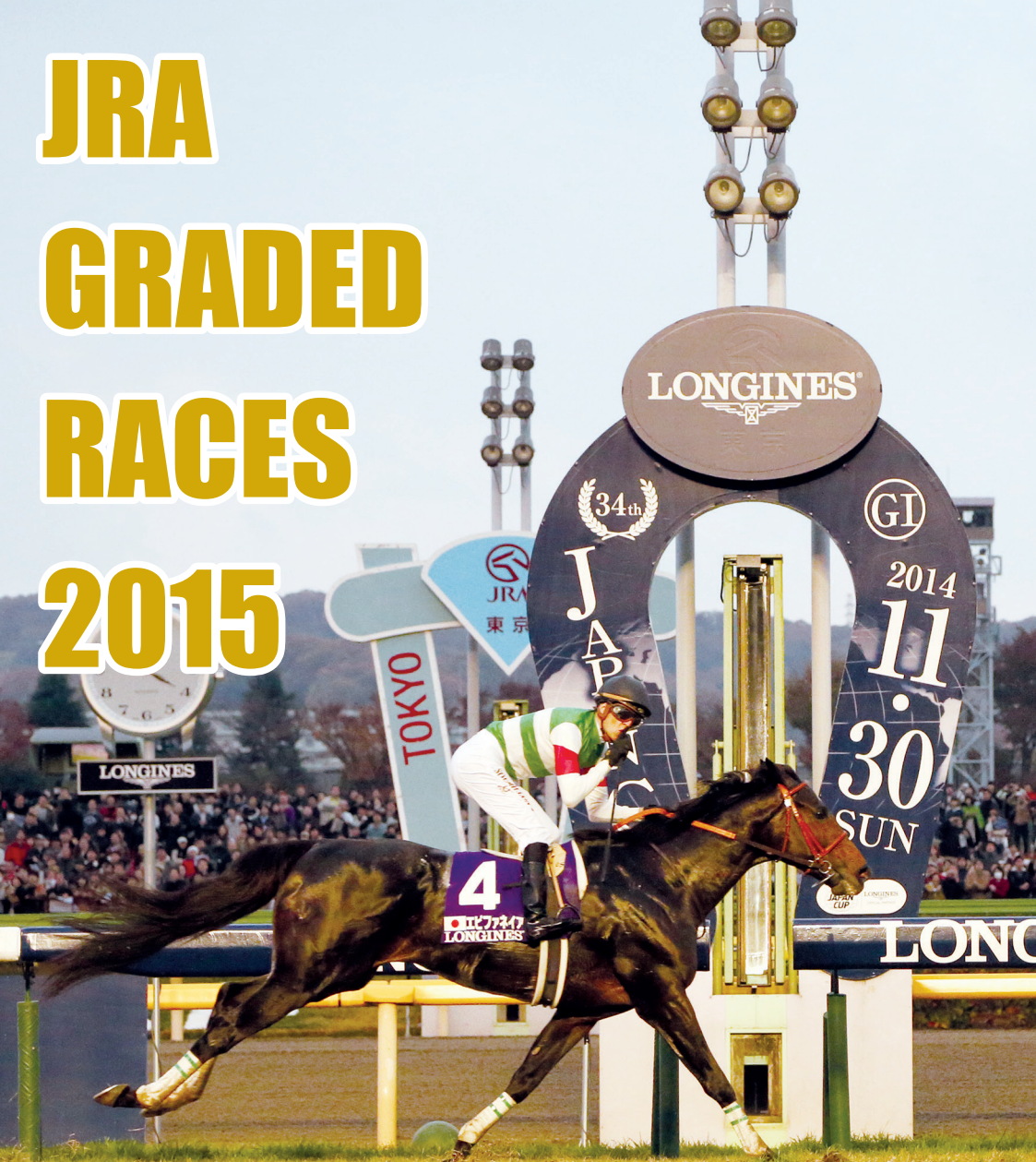


JRA GRADED RACES 2015



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Date	Race	Racecourse	Age	Sex	Distance(meters)	1st Place (JPY)	Nomination
04 Jan.	NAKAYAMA KIMPAI (G3)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	25 Nov, 14
04 Jan.	KYOTO KIMPAI (G3)	KYOTO	4yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	40,000,000	
11 Jan.	SHINZAN KINEN (G3)	KYOTO	3yo	-	1,600 Turf	37,000,000	
12 Jan.	FAIRY STAKES (G3)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	F	1,600 Turf	34,000,000	
18 Jan.	KEISEI HAI (G3)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	-	2,000 Turf	37,000,000	09 Dec, 14
18 Jan.	NIKKEI SHINSHUN HAI (G2)	KYOTO	4yo&up	-	2,400 Turf	55,000,000	
24 Jan.	KYOTO HIMBA STAKES (G3)	KYOTO	4yo&up	F&M	1,600 Turf	35,000,000	
25 Jan.	AMERICAN JOCKEY CLUB CUP (G2)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	-	2,200 Turf	60,000,000	
25 Jan.	TOKAI STAKES (G2)	CHUKYO	4yo&up	-	1,800 Dirt	53,000,000	
01 Feb.	NEGISHI STAKES (G3)	TOKYO	4yo&up	-	1,400 Dirt	37,000,000	23 Dec, 14
01 Feb.	SILK ROAD STAKES (G3)	KYOTO	4yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	38,000,000	
08 Feb.	TOKYO SHIMBUN HAI (G3)	TOKYO	4yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	38,000,000	
08 Feb.	KISARAGI SHO (G3)	KYOTO	3yo	-	1,800 Turf	37,000,000	
14 Feb.	QUEEN CUP (G3)	TOKYO	3yo	F	1,600 Turf	34,000,000	06 Jan.
15 Feb.	KYODO NEWS SERVICE HAI (G3)	TOKYO	3yo	-	1,800 Turf	37,000,000	
15 Feb.	KYOTO KINEN (G2)	KYOTO	4yo&up	-	2,200 Turf	60,000,000	
21 Feb.	DIAMOND STAKES (G3)	TOKYO	4yo&up	-	3,400 Turf	40,000,000	
22 Feb.	FEBRUARY STAKES (G1)	TOKYO	4yo&up	-	1,600 Dirt	94,000,000	
22 Feb.	KOKURA DAISHOTEN (G3)	KOKURA	4yo&up	-	1,800 Turf	40,000,000	
28 Feb.	ARLINGTON CUP (G3)	HANSHIN	3yo	-	1,600 Turf	37,000,000	20 Jan.
01 Mar.	NAKAYAMA KINEN (G2)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	-	1,800 Turf	60,000,000	
01 Mar.	HANKYU HAI (G3)	HANSHIN	4yo&up	-	1,400 Turf	40,000,000	
07 Mar.	OCEAN STAKES (G3)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	40,000,000	
07 Mar.	TULIP SHO (G3)	HANSHIN	3yo	F	1,600 Turf	34,000,000	
08 Mar.	YAYOI SHO (G2)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	-	2,000 Turf	52,000,000	
14 Mar.	CHUNICHI SHIMBUN HAI (G3)	CHUKYO	4yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	03 Feb.
15 Mar.	NAKAYAMA HIMBA STAKES (G3)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	F&M	1,800 Turf	35,000,000	
15 Mar.	FILLIES' REVUE (G2)	HANSHIN	3yo	F	1,400 Turf	50,000,000	
21 Mar.	FLOWER CUP (G3)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	F	1,800 Turf	34,000,000	
21 Mar.	FALCON STAKES (G3)	CHUKYO	3yo	-	1,400 Turf	37,000,000	
22 Mar.	SPRING STAKES (G2)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	C&F	1,800 Turf	52,000,000	
22 Mar.	HANSHIN DAISHOTEN (G2)	HANSHIN	4yo&up	-	3,000 Turf	65,000,000	
28 Mar.	NIKKEI SHO (G2)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	-	2,500 Turf	65,000,000	
28 Mar.	MAINICHI HAI (G3)	HANSHIN	3yo	-	1,800 Turf	37,000,000	17 Feb.
29 Mar.	MARCH STAKES (G3)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	-	1,800 Dirt	35,000,000	
29 Mar.	TAKAMATSUNOMIYA KINEN (G1)	CHUKYO	4yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	95,000,000	
05 Apr.	LORD DERBY CHALLENGE TROPHY (G3)	NAKAYAMA	4yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	38,000,000	
05 Apr.	SANKEI OSAKA HAI (G2)	HANSHIN	4yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	65,000,000	03 Mar.
11 Apr.	NEW ZEALAND TROPHY (G2)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	C&F	1,600 Turf	52,000,000	
11 Apr.	HANSHIN HIMBA STAKES (G2)	HANSHIN	4yo&up	F&M	1,400 Turf	53,000,000	
18 Apr.	ANTARES STAKES (G3)	HANSHIN	4yo&up	-	1,800 Dirt	35,000,000	
25 Apr.	FUKUSHIMA HIMBA STAKES (G3)	FUKUSHIMA	4yo&up	F&M	1,800 Turf	37,000,000	17 Mar.
26 Apr.	FLORA STAKES (G2)	TOKYO	3yo	F	2,000 Turf	50,000,000	
26 Apr.	YOMIURI MILERS CUP (G2)	KYOTO	4yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	57,000,000	
02 May.	AOBA SHO (G2)	TOKYO	3yo	-	2,400 Turf	52,000,000	
03 May.	TENNO SHO (SPRING) (G1)	KYOTO	4yo&up	-	3,200 Turf	150,000,000	31 Mar.
09 May.	KYOTO SHIMBUN HAI (G2)	KYOTO	3yo	-	2,200 Turf	52,000,000	
10 May.	NHK MILE CUP (G1)	TOKYO	3yo	C&F	1,600 Turf	92,000,000	
10 May.	NIIGATA DAISHOTEN (G3)	NIIGATA	4yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	
16 May.	KEIO HAI SPRING CUP (G2)	TOKYO	4yo&up	-	1,400 Turf	57,000,000	
17 May.	VICTORIA MILE (G1)	TOKYO	4yo&up	F&M	1,600 Turf	90,000,000	
23 May.	HEIAN STAKES (G3)	KYOTO	4yo&up	-	1,900 Dirt	35,000,000	
31 May.	MEGURO KINEN (G2)	TOKYO	4yo&up	-	2,500 Turf	55,000,000	
06 Jun.	NARUO KINEN (G3)	HANSHIN	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	28 Apr.
07 Jun.	YASUDA KINEN (G1)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	100,000,000	
14 Jun.	EPSOM CUP (G3)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	1,800 Turf	40,000,000	
14 Jun.	MERMAID STAKES (G3)	HANSHIN	3yo&up	F&M	2,000 Turf	35,000,000	
21 Jun.	UNICORN STAKES (G3)	TOKYO	3yo	-	1,600 Dirt	34,000,000	12 May.
21 Jun.	HAKODATE SPRINT STAKES (G3)	HAKODATE	3yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	38,000,000	
28 Jun.	TAKARAZUKA KINEN (G1)	HANSHIN	3yo&up	-	2,200 Turf	150,000,000	26 May.
05 Jul.	RADIO NIKKEI SHO (G3)	FUKUSHIMA	3yo	-	1,800 Turf	37,000,000	
05 Jul.	CBC SHO (G3)	CHUKYO	3yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	38,000,000	
12 Jul.	TANABATA SHO (G3)	FUKUSHIMA	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	
12 Jul.	PROCYON STAKES (G3)	CHUKYO	3yo&up	-	1,400 Dirt	35,000,000	
19 Jul.	HAKODATE KINEN (G3)	HAKODATE	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	09 Jun.
26 Jul.	CHUKYO KINEN (G3)	CHUKYO	3yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	38,000,000	
26 Jul.	HAKODATE NISAI STAKES (G3)	HAKODATE	2yo	-	1,200 Turf	30,000,000	

