

## **BC THOROUGHBRED OWNERS & BREEDERS ASSOCIATION**

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## **September Stakes Races**

September has arrived, which traditionally brings Championship stakes races that decide the years' divisional honours. The \$150,000 B.C. Derby and \$100,000 BC Oaks are just around the corner on Sunday, September 14th, and the \$100,000 Jack and Sadie Diamond Futurities will be run the following Sunday, September 21st.

## C.T.H.S. Yearling and Mixed Sale

Also on the radar is the upcoming C.T.H.S. Yearling & Mixed Sale at Thunderbird Show Park in Langley. The Yearling Parade is on Monday, September 8th at 3 p.m. and the sale is on Tuesday, September 9<sup>th</sup> beginning at 2 p.m. As a thank you to every successful bidder, they will receive a gift bag that contains a bottle of wine, horse equipment, dinner for two at the Derby Bar & Grill, and one in every six bags will have a \$5,000 voucher to go against their purchases. As well, everyone in attendance will be able to enter the draw for a VIP trip for two to this year's Breeders' Cup at Santa Anita.

## **Racing Resumes Regular Schedule**

Racing resumes this weekend as we return to the Saturday-Sunday schedule for the remainder of the season. There are seven races on Saturday starting at 1:50 p.m. and eight on Sunday with a 1:50 p.m. first post as well.