

# 2018 YEARLING SALES

## AUSTRALASIAN CLASSIC YEARLING SALE

Karaka, South Auckland

Parade Day – Sunday February 11  
Sale Day – Monday February 12

## NEW ZEALAND PREMIER YEARLING SALE

**NEW FORMAT**  
Including Premier Trotters Session  
Christchurch

Tuesday February 13 and  
Wednesday February 14

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Enclosed is your entry form for the New Zealand Premier Yearling Sale. This form can also be downloaded from our website [www.standardbred.co.nz](http://www.standardbred.co.nz) Please note, entries need to be back to us by:

**AUGUST 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017**

Over the month of August we will view all the nominees. A suitable time will be arranged with you and it is a requirement that horses be tied up or stabled in a safe environment for inspection. A handler will need to be present to lead the horse on a suitable flat area.

In the first week of September, selections will be made and any unsuccessful nominations advised. **At that time Entry Fees will be invoiced, payable by 1 October.** It is imperative that all yearlings are registered with HRNZ prior to the cut-off for the catalogue. Catalogues will be available in early December.

Please note Clauses 18 and 21 on the Entry Form. Clause 18 has been included as HRNZ has banned the use of anabolic steroids at any age and has the right to blood test horses. Random testing can be carried out at any time and also by Purchaser request on sale day. Clause 21 highlights the new Health and Safety at Work Act 2016 and that Vendors/Preparers have a duty and agree to take all practicable steps to ensure their employees are adequately trained and to ensure the safety and supervision of their employees or other persons in the vicinity at all times. Please familiarise yourself with the full Health and Safety Notice in the sale catalogue.

**New Format – see flyer attached. The essence of the new format is firstly to facilitate a separate Parade Day and a Sale Day. In doing so it creates a more congenial atmosphere and allows all horses to be on the complex for inspection on their sale day. For those horses not selected and who accept the option to transfer to the Supplementary Session the entry fee will be reduced to \$275 plus GST. Entry in that session to the Sales Race Series will be optional. Breeders have been asking for a separate Trotters sale and this session now highlights the tremendous rise in the straight-out trotting breed and in their racing opportunity and commercial appeal. New relocatable stables will be manufactured to accommodate all the Premier horses on the complex.**

If you have any queries or if you would like us to call on you, contact us at the office on (03) 372 0967.

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