

# HARNESSES

TASMANIAN HARNESSES RACING CALENDAR

OCT - DEC 20



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**13**  
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## 2021 TASMANIAN HARNESS YEARLING SALE

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From the  
CEO's  
DESK



In the last edition of the Tasmanian Harness Racing Calendar I spoke about how wonderful it was to see harness racing return after 10 weeks of Covid-19 closure in June. I also spoke about how I felt that the challenges our closure threw up for everyone in harness racing could be a great impetus for us to work even more closely together to grow the code.

I am extremely pleased that since then, I have witnessed and felt a wave of momentum within the code, among participants, clubs and within the Tasracing team. I believe that what I have observed is a result of all of us realising how strongly and genuinely we all want the same thing. What we all want is a code that is financially sustainable, that is growing, and that we can all be proud to hand on to the next generation.

Thank you to all of you for your efforts to put on the harness racing show. The early mornings, the blood sweat and tears, the care for your horses, and your cooperation with the Tasracing team as we strive to constantly improve the code with you.

Aspecial thank you to the representatives of the Harness Industry Forum (HIF) who have met with me and other members of the Tasracing team. Your representation of the code has been vital in achieving positive steps forward across critical matters such as stakes allocation, race scheduling, rules development, animal welfare and marketing.

Welcome to this edition of the Harness Calendar and I look forward to Tasracing continuing to collaborate with the harness code to grow a bright future for our industry.

*Paul Eriksson*  
Chief Executive Officer  
Tasracing



From left: Mike Castles, winning reinswoman Taylor Ford and BOTRA President Barrie Rattray, Photograph: Stacey Lear

**2020 FINAL POINTS TABLE:**

Taylor Ford	56
Troy McDonald	42
Samantha Gangell	40
Lachlan Dakin	39
Hannah Van Dongen	33
Andrew Freeman	30
Wade Rattray	27
Sam Clotworthy	22
Conor Crook	21
Georgia Hayward	19
Charlie Castles	18
Malcolm Jones	18

**PREVIOUS WINNERS OF THE SERIES:**

- 2020 - Taylor Ford
- 2019 - Matthew Cooper
- 2018 - Conor Crook
- 2017 - Brady Woods
- 2016 - Adrian Collins
- 2015 - Lyarna Graham and Tim Yole
- 2014 - Samantha Freeman and Tim Yole
- 2013 - Braden Howlett
- 2012 - Craig Hayes

**Brighton reinswoman Taylor Ford secures the 2020 BOTRA Claiming Novice Drivers Series.**

Story by Duncan Dornauf

The series was first held in 2012, with BOTRA sponsoring the series every year since its inception, and is restricted to Tasmanian licensed Claiming Novice Drivers.

Ford drove two of the four winners in the series and had an unbeatable lead going into the final heat.

Taylor secured maximum points in the Tourello Standardbreds BOTRA Series Heat One on the Micheal Laughler-trained Christian Jaz, who raced up to his excellent recent form which included a win on the Launceston track two starts before Friday's victory.

"On paper it looked like he was going to be hard to beat as he had been racing well, but those runs were from the second-row, so I was a little concerned drawing well," said driver Taylor Ford after the race.

"We ended up in a good spot without doing any work and got out at the right time," added the winning driver.

Ford then partnered up with the John Castles-trained Estelle who was another

in-form pacer who recorded her third win at her sixth race track appearance.

"She is a nice little filly, she wanted to switch off a bit when we started to race away from them, but to her credit, she dug deep late," explained Ford.

"It's always good to be in these series, and it is even better to win them, but if it weren't for the support of the trainer and owners putting the horses in these races then there wouldn't be a series," added the winning driver.

The remaining two heats were won by the race favourites, with Lachlan Dakin driving Lip Reader to victory in heat three, while Feel the Burn for driver Samantha Gangell won the fourth and final heat.

Tasracing and BOTRA would like to thank all the owners and trainers for supporting this years series.

## HARNES RACE DATES 2020-21

## NOVEMBER 2020

1	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
6	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
8	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
13	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
15	Sunday	Twilight	Devonport Harness Racing Club
20	Friday	Night	Burnie Harness Racing Club
22	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
27	Friday	Night	Devonport Harness Racing Club
28	Saturday	Day	King Island Racing Club
29	Sunday	Twilight	Carrick Park Pacing Club

## DECEMBER 2020

6	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
11	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
12	Saturday	Day	King Island Racing Club
13	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
18	Friday	Twilight	Burnie Harness Racing Club
19	Saturday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
26	Saturday	Day	King Island Racing Club
27	Sunday	Twilight	Carrick Park Pacing Club
29	Tuesday	Night	Devonport Harness Racing Club

## JANUARY 2021

2	Saturday	Day	King Island Racing Club
3	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
8	Friday	Twilight	NEPC at LPC
9	Saturday	Day	King Island Racing Club
10	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
15	Friday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
17	Sunday	Twilight	Devonport Harness Racing Club
23	Saturday	Day	King Island Racing Club
24	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
25	Monday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
29	Friday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
30	Saturday	Day	King Island Racing Club
31	Sunday	Twilight	Burnie Harness Racing Club

## FEBRUARY 2021

5	Friday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
13	Saturday	Twilight	Carrick Park Pacing Club
14	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
19	Friday	Night	Devonport Harness Racing Club
21	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
26	Friday	Night	Devonport Harness Racing Club
28	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club

## PLEASE NOTE:

These dates are combined Harness/Greyhound meetings

## MARCH 2021

5	Friday	Night	Burnie Harness Racing Club
7	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
13	Saturday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
19	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
21	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
26	Friday	Twilight	Devonport Harness Racing Club
28	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club

## APRIL 2021

2	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
3	Saturday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
9	Friday	Night	Devonport Harness Racing Club
11	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
16	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
18	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
23	Friday	Night	Devonport Harness Racing Club
25	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
30	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club

## MAY 2021

2	Sunday	Twilight	Devonport Harness Racing Club
7	Friday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
9	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
14	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
16	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
23	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
30	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club

## JUNE 2021

6	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
13	Sunday	Twilight	Devonport Harness Racing Club
18	Friday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
20	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
27	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club

## JULY 2021

2	Friday	Night	Tasmanian Trotting Club
4	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club
11	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
16	Friday	Night	Launceston Pacing Club
18	Sunday	Twilight	Tasmanian Trotting Club
25	Sunday	Twilight	Launceston Pacing Club

## HARNES TRIAL DATES 2020-21

as at 21 September 2020

## NOVEMBER 2020

Monday 2	Hobart	5.30 pm
Sunday 8	Launceston	Pre-races
Monday 9	Devonport	5.30 pm
Monday 16	Carrick	6.00 pm
Sunday 22	Hobart	Pre-races
Monday 23	Carrick	6.00 pm
Monday 30	Hobart	5.30pm

## DECEMBER 2020

Sunday 6	Hobart	Pre-races
Monday 7	Carrick	6.00 pm
Sunday 13	Launceston	Pre-races
Monday 14	Hobart	5.30 pm
Monday 21	Devonport	5.30 pm

## JANUARY 2021

Sunday 3	Hobart	Pre-races
Monday 4	Carrick	6.00 pm
Monday 11	Devonport	5.30 pm
Monday 18	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 23	Carrick	9.00 am
Sunday 24	Launceston	Pre-races

## FEBRUARY 2021

Monday 1	Hobart	5.30 pm
Friday 5	Launceston	Pre-races
Monday 8	Carrick	6.00 pm
Monday 15	Devonport	5.30 pm
Monday 22	Hobart	5.30 pm
Sunday 28	Hobart	Pre-races