Date	Race	Racecourse	Age	Sex	Distance(meters)	1st Place (JPY)	Nomination
02 Aug.	IBIS SUMMER DASH (G3)	NIIGATA	3yo&up	-	1,000 Turf	38,000,000	23 Jun.
02 Aug.	QUEEN STAKES (G3)	SAPPORO	3yo&up	F&M	1,800 Turf	35,000,000	
09 Aug.	LEOPARD STAKES (G3)	NIIGATA	3yo	-	1,800 Dirt	40,000,000	
09 Aug.	KOKURA KINEN (G3)	KOKURA	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	
16 Aug.	SEKIYA KINEN (G3)	NIIGATA	3yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	38,000,000	07 Jul.
16 Aug.	ELM STAKES (G3)	SAPPORO	3yo&up	-	1,700 Turf	35,000,000	
23 Aug.	KITAKYUSHU KINEN (G3)	KOKURA	3yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	38,000,000	
23 Aug.	SAPPORO KINEN (G2)	SAPPORO	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	68,000,000	
30 Aug.	NIIGATA NISAI STAKES (G3)	NIIGATA	2yo	-	1,600 Turf	30,000,000	21 Jul.
30 Aug.	KEENELAND CUP (G3)	SAPPORO	3yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	40,000,000	
05 Sep.	SAPPORO NISAI STAKES (G3)	SAPPORO	2yo	-	1,800 Turf	30,000,000	
06 Sep.	NIIGATA KINEN (G3)	NIIGATA	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	
06 Sep.	KOKURA NISAI STAKES (G3)	KOKURA	2yo	-	1,200 Turf	30,000,000	04 Aug.
13 Sep.	KEISEI HAI AUTUMN HANDICAP (G3)	NAKAYAMA	3yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	38,000,000	
13 Sep.	CENTAUR STAKES (G2)	HANSHIN	3yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	57,000,000	
20 Sep.	ROSE STAKES (G2)	HANSHIN	3yo	F	1,800 Turf	50,000,000	
21 Sep.	ST.LITE KINEN (G2)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	-	2,200 Turf	52,000,000	18 Aug.
27 Sep.	ALL COMERS (G2)	NAKAYAMA	3yo&up	-	2,200 Turf	65,000,000	
27 Sep.	KOBE SHIMBUN HAI (G2)	HANSHIN	3yo	C&F	2,400 Turf	52,000,000	
03 Oct.	SIRIUS STAKES (G3)	HANSHIN	3yo&up	-	2,000 Dirt	35,000,000	
04 Oct.	SPRINTERS STAKES (G1)	NAKAYAMA	3yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	95,000,000	01 Sep.
10 Oct.	SAUDI ARABIA ROYAL CUP (L)	TOKYO	2yo	-	1,600 Turf	32,000,000	
11 Oct.	MAINICHI OKAN (G2)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	1,800 Turf	65,000,000	
12 Oct.	KYOTO DAISHOTEN (G2)	KYOTO	3yo&up	-	2,400 Turf	65,000,000	
17 Oct.	FUCHU HIMBA STAKES (G2)	TOKYO	3yo&up	F&M	1,800 Turf	53,000,000	15 Sep.
18 Oct.	SHUKA SHO (G1)	KYOTO	3yo	F	2,000 Turf	89,000,000	
24 Oct.	FUJI STAKES (G3)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	40,000,000	
31 Oct.	ARTEMIS STAKES (G3)	TOKYO	2yo	F	1,600 Turf	28,000,000	
01 Oct.	SWAN STAKES (G2)	KYOTO	3yo&up	-	1,400 Turf	57,000,000	29 Sep.
01 Nov.	TENNO SHO (AUTUMN) (G1)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	150,000,000	
07 Nov.	KEIO HAI NISAI STAKES (G2)	TOKYO	2yo	-	1,400 Turf	36,000,000	
07 Nov.	FANTASY STAKES (G3)	KYOTO	2yo	F	1,400 Turf	28,000,000	
08 Nov.	COPA REPUBLICA ARGENTINA (G2)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	2,500 Turf	55,000,000	13 Oct.
08 Nov.	MİYAKO STAKES (G3)	KYOTO	3yo&up	-	1,800 Dirt	37,000,000	
14 Nov.	MUSASHINO STAKES (G3)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	1,600 Dirt	37,000,000	
14 Nov.	DAILY HAI NISAI STAKES (G2)	KYOTO	2yo	-	1,600 Turf	36,000,000	
15 Nov.	FUKUSHIMA KINEN (G3)	FUKUSHIMA	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	40,000,000	27 Oct.
15 Nov.	QUEEN ELIZABETH II CUP (G1)	KYOTO	3yo&up	F&M	2,200 Turf	90,000,000	
22 Nov.	MILE CHAMPIONSHIP (G1)	KYOTO	3yo&up	-	1,600 Turf	100,000,000	
23 Nov.	TOKYO SPORTS HAI NISAI STAKES (G3)	TOKYO	2yo	-	1,800 Turf	32,000,000	
28 Nov.	RADIO NIKKEI HAI KYOTO NISAI STAKES (G3)	KYOTO	2yo	-	2,000 Turf	32,000,000	10 Nov.
29 Nov.	KEIHAN HAI (G3)	KYOTO	3yo&up	-	1,200 Turf	38,000,000	
29 Nov.	JAPAN CUP (G1)	TOKYO	3yo&up	-	2,400 Turf	300,000,000	
06 Dec.	CHAMPIONS CUP (G1)	CHUKYO	3yo&up	-	1,800 Dirt	94,000,000	
05 Dec.	STAYERS STAKES (G2)	NAKAYAMA	3yo&up	-	3,600 Turf	60,000,000	27 Oct.
05 Dec.	KINKO SHO (G2)	CHUKYO	3yo&up	-	2,000 Turf	60,000,000	
12 Dec.	CHALLENGE CUP (G3)	HANSHIN	3yo&up	-	1,800 Turf	40,000,000	
13 Dec.	CAPELLA STAKES (G3)	NAKAYAMA	3yo&up	-	1,200 Dirt	35,000,000	
13 Dec.	HANSHIN JUVENILE FILLIES (G1)	HANSHIN	2yo	F	1,600 Turf	65,000,000	10 Nov.
19 Dec.	TURQUOISE STAKES (L)	NAKAYAMA	3yo&up	F&M	1,600 Turf	35,000,000	
20 Dec.	ASAHI HAI FUTURITY STAKES (G1)	HANSHIN	2yo	C&F	1,600 Turf	70,000,000	
26 Dec.	HANSHIN CUP (G2)	HANSHIN	3yo&up	-	1,400 Turf	65,000,000	
27 Dec.	HOPEFUL STAKES (G2)	NAKAYAMA	2yo	C&F	2,000 Turf	65,000,000	27 Dec.
27 Dec.	ARIMA KINEN (G1)	NAKAYAMA	3yo&up	-	2,500 Turf	250,000,000	

* "F"---Fillies "F&M"---Fillies & Mares "C&F"---Colts & Fillies

* Online nomination form is available at <http://japanracing.jp/en/information/online-nomination.html>

2015 JRA CLASSIC RACES

Date	Race	Racecourse	Age	Sex	Distance(meters)	1st Place (JPY)	Nomination
12 Apr.	OKA SHO (JAPANESE 1000 GUINEAS) (G1)	HANSHIN	3yo	F	1,600 Turf	89,000,000	★
19 Apr.	SATSUKI SHO (JAPANESE 2000 GUINEAS) (G1)	NAKAYAMA	3yo	C&F	2,000 Turf	97,000,000	
24 May.	YUSHUN HIMBA (JAPANESE OAKS) (G1)	TOKYO	3yo	F	2,400 Turf	97,000,000	
31 May.	TOKYO YUSHUN (JAPANESE DERBY) (G1)	TOKYO	3yo	C&F	2,400 Turf	200,000,000	
25 Oct.	KIKUKA SHO (JAPANESE ST.LEGER) (G1)	KYOTO	3yo	C&F	3,000 Turf	112,000,000	

★ = Further details, including the entry and declaration forms are available at <http://japanracing.jp/en/information/classic-races/entries.html>

JAPAN CUP (G1) (Invitational)



2014 Winner: Epiphaneia



Sunday, 29 November 2015

Tokyo Racecourse

2,400m (Left Handed) (1½ miles) turf • 3yo+



Maximum Number of Horses : **18**

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 13 October 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close: **Thursday, 26 November 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥624,000,000**

Prize money for the Winner : **¥300,000,000**

Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)

**1½
miles**

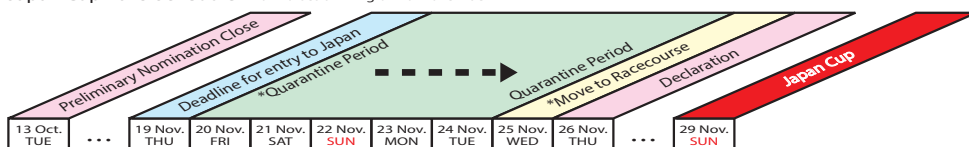
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Turf

Weight

Age / Sex	Northern Hemisphere Bred	Southern Hemisphere Bred
4yo+ C, H & G	57 kg (126lbs)	
4yo+ F & M	55 kg (121lbs)	
3yo C & G	55 kg (121lbs)	53 kg (117lbs)
3yo F	53 kg (117lbs)	51 kg (113lbs)

