# **Canterbury Park BCBC Big Ten Handicapping Contest**

Thursday, September 15, 2022

#### **GUARANTEED PRIZES**

**ELEVEN** 2022 Breeders' Cup Betting Challenge entries

**\$10,000** in cash prizes (All entry fees exceeding value of initial prizes and cash will be returned as prize money. Initial cash and prizes valued at \$120,000)

One of the 11 BCBC entries is guaranteed to the highest score of a player participating on track at Canterbury Park.

\$3,000 buy-in of which \$2,000 is live bankroll and \$1,000 is entry fee.

Entrants may wager through Xpressbet and TVG (where permitted) or onsite at Canterbury Park.

A maximum of two entries per player is allowed.

The contest begins no earlier than 4:00 PM central time.

### **FORMAT**

- Tournament races include all thoroughbred races from Canterbury Park on Thursday, Sept. 15, 2022.
- Permitted wagers are Win, Place, Show, Exacta, Trifecta and Double.
- No Superfecta, Pick 3, Pick 4 or Pick 5 wagers are permitted in this contest. The Parlay function for Win, Place and Show wagers is not permitted in this contest.
- At minimum, players must wager their entire \$2,000 bankroll during the contest.
- Players must wager a minimum of five (5) contest races at a minimum of \$200 on each of the five (5) races but must wager at least \$2,000 total.
- There are no maximums players may wager as much as they want, including the winnings from their bankroll, whenever they wish.
- -The players with the largest bankrolls after the final contest race will be declared the winners. One of the 11 BCBC entries is guaranteed to the highest score of a player participating on track at Canterbury Park.

# PLAYER BANKROLL

This is a 'real money' Handicapping Contest. In order to participate, this contest requires a \$3,000 buy-in, per entry. Of each buy-in, \$2,000 will be used for a player's bankroll, while the remaining \$1,000 is entry fee which becomes part of the prize pool. (100% of entry fees will be paid out as prizes). Players may compete online at <a href="https://www.xpressbet.com">www.xpressbet.com</a>, <a href="https://www.xpressbet.com">www.TVG.com</a> (where not prohibited) and onsite at Canterbury Park.

Players will have a separate Contest account for each entry that they purchase. Maximum entries allowed is two per individual. Each Contest account will have a balance of \$2,000 for each of the paid entries. This balance will be the player's initial bankroll.

To participate in the contest at <a href="www.xpressbet.com">www.xpressbet.com</a>, follow instructions on the website. Players must have an Xpressbet account in good standing to play.

To participate in the contest through TVG, entry fee and bankroll must be paid through Canterburypark.com. Players must have a TVG account in good standing and must not be prohibited to play. Bankroll will be transferred to Contest account.

**Entry at Canterbury Park:** entrants onsite may play through an Xpressbet account but **MUST** check in at tournament headquarters so they will be counted as an onsite player and thus be eligible for the ontrack high score status. Players ontrack at Canterbury Park may play through a tournament account using an account card.

See below for further entry information.

At the conclusion of the contest, any dollar amount remaining within the Xpressbet Contest account remains the property of the player. Xpressbet will transfer funds from the Contest account back to the player's primary Xpressbet account at the conclusion of the contest.

TVG will credit remaining balances to primary accounts at the conclusion of the contest.

Account Players onsite at Canterbury Park must cash out their contest account balance at tournament conclusion.

#### **PRIZES**

One of the 11 BCBC entries is guaranteed to the player with the highest score that is participating on track at Canterbury Park through a Canterbury Park contest account or onsite Xpressbet account. That player will only earn additional prize money if finish position dictates such. Ontrack Xpressbet players must check in at contest headquarters to be receive ontrack status.

A player that has two entries can win two BCBC entries.

If one of the prize winners has already qualified twice for the BCBC, or does so in any manner later in the year, they will be permitted to transfer the BCBC berth awarded in this contest to another person by a date specified by BCBC officials. There is no cash option for the BCBC berth.

If the onsite Canterbury Park guaranteed BCBC entry winner is not in the overall top 11, the 10 players with largest overall scores plus the onsite player with the highest score win BCBC entries.

In the event of a tie for any position, the most winning win wagers will determine order of prize selection.

## **Cash Prize distribution**

\$10,000 minimum

1<sup>st</sup>: 40% - \$4,000 minimum

2<sup>nd</sup>: 30% - \$3,000 minimum

3<sup>rd</sup>: 20% - \$2,000 minimum

4<sup>th</sup>: 10% - \$1,000 minimum

### **TO ENTER**

Participants must have or open a valid Xpressbet or TVG account that is in good standing, subject to terms and conditions or be allowed to wager at Canterbury Park

#### **Deadline to Enter:**

Entries through Xpressbet will be accepted beginning Monday, Sept. 12 and continue until the start of race 5 on Sept. 15.