## MARCH 2021

Monday 1	Carrick	6.00 pm
Monday 8	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 13	Hobart	Pre-races
Monday 15	Devonport	5.30 pm
Monday 22	Carrick	6.00 pm
Sunday 28	Launceston	Pre-races
Monday 29	Hobart	5.30 pm

## APRIL 2021

Monday 5	Devonport	5.30 pm
Sunday 11	Launceston	Pre-races
Monday 12	Hobart	5.30 pm
Monday 19	Carrick	6.00 pm
Sunday 25	Hobart	Pre-races
Monday 26	Hobart	5.30

## MAY 2021

Saturday 1	Carrick	9.00 am
Sunday 9	Hobart	Pre-races
Monday 10	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 15	Carrick	9.00 am
Monday 24	Devonport	5.30 pm
Monday 24	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 29	Carrick	9.00 am
Sunday 30	Launceston	Pre-races

## JUNE 2021

Monday 7	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 12	Carrick	9.00 am
Sunday 13	Devonport	Pre-races
Monday 21	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 26	Carrick	9.00 am
Sunday 27	Hobart	Pre-races

## JULY 2021

Monday 5	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 10	Carrick	9.00 am
Sunday 11	Hobart	Pre-races
Monday 19	Hobart	5.30 pm
Saturday 24	Carrick	9.00 am
Sunday 25	Launceston	Pre-races

**PLEASE NOTE:** The current format of trials will continued to be reviewed ongoing. For the latest information on the format of non-race day and pre-race day trials go to [tasracingcorporate.com.au](http://tasracingcorporate.com.au)

8	FEATURE RACE DATES 2020-21			9				
VENUE	DATE	STAKES	RACE NAME	CLASS	CONC	SS/MS	DRAW	DIST
Launceston	1-Nov-2020	\$12,000	Roberts Equine Supplies Globe Derby Heats. Final LPC 8/11	3YO Tasbred Colts and Geldings. All eligible noms guaranteed a start (foals born 2016)	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2200
Launceston	1-Nov-2020	\$12,000	6tyo Bandbox Heats. Final LPC 8/11	3YO Tasbred Fillies. All eligible noms guaranteed a start (foals born 2016)	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2200
Launceston	8-Nov-2020	\$50,000	Roberts Equine Supplies Globe Derby Final. Ex heats LPC 1/11	3YO Tasbred Colts and Geldings (foals born 2016)	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2200
Launceston	8-Nov-2020	\$50,000	6tyo Bandbox Final. Ex heats LPC 1/11	3YO Tasbred Fillies (foals born 2016)	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2200
Launceston	8-Nov-2020	\$12,000	Doug Martin Danbury Park Cup	Open Discretionary Handicap	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2698
Launceston	8-Nov-2020	\$12,000	Shirley Martin Mother of Pearl	Mares. Free For All	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2200
Launceston	8-Nov-2020	\$12,000	Maxfield Drilling Raider Stakes Heats. Final DHRC 15/11	4YO Tasbred Entires and Geldings. All eligible noms guaranteed a start	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2297
Launceston	8-Nov-2020	\$12,000	Collins Homes Granny Smith Heats. Final DHRC 15/11	4YO Tasbred Mares. All eligible noms guaranteed a start.	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2297
Devonport	15-Nov-2020	\$50,000	Collins Homes Granny Smith Final. Ex heats TTC 25/10 & LPC 1/11	4YO Tasbred Mares - Final	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2665
Devonport	15-Nov-2020	\$50,000	Maxfield Drilling Raider Stakes Final. Ex heats TTC 25/10 & LPC 1/11	4YO Tasbred Entires and Geldings - Final	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2665
Devonport	15-Nov-2020	\$12,000	NWTLHA Cup	Open Discretionary Handicap	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2645
Burnie	20-Nov-2020	\$8,100	Cables Plus Liza Storm	3YO & Older Maiden. Fillies drawn and selected first	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/SEX	2180
Hobart	6-Dec-2020	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heats 1, 2 & 3	Driver Heats	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	TBC
Launceston	13-Dec-2020	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heats 4, 5 & 6	Driver Heats	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	TBC
Launceston	13-Dec-2020	\$8,100	Tassie Golden Apple heats. Final LPC 18/12	Conditioned Handicap. NR 80-86 Ft, 87-93 10m, 94-104 20m, 105+ 30m - Seeded Division Allocation. (Field limit 12). See <a href="http://www.tasracingcorporate.com.au">www.tasracingcorporate.com.au</a> for conditions	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2200
Burnie	18-Dec-2020	\$8,100	North West Plate Heats. Final DHRC 26/12	NR 50 & Better	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2180
Launceston	19-Dec-2020	\$30,000	Tassie Golden Apple Final. Ex heats LPC 13/12	Conditioned Handicap. (Field limit 12)	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2200
Launceston	19-Dec-2020	\$15,000	Golden Slipper	2YO (MFS) (foals born 2017)	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	1680
Launceston	19-Dec-2020	\$12,000	Launceston Pacing Club Mares Feature	Mares. NMT 5 LTW's (excluding 2YO wins)	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/LTW	2200
Carrick	27-Dec-2020	\$12,000	Maxfield Drilling Meander Valley Cup	NR 65 & Better	MC, NDC	SS	RBD	2650
Carrick	27-Dec-2020	\$10,000	Cressy Transport Tasmanian Country Championship	3YO. NR <54	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2150
Devonport	29-Dec-2020	\$12,000	North West Plate Final. Ex heats BHRC 18/12	NR 50 & Better	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2286
King Island	1-Jan-2021	\$4,000	King Island Pacing Cup	Subject to population	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2438
Hobart	3-Jan-2021	\$25,000	Ladbrokes Hobart Pacing Cup	Open Free To All (MFS)	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2579
Launceston	8-Jan-2021	\$12,000	Good Sports NEPC Cup	NR 75 & Better	MC, NDC	SS	RBD	2698
Devonport	17-Jan-2021	\$12,000	Mares Incentive	4YO & Older Mares. NR 55-64	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2297
Devonport	17-Jan-2021	\$12,000	Coastal Pacing Thousand	NR 65-74	MC, DC	MS	PBD/NR	2297
Devonport	17-Jan-2021	\$8,600	Dash For Cash	NR 75-84. AE ballots from Devonport Cup	MC, DC	MS	PBD/NR	1930
Devonport	17-Jan-2021	\$30,000	Devonport Cup	Open Discretionary Handicap (MFS)	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	3020
Launceston	24-Jan-2021	\$8,100	Harry Holgate Memorial Hts. Final LPC 29/1	4YO & Older. NMT 4 LTW's.	MC, DC	MS	PBD/LTW	2200
Hobart	25-Jan-2021	\$12,000	New Norfolk Cup	NR 70 & Better	MC, DC	SS	RBD	3060
Hobart	25-Jan-2021	\$12,000	E C Plunkett Memorial	NR 60-69	MC, DC	MS	RBD	2090
Hobart	25-Jan-2021	\$12,000	Toreace Flying Mile	Open Free for All	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/\$L	1609
Hobart	25-Jan-2021	\$12,000	Art Meeker Memorial Matron Stakes	Mares. NR 55 & Better. Discretionary Handicap	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2579
Launceston	29-Jan-2021	\$12,000	Harry Holgate Memorial Final. Ex heats LPC 24/1	4YO & Older. NMT 4 LTW's.	MC, DC	MS	RBD	2200
Burnie	31-Jan-2021	\$8,100	Somerset Hotel Thorate Incentive	3YO & Older NMT 2 LTW's. 0W Ft, 1W 10m, 2W 20m. 3YO pacers selected first.	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2180
Burnie	31-Jan-2021	\$12,000	Radio 7BU Burnie Cup	NR 70 & Better	MC, NDC	SS	RBD	2789
Launceston	5-Feb-2021	\$12,000	Launceston Discretionary	Open Discretionary Handicap	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2200
Carrick	13-Feb-2021	\$12,000	Vandenberg Transport Carrick Cup	NR 75 & Better	MC, NDC	SS	RBD	2650