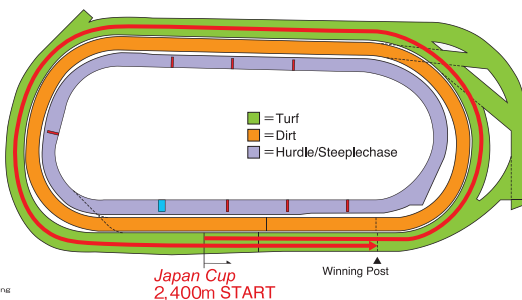
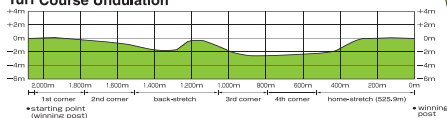
Japan Cup 2015 Schedule *For horses arriving on 19 November



Tokyo Racecourse

Circumference	2,083.1m
Width	31~41m
Homestretch(final turn to finish)	525m
2,400m(T) Record Time as of January 2015:	
Alkaased (27 November 2005)	2:22.1

Turf Course Undulation



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	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
Winner	300,000,000	2,500,000	1,666,000	2,142,000	3,157,000	19,354,000
2nd	120,000,000	1,000,000	666,000	857,000	1,263,000	7,741,000
3rd	75,000,000	625,000	416,000	537,000	789,000	4,838,000
4th	45,000,000	375,000	250,000	321,000	473,000	2,903,000
5th	30,000,000	250,000	166,000	214,000	315,000	1,935,000
6th	21,000,000	175,000	116,000	150,000	221,000	1,354,000
7th	18,000,000	150,000	100,000	128,000	189,000	1,161,000
8th	15,000,000	125,000	83,000	107,000	157,000	967,000
Total	624,000,000	5,200,000	3,466,000	4,457,000	6,568,000	40,258,000

The currency exchange rate used in this guidebook is 1USD=120JPY, 1GBP=180JPY, 1EUR=140JPY, 1AUD=95JPY, 1HKD=15.5JPY

Bonus System

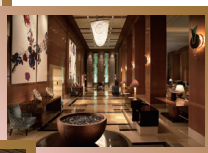
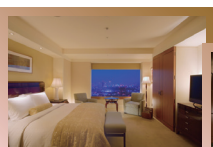
For the winners of races below in 2015		Japan Cup 2015	Bonus					
Dubai Sheema Classic (UAE) Dubai World Cup (UAE) The Derby (UK) Prix du Jockey Club (FR) The Irish Derby (IRE) Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud (FR) Grand Prix de Paris (FR) King George VI & Queen Elizabeth Stakes (UK) Arlington Million (USA) International Stakes (UK) Irish Champion Stakes (IRE) Grosser Preis von Baden (GER) Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe (FR) Champion Stakes (UK) Canadian International (CAN) Cox Plate (AUS) Breeders' Cup Turf (USA) Breeders' Cup Classic (USA) Melbourne Cup (AUS)	will be awarded	WINNER	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			80,000,000	666,000	444,000	571,000	842,000	5,161,000
		2nd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			32,000,000	266,000	177,000	229,000	337,000	2,064,000
		3rd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			20,000,000	166,000	111,000	143,000	211,000	1,290,000

Hospitality

The Japan Racing Association will provide air tickets and accommodation for connections of each selected overseas horse.

2 Return Business Class air tickets and accommodation for the Owner, Trainer and Jockey at The Ritz-Carlton Tokyo for 5nights

*Please refer to "Japan Cup Hospitality" on page 24 for details.



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TOKYO

QUEEN ELIZABETH II CUP (G1)

Travel Subsidies Available *see page 24

Sunday, 15 November 2015

Kyoto Racecourse

2,200m (Right Handed) (1 $\frac{3}{8}$ miles) turf • 3yo+ Fillies & Mares

Maximum Number of Horses : **18**

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 29 September 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close : **Thursday, 12 November 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥188,200,000**

Prize money for the Winner : **¥90,000,000**

Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)



2014 Winner : Lachesis

**1 $\frac{3}{8}$
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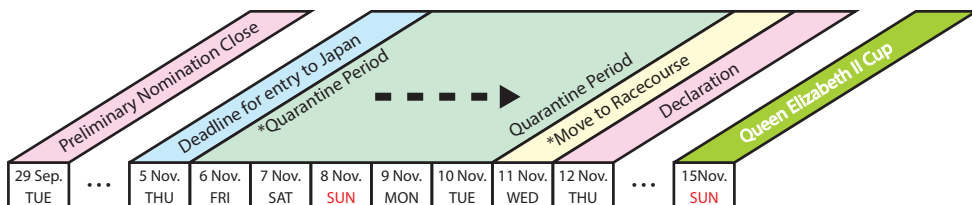
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Turf

Weight

Age / Sex	Northern Hemisphere Bred	Southern Hemisphere Bred
4yo+ F & M		56 kg (124lbs)
3yo F	54 kg (119lbs)	52 kg (115lbs)

Queen Elizabeth II Cup 2015 Schedule *For horses arriving on 5 November






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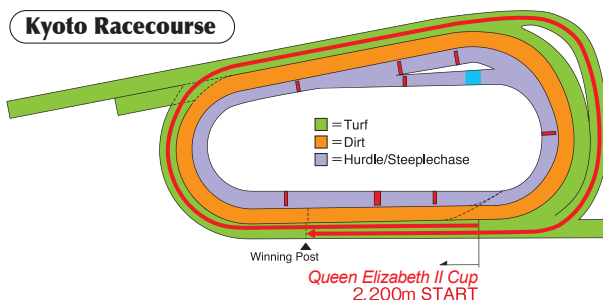
	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
Winner	90,000,000	750,000	500,000	642,000	947,000	5,806,000
2nd	36,000,000	300,000	200,000	257,000	378,000	2,322,000
3rd	23,000,000	191,000	127,000	164,000	242,000	1,483,000
4th	14,000,000	116,000	77,000	100,000	147,000	903,000
5th	9,000,000	75,000	50,000	64,000	94,000	580,000
6th	6,300,000	52,000	35,000	45,000	66,000	406,000
7th	5,400,000	45,000	30,000	38,000	56,000	348,000
8th	4,500,000	37,000	25,000	32,000	47,000	290,000
Total	188,200,000	1,568,000	1,045,000	1,344,000	1,981,000	12,141,000

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Bonus System

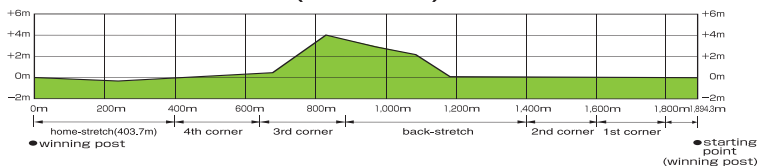
For the winners of races below in 2015		QE II Cup 2015	Bonus					
The Oaks (UK) Prix de Diane (FR) Pretty Polly Stakes (IRE) The Irish Oaks (IRE) Nassau Stakes (UK) Beverly D. Stakes (USA) Yorkshire Oaks (UK) Prix de Vermeille (FR) Flower Bowl Invitational (USA) Prix de l'Opera (FR) British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes (UK)	will be awarded	 WINNER	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			50,000,000	416,000	277,000	357,000	526,000	3,225,000
		 2nd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			20,000,000	166,000	111,000	143,000	211,000	1,290,000
		 3rd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			13,000,000	108,000	72,000	93,000	137,000	838,000

Kyoto Racecourse



Circumference	1,894.3m
Width	27~38m
Homestretch(final turn to finish)	403m
2,200m(T)Record Time as of January 2015:	Tosen Homareboshi (5 May 2012)2:10.0

Turf Course Undulation (Outer Oval)



MILE CHAMPIONSHIP (G1)

Travel Subsidies Available *see page 24

Sunday, 22 November 2015
Kyoto Racecourse
1,600m (Right Handed) (1mile) turf • 3yo+

Maximum Number of Horses : **18**

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 29 September 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close: **Thursday, 19 November 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥208,000,000**

Prize money for the Winner : **¥100,000,000**

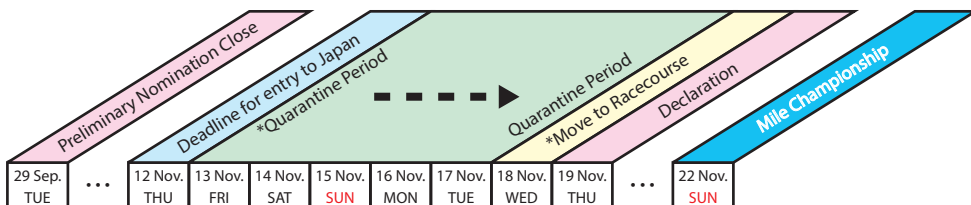
Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)

2014 Winner : Danon Shark
**1
mile**
**Right
Handed**
Turf

Weight

Age / Sex	Northern Hemisphere Bred	Southern Hemisphere Bred
4yo+ C, H & G	57 kg (126lbs)	
4yo+ F & M	55 kg (121lbs)	
3yo C & G	56 kg (124lbs)	55 kg (121lbs)
3yo F	54 kg (119lbs)	53 kg (117lbs)

Mile Championship 2015 Schedule *For horses arriving on 12 November



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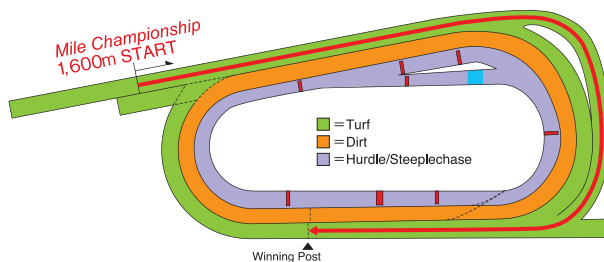
	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
Winner	100,000,000	833,000	555,000	714,000	1,052,000	6,451,000
2nd	40,000,000	333,000	222,000	285,000	421,000	2,580,000
3rd	25,000,000	208,000	138,000	178,000	263,000	1,612,000
4th	15,000,000	125,000	83,000	107,000	157,000	967,000
5th	10,000,000	83,000	55,000	71,000	105,000	645,000
6th	7,000,000	58,000	38,000	50,000	73,000	451,000
7th	6,000,000	50,000	33,000	42,000	63,000	387,000
8th	5,000,000	41,000	27,000	35,000	52,000	322,000
Total	208,000,000	1,733,000	1,155,000	1,485,000	2,189,000	13,419,000

