranteed Total Purse:**

NW \$50,000 in 2018 Preliminary legs: \$12,500; Final: \$25,000

NW \$75,000 in 2018 Preliminary legs: \$17,500; Final \$30,000

**Cancellation:**

The Sponsors reserve the right to cancel any or all of the races if it becomes impractical or undesirable in the opinion of The Sponsors to conduct said races. If an event is not raced, The Sponsors responsibility and liability shall be limited to refunding, without interest, all payments collected toward these events. These monies will be pro-rated among those owners of horses eligible at the time of cancellation.

**Payments:**

There is no nominating fee. NOTE: Nomination must be post-marked no later than Midnight, February 15, 2019.

Declaration: Declarations for these events will close at the time and date designated on the condition sheet. There will be no refunds for scratched horses. At the time of declaration, Horses must show at least one (1) clean charted line (no breaks) within forty-five (45) days prior to the advertised declaration day and meet the existing time standard. Official workouts will not be accepted. All horses nominated must be in the care of a trainer that will be approved by the Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono. Any transfer of trainers after the initial nomination must be approved by the Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono.

**Racing Conditions:**

All events will be one heat at one mile.

Horses must start in a minimum of one preliminary legs to be eligible for the final.

If 12 or more declare to start in any preliminary leg, The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono may adopt any of the methods of dividing the race then current in the rules and regulations.

All horses qualifying for the finals must be properly declared for those events. The horses eligible for the Finals in these events shall be the nine (9) highest total point earners, that enter, using the system listed below. In the event of a tie for the final position, that horse will be drawn by lot.

In the event that any horses eligible for the final are not declared for the final, additional horses from the preliminary legs will be selected from those properly declared by taking the horse(s) placing highest in the order of the point system to complete the field for the final.

The next two properly declared horses placing highest in the order of the point system may be listed as also eligible for the finals and may draw in before scratch time.

There will as many consolations that can accommodate entries for each event. Each consolation must have at least 6 separate entries.

All entries will be uncoupled in the legs and finals, including when a trainer chooses to drive one of his entries.

**Point System:**

1st Place = 50 Points

2nd Place = 25 Points

3rd Place = 12 Points

4th Place = 8 Points

5th Place = 5 Points

6th Place = 4 Points

7th Place = 3 Points

8th Place = 2 Points

9th Place and all other starters = 1 Point

Each starter will receive 25 points

Horses that were properly declared to a leg that failed to fill and is not raced = 1 Point

Any horses finishing in a "Dead-Heat" for any position will be awarded an equal share of the total number of points for the positions involved in the "Dead-Heat".

**Money Division:**

50-25-12-8-5%

**Rules:**

A nomination to these events is an agreement to the above terms and conditions. Rules of The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono, Pennsylvania State Harness Racing Commission and the USTA shall govern unless otherwise specified in these conditions.

**Mail To This EXACT Address:**

Race Secretary

The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono

1280 Route 315

Wilkes Barre, PA 18702



# The Secretary's Series

## 3 Legs & a Final & Consolation

Each starter will receive 25 points towards the Final  
**No Nomination Fee**  
Nominations close Friday, February 15, 2019

*"Home of the Best Racing Surface in the World"*

<p><b>Event No. 1</b> <b>PACE - 4 Yr. Olds &amp; Older Stallions &amp; Geldings NW \$50,000 in 2018. Must have started 10 or more times in 2018. (Nomination Due February 15, 2019)</b></p> <p>Saturday, March 16, 2019 1st Leg \$12,500G Saturday, March 23, 2019 2nd Leg \$12,500G Saturday, March 30, 2019 3rd Leg \$12,500G Saturday, April 6, 2019 FINAL \$25,000G Saturday, April 6, 2019 CONSOLATION(S) \$12,500G</p>	<p><b>Event No. 2</b> <b>TROT - 4 Yr. Olds &amp; Older NW \$50,000 in 2018. Must have started 10 or more times in 2018. (Separate Mares division if entries warrant) (Nomination Due February 15, 2019)</b></p> <p>Sunday, March 24 2019 1st Leg \$12,500G Sunday, March 31, 2019 2nd Leg \$12,500G Sunday, April 7, 2019 3rd Leg \$12,500G Sunday, April 14, 2019 FINAL \$25,000G Sunday, April 14, 2019 CONSOLATION(S) \$12,500G</p>
<p><b>Event No. 3</b> <b>PACE - 4 Yr. Olds &amp; Older Mares NW \$50,000 in 2018. Must have started 10 or more times in 2018. (Nomination Due February 15, 2019)</b></p> <p>Monday, April 1, 2019 1st Leg \$12,500G Monday, April 8, 2019 2nd Leg \$12,500G Monday, April 15, 2019 3rd Leg \$12,500G Monday, April 22, 2019 FINAL \$25,000G Monday, April 22, 2019 CONSOLATION(S) \$12,500G</p>	<p><b>Event No. 4</b> <b>PACE - 4 Yr. Olds &amp; Older Stallions &amp; Geldings NW \$75,000 in 2018. Must have started 10 or more times in 2018. (Nomination Due February 15, 2019)</b></p> <p>Saturday, April 13, 2019 1st Leg \$17,500G Saturday, April 20, 2019 2nd Leg \$17,500G Saturday, April 27, 2019 3rd Leg \$17,500G Saturday, May 4, 2019 FINAL \$30,000G Saturday, May 4, 2019 CONSOLATION(S) \$17,500G</p>
<p><b>Event No. 5</b> <b>TROT - 4 Yr. Olds &amp; Older NW \$75,000 in 2018. Must have started 10 or more times in 2018. (Separate Mares division if entries warrant) (Nomination Due February 15, 2019)</b></p> <p>Monday, April 22 2019 1st Leg \$17,500G Monday, April 29, 2019 2nd Leg \$17,500G Monday, May 6, 2019 3rd Leg \$17,500G Monday, May 13, 2019 FINAL \$30,000G Monday, May 13, 2019 CONSOLATION(S) \$17,500G</p>	<p><b>Event No. 6</b> <b>PACE - 4 Yr. Olds &amp; Older Mares NW \$75,000 in 2018. Must have started 10 or more times in 2018. (Nomination Due February 15, 2019)</b></p> <p>Tuesday, April 30, 2019 1st Leg \$17,500G Tuesday, May 7, 2019 2nd Leg \$17,500G Tuesday, May 14, 2019 3rd Leg \$17,500G Tuesday, May 21, 2019 FINAL \$30,000G Tuesday, May 21, 2019 CONSOLATION(S) \$17,500G</p>

*For Complete Rules go to <https://mohegansunpocono.com/racing/horsemen.html>*

L.C. Event No.	Name of Horse	Age-Sex	Sire	Dam

NAME.....TELEPHONE.....

ADDRESS.....CITY/STATE/ZIP.....

NAME OF TRAINER.....TELEPHONE.....

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