10	FEATURE RACE DATES 2020-21				11			
VENUE	DATE	STAKES	RACE NAME	CLASS	CONC	SS/MS	DRAW	DIST
Hobart	21-Feb-2021	\$12,000	Elite	Open Free for All	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	1609
Hobart	21-Feb-2021	\$8,100	Allen Williams Memorial - Heat 1	3YO & Older Maiden	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2090
Hobart	28-Feb-2021	\$12,000	Ladbrokes Tasmania Pacing Cup Heat. Final TTC 13/3	Conditioned Handicap. NR 80-86 Ft, 87-93 10m, 94-104 20m, 105+ 30m	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2579
Hobart	28-Feb-2021	\$8,100	Eric Reece Memorial Heats. Final TTC 13/3	4YO & Older. NR 30-50 with < 3 LTW.	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/LTW	2090
Burnie	5-Mar-2021	\$8,100	Allen Williams Memorial - Heat 2	3YO & Older Maiden	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2180
Burnie	5-Mar-2021	\$8,100	Sweepstakes	4YO & Older. NMT 2 LTW's. Lowest points selected first	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2180
Hobart	7-Mar-2021	\$12,000	Tasmanian Equine Veterinary Services Three Year Old Fillies Championship	3YO Fillies	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2090
Hobart	7-Mar-2021	\$12,000	Tasmanian Horse Transport Tasmanian Guineas	3YO Colts & Geldings	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2090
Hobart	7-Mar-2021	\$12,000	Ladbrokes Tasmania Pacing Cup Heat. Final TTC 13/3	Conditioned Handicap. NR 80-86 Ft, 87-93 10m, 94-104 20m, 105+ 30m	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2579
Hobart	13-Mar-2021	\$30,000	Tasmanian Equine Veterinary ServicesTasmanian Oaks	3YO Fillies (MFS)	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2579
Hobart	13-Mar-2021	\$30,000	Tasmanian Horse Transport Tasmanian Derby	3YO (MFS)	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2579
Hobart	13-Mar-2021	\$75,000	LadbrokesTasmania Pacing Cup Final. Ex heats TTC 28/2 & 7/3	Conditioned Handicap. NR 80-86 Ft, 87-93 10m, 94-104 20m, 105+ 30m	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2579
Hobart	13-Mar-2021	\$20,000	George Johnson	Mares. Free For All	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/\$L	2579
Hobart	13-Mar-2021	\$12,000	Tasmanian Labor Eric Reece Memorial Final. Ex heats TTC 7/3	4YO & Older.	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/LTW	2090
Hobart	13-Mar-2021	\$12,000	Henry Pullen Memorial Free For All	Open Free For All. (horses which contested Tasmania Cup heats but failed to qualify for final given first preference)	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2090
Launceston	21-Mar-2021	\$8,100	Allen Williams Memorial - Heat 3	3YO & Older Maiden	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2200
Launceston	21-Mar-2021	\$8,100	Australian Female Drivers Championships	TBD - Minimum 6 heats	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2200
Devonport	26-Mar-2021	\$8,100	Allen Williams Memorial - Heat 4	3YO & Older Maiden	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2297
Devonport	26-Mar-2021	\$8,100	NWTLHA Mares Feature	4YO & Older Mares. NR 50-69. Discretionary Hcp	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2180
Launceston	28-Mar-2021	\$12,000	Easter Cup Heats. Final LPC 3/4	NR 80 & Better Discretionary Handicap (MFS)	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2698
Launceston	3-Apr-2021	\$12,000	Allen Williams Memorial Final. Ex heats TTC 21/2, BHRC 5/3, LPC 21/3, DHRC 26/3	3YO & Older Maiden	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	2297
Launceston	3-Apr-2021	\$15,000	Keith Stanley Debutante	2YO	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	1680
Launceston	3-Apr-2021	\$12,000	Kevin Gillies Memorial	NR 70 & Better	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2698
Launceston	3-Apr-2021	\$75,000	Easter Cup Final. Ex heats LPC 28/3	Discretionary Handicap	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2698
Devonport	9-Apr-2021	\$12,000	Patrons Marathon	NR 70 & Better	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2645
Hobart	16-Apr-2021	\$8,100	LHT Cup Heats. Final TTC 25/4	NR 60 & Better	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2579
Hobart	25-Apr-2021	\$12,000	Sires Produce	3YO. NMT 2 LTW's	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2090
Hobart	25-Apr-2021	\$12,000	Col Saunders Memorial Brighton Cup	Cond Hcp. NR 80-84 Ft, 85-94 10m, 95-104 20m, 105 & Better 30m	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2579
Hobart	25-Apr-2021	\$12,000	LHT Cup Final. Ex heats TTC 16/4	NR 60 & Better	MC, DC	SS	RBD	2579
Devonport	2-May-2021	\$12,000	Devonport Belmont	2YO Fillies Maiden	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	1930
Devonport	2-May-2021	\$12,000	Sheffield Cup	NR 65 & Better	MC, NDC	SS	RBD	2645
Devonport	2-May-2021	\$12,000	Devonport City of Quality	Open Free for All	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	1930
Devonport	11-May-2021	\$12,000	Latrobe Cup	4YO & Older Entirees and Geldings. NR 55-64	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2297
Devonport	11-May-2021	\$12,000	Leigh Plunkett	4YO & Older Mares. NR 55-69	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	2297
Launceston	16-May-2021	\$12,000	Launceston Mile	Open Free for All	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/NR	1680
Launceston	30-May-2021	\$12,000	Golden Mile	Open Free for All	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/\$L	1680
Devonport	13-Jun-2021	\$12,000	Max McCormack	3YO & Older. LT\$<\$10,000	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/LT\$	2297
Devonport	13-Jun-2021	\$12,000	Ulverstone Cup	NR 75 & Better. Discretionary Handicap	NMC, NDC	SS	RBD	2645
Launceston	4-Jul-2021	\$12,000	Launceston Belmont	2YO Fillies Maiden	NMC, NDC	MS	RBD	1680
Launceston	4-Jul-2021	\$12,000	4YO / 5YO Classic	4YO & 5YO	NMC, NDC	MS	PBD/\$L	2200

## FEATURE RACE CONDITIONS



**HEATS**  
SUNDAY 13 DECEMBER 2020

**FINAL**  
SATURDAY 19 DECEMBER 2020



LAUNCESTON PACING CLUB

### TASSIE GOLDEN APPLE HEATS – RACE CONDITIONS

A standing start event to be conducted in two heats and a final at Launceston over 2200 metres.

The series will be a conditioned handicap with a Random Barrier Draw as follows:

NR 80-86 – Front

NR 87-93 – 10 metres

NR 94-104 – 20 Metres

NR 105 or more – 30 metres

No mare or driver concessions apply to this series.

A field limit of 12 horses applies to both the heats and the final.