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Bonus System

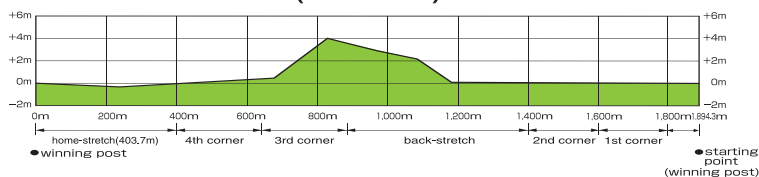
For the winners of races below in 2015		Mile Championship 2015	Bonus					
Dubai Duty Free (UAE) Champions Mile (HK) St James's Palace Stakes (UK) Queen Anne Stakes (UK) Sussex Stakes (UK) Prix Jacques Le Marois (FR) Prix Moulin de Longchamp (FR) Woodbine Mile (CAN) Sun Chariot Stakes (UK) Queen Elizabeth II Stakes (UK)	will be awarded	WINNER	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			50,000,000	416,000	277,000	357,000	526,000	3,225,000
		2nd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			20,000,000	166,000	111,000	143,000	211,000	1,290,000
		3rd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			13,000,000	108,000	72,000	93,000	137,000	838,000

Kyoto Racecourse



Circumference	1,894.3m
Width	27~38m
Homestretch(final turn to finish)	403m
1,600m(T)Record Time as of January 2015:	
World Ace (27 Apr 2014)	1:31.4

Turf Course Undulation (Outer Oval)



CHAMPIONS CUP (G1)

Travel Subsidies Available *see page 24

Sunday, 6 December 2015
Chukyo Racecourse


1,800m (Left Handed) (1 1/8 miles) dirt • 3yo+ CHAMPIONS CUP

 Maximum Number of Horses : **16**

 Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

 Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 13 October 2015**

 Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

 Declaration Close : **Thursday, 3 December 2015**

 Total Prize money : **¥196,320,000**

 Prize money for the Winner : **¥94,000,000**

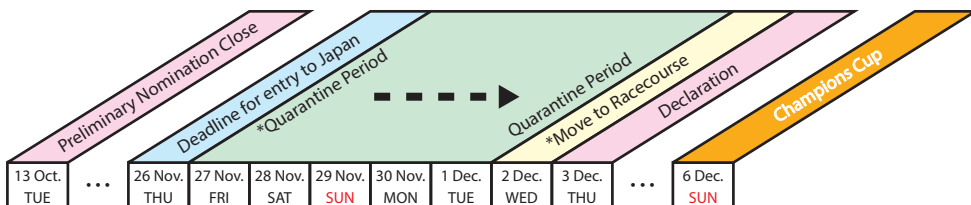
 Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)

**1 1/8
miles**
**Left
Handed**
Dirt

Weight

Age / Sex	Northern Hemisphere Bred	Southern Hemisphere Bred
4yo+ C, H & G	57 kg (126lbs)	
4yo+ F & M	55 kg (121lbs)	
3yo C & G	56 kg (124lbs)	54 kg (119lbs)
3yo F	54 kg (119lbs)	52 kg (115lbs)

Champions Cup 2015 Schedule *For horses arriving on 26 November



Prizemoney

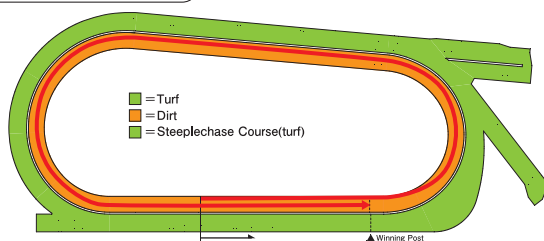
	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
Winner	94,000,000	783,000	522,000	671,000	989,000	6,064,000
2nd	38,000,000	316,000	211,000	271,000	400,000	2,451,000
3rd	24,000,000	200,000	133,000	171,000	252,000	1,548,000
4th	14,000,000	116,000	77,000	100,000	147,000	903,000
5th	9,400,000	78,000	52,000	67,000	98,000	606,000
6th	6,580,000	54,000	36,000	47,000	69,000	424,000
7th	5,640,000	47,000	31,000	40,000	59,000	363,000
8th	4,700,000	39,000	26,000	33,000	49,000	303,000
Total	196,320,000	1,636,000	1,090,000	1,402,000	2,066,000	12,665,000

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Bonus System

For the winners of races below in 2015		Champions Cup 2015	Bonus					
Santa Anita Handicap (USA) Dubai World Cup (UAE) Kentucky Derby (USA) Preakness Stakes (USA) Metropolitan Handicap (USA) Belmont Stakes (USA) Stephen Foster Handicap (USA) The Gold Cup at Santa Anita (USA) Whitney Handicap (USA) Travers Stakes (USA) Pacific Classic Stakes (USA) Woodward Stakes (USA) Jockey Club Gold Cup Invitational (USA) Breeders' Cup Classic (USA)	will be awarded	WINNER	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			50,000,000	416,000	277,000	357,000	526,000	3,225,000
		2nd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			20,000,000	166,000	111,000	143,000	211,000	1,290,000
		3rd	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
			13,000,000	108,000	72,000	93,000	137,000	838,000

Chukyo Racecourse



Champions Cup
1,800m START

Circumference 1,530m

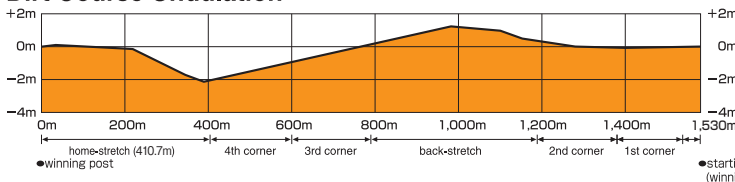
Width 25m

Homestretch(final turn to finish) 410.7m

1,800m(D) Record Time as of January 2015:
Satono Principal(5 July 2014)1:48.9



Dirt Course Undulation



Track Specification

Surface	Loose Sand	90mm (3.54 inches)
Pad	Mountain Sand	200mm (7.87 inches)
Base	Crushed Rock	150mm (5.94 inches)

*Preliminary nominated foreign horses of the Champions Cup will be automatically nominated for the Tokyo Daishoten (G1). - Ohi Racecourse Dirt 2,000m, Prize money for the Winner : ¥70,000,000

YASUDA KINEN (G1)



Travel Subsidies Available *see page 24

Sunday, 7 June 2015 Tokyo Racecourse
1,600m (Left Handed) (1mile) turf • 3yo+

Maximum Number of Horses : 18

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 28 April 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close : **Thursday, 4 June 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥208,000,000**

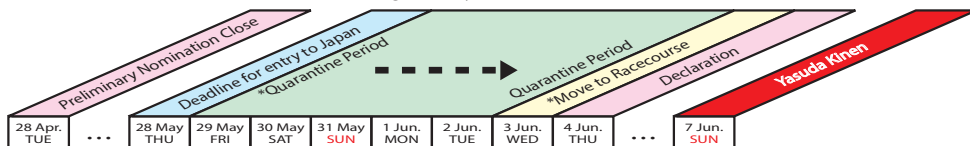
Prize money for the Winner : **¥100,000,000**

Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)

Weight

Age / Sex	Northern Hemisphere Bred	Southern Hemisphere Bred
5yo+ H & G	58 kg (128lbs)	
5yo+ M	56 kg (124lbs)	
4yo C & G	58 kg (128lbs)	57 kg (126lbs)
4yo F	56 kg (124lbs)	55 kg (121lbs)
3yo C & G	54 kg (119lbs)	52 kg (115lbs)
3yo F	52 kg (115lbs)	50 kg (110lbs)

Yasuda Kinen 2015 Schedule *For horses arriving on 28 May



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	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
Winner	100,000,000	833,000	555,000	714,000	1,052,000	6,451,000
2nd	40,000,000	333,000	222,000	285,000	421,000	2,580,000
3rd	25,000,000	208,000	138,000	178,000	263,000	1,612,000
4th	15,000,000	125,000	83,000	107,000	157,000	967,000
5th	10,000,000	83,000	55,000	71,000	105,000	645,000
6th	7,000,000	58,000	38,000	50,000	73,000	451,000
7th	6,000,000	50,000	33,000	42,000	63,000	387,000
8th	5,000,000	41,000	27,000	35,000	52,000	322,000
Total	208,000,000	1,733,000	1,155,000	1,485,000	2,189,000	13,419,000

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Tokyo Racecourse

Circumference 2,083.1m

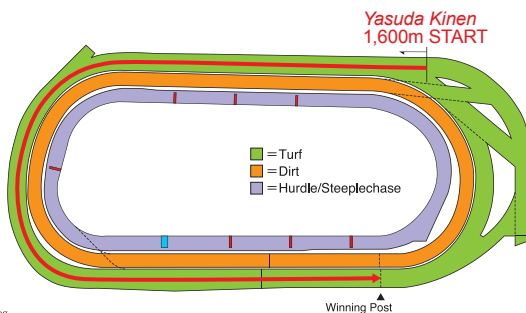
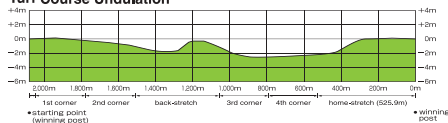
Width 31~41m

Homestretch(final turn to finish) 525m

1,600m(T) Record Time as of January 2015:

Strong Return (3 June 2012)1:31.3

Turf Course Undulation



TENNO SHO (SPRING) (G 1)

Travel Subsidies Available



2014 Winner : Fenomeno

Sunday, 3 May 2015 **Kyoto Racecourse**
3,200m (Right Handed) (2miles) turf • 4yo+

Maximum number of Horses : **18**

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 17 March 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close: **Thursday, 30 April 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥313,000,000**

Prize money for the Winner : **¥150,000,000**

Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)

TAKARAZUKA KINEN (G 1)

Travel Subsidies Available

Sunday, 28 June 2015 **Hanshin Racecourse**
2,200m (Right Handed) (1 $\frac{3}{8}$ miles) turf • 3yo+

Maximum number of Horses : **18**

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 12 May 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close: **Thursday, 25 June 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥313,000,000**

Prize money for the Winner : **¥150,000,000**

Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)



2014 Winner : Gold Ship

TENNO SHO (AUTUMN) (G 1)

Travel Subsidies Available



2014 Winner : Spielberg

Sunday, 1 November 2015 **Tokyo Racecourse**
2,000m (Left Handed) (1 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles) turf • 3yo+

Maximum number of Horses : **18**

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 15 September 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close: **Thursday, 29 October 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥313,000,000**

Prize money for the Winner : **¥150,000,000**

Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)

TAKAMATSUNOMIYA KINEN (G1)



2014 Winner : Copano Richard

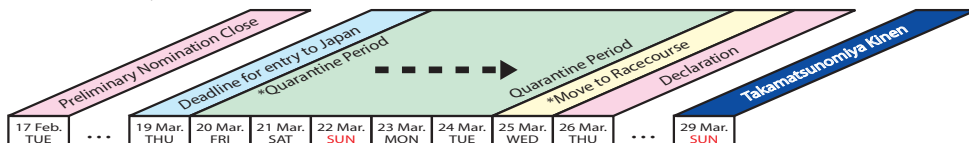
Travel Subsidies Available *see page 24

Sunday, 29 March 2015 Chukyo Racecourse
1,200m (Left Handed) (6f) turf • 4yo+
Maximum Number of Horses : 18
Nomination Fee : Free of Charge
Nomination Close : Tuesday, 17 February 2015
Declaration Fee : ¥300,000
Declaration Close: Thursday, 26 March 2015
Total Prize money : ¥197,600,000
Prize money for the Winner : ¥95,000,000
Prize for the Winning Owner : ¥2,000,000 (equivalent value)

