



## MEDIA ADVISORY

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### **National Horseplayers Championship Qualifier Scheduled At Hialeah Park On Sunday, January 29, 2023**

*Grand Prizes Are Two Seats In NHC Finals In March Of 2023, Prize Money Pool Awarded On Site; \$500 Entry Fee For NHC Tour Members, Designated Races At Gulfstream Park And Aqueduct*



Hialeah, FL / November 18, 2022 – For the third time in the long and storied history of this iconic South Florida landmark, Hialeah Park will host a qualifying tournament for the National Horseplayers Championship.

The qualifier will be held in the Champions Simulcast Center & Sports Bar on the second floor of the Hialeah Park clubhouse, located at 2200 East 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, on Sunday, January 29, 2023.

Handicappers can purchase their entries for the qualifying tournament by visiting the Hialeah Park web site at [www.hialeahpark.com](http://www.hialeahpark.com).

Scheduled as a points event on the 2022 NHC Tour, the grand prizes will be seats for the top two finishers in the National Horseplayers Championship finals at the newly rebranded Horseshoe Las Vegas, formerly Bally's, from March 10-12, 2023, including hotel and airfare.

Under rules established by the NHC, participants in the Hialeah Park tournament must be a 2022 Tour member to earn a seat in the 2023 finals

The \$500 entry fee for current NHC tour members will cover a \$300 live bankroll for wagering on designated races at Gulfstream Park and Aqueduct, and \$125 for cash prizes.

The remainder of the entry fee will cover a buffet lunch, programs for designated races, and Hialeah Park souvenir swag.

The prize money pool, determined by the total number of entries, will be awarded on site at the conclusion of the tournament, with 50% going to the winner, 30% to the runner-up, and 20% to the third-place finisher.

Only current National Horseplayers Championship tour members will be eligible to win the grand prizes. The event will also be open to non-members and they will be eligible to win the cash prizes.

As an incentive, the NHC will offer first-time tour members \$25 off the regular \$50 membership fee if they register for the Hialeah Park qualifier and submit a \$525 entry fee.

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