In the event of more than 24 nominations for the heats, the selection of the fields will be done on the highest national Rating to the lowest National Rating. In the case of horses with equal National Ratings the horses will be selected on Field Selection Points from highest to lowest and if still equal a random ballot between those horses shall then be conducted.

The allocation of horses to each heat shall be manual allocation based on the National Rating of each horse selected to participate as follows:

The horse with the highest National Rating shall be allocated to heat 1, the horse with the second highest National Rating shall be allocated to heat 2, the horse with the third highest National Rating will be allocated to heat 1, the horse with the fourth highest National Rating shall be allocated to heat 2 etc.

In the case of horses with equal National Ratings the horses will be allocated on Field Selection Points from highest to lowest and if still equal a random ballot between those horses shall then be conducted.

The first six horses finishing in each heat shall be deemed qualified for the Final with the seventh placed horse in the fastest heat being named as the emergency. Horses qualifying for the Final shall start from the same handicap as the heat.

## FEATURE RACE CONDITIONS

### CONDITIONS – BLOCK NOMINATIONS – 11TH OCTOBER

The 50 to 79 national ratings nominations will be divided into between 3 - 5 races (dependent on the Sires Stakes Heats). All races will be PBD/LT\$.

The races will be formed as follows:

- The number of heats will be determined
- All horses that do not have an unfulfilled engagement will be selected first
- Horses with unfulfilled engagements will then be included to the maximum number required for the heats
- Horses will then be selected in rating order to determine each field (12+1)
- The emergency in each heat will be determined by the following:
  - Heats with horses that have unfulfilled engagements, horse that has an unfulfilled engagement with the lowest FSP will be the emergency
  - Heats with horses that have no unfulfilled engagements, emergency will be horse with lowest FSP

NB: Emergencies will not be included as a starter in any race.

To determine fields when a horse is on the same National Rating

For selection in the field – the horse/s with the highest field selection points will be first selected and if still equal, then the horse with the Highest Lifetime Wins and then by a random draw.

To determine the Emergency when multiple horses are on the same FSP

For selection as the emergency, if horses are on the same FSP the horse with the lowest Lifetime Wins and if still equal then by random draw.

If there are less than the required number of nominations received (including emergencies) to field the number of specified races then those horses shall be starters and nominations will be extended with the remaining starters being selected from the extended nominations received from the highest rating down. The horses selected as starters will then be divided into the specified number of races from the highest rating down. The emergency named for each race will be a horse from the extended nominations with the highest rating (as defined above for selection as a starter) within the ratings of the race formed. If there is not a horse with a rating within the ratings of the race then the horse with the next highest rating below the front of the race will be named the emergency and the front of the race will be amended, but the field already formed will not be changed (apart from the inclusion of the emergency).

### CARRICK TRAINERS ENCOURAGEMENT SERIES

A series to be conducted in two heats and a Final at the Carrick Park Pacing Club.

The series is restricted to horses which have been in the stable prior to 1 September 2020 of a trainer who trained ten or less winners in the 2019/20 season and which has lifetime earnings of \$25,000 or less.

The series shall be a mobile barrier start over 2150 metres with a Preferential Draw for both the heats and the final on National Ratings at the time the fields for the heats are determined.

The selection of the fields shall be done in accordance with the Race Field Selection of the Harness Handicapping Policy.

Mare or Driver concessions may be claimed in the heats and if claimed must be used in the Final. A concession cannot be claimed in the final unless it was claimed in the heats.

Two heats will be conducted with the first five horses finishing in each heat qualifying for the final with the sixth placed horse in the fastest heat being named as emergency.



## LAUNCESTON - SUNDAY 1 NOVEMBER 2020 (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

CODE	RATING	CONDITIONS
LNC01112001	3YO	Tasbred Colts & Geldings. All eligible noms guaranteed a start. Final LPC 8/11. NMC, NDC
LNC01112002	3YO	Tasbred Fillies. All eligible noms guaranteed a start. Final LPC 8/11. NMC, NDC
LNC01112003	2YO	For horses with NMT 1 LTW. NMC, NDC. Fillies drawn and selected first
LNC01112004	45-55	NMC, NDC.
LNC01112005	56-63	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC01112006	64-79	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC01112007	Open	Free For All. NMC, NDC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 27th October

## HOBART - FRIDAY 6 NOVEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 2 MEETING)

EHC06112001	30-47	For horses 4YO & Older who have not won a race this season. NMC, NDC. Lowest points selected first.
EHC06112002	30-47	Fillies & Mares. NMC, NDC.
EHC06112003	30-47	Colts & Geldings. NMC, NDC.
EHC06112004	48-53	NMC, NDC.
EHC06112005	54-57	MC, DC, 3C.
EHC06112006	58-63	MC, DC, 3C. Tasbred selected first.
EHC06112007	4YO & Older	For horses with NMT 4 LTW's. NMC, NDC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Wednesday 4th November

## LAUNCESTON - SUNDAY 8 NOVEMBER 2020 (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

LNM08112001	3YO	Tasbred Colts & Geldings. Ex heats 1/11. NMC, NDC.
LNM08112002	3YO	Tasbred Fillies. Ex heats 1/11. NMC, NDC.
LNC08112003	4YO	Tasbred Mares. All eligible noms guaranteed a start. Final DHRC 15/11. NMC, NDC.
LNC08112004	4YO	Tasbred Entirets & Geldings. All eligible noms guaranteed a start. Final DHRC 15/11. NMC, NDC.
LNC08112005	50-54	NMC, NDC.
LNC08112006	55-59	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC08112007	60-64	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC08112008	65-74	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC08112009	Mares	Open Free For All. NMC, NDC.
LNC08112010	Open	Discretionary Handicap. NMC, NDC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 3rd November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 27th October

PREMIER MEETING

START	DISTANCE	DRAW	STAKES	RACE TITLE
MS	2200	RBD	\$12,000	Roberts Equine Supplies Globe Derby Heats x 2 (Foals born 2016)
MS	2200	RBD	\$12,000	6tyo Bandbox Heats x 2 (Foals born 2016)
MS	1680	PBD/SEX/TS\$	\$10,000	
MS	2200	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/LT\$	\$8,100	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 29th October

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Wednesday 4th November

MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	1609	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	1609	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/\$L6	\$5,500	

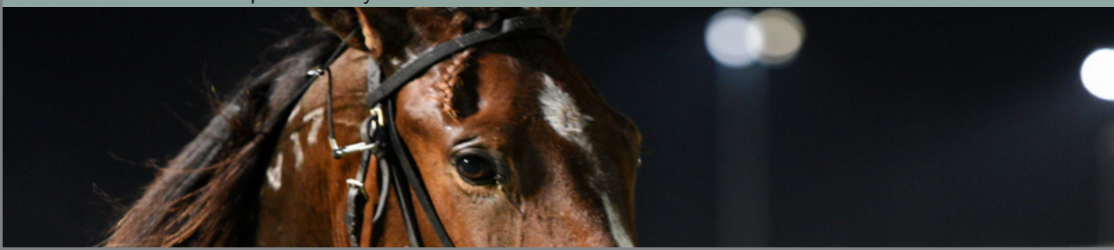
Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 5th November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 3rd November

PREMIER MEETING

MS	2200	RBD	\$50,000	Roberts Equine Supplies Globe Derby Final
MS	2200	RBD	\$50,000	6tyo Bandbox Final
MS	2200	RBD	\$12,000	Collins Homes Granny Smith Heat (Foals born 2015)
MS	2200	RBD	\$12,000	Maxfield Drilling Raider Stakes Heat (Foals born 2015)
MS	2200	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$12,000	Shirley Martin Morthor of Pearl
SS	2698	RBD	\$12,000	Doug Martin Danbury Park Cup