Weight

Age / Sex	Northern Hemisphere Bred	Southern Hemisphere Bred
5yo+ H & G	57 kg (126lbs)	
5yo+ M	55 kg (121lbs)	
4yo C & G	57 kg (126lbs)	56 kg (124lbs)
4yo F	55 kg (121lbs)	54 kg (119lbs)

Takamatsunomiya Kinen 2015 Schedule *For horses arriving on 19 March



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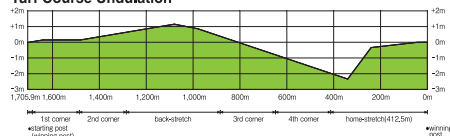
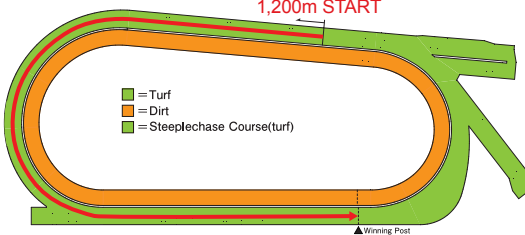
	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
Winner	95,000,000	791,000	527,000	678,000	1,000,000	6,129,000
2nd	38,000,000	316,000	211,000	271,000	400,000	2,451,000
3rd	24,000,000	200,000	133,000	171,000	252,000	1,548,000
4th	14,000,000	116,000	77,000	100,000	147,000	903,000
5th	9,500,000	79,000	52,000	67,000	100,000	612,000
6th	6,650,000	55,000	36,000	47,000	70,000	429,000
7th	5,700,000	47,000	31,000	40,000	60,000	367,000
8th	4,750,000	39,000	26,000	33,000	50,000	306,000
Total	197,600,000	1,646,000	1,097,000	1,411,000	2,080,000	12,748,000

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Chukyo Racecourse

Circumference 1,705.9m
Width 28~30m
Homestretch(final turn to finish) 412.5m
1,200m(T) Record Time as of January 2015:
Majin Prosper (30 June 2013)1:08.0

Turf Course Undulation


**Takamatsunomiya Kinen
1,200m START**


SPRINTERS STAKES (G1)

Travel Subsidies Available



2014 Winner : Snow Dragon

Sunday, 4 October 2015 Nakayama Racecourse
1,200m (Left Handed) (6f) turf • 3yo+

Maximum Number of Horses : **18**

Nomination Fee : **Free of Charge**

Nomination Close : **Tuesday, 18 August 2015**

Declaration Fee : **¥300,000**

Declaration Close : **Thursday, 1 October 2015**

Total Prize money : **¥197,600,000**

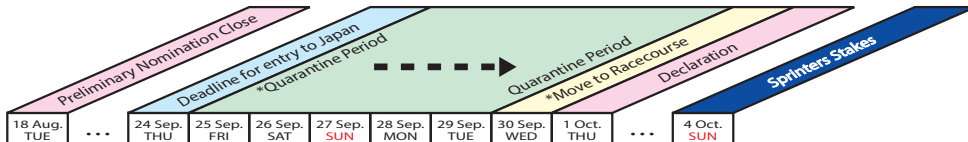
Prize money for the Winner : **¥95,000,000**

Prize for the Winning Owner : **¥2,000,000** (equivalent value)

Weight

Age / Sex	Northern Hemisphere Bred	Southern Hemisphere Bred
4yo+ C, H & G	57 kg (126lbs)	
4yo+ F & M	55 kg (121lbs)	
3yo C & G	55 kg (121lbs)	54 kg (119lbs)
3yo F	53 kg (117lbs)	52 kg (115lbs)

Sprinters Stakes 2015 Schedule *For horses arriving on 24 September



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	JPY	USD	GBP	EUR	AUD	HKD
Winner	95,000,000	791,000	527,000	678,000	1,000,000	6,129,000
2nd	38,000,000	316,000	211,000	271,000	400,000	2,451,000
3rd	24,000,000	200,000	133,000	171,000	252,000	1,548,000
4th	14,000,000	116,000	77,000	100,000	147,000	903,000
5th	9,500,000	79,000	52,000	67,000	100,000	612,000
6th	6,650,000	55,000	36,000	47,000	70,000	429,000
7th	5,700,000	47,000	31,000	40,000	60,000	367,000
8th	4,750,000	39,000	26,000	33,000	50,000	306,000
Total	197,600,000	1,646,000	1,097,000	1,411,000	2,080,000	12,748,000

Nakayama Racecourse

Circumference **1,877.3m**

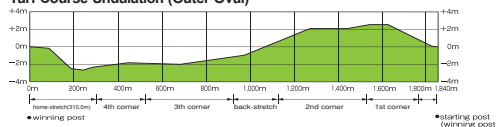
Width **18~26m**

Homestretch(final turn to finish) **310.0m**

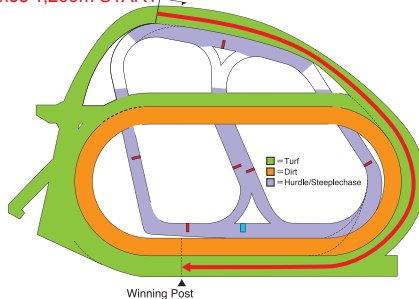
1,200m(T) Record Time as of January 2015:

Lord Kanaloa (30 September 2012):1:06.7

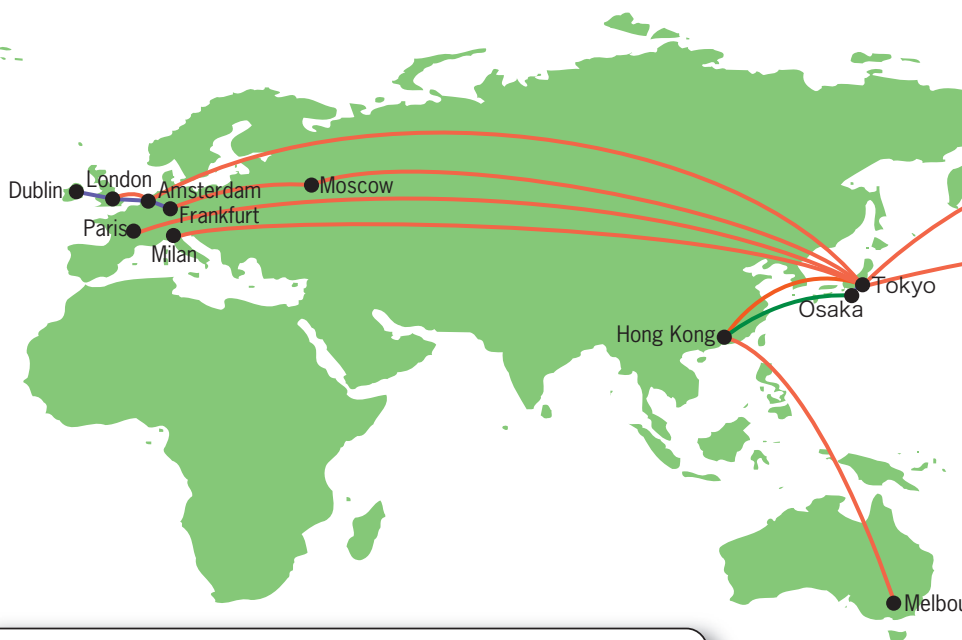
Turf Course Undulation (Outer Oval)



Sprinters Stakes 1,200m START



Transportation to Japan



Transportation to Tokyo(Narita International Airport)

Country	Departure	→ Via →	Destination
U.S.A.	New York	7h → Anchorage → 7h	Tokyo
	Los Angeles	10.5h	Tokyo
Canada	Toronto	12h → Chicago → 6h → Anchorage → 7h	Tokyo
U.K.	London	9h → Amsterdam → 11h	Tokyo
	London	1.5h → Amsterdam → 11h	Tokyo
Ireland	Dublin	19h → Amsterdam → 11h	Tokyo
	Dublin	9h → London → 1.5h → Amsterdam → 11h	Tokyo
France	Paris	11.5h	Tokyo
Germany	Frankfurt	5h → Amsterdam → 11h	Tokyo
	Frankfurt	3h → Moscow → 9h	Tokyo
Italy	Milan	12h	Tokyo
Australia	Melbourne	9h → Hong Kong → 4h	Tokyo
Hong Kong	Hong Kong	4h	Tokyo
		AIR CARGO → HORSE VAN →	



Transportation to Osaka(Kansai International Airport)

Country Departure → Via → Destination

Hong Kong Hong Kong → 3.5h → Osaka

— AIR CARGO —

as of December 2014

Quarantine Centers

Shiroy Horseracing School

This Quarantine Center is located on the premises of the JRA Shiroy Horseracing School, which is about 50km/31.1 miles from Narita International Airport. It is about 60 minutes by horse van from the airport. The facility accommodates a dirt training track of 1,400m (about 7 furlongs) in circumference and 17m wide.



