

## **Chrome Cash Matching Funds Program**

## **2024 Matching Funds Requirements**

- APHA approved-events request Chrome Cash matching funds of either \$5,000 or \$10,000
- The approved event would be required to provide matching funds at a minimum, the amount requested.
  - o I.E., if \$5,000 in Chrome Cash matching funds is requested from APHA, at least \$5,000 must be matched by the approved event.
  - Scholarships do not qualify towards matching funds.
- All show organizers must submit \$10/Chrome Cash entry to APHA upon the completion of the event along with show results.
- Events must submit Chrome Cash results using a template provided by APHA within 14 days of the completion of the event, including all Chrome Cash entries and amounts paid to each placing.
- All events must agree to promote Chrome Cash prior to the event.
- Events will be responsible for determining entry fees to be charged for each Chrome Cash class/sidepot/race.
- Events determine which Chrome Cash classes/sidepots/races they want to offer and how added money is distributed. *Changes to classes can be made up to 30 days before the event. No changes are allowed after that point.*

## **Application Process**

- Applications may be submitted from November 15, 2023, until December 15, 2023 or until funds have been dispersed.
- Submit your applications here.

- Applications will be approved by staff discretion based on their potential for growth and for generating memberships, registrations, and transfers.
  Geographic location will also be a consideration.
  - Events must demonstrate 10% growth in horses in Paint classes/sidepots/races from year to year to be eligible for funding in subsequent years.

## **Chrome Cash Eligibility Requirements**

- Horse must be registered with APHA. Both Regular and Solid Bred registered horses are eligible.
- Owners must be current APHA members in good standing.
- Chrome Cash classes must be entered per each event's rules and the corresponding entry fee paid.