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 5th November



\$50,000 GLOBE DERBY FINAL

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## HOBART - FRIDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 2 MEETING)

CODE	RATING	CONDITIONS
EHC13112001	3YO & Older	For horses with NMT 2 LTW. NMC, NDC.
EHC13112002	30-49	NMC, NDC.
EHC13112003	50-56	NMC, NDC.
EHC13112004	55-64	For horses which have been in the stable prior to 1 August 2020 of a trainer who trained 10 or less winners this season. MC, DC.
EHC13112005	57-64	MC, DC, 3C.
EHC13112006	65-79	MC, DC, 3C.
EHC13112007	Open Trot	Free For All. NMC, NDC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Wednesday 11th November

## DEVONPORT - SUNDAY 15 NOVEMBER 2020 (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

DVM15112001	4YO	Tasbred Entires & Geldings. NMC, NDC
DVM15112002	4YO	Tasbred Mares. NMC, NDC.
DVC15112003	2YO	Maiden. NMC, NDC.
DVC15112004	45-53	NMT 6 LTW's. NMC, NDC.
DVC15112005	54-59	MC, DC, 3C.
DVC15112006	60-69	MC, DC, 3C.
DVC15112007	70-79	MC, DC, 3C.
DVC15112008	Open	Discretionary Handicap. NMC, NDC.
DVC15112009	Claimer	Claiming Price up to \$12,000. NMC, NDC.
DVC15112010	50-53	NMC, NDC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 10th November

## BURNIE - FRIDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 2 MEETING)

BEC20112001	Maiden	3YO & Older. Fillies drawn and selected first. NMC, NDC.
BEC20112002	30-49	NMC, NDC.
BEC20112003	50-53	NMC, NDC.
BEC20112004	50 & Better	Entires & Geldings. NMC, NDC, 3C.
BEC20112005	50 & Better	Fillies & Mares. NMC, NDC, 3C.
BEC20112006	55 & Better	MC, DC, 3C.
BEC20112007	60 & Better	MC, DC, 3C.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Wednesday 18th November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Wednesday 11th November

START	DISTANCE	DRAW	STAKES	RACE TITLE
MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/LT\$	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	Trainers Encouragement Pace
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2090	PBD/TS\$	\$6,800	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 12th November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 10th November PREMIER MEETING

MS	2665	RBD	\$50,000	Maxfield Drilling Raider Stakes Final
MS	2665	RBD	\$50,000	Collins Homes Granny Smith Final
MS	2297	RBD	\$10,000	
MS	2297	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
SS	2645	RBF	\$12,000	NWTLHA Cup
MS	2297	PBD/CLAIM	\$6,800	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$8,100	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 12th November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Wednesday 18th November

MS	2180	PBD/SEX	\$8,100	Cables Plus Liza Storm
MS	2180	PBD/LT\$	\$5,500	
MS	2180	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
SS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	
SS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	
SS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	
SS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 19th November



\$50,000 MAXFIELD DRILLING RAIDER STAKES FINAL

\$50,000 COLLINS HOMES GRANNY SMITH FINAL

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## HOBART - SUNDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2020 (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

CODE	RATING	CONDITIONS
EHC22112001	2YO	For horses with LTE less than \$20,000. NMC, NDC.
EHC22112002	50-54	NMC, NDC. 3YO's selected and drawn first.
EHC22112003	55-59	MC, DC, 3C. Tasbred selected first.
EHC22112004	60-64	MC, DC, 3C.
EHC22112005	65-69	Fillies & Mares. NMC, DC, 3C.
EHC22112006	65-74	MC, NDC, 3C.
EHC22112007	Open	Free For All. NMC, NDC.
EHC22112008	Open Trot	Cond Handicap. Up to NR60 Ft, 61-69 10m, 70-79 20m, 80+ 30m. NMC, NDC.
EHC22112009	Open	NMT 6 LTW's. NMC, NDC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 17th November

## DEVONPORT - FRIDAY 27 NOVEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 2 MEETING)

DVC27112001	Maiden	3YO & Older, NMC, NDC
DVC27112002	4YO & Older	For horses with NMT 2 LTW's, NMC, NDC
DVC27112003	30 - 49	NMC, NDC.
DVC27112004	50 - 54	NMC, NDC
DVC27112005	55 - 64	MC, DC, 3C.
DVC27112006	65 - 79	MC. DC for barrier draw purposes only, 3C.
DVC27112007	Open	Discretionary, NMC, NDC

Race Fields Available: 5pm Wednesday 25th November

## CARRICK - SUNDAY 29 NOVEMBER 2020 (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

CKC29112001	Open	For horses which have LTE of \$25,000 or less and that have been in the stable prior to 1 September 2020 of a trainer who has trained 10 or less winners this season. MC, DC
CKC29112002	2YO	Maiden. NMC, NDC. Fillies drawn & selected first.
CKC29112003	51-55	MC, DC. 3C.
CKC29112004	50-59	MC, DC. 3C.
CKC29112005	56-59	MC, DC. 3C.
CKC29112006	60-64	MC, DC. 3C.
CKC29112007	Claimer	Up to \$5,000 Claiming Price - Ft, 10m per \$1,000. MC, DC.
CKC29112008	65-70	MC, DC, 3C.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 24th November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 17th November

PREMIER MEETING

START	DISTANCE	DRAW	STAKES	RACE TITLE
MS	2090	PBD/TS\$	\$10,000	
MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2090	PBD/LT\$	\$8,100	
SS	2090	RBD	\$6,800	
MS	1609	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 19th November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Wednesday 25th November

MS	2297	RBD	\$5,500	
MS	2297	PBD/LTW	\$5,500	
MS	1930	PBD/LTW	\$5,500	
MS	1930	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
SS	2645	RBD	\$5,500	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 26th November

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 24th November

PREMIER MEETING

MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Trainers Encouragement Heats x 2
MS	2150	RBD	\$10,000	
MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2150	PBD/LT\$	\$8,100	
MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2150	PBD/LT\$	\$8,100	
SS	2150	RBD	\$6,800	
MS	2150	PBD/\$L6	\$8,100	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 26th November