Transportation time from Shiroy Horseracing School to Each Racecourse /Airport * by horse van

From Narita International Airport:	50km/31 miles	1.5 hours
From Kansai International Airport:	572km/355 miles	10 hours
To Tokyo Racecourse:	65km/40.5 miles	2 hours
To Nakayama Racecourse:	10km/6.2 miles	0.5 hours
To Chukyo Racecourse:	372km/231 miles	5.5 hours
To Kyoto Racecourse:	500km/312.5 miles	9 hours
To Hanshin Racecourse:	550km/343.5 miles	10 hours

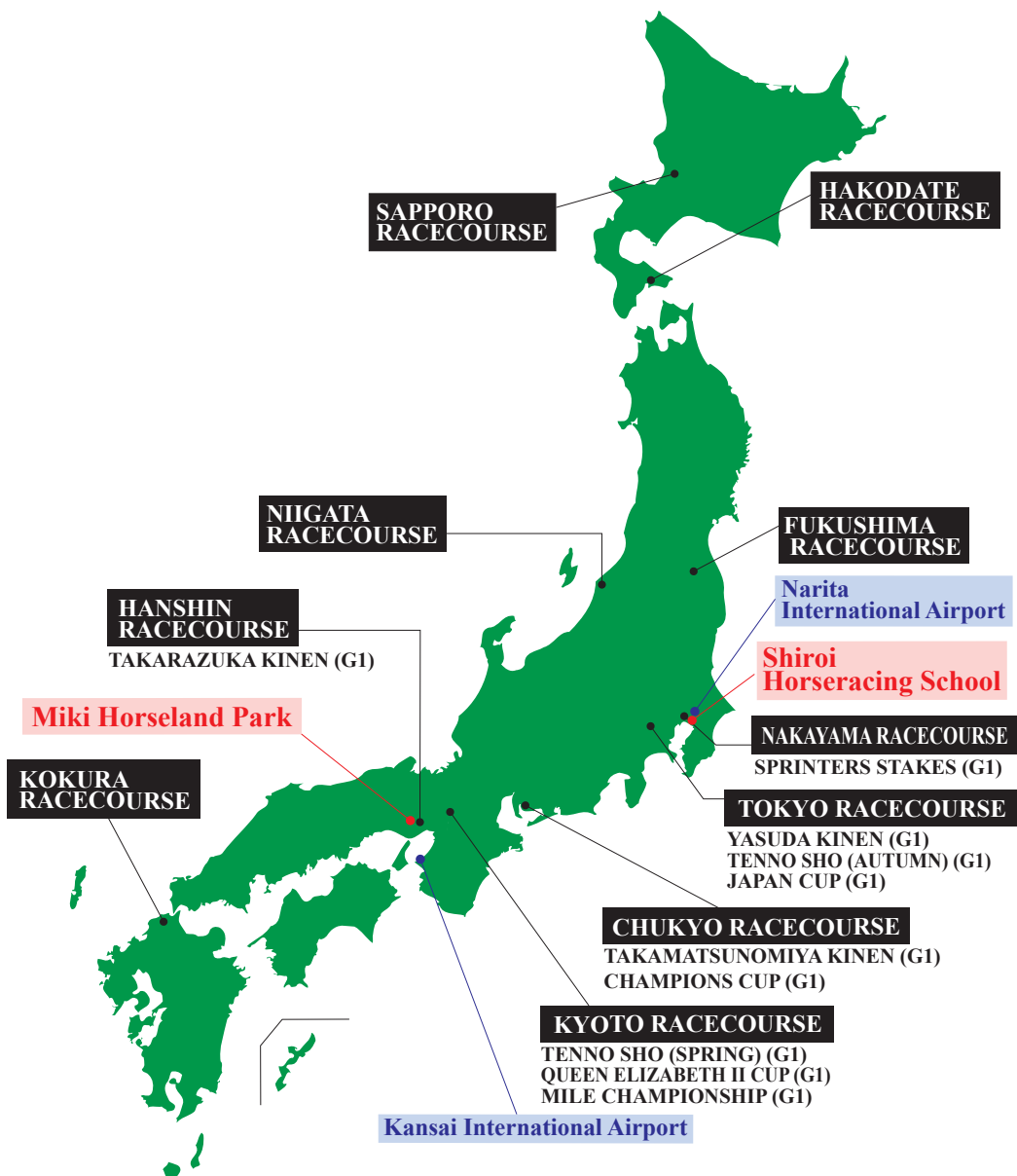
Miki Horseland Park

This Quarantine Center is located on the premises of Miki Horseland Park, a public operated foundation in Hyogo Prefecture, in the western part of Japan. The facility accommodates a dirt outer track of 880m in circumference and 10m wide, and a smaller inner track of 627m in circumference and 10m wide.



Transportation time from Miki Horseland Park to Each Racecourse /Airport * by horse van

From Kansai International Airport:	150km/93.5 miles	2 hours
From Narita International Airport:	622km/386 miles	10 hours
To Chukyo Racecourse:	225km/139.5 miles	3 hours
To Kyoto Racecourse:	90km/56.5 miles	1.5 hours
To Hanshin Racecourse:	50km/32.5 miles	1 hours



Horsemen's Information

(As of January 2015, Japan Racing Association)

SELECTION OF RUNNERS

Entries and participations in the JRA races are subject to the JRA rules of racing. Candidate horses for the race will be assessed on their relative merits by the JRA Selection Committee. The JRA has the sole authority and discretion in determining the selection, and the decision of the JRA shall be final. For the Japan Cup, the JRA will not only take into account the relative merits of each horse, but will seek to spread continental representation to include the main racing countries of the Americas, Europe, Australasia and Asia. Other essential factors for the selection will be the confirmation of intention to participate and the ability of the horse to meet the schedule of timing necessary for pre-race quarantine. In the event the horses selected by the JRA withdraw, the JRA reserves the right to select as a replacement an overseas reserved horse which can complete the necessary formalities and logistics in time to participate in the race. Should you wish to nominate your horse for more than one race, please indicate on the application form which race is your first choice.

For the Japan Cup, preliminary nominations are accepted only from the horses that have run in races in countries or conduct races listed in Part I of the International Cataloguing Standards.

CONDUCT OF RACING

1. Declaration to Run

Trainers are required to declare their horses to run at the prescribed time for each race. It is essential that any special equipment to be carried by the horse is also declared on this form. If a horse is to run with blinkers, a declaration that it is to do so must be made. When a horse has been declared to run with blinkers, they shall be worn, and when no declaration of blinkers, they must not be worn by the horse during the race. However, this does not apply in the event that the stewards of the meeting deem there is a compelling reason.

Some equipment may not be allowed to be used without prior permission and therefore, please contact JRA stewards in advance.

2. Scratches

Scratches in JRA racing, which are solely based on the opinion of the Owner or Trainer, for reasons of weather, or change in track conditions are not permitted on or after the deadline for declaration.

Scratches are only possible after receiving the approval of the stewards of the meeting through the submission of a document (certifying to any accident to, or disease of the horse).

3. Licensing

Visiting Trainers and Jockeys are required to attend a licensing interview with the JRA stewards for the issuance of their license upon his/her arrival. All trainers and jockeys who are granted a license agree to be bound by the JRA rules of racing.

4. Lead Ponies and Gate Crews

Lead ponies are not used and cannot be brought into Japan. JRA does not have any gate crews situated inside the starting gate stall in order to keep the horse in check.

5. Starting Gate Loading Procedures

All JRA races use a Starting Gate System. The Starting Gate is a movable set of stalls with gates that open simultaneously at the start of the race. Prior to running in races conducted by the JRA, only horses which passed a gate test prior to the final declaration are able to run in the race.

During the gate test, the starters will check the necessary loading procedures for a minimum twice, and a horse needs to be approved by the starters as being capable of loading, standing still and leaving the stalls. Trainers are required to inform the JRA after the preliminary nomination if the horse has any unruly or specific behavior at the start. However, no special loading request will be permitted apart from request to load the horse first for efficient loading.

Loading will take place under the direction of the starters. As a general rule, horses with odd numbers in the draw will be loaded first, followed by those with even numbers, and the horse with the highest number in the draw will be loaded last no matter whether the number is odd or even. This procedure is taken for the safety of horses and people concerned, for speedy and efficient loading to start the race.

However, horses with blindfolds or those horses with bad records at loading may be loaded first no matter whether the draw is odd or even. Should there be many unruly horses taking draw position with high numbers, the starters may decide to load the horse with lowest number draw last.

6. Matters to be noted in Relation to Jockeys

- a) The Jockeys to ride in the JRA races must enter and stay in the **Jockey's Quarter at the racecourse** designated by the JRA by **9:00 PM** on the previous day of that race meeting day. (For the Japan Cup, the Jockeys must stay at accommodation facilities designated by the JRA from 9:00 PM on the previous day of the race.) This is done to uphold the integrity of racing.
- b) A Jockey must ride in a race carrying the officially announced weight. The safety vest is mandatory and 1.0 kg allowance will be applicable. For example, if the announced weight is 57 kg, the Jockey has to ride the horse at the weight of 58.0 kg.
- c) A jockey must ride in a race with the safety vest and helmet listed in the International Agreement on Breeding, Racing and Wagering (Article 27, Appendix 10 bis).
- d) The JRA may require the random selection of several Jockeys on race day to

take and pass a urine test for prohibited substances (stimulant drugs, marijuana, narcotics, and diuretics etc.).

- e) A whip which is 77 cm (approximately 30 inches) or longer is prohibited from being used in races.

7. Insurance

- a) **All visiting horse connections (Owners, Trainers, Assistant Trainers, Travelling Head Lads, Exercise Riders and Grooms) are strongly recommended to arrange their own insurance to cover travel, work and non-work injury and illness.**
- b) All visiting jockeys will be covered by the JRA's accident compensation policy during under the control of the JRA.

8. Other Pertinent Information

When a horse bleeds in a race, the JRA Rules of Racing prohibits the horse from racing in the JRA races for one month for the first offence.

OWNERSHIP

1. Registration for Ownership and Colors

The application fee is **JPY10,000** (about US\$83) for Owner Registration (both Private and Company Owner applicants) and **JPY3,000** (about US\$25) for Registration of Racing Colors. All funds required in this application process must be submitted in Japanese Yen.

2. Owner Registration Tax

Accompanied with Owner Registration, **JPY90,000** (about US\$750) must be paid to the Japanese Government in accordance with the Registration and License Tax Act. This amount must be remitted to the bank account designated by JRA.

3. Ownership Change

The JRA Rules of Racing only allows the name of **ONE** Owner per horse as registered name. In case of a change in the Ownership of a participating horse, the new and old Owner must report to the JRA as immediately as possible one Owner's name under which the horse is to be raced, accompanied by the documentary evidence such as an Ownership Registration Certificate issued by the horse racing authority of the country represented, or the sales contract.

After a horse is drawn into a race, there shall be no transfer nor assignment of any Ownership interest in such horse until after the race, or until such horse is scratched from the race, if sooner.

4. Declaration Fee

Declaration Fee must be remitted to the bank account designated by the JRA. It will NOT be refunded after the horse is declared to run.

For G1 races (excluding 2yo races):	JPY 300,000
G1 races (for 2yo) and G2 races (excluding 2yo races):	JPY 100,000

G2 races (for 2yo), G3 races:
Other Races:

JPY 50,000
JPY 30,000

5. Payment

- | | |
|---|-------------|
| (1) Application Fee for Ownership | JPY 10,000 |
| (2) Application Fee for Colors | JPY 3,000 |
| (3) Owner Registration Tax | JPY 90,000 |
| (4) Declaration Fee (for 3yo+ G1 races) | JPY 300,000 |

**(1), (2), and (3) are necessary only for the Owners making registration for the first time after 1st January 1999. Once registered, this registration is valid throughout the period the Owner is registered as a JRA Owner, and the payment is necessary only once.*

Payment of (1)~(4) must be remitted by noon, Friday, one week prior to the race day, Japanese time. Please be sure that payment is made in Japanese yen. All bank charges and commissions (including paying bank charges) are to be paid by the owner.