Entries to play through TVG will be accepted until NOON central time on Sept. 15.

Entry to play through TVG begins Sept. 6 at <a href="https://tickets.canterburypark.com/p/events/big-ten-bcbc-handicapping-contest">https://tickets.canterburypark.com/p/events/big-ten-bcbc-handicapping-contest</a>.

There will be a \$40 service fee added to each \$3,000 entry to play through TVG.

Entries to play at Canterbury Park with a contest account card will be accepted until the start of race 5 on Sept. 15.

**Xpressbet Online registration** begins Monday, Sept. 12. To participate in the contest, follow instructions at www.xpressbet.com/tournaments. The Buy-In amount (\$3,000) will be deducted from the player's Xpressbet account at the time of registration. The player must have sufficient funds in their Xpressbet account to cover the Buy-In to complete registration. Registration must be completed for each entry purchased. Due to state regulations, residents of the state of Washington are ineligible to participate in this tournament. Residents of state(s) that are unable to bet Canterbury Park are also ineligible to participate in this tournament.

Minnesota residents who wish to play in this tournament with Xpressbet must be physically located on-track at Canterbury Park to make their contest wagers and must check in at contest headquarters.

# **Entering at Canterbury Park**

Tournament headquarters will be located on third level of the Canterbury Park grandstand. In person entries will be taken Sept. 15 beginning at 11:00 am. Cash is the preferred method of entry. Credit cards will be accepted but a \$40 service fee per entry will be added. Arrangements for advance entry may be made by calling 952-496-6437.

Contest participants must present the \$3,000 fee to register along with picture ID and social security number or Tax ID Number. Each participant will be assigned an account number and a \$2,000 account wagering card from which they will make their wagers. No additional money may be added to the original \$2,000 bankroll other than through winning wagers. Canterbury Park MVP Rewards membership is required to play onsite. There is no fee to become a member and it can be done simultaneously with contest entry.

## **OTHER RULES**

Should an entry in this contest fail to meet the above-mentioned requirements, that entry may be disqualified from the contest, making the entry ineligible to win prizes.

Any situation involving a late scratch where it is deemed the players were not given sufficient time to adjust their betting will be handled on a case-by-case basis by contest officials.

In the unlikely event of a cancellation of a race card, Tournament Officials reserve the right to substitute races from another racetrack or cancel the tournament.

It is the player's responsibility to meet the wagering requirements listed above. Contest officials will make the decision on disqualification in the event of a rule violation and all decisions are final. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event of a disqualification.

Players must place all wagers personally. No person shall directly or indirectly act as an intermediary, transmitter or agent in placing wagers for the player. Additionally, collusion amongst players may serve as grounds for disqualification.

All tournaments wagers must be made through the temporary contest accounts created by Xpressbet, TVG or Canterbury Park.

There are no caps on payoffs, but payoffs which trigger IRS withholdings could result in a tax withholding situation. If that occurs the scoring system will give the player credit for the full amount of the wager, but the player bankroll only will be an amount net of the IRS withholding.

Contest standings will be based off of each player's bankroll on their official contest entry. Standings will rank all bankrolls based off of dollar value from largest to smallest, with first place being the largest bankroll and last place being the smallest bankroll.

Current standings will be posted after every race, or as soon as the information is available.

In the event of electronic failure, including transmitting of pools, failure of phone lines, and wagering machine malfunction, or other unforeseen technical problems, wagers will be treated according to the Minnesota Racing Commission rules.

#### HORSE OWNERSHIP & WAGERING ON A COMPETING HORSE

If a player has an ownership or other interest in any horses running in any of the contest races, or holds a parimutuel license in any jurisdiction, then all involvements and licenses must be fully disclosed to contest officials prior to the start of the contest. Failure to disclose any ownership interest or license can result in disqualification. Trainers, owners or any other player with another interest can bet that race, but must bet their horse to WIN in a WPS pool wager or "ON TOP ONLY" when wager in the Exacta or Trifecta pool, and must 'single' the horse in a Double wager, assuming those bet types are eligible in the contest. Players needing to disclose information must do so by emailing: <a href="mailto:cbypark@canterburypark.com">cbypark@canterburypark.com</a> prior to the start of the contest.

## **Cancellation of tournament**

Canterbury Park management reserves the right to cancel the tournament for any reason at any time.

Canterbury Park assumes no liability for any unforeseen occurrence during the tournament.

Canterbury Park reserves the right to interpret all questions and conditions regarding the tournament, without claim for damages or recourse of any kind. All questions regarding the tournament, which are not specifically listed under these rules will be decided by Canterbury Management. Those decisions will be final.

Canterbury Handicapper of the Year Points: winner: 5 points; 2nd: 3 points; 3rd: 2 points; 4th & 5th: 1 point