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<b>HOBART - SUNDAY 6 DECEMBER 2020 (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)</b>			<b>Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 1st December</b>				<b>PREMIER MEETING</b>
CODE	RATING	CONDITIONS	START	DISTANCE	DRAW	STAKES	RACE TITLE
EHC06122001	2YO	For horses with NMT 1 LTW. NMC, NDC.	MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$10,000	
EHC06122002	30-49	NMC, NDC.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
EHC06122003	50-53	Penalty Exempt Race - Fields restricted to 10 starters. NMC, NDC.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heat One
EHC06122004	54-57	Penalty Exempt Race - Fields restricted to 10 starters. MC, NDC, 3C.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heat Two
EHC06122005	58-63	Penalty Exempt Race - Fields restricted to 10 starters. MC, NDC, 3C.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heat Three
EHC06122006	64-69	MC, DC, 3C. Tasbred selected first.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
EHC06122007	70-79	MC, NDC, 3C.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
EHC06122008	Open	Free For All. NMC, NDC.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
EHC06122009	Open Trot	Free For All. NMC, NDC.	MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$6,800	
Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 1st December			Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 3rd December				
<b>HOBART - FRIDAY 11 DECEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 2 MEETING)</b>			<b>Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Wednesday 9th December</b>				
EHC11122001	2YO	NMT 1 TSW. NMC, NDC.	MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
EHC11122002	3YO & Older	For horse with NMT 2 LTW. NMC, NDC.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
EHC11122003	30-49	NMC, NDC	MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$5,500	
EHC11122004	50-53	NMC, NDC	MS	2090	PBD/LTW	\$5,500	
EHC11122005	54-59	MC, DC, 3C.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
EHC11122006	60-69	MC, DC, 3C.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
EHC11122007	70-79	MC, NDC, 3C.	MS	2090	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
Race Fields Available: 5pm Wednesday 9th December			Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 10th December				
<b>LAUNCESTON - SUNDAY 13 DECEMBER (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)</b>			<b>Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 8th December</b>				<b>PREMIER MEETING</b>
LNC13122001	3YO	Maiden. A/E 4YO & Older Maidens. NMC, NDC. 3YO's drawn first.	MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$10,000	
LNC13122002	45-53	Penalty Exempt Race - Fields restricted to 10 starters. NMC, NDC.	MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heat Four
LNC13122003	54-59	Penalty Exempt Race - Fields restricted to 10 starters. MC, NDC, 3C.	MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heat Five
LNC13122004	60-64	Penalty Exempt Race - Fields restricted to 10 starters. MC, NDC, 3C.	MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Youngbloods Heat Six
LNC13122005	50-59	For horses which have been in the stable prior to 1 September 2020 of a trainer who trained 10 or less winners this season. MC, DC.	MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Trainer Encouragement Pace
LNC13122006	65-74	MC, DC, 3C.	MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
LNC13122007	Open	Heats. Final LPC 18/12. Conditioned Handicap. NR80-86 Ft, 87-93 10m, 94-104 20m, 105+ 30m. Seeded Division Allocation. Field Limit 12. See www.tasracingcorporate.com.au for conditions. NMC, NDC.	SS	2200	RBD	\$8,100	Tassie Golden Apple Heats x 2
LNC13122008	Claimer	Claiming Price up to \$12,000. NMC, NDC.	MS	2200	PBD/CLAIM	\$6,800	
Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 8th December			Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 10th December				
<b>BURNIE - FRIDAY 18 DECEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 2 MEETING)</b>			<b>Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Wednesday 16th December</b>				
BEC18122001	Maiden	3YO & Older, NMC, NDC	MS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	
BEC18122002	30-49	NMC, NDC.	MS	2180	PBD/LTW	\$5,500	
BEC18122003	50 & Better	Heats. Final DHRC 28/12. MC, DC.	SS	2180	RBD	\$8,100	North West Plate Heats x 2
BEC18122004	55 & Better	MC, NDC, 3C.	SS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	
BEC18122005	60 & Better	MC, DC, 3C.	SS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	
BEC18122006	65 & Better	MC, DC, 3C.	SS	2180	RBD	\$5,500	
Race Fields Available: 5pm Wednesday 16th December			Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 17th December				

## LAUNCESTON - SATURDAY 19 DECEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

CODE	RATING	CONDITIONS
LNM19122001	2YO	Manual Field Selection. NMC, NDC. \$5k Yearling Sale Bonus.
LNC19122002	50-53	NMC, NDC
LNC19122003	54-57	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC19122004	58-63	MC, DC, 3C. Tasbred selected first.
LNC19122005	64-69	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC19122006	70-79	MC, DC, 3C.
LNC19122007	Open	Mares. NMT 5 LTW's (excluding 2YO wins). NMC, NDC.
LNC19122008	Open Trot	Conditioned Handicap. Upto NR60 Ft, 61-69 10m, 70-79 20m, 80+ 30m
LNM19122009	Open	Final. Conditioned Handicap ex Heats LPC 13/12. Field Limit 12. NMC, NDC.
LNC19122010	3YO+	For horses with LTE less than \$25,000. NMC, NDC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 15th December

## CARRICK - SUNDAY 27 DECEMBER 2020 (TWILIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

CKC27122001	3YO	NMT 2 TSW. NMC, NDC
CKC27122002	Open	Final. Ex Heats at CPPC 29/11/2020 - Trainer trophy of a sulky. MC, DC
CKC27122003	50-52	NMT 6 LTW. NMC, NDC
CKC27122004	45-52	NMC, NDC.
CKC27122005	53-56	MC, DC, 3C.
CKC27122006	57-62	MC, DC, 3C.
CKC27122007	63-69	MC, DC, 3C.
CKC27122008	65 & Better	MC, NDC.
CKC27122009	2YO	Maiden. NMC, NDC

Race Fields Available: 5pm Tuesday 22nd December

## DEVONPORT - TUESDAY 29 DECEMBER 2020 (NIGHT SKY 1 MEETING)

DVC28122001	30-49	NMC, NDC.
DVC28122002	50 & Better	Final. Ex heats BHRC 18/12. MC, DC.
DVC28122003	50-54	Colts & Geldings. NMC, NDC
DVC28122004	50-54	Fillies & Mares. NMC, NDC.
DVC28122005	55-64	MC, DC, 3C.
DVC28122006	65-80	LT\$ <\$100k. MC, DC, 3C.
DVC28122007	Claimer	Up to \$5,000 Claiming Price - Ft, 10m per \$1,000. MC, DC.

Race Fields Available: 5pm Wednesday 23rd December

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 15th December

PREMIER MEETING

START	DISTANCE	DRAW	STAKES	RACE TITLE
MS	1680	RBD	\$15,000	Golden Slipper
MS	2200	PBD/LT\$	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/LT\$	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2200	PBD/LTW	\$12,000	
SS	2200	RBD	\$6,800	
SS	2200	RBD	\$30,000	Tassie Golden Apple Final
MS	2200	PBD/LT\$	\$8,100	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 17th December

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Tuesday 22nd December

PREMIER MEETING

MS	2150	PBD/TSW	\$10,000	Cressy Transport Tasmanian Country Championship
MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$8,100	Carrick Trainers Encouragement Series Final
MS	2150	PBD/SEX	\$8,100	
MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	1670	PBD/LTW	\$8,100	
MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$8,100	
SS	2650	RBD	\$12,000	Maxfield Drilling Meander Valley Cup
MS	2150	PBD/NR	\$10,000	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 24th December

Nominations/Acceptances Close: 9:30am Wednesday 23rd December

MS	2297	PBD/LT\$	\$5,500	
SS	2286	RBD	\$12,000	North West Plate Final
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
MS	2297	PBD/NR	\$5,500	
SS	2090	RBD	\$6,800	

Drivers to be Notified by 9:30am Thursday 24th December



**HEATS**  
SUNDAY 13 DECEMBER 2020

**FINAL**  
SATURDAY 19 DECEMBER 2020



**PROGRAMME CONDITIONS**

**Races Divided by Points**

When races are divided by points (high and lower points divisions), the Unfulfilled Engagements and Extended Races policies do not apply if the total number of acceptors is equal to, or less than, the combined field limits.

**Claimers in Open Class Races**

In order to provide claimers with a continuity of opportunities to race, they will be permitted to race where “Also Eligible” conditions stipulate.

**Claimer eligibility will be determined by aligning the claiming price with the following ratings points:**

Claiming Price	Rating Points Transition	Claiming Price	Rating Points Transition
\$1000	50	\$6000	75
\$2000	55	\$7000	80
\$3000	60	\$8000	85
\$4000	65	\$9000+	90
\$5000	70		

Concessions will operate as per the Mares Concession and Novice Driver Concessions as approved from time to time.