The designated bank details are as follows:

Account Holder:	JAPAN RACING ASSOCIATION
Account Number:	0005-001-7834038
Bank:	The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd. Head Office, Tokyo, Japan
Bank Address:	2-7-1 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan
Swift Code:	BOTKJPJT

Please fill in the name of your horse and race on the message section of the application for foreign remittance transactions so that the JRA can confirm from whom the bank transfer was sent.

PRIZE MONEY

All Prize Money will be wholly awarded to the single nominated Owner, who is registered with the JRA, for participating horses. Any split in prize money that reflects multiple Ownership is a matter of private contract or agreement between those Owners. The JRA also does not deduct any percentages for Trainer, Jockey and stable staff from prize money.

EXPENDITURES

As a general rule, Owners of participating horses will be entirely responsible for all travel, accommodation, quarantine, isolation and all incidental costs associated with themselves, their horses, Trainers, Jockeys, and stable staff.

However, the JRA will provide the following expenses:

1. Van transportation expenses between the International Airport and the Quarantine Center and the Racecourses in Japan.
2. Stall fees at the Quarantine Center and at the Racecourse.

JAPAN CUP HOSPITALITY

For overseas invited horses for the Japan Cup, the JRA will provide the following:

1. **Round-trip air transportation** between Japan and the point of embarkation / disembarkation for the horse and two attendants (class).
2. **Return business class air tickets** for Owner, Trainer, Jockey, and their spouse/partner (Not transferable).
3. **Five nights accommodation** (one room) for Owner, Trainer, and Jockey at the JRA designated hotel.

TRAVEL SUBSIDIES

For particular selected overseas horses for the certain Grade 1 races(listed on page 6-15 in this guidebook), the JRA may offer travel incentives at discretion of the JRA Selection Committee.

Please contact our Representative Offices for details.

TAXATION

a) Income Tax and Corporation Tax :(for the money and prizes earned in Japan)

1. Owners are not obliged to pay tax in Japan. However, an Owner who holds permanent establishment (i.e., office) in Japan must pay tax as a self-assessment.
2. Trainers are not obliged to pay tax in Japan.
3. For Jockey, Exercise Rider and Groom, twenty percent (20.42%) tax will be deducted at the source on money and prizes earned by the individual.

b) Consumption Tax:

Any person who had taxable earnings exceeding JPY10 million in Japan during 2013 is obliged to pay by self-assessment a consumption tax of eight percent (8%) on the money and prizes of 2015. It is each individual's personal responsibility to file tax as appropriate to their status.

"Customs Duty"

The law of Japan requires that a customs duty of JPY3,400,000 (about US\$28,333) is to be levied per horse for any racehorses temporarily imported within the borders of Japan. This customs duty is waived for horses that are planning to race in Japan, under the precondition that the horse is again exported as promptly as possible after the race.

Owners must deposit the above amount of money as bond with the customs house during the period of stay in Japan. This money will be returned when the horse is again exported from Japan following the race.

The Owner must also abide by the following additional requirements:

- After the race, the horse must not be used for another purpose in Japan.
- After the export quarantine, the horse must depart from Japan as promptly as possible.

FEED, BEDDING AND WATER

1. Feed and Bedding

As a general rule, feed, feed additives and bedding are arranged by the JRA. Feed, feed additives and bedding other than those arranged by the JRA must be tested before its use while in Japan. Feed and bedding used during airplane travel must be disposed of upon arrival at the airport in Japan. Any other feeds brought into the country must be kept in the JRA's custody until after the race.

2. Precautions on Quarantine

If you wish to import feed or feed additives for your horse to Japan, you must obtain a phytosanitary certificate issued by the Agricultural Department of your country. In addition, upon arrival in Japan, feed or feed additives, must be cleared by the Plant and Animal Quarantine Department and Customs, and pass Physico-chemical tests conducted by the Laboratory of Racing Chemistry. Please be aware that it may take a long period of time to obtain the phytosanitary certificate from the Agricultural Department of your country.

Therefore, if your horse must have feed or feed additives that cannot be replaced by the JRA provisions mentioned in "List of Feed", please contact the JRA Representative Office as far in advance as possible. Please note that if you fail to notify our office as far in advance as possible, you may not be able to use your feed or feed additives immediately after arrival.

3. Water

All JRA facilities are furnished with complete water and sewerage service. The water from the waterworks is potable water, which more than satisfies the standards prescribed by law.

The quality of water is soft compared to North Americans and Europeans.

HORSESHOES

1. Type of Shoes

Please note that shoes for racing must be 9 millimeters or less in thickness, 22 millimeters or less in width and 125 grams or less in weight. The JRA will check whether the shoes which are brought are permissible or not, after coming to Japan. The Trainer is responsible for ensuring that his/her horse is shod in accordance with the requirements of this instruction.

The following shoes are **not permitted** during a race:

- a) Shoes whose calk is higher than 2 millimeters (2 millimeters is permitted) from the surface that touches the ground, and shoes whose calk on one end is sharp (i.e. Toe grabs)
- b) If there is a difference in thickness between the inner line and the outer line which is divided by the center groove, and whose surface touches the ground unevenly, the difference must be 3 millimeters or less (i.e. Rim shoes)
- c) Shoes that may pose a danger to other horses such as those with protruding

object(s) attached to the bottom of the shoe, typically crampons and notches (i.e. Blocks and sticker heels)

- d) Shoes whose surface touches the ground unevenly around the circle, and are not on the same arc (i.e. Bent shoes)

Shown below are the typical images of such **banned** shoes:



a) Toe grab



b) Rim shoe



c) Block and sticker heel

2. Nails and Nailing

A nail with a sharp head must not be used for shoeing. Nail heads must not protrude more than necessary (protrusion must be 2 millimeters or less).

3. Shoeing

Farriers of the JRA will be available for shoeing by request. The JRA will recommend bringing extra shoes and nails of own, in case our stock shouldn't meet the request. Please contact the JRA Veterinary Section or respective JRA Representative Offices for further information.

VACCINATION

Vaccination requisite is based on the animal health requirement agreed upon between the government authorities of each country and the Japanese Government. Export quarantine requirements prior to the departure from the country, should also be ascertained in advance from your respective Government Departments and you should follow their instructions for the necessary vaccinations since certain countries require particular re-entry procedures.

Although the JRA will be pleased to respond to any inquiries you might have on this topic, please also ask your country's government for the latest information.

Equine Viral Arteritis Vaccination

In the case whereby a horse tests positive for antibodies of Equine Viral Arteritis (EVA), that horse will not be able to enter Japan. Therefore, please DO NOT vaccinate against EVA.

West Nile Virus (WNV) Vaccination

This is especially important for American horses, and European horses planning to come to Japan directly after running in the United States. The conditions for each of these horses are different based on the areas which they have visited or transited, the length of these visits and so forth. Please take a look at the following requirements.

Any horse which, during the last 60 days, has been in an area which has had an outbreak of West Nile Virus (WNV), must be vaccinated against that virus, or must be certified under the conditions set forth by the Government of Japan, prior

to entering Japan.

Japanese Encephalitis Virus Vaccination

Aside from the requirement established by government, the JRA strongly recommends that the foreign trained horses which participate in the races held in our jurisdiction during July to October to be vaccinated against Japanese Encephalitis (**JE**) virus with an acceptable inactivated vaccine before coming to Japan. The JRA does not take any responsibility for any horses coming to Japan during this period without being inoculated with the necessary vaccine protection from JE. Although it is also possible for the JRA to provide the vaccine required for inoculation prior to the horse coming to Japan, owners should ask the respective authorities in their own country about import procedures and permission for use of the vaccine overseas.

It is important that all vaccinations a horse has been administered must be recorded in its passport. The JRA's veterinarian judges whether a horse is vaccinated or not only through the description in the passport.

Therefore, please ensure that all the records are completely written in the passport especially immediately after vaccination.

MEDICATION AND DRUGS

1. Drug Control Regulation

In Japan, entering a horse to race under the influence of drugs which temporarily stimulate or depress race performances (hereinafter referred to as prohibited drugs) is prohibited strictly by Horse Racing Law. Also, the usage of certain drugs is restricted from the standpoint of horse welfare and injury prevention (hereinafter referred to as restricted drugs) by the JRA.

Besides those prescribed in these regulations, all matters concerning the control of drug administration to racehorses shall be prescribed by the JRA Veterinary Officer. Please check with the JRA beforehand when considering any drug administration to horses scheduled to race in JRA races.

A) PROHIBITED DRUGS

- a) **Prohibited drugs** (listed below) are defined as "**substances which temporarily stimulate or depress race performance**". Such **prohibited drugs** (except for anabolic steroids) must not be administered to any horse nominated to start, and in the event a prohibited drug is administered, the horse concerned cannot race for a period of 10 days.
- b) The use of anabolic steroids is not permitted. The JRA will conduct a physico-chemical test to confirm that a participating horse is free of anabolic steroids after arriving in Japan.
- c) The use of any unlisted substances with the purpose of, or lead to temporarily stimulating or depressing race performance is prohibited. Please refer to Article 31 of the Horse Racing Law and Paragraphs 132-136 of the JRA Rules of Racing (<http://japanracing.jp/en/information/jra-rules/rules-racing.html#c9>).

LIST OF PROHIBITED DRUGS AND SUBSTANCES

(As of April 2014)

1	Adrafinil	56	Barbital
2	Atropine	57	Barbiturates (e.g. Amobarbital, Allobarbital, Cyclobarbital, Secobarbital, Thiamylal, Thiopental, Phenobarbital, Primidone, Hexobarbital, Pentobarbital, Metharbital and Mephobarbital)
3	Aminophylline		
4	Aminorex		
5	Alprenoxime		
6	Alprenolol		
7	Amphetaminil		
8	Amphetamine		
9	Ibuprofen	58	Bambuterol
10	Ipratropium	59	Pipradolol
11	Ethanol	60	Fanprofazone
12	Ethylamphetamine	61	Fenethylline
13	Ethylmorphine	62	Fencamine
14	Ephedrine	63	Fenproporex
15	Oxyethyltheophylline	64	Furazabol
16	Oxypropyltheophylline	65	Fluoxymesterone
17	10-Oxocamphor	66	Brucine
18	Oxprenolol	67	Furfenorex
19	Caffeine	68	Prenylamine
20	Carbamazepine	69	Procaine
21	Camphor	70	Furosemide
22	Quinbolone	71	Propranolol
23	Guaifenesin	72	Promazine
24	Clenbuterol	73	Betaxolol
25	Clobenzorex	74	Pemoline
26	Chlorpromazine	75	Heroin
27	Chlorpromazine-Sulfoxide	76	Benzphetamine
28	Cocaine	77	Benzodiazepine derivatives (e.g. Oxazolam, Clorazepate dipotassium, Chlordiazepoxide, Ketazolam, Diazepam, Demoxepam, Nordazepam, Halazepam, Pinazepam, Fosazepam, Prazepam and Medazepam)
29	Codeine		
30	Choline Theophylline		
31	Salbutamol		
32	Cyclazodone		
33	Dihydroxypropyltheophylline	78	Pentazocine
34	Dibucaine	79	Pentetrazol
35	Cyproheptadine	80	Boldione
36	Dimethylamphetamine	81	Boldenone
37	Dimorpholamine	82	Methapyrilene
38	Scopolamine	83	Mesocarb
39	Stanozolol	84	Methamphetamine
40	Strychnine	85	Methylephedrine
41	Selegiline	86	17 α -methyl steroids (e.g. Oxymetholone, Mestanolone, Metandienone, Methandriol and Methyl-testosterone)
42	Theophylline		
43	Theobromine		
44	Dextroamphetamine	87	Methylphenidate
45	Testosterone	88	Methenolone
46	Tetracaine	89	Methocarbamol
47	Deprenyl	90	Methoxyphenamine
48	Terbutaline	91	Metoprolol
49	Tramadol	92	Mefenorex
50	Trans-11-Oxocamphor	93	Modafinil
51	Trenbolone	94	Morphine
52	Nandrolone	95	Lisdexamfetamine
53	Nikethamide	96	Lidocaine
54	Nicotine	97	Any other substance that contains or extricates any one of the above mentioned substances
55	Noacapin		

