

PEI Invitational Series 2026

“The Road to the Premier’s Cup”

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Track</u>	<u>Purse</u>	<u>Points for Premier’s Cup</u>
Cecil Ladner Memorial (Event #1)	Saturday, June 13 th , 2026	CDP	\$10,000	YES
PEI FFA (Event#2)	Saturday, June 27 th , 2026	CDP	\$10,000	YES
Governor’s Plate Elims (Event #3)	Sunday, July 12 th , 2026	SRW	\$12,500	YES
PEI FFA (Event #4)	Saturday, July 25 th , 2026	CDP	\$10,000	YES
Wilbur & Pauline MacDonald Memorial (Event #5)	Saturday, August 1 st , 2026	CDP	\$10,000	YES
Walter Dale Memorial	Friday, August 7 th , 2026	WDSTK	TBD	1 POINT
Gold Cup & Saucer Trials (Event #6)	Saturday, August 15 th , 2026	CDP	\$15,000	3 POINTS
Premier’s Pace (Event #6)	Saturday, August 22 nd , 2026	CDP	\$10,000	YES
Reliable Motors Richard Campbell Memorial	Saturday, September 12 th , 2026	CDP	\$10,000	YES
Goguen Memorial	Friday, September 18 th , 2026	WDSTK	TBD	1 POINT
PEI FFA (Event #8)	Saturday, September 26 th , 2026	CDP	\$10,000	YES
Premier’s Cup Province of PEI – PEIHRIA – Red Shores	Saturday, October 10 th , 2026	CDP	\$50,000	Top 8 Point Earners

Conditions:

1. All events are conducted under the rules and regulations of the Maritime Provinces Harness Racing Commission, Standardbred Canada, and host tracks as listed: Red Shores at Summerside Raceway, Red Shores at the Charlottetown Driving Park, and Woodstock Driving Club.
2. These are all Invitational Events, and the Race Secretary will be responsible for inviting starters.
 - a. Horses must have a **MINIMUM of TWO (2)** pari-mutuel starts in the Maritimes in 2026 at the date of declaration for events from the Governor’s Plate onward.
3. Participants will be awarded points based on the order of finish in each invitational event they start:
 - a. First place through fifth place will be awarded the following points respectively 7-5-4-3-2.
 - b. All other starters, sixth place on, will be awarded one (1) point for starting.
4. Horses choosing to compete in the Walter Dale Memorial and/or the Goguen Memorial at the Woodstock Driving Club and who have a minimum of two pari-mutuel starts in the Maritimes prior to each of these events will receive (1) point toward the PEI Invitational Series standings.
5. Horses with a minimum two (2) Maritime starts prior to August 10th, 2026, and who declare in for the Gold Cup and Saucer Trials will be awarded three (3) points towards the PEI Invitational Series standings.
6. The Top eight (8) points earners who meet the criteria listed above will be invited to the PEI Invitational Series Final, Premier’s Cup.
7. In the event of a tie, the entry will be selected by lot.
8. In the event that any of the top points earners do not declare into the final , the next highest point earner(s) will be invited.

9. The winning Owner, Trainer and Driver in the Premier's Cup will be presented awards by the Premier of Prince Edward Island.
10. Purse distribution:
 - a. 5 or more starters: 50 — 25 — 12 — 8 — 5%;
 - b. 4 starters: 50 — 25 — 15 — 10%;
 - c. 3 starters: 60 — 30 — 10%;
 - d. 2 starters: 65 — 35%;
 - e. 1 starter: 100%.
11. Red Shores reserves the right to make any changes to the conditions and schedule.
12. All owners, trainers and drivers must be in good standing with the MPHRC, Standardbred Canada and Red Shores.
13. All horses must meet the qualifying standards of Red Shores.
14. Should there be horses with common ownership, Red Shores reserves the right to uncouple horses for pari-mutuel purposes as per MPHRC Rule 206.
15. Red Shores accepts no responsibility or liability for any accident, loss or damage, which may occur on their property as a result of these, or any, races.

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