Claimers nominating for races under the “Also Eligible” clause shall be deemed eligible for the race if they meet the also eligible criteria and shall not be deemed to be nominating in advance of their rating. Claimers with a transition rating less than the front of the race shall be deemed to be a rating of the front of the race.

If ballots are necessary, those horses eligible for the race by way of their claiming price shall be first eliminated.

In races where the draw is (or is in part) a PBD/NR, horses eligible by way of their claiming price shall be drawn at the end of each rating. For example, horses with a claiming price up to \$5000 will be eligible for a 65 to 70 rating race if the conditions permit and horses with a claiming price up to \$4000 will be drawn after the 65 rating horses, but before the 66 rating horses and the horses with a claiming price of \$5000 will be drawn after the 70 rating horses.

**Waiver**

Race meeting details in this publication are published on behalf of Tasracing and the Office of Racing Integrity and reserve the right from time to time to alter the date of running, to make any alteration or modification to these races, to alter the sequence of races, to cancel the meeting or any portion thereof, and to alter the time for taking entries, declaration of handicaps or acceptances, and also the right to reject, at any time, any entry submitted to or for them.

All races programmed will be run according to the Tasmanian Rules of Racing and under the Australian Handicapping Rules and the Handicapping Policies adopted by the Office of Racing Integrity unless specified in the conditions of the race.

Race programming details advertised in the Harness Calendar are correct at the time of publishing. Please refer to Harness.org for updated programmes.

**PROGRAMME ABBREVIATIONS**

Barrier Draw conditions may be combined – e.g. PBD/NR/SEX means a preferential barrier draw on rating points then a preferential barrier draw on sex (fillies and mares drawn first)

DC	Driver Concessions apply
MC	Mares Concessions apply
NDC	No Driver Concessions apply
NMC	No Mares Concessions apply
RBD	Random Barrier Draw
PBD/\$L6	Preferential Barrier Draw Drawn on Stake money won last 6 starts
PBD/CLAIM	Preferential Barrier Draw Drawn on Claiming Price
PBD/FSP	Preferential Barrier Draw Drawn on Field Selection Points (Lowest points drawn first)
PBD/LT\$	Preferential Barrier Draw Drawn on Stake money won in career
PBD/NR	Preferential Barrier Draw Drawn on National Rating Points
PBD/Sex	Preferential Barrier Draw on Sex (Fillies & mares drawn first)
PBD/TS\$	Preferential Barrier Draw Drawn on Stake money won this season
LS\$	Stake money won last season
TSW	Preferential Barrier Draw on number of wins this season
LTW	Preferential Barrier Draw Drawn on number of lifetime wins
TASBRED	Tasbred horses drawn first
3C	3YO Concession applies*

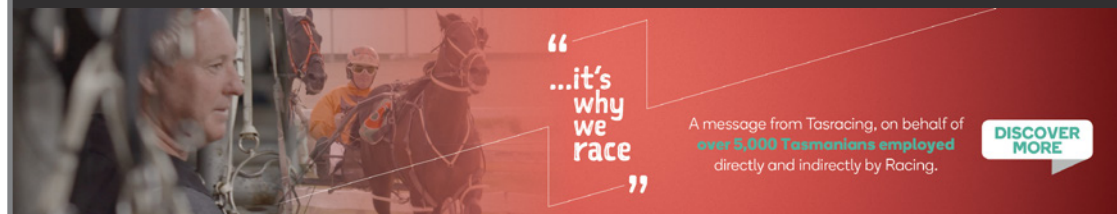
\*3YO Concession - Refers to Clause 5.3 from the Australian Handicapping Rules.

**AUSTRALIAN HANDICAPPING RULES 5.3**

A 3YO with a Rating greater than 50 that is nominated for an Open Age Race may at the discretion of the State Controlling Body claim a concession of up to 5 Ratings Points excepting that:

- (a) the minimum Rating of the subject 3YO cannot be less than NR50. Example: A 3YO with a Rating of 53 would thus have a Rating of 50 for an Open Age Race.

3YO concession can be used in conjunction with a driver or mares concession.



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## HOW TO NOMINATE FOR TRIALS

- Nominations to be lodged with the office of racing integrity either by fax nomination on 6336 2484 or by HarnessWeb.
- Telephone nominations will only be accepted if the horse is stood down from the weekends meeting immediately prior to the trial date.
- It is preferable a driver be named on the nomination but it is not essential.
- A horse's Assessment Certificate (not a copy) must be presented to stewards to qualify or undergo any required inspection.

To determine the trial-code, just follow the example step-by-step instructions below:

Step by step instructions to compile a trial-code	Example
Write down the three letter club code	EHQ, LNQ or DVQ, CKQ, BEQ
Add the six figure date of trial meeting (ddmmyy)	EHQddmmyy
Add the two digit code from the list below	EHQddmmyy01
The end result is a complete trial-code for the trial of your choice	EHQddmmyy01

Purpose	Mobile Start
To Trial	01 [Mob trial Hob] - Education Trial
To Qualify (including ODM/ODS and Stewards trials)	02 [Mob Qualifying trial Hob]

Purpose	Standing Start
To Qualify (including ODM/ODS and Stewards trials)	03 [Stand Qualifying trial Hob]

## ATTENTION ALL TRAINERS:

Please note if you have nominated for a trial and wish to withdraw you must notify your Controlling Association contact person as soon as possible, but no later than 1 hour before the first trial or further action may be taken.

**HOBART:** Mr Phillip Young **0419 320 443**

**DEVONPORT:** Mrs Claire MacDonald **0408 333 971**

**CARRICK:** Office of Racing Integrity **03 6777 1900**

## RACE DAY TRIAL CONDITIONS

**Harness Race Day trials** will be held under the following conditions:

- A maximum of 3 Qualifying Trials
- First trial to commence 1 hour prior to Race 1
- Nominations will close Thursdays, 12 noon. No extensions will be applicable.
- A maximum of 6 starters per trial.
- Trials will be scheduled 15 minutes apart
- Any horse may nominate for these trials however the following order of choice will be applied:
  - ◊ Qualifying horses
  - ◊ Horses ODM, ODS or horses that are required to trial to get back in the draw
  - ◊ Horses that have not competed in a race for the longest period of time
  - ◊ Horses that have recently raced
- Number of trials and runners will be dependent on number of races / starters at the meeting.
- Notification of any changes to the above will be sent via text prior to trial nominations closing.
- A minimum of 3 acceptors are required for a trial to proceed.
- One Education trial will be programmed to commence 20 minutes prior to the 1st trial.
- The Education trial is only available for unqualified horses requiring barrier education.
- The trial fee will be \$15. Tasracing will invoice trainers directly.
- Scratching's received on trial / race day will be charged the full trial fee.

## NON RACE DAY TRIAL CONDITIONS

**Harness Qualifying trials** will continue under the current format, to be reviewed on an ongoing basis:

- Nominations will close 12 noon Friday for Saturday / Monday trials. No extensions applicable
- Trials will be scheduled 15 minutes apart
- Any horse may nominate for these trials.
- Notification of any changes to trials will be sent via text.
- A minimum of 6 acceptors are required for a trial to proceed.
- Qualifying trials will only be held over the following distances:
  - ◊ Hobart – 1609m
  - ◊ Carrick – 1609m
  - ◊ Launceston – 1680m
  - ◊ Devonport – 1930m
- The trial fee will be \$20. Tasracing will invoice trainers directly.
- Scratching's received on trial day will be charged the full trial fee.
- Education trials will be held at the discretion of the club. Please contact the club directly to confirm. Education trials will incur a fee of \$10 per horse.

### \$5K HARNESS YEARLING SALE BONUS - CONDITIONS

Horses sold at the 2019 Harness Yearling Sale will be eligible to compete for a \$5k bonus on advertised 2YO races.

Any yearling passed in at the 2019 Harness Yearling Sale will be eligible for the bonus if a nomination fee of 10% of the reserve has been paid to Tasracing by COB on Friday 10th January 2020.

The \$5k bonus on the specified races will be paid to the winner if it was sold at the 2019 Harness Yearling Sale.

The bonus is payable to the winner only and a horse is only eligible to win one bonus.

If no horse eligible for the bonus competes in a specified race Tasracing may transfer that bonus to another advertised 2YO race.

### HARNESS INSURANCE PROGRAM - TASMANIA [NEW]

Tasracing works with Harness Racing Australia (HRA) and other State Controlling Bodies to put in place an annual insurance program that covers all affiliated clubs and licenced persons. The insurance cover applies when licence holders and other insured persons/entities are involved in activities that are sanctioned by HRA and Tasracing. These activities include official events, training, competition, committee meetings, fundraising activities, plus travel to and from these activities.

There are two overarching policies which cover Personal Accident Insurance and Public & Products Liability Insurance. Full details are available on the [tasracingcorporate.com.au](http://tasracingcorporate.com.au) website.

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*The original draft of the Harness Race Programming Guidelines was put out for industry feedback in July 2020. Submissions were received, considered and amendments made. Changes to the Harness Racing Season were also taken into account when redrafted.*

*These were tabled at the Industry meeting held 17th September and approved.*

*These guidelines will be effective from 1st January 2021.*

## METHOD

The method for achieving the revenue aim is:

- At least eight races will be programmed for the major meeting and seven races for the minor meeting when two race meetings are scheduled during a week.
- At least nine races will be programmed at a major race meeting featuring an open age feature race worth \$25,000 or more.
- At least nine races will be programmed when only one race meeting is scheduled for a week.
- Based on historic data on wagering and field sizes for two year olds (2YO's) and trotters, major race meetings will not feature both a 2YO race and a trot race. Furthermore, an additional race (refer above to a), b) and c)) may be programmed when a 2YO race or a trot race are scheduled at a major meeting.

The method for achieving attractive racing options for all classes and abilities of horses is:

- 2YO's.**  
 No 2YO races will be programmed in January and February.  
 At least three races each month will be programmed from March to June.  
 At least four races each month will be programmed from July to December.  
 A minimum of one maiden race each month will be programmed from April to December.  
 No SS races will be programmed.
- 3YO's.**  
 At least two maiden races will be programmed each month. These races may include 4YO and older maidens.  
 At least two 3YO age restricted races will be programmed every month.  
 No SS races will be programmed at Hobart, Launceston, Devonport and Carrick.  
 SS races may be programmed at St Marys, Scottsdale and Burnie.

### • Maiden Races

A maiden race is a race for horses that have not previously won a race.

Details of 2YO and 3YO maiden races are listed above.

4YO and older maidens are likely to be programmed to race with 3YO maidens (minimum of two races programmed each month).

No SS races will be programmed at Hobart, Launceston, Devonport and Carrick.

SS races may be programmed at St Marys, Scottsdale and Burnie.

### • 4YO and Older Restricted Wins

A minimum of two races will be programmed each month for 4YO and older horses with no more than two lifetime wins.

A minimum of one race will be programmed each month for 4YO and older horses with no more than four lifetime wins.

### • Fillies and Mares

A minimum of three races will be programmed each month for fillies and mares.

One of the three races will be for 3YO and older fillies and mares. Preference in field selection will be given to horses with the least number of LTW's and the barrier draw will be based on LTW's with 3YO's drawing first in each win category. These races will have LTW restrictions. An example is 3YO and older fillies and mares with NMT2LTW's.

### • Claimers

A minimum of two races per month will be programmed for Claimers with a mix of SS and MS start types.

The front for SS Claimers will be \$5,000.

The range for MS Claimers will be \$1,000 to \$12,000.

### • Open Class Races

Open class races will be scheduled around open class feature races.

Every major race meeting each week will include a minimum of one open class race.

A minimum of one SS and one MS open class race (includes feature races) will be programmed each month. At least one SS each month will be programmed as a discretionary handicap.

Excluding feature races, the barrier draw for MS races will be on NR or LTW's.

### • Trainers Encouragement Races

A minimum of two races per month will be scheduled.

### • Standing Starts

A minimum of two standing start races (includes feature races) will be programmed each month. The front for these races will be in the NR range of 50 - 65 (excludes feature races).

### • Mobile Start Racing Options at Major Meetings

At all major meetings, every endeavour will be made to achieve MS racing opportunities for all horses in the NR range of 50 - 79.

A maximum of 15 NR points will apply when framing races for horses in the NR range of 60 - 80. For example, a range could be 60 - 74 or 65 - 79.

A maximum of 10 NR points will apply framing races for horses in the NR range of 50 - 59.

### • Trotting Races

Two trotting races will be programmed each month.

At least 25% will be MS races.

SS races will be programmed as discretionary handicaps or conditioned handicaps.

### • Mare and Novice Driver Concessions

Mare and Novice Driver Concessions will not apply to any race with a front of NR54 or lower.

### • Claiming Novice Driver Races

A minimum of one race each month will be programmed for Claiming Novice Drivers.

### • Tasbreds Selected First

One race meeting each month will include some races where Tasbreds are selected first. Usual

barrier draw types will apply such as PBD/NR, RBD, PBD/LTW etc.

Tasracing assigns the highest priority to its responsibilities in relation to the safety of all racing participants.

Tasracing is committed to maintaining the highest possible standards in relation to the safety of the racing venues and equipment provided to racing participants.

All racing participants are kindly asked to always remember their personal responsibilities in relation to their own safety, those in their care, and to the general public who attend racing events. Racing participants must take reasonable care for their own health and safety, take reasonable care that their acts or omissions do not adversely affect the health and safety of other persons, and comply with any reasonable instruction of Tasracing as the Person Conducting the Business or Undertaking (PCBU).

**Safety notice to racing participants and the public**

All persons should be aware that entry to Tasracing venues is at the individual's own risk and is governed by Tasracing's Conditions of Entry, as well as the Tasmanian Thoroughbred Track Rules (at applicable venues). Tasracing accepts no responsibility for injury or loss to any person entering Tasracing venues. Any unlicensed person entering a Restricted Area such as the Day Stalls or Barriers, do so at their own risk. There are signs at all Tasmanian racing venues clearly identifying these Restricted Areas.

**Strictly no access for children within restricted areas**

Tasracing advises all racing participants and members of the public that under no circumstances are children allowed access to Restricted Areas at Tasracing venues. Clear signage at all racing venues identifies the location of Restricted Areas, and states that no children are permitted access. Under the Work Health and Safety Act 2012 (Tas), Tasracing as the PCBU has a duty to ensure, so far as is reasonably practicable, that the health and safety of persons is not put at risk from work carried out as part of the conduct of the business or undertaking at its venues. Restricting access for children within Restricted Areas assists with protecting their safety, and the safety of those using these areas. Clause 14 of Tasracing's Conditions of Entry also clearly states that no children are allowed in the mounting yards, horse stalls, stables and kennels at Tasracing venues under any circumstances.

**Contact us regarding health and safety concerns**

If you have any health and safety concerns that you would like to raise with Tasracing, please complete the Complaint/Feedback form and send it to Tasracing via email