

NMRC's GRAND NATIONAL SWEEPSTAKE

NMRC will be repeating its Grand National sweepstake for 2022. It will again cost £5 per entry with no maximum number of tickets sold – last year 60 tickets were sold and the prize fund was £300. Everyone who buys a ticket is allocated a horse in the race!

The prize fund will be allocated in the following proportions:

- 1st place – 50%
- 2nd place – 25%
- 3rd place – 15%
- 4th place – 10%

HOW TO ENTER

There will be three ways to enter this year, as below:

1. Postal entries can be accepted until Friday April 8th. Please send to NMRC at 53 Dalebrook Rd, Sale, M33 3LB together with cheque (payable to NMRC) for number of entries required. Please include name/address/email/phone details.
2. Online entries can be made until 6pm Friday April 8th with online bank payments accepted (contact Phil Evans at info@northernracingclub.com for bank details to remit to).
3. In person at the Aintree Preview event – details available in this issue of Racin' magazine.

HOW THE DRAW IS MADE & PRIZES ARE ALLOCATED

1. An online draw (using a random number generator) will be made at 8pm on Friday 8th April and the race card numbers 1-40 allocated to those who have purchased tickets. The draw details will then be made available via e mail and also club Facebook page before 9am on the day of the race. Entrants who do not have internet access will be advised by phone/text as regards the race card number they have been allocated.
2. In the event that more than 40 tickets are sold, the first 40 tickets will be allocated a race card number(1-40) before a second draw commences. For example, if 60 tickets are sold again this year, twenty horses will have two tickets allocated to them. It follows that if two tickets are on the same horse, any prize won will be shared equally.
3. Should less than 40 tickets be sold it may be possible that a horse may win a prize where no ticket has been allocated. If this happens then the next horse to finish will be allocated the prize instead.
4. If less than four horses finish, the unused prize(s) will be shared equally between the places filled by those that do finish.

OTHER DETAILS

We shall have a standby option of using the 'virtual grand national' result instead, should anything happen to stop the 'real thing' being run this time or declared void.

Prizes will be forwarded to the winners bank accounts as soon as possible after the date of the race.