B) RESTRICTED DRUGS

- a) Horses must not race under the influence of **restricted drugs** (listed below), which are defined as "**drugs to be restricted from the standpoint of horse welfare and injury prevention**".
- b) The JRA will recommend withdrawal times for **such restricted drugs**. Please contact the JRA Veterinary Division or respective JRA Representative Offices for specific information.

Please refer to Article 7, 12, and Separate Table (2) of the Matters to be Instructed by Veterinary Officers.

(<http://japanracing.jp/en/information/jra-rules/veterinary.html>)

LIST OF RESTRICTED DRUGS

(As of January 2014)

- 1 Glucocorticosteroids (Cortisone, Dexamethasone, Triamcinolone, Triamcinolone Acetonide, Hydrocortisone, Fludrocortisone, Prednisolone, Betamethasone, Methylprednisolone, and other substances with similar chemical structure or similar biological effect(s))
- 2 Non-Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (Aspirin, Acetaminophen, Acemetacin, Aminopyrine, Antipyrine, Ampiroxicam, Amfenac, Isopropylantipyrine, Ibuprofen, Indometacin, Ethenzamide, Etodolac, Etoricoxib, Epirizole, Emorfazone, Eltenac, Oxaprozin, Oxyphenbutazone, Carprofen, Glycyrrhizinate, Ketophenylbutazone, Ketoprofen, Ketorolac, Salicylamide, Sodium Salicylate, Methyl Salicylate, Zaltoprofen, Diclofenac, Dimetotiazine, Sulindac, Sulpyrine, Celecoxib, Tiaprofenic acid, Tiaramide, Tenoxicam, Tepoxalin, Deracoxib, Tolfenamic acid, Nabumetone, Naproxen, Valdecoxib, Piroxicam, Firocoxib, Phenacetin, Phenylbutazone, Felbinac, Bucolome, Pranoprofen, Flunixin, Flufenamic acid, Flurbiprofen, Proglumetacin, Vedaprofen, Meclofenamic acid, Mefenamic acid, Meloxicam, Mofezolac, Loxoprofen, Lornoxicam, Neurotropin, and other substances with similar chemical structure or similar biological effect(s))

2. Veterinary Instructions regarding medical treatment

- a) No medical treatment can be given to a horse from the day before the race.
- b) Prior consultation with the veterinary officer is necessary in case a drug or medication is to be administered to a horse scheduled to run, or feed additives other than those provided by the JRA are to be given.
- c) No one except the veterinary officers of the JRA can diagnose or give treatment to the horse.

3. Medication and Pharmaceutical Products Brought into Japan

- a) Medication and Pharmaceutical Products brought into Japan by persons involved with scheduled runners can not be used at JRA premises, unless tested beforehand at the Laboratory of Racing Chemistry. This includes soap, shampoo, skin protection cream, hoof oil and other substances used for the horse's care. Therefore, any such untested medication and pharmaceutical products will be kept in the JRA's custody until after the race.

- b) A variety of products, such as hot and cold compress medications (poultice), massage medication, shampoo, and nutrient additives that are comparatively in wide use in foreign countries are available. A list of these supplies is available at each JRA Representative Office.

4. Physico-Chemical Test after Race

Physico-chemical tests are conducted on horses that finish first through third in the race, and any horse designated by the stewards of the meeting, under the Rules of Racing of the JRA. The horses concerned must submit urine or/and blood sample after the race. The collected samples will be divided into two samples, and Physico-chemical test will be conducted at the Laboratory of Racing Chemistry, on sample A. Should the existence of a prohibited drug or medication be detected, sample B will then be tested automatically at the same Laboratory, in the presence of the non-partisan designated witnesses, who have knowledge of the field of Physico-chemical testing. No notice will be given to the connections of the horse at this time. No person other than these witnesses can be present at the retest procedure. If the presence of the same prohibited drugs or medication is detected in both samples A and B, it will be considered as a violation of the drug and medical regulations. The horse concerned will be disqualified and suspended from running in a race for a fixed period. The connections of the horse will not be entitled to receive any prizes, or prize money. The horse connections concerned may be charged under Article 31 of the Horse Racing Law and will be penalized in accordance to Paragraphs 123, 131, 138, and 140 of the JRA Rules of Racing.

QUARANTINE PROCEDURES

The Animal Health Requirements may have changed. Please ask your country's government for details.

All quarantine procedures are based on the special animal health protocols agreed upon between the government authorities of each country and the Japanese Government. Import is thereby under the conditions that the horse will be temporarily imported to Japan to run in a race and will immediately undergo export quarantine after the race.

Under the quarantine conditions applied to foreign trained horses, the Government mandates that the period of stay of a horse in Japan shall be 60 days or less (from the day of release from import quarantine up to the day before export quarantine).

Therefore, permanent import of the horse, for such reasons as selling the horse in Japan, will not be allowed.

The following quarantine procedures will take place:

- a) Upon arrival at the international airport, horses must be immediately transported to the Quarantine Center. Japanese Government quarantine officers carry out individual quarantine procedures for the participating horses. However, horses arriving on the same plane will normally be tested together.
- b) The import quarantine period is a minimum of **seven days** (arrival and departure date to and from the quarantine is included in the quarantine period). Transportation to the Racecourse is allowed only after the completion of import quarantine. It is necessary to clear all the tests that are required by the Japanese Government during the quarantine period.

1 st day	2 nd day	3 rd Day	4 th day	5 th Day	6 th day	7 th day
Arrival In Japan	← QUARANTINE PERIOD →					Move to Racecourse

- c) During the quarantine period, horses must follow the training timetable designated by the quarantine officer.
- d) During the quarantine period, Grooms and Exercise Riders are prohibited without proper authorization from leaving the Quarantine Center.
- e) On the last day of the quarantine period, a test for equine influenza will be conducted by an official JRA veterinarian in addition to a Japanese Government test.
- f) After being cleared from quarantine, necessary follow up measures will be instituted at the racecourse for epidemic prevention.
- g) The export quarantine will be conducted at the racecourse. The period is one day or less. However, this is not applicable in cases where the Government of the importing country (e.g. Australia) requires more days of the quarantine period than that which is prescribed by the Japanese Government.

LIST OF FEED AVAILABLE IN JAPAN

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Please check(☑) your choice and return this form to JRA.

Name of horse

Owner

Trainer

1.Bedding

- ☐ Wheat straw
- ☐ Wood shavings
- ☐ Paper

*ONLY RICE STRAW is available at Nakayama

Racecourse.

2.Hay

- ☐ Timothy (USA)
- ☐ Lucerne [= alfalfa] (USA)
- ☐ Lucerne chaff (USA)
- ☐ Oaten hay (Australia)
- ☐ Lucerne Chaff Haylage [Fiber Protect] (NZ)
- ☐ Beet pulp[Sugarbeet] (USA)

3.Grains and cereals

- ☐ Oats (Canada)
- ☐ Steam flaked oats (Canada)
- ☐ Oats (Australia)
- ☐ Steam flaked oats (Australia)
- ☐ Barley
- ☐ Steam flaked barley
- ☐ Naked oats
- ☐ Black oats (France)
- ☐ Wheat Bran
- ☐ Soybean meal
- ☐ Sunflower seed
- ☐ Cracked Corn (=maize)
- ☐ Linseed (Canada)
- ☐ Crushed Linseed (Canada)
- ☐ Carrot
- ☐ Apple

4.Mixed feed

- ☐ Hallway RACE-13
- ☐ Hygain Release
- ☐ Red Mills 14% Race Horse Cubes

5.Supplement

- ☐ Molasses
- ☐ Corn oil
- ☐ Soybean oil + canola oil
- ☐ Rice oil
- ☐ Apple cider vinegar
- ☐ Cube sugar
- ☐ Salt
- ☐ Sliced garlic
- ☐ Block salt
- ☐ Honey
- ☐ Calcium powder
- ☐ Epsom salt
- ☐ Sodium bicarbonate
- ☐ Plusvital Syrup
- ☐ Aminovite Plus
- ☐ Salkavite
- ☐ POTASSIUM PLUS
- ☐ Hoof food
- ☐ PERFORMA-3

- ☐ EQUISTRO KERABOL
- ☐ EQUISTRO EXCELL E
- ☐ TWYDIL ARTRIDIL
- ☐ TWYDIL ELECTROLYTES
- ☐ TWYDIL ELECTROLYTES PASTE
- ☐ TWYDIL ELECTROLYTES+C
- ☐ TWYDIL HEMATINIC
- ☐ TWYDIL HEMOPAR
- ☐ TWYDIL HIPACAN+C
- ☐ TWYDIL MINERAL COMPLEX
- ☐ TWYDIL PROTECT PLUS
- ☐ TWYDIL RACING
- ☐ TWYDIL STOMACARE
- ☐ TWYDIL TWYBLID
- ☐ TWYDIL VIGORADE

6.Others

- ☐ Poultice
- ☐ WONDER-BLUE SHAMPOO
- ☐ TWYDIL 4LEGS
- ☐ TWYDIL HOOF CARE
- ☐ FORSHNER'S HOOF PACKING
- ☐ SHUR HOOF (HOOF DRESSING)
- ☐ Animalintex

※Please inform us of any other products you may require.

No.	Product Name	Quantity	Manufacturer
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			

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The animal health requirements for participating in JRA races or the JRA rules of racing may be changed as needed.

Please contact the above JRA offices for updated details.

Other Organizations which accept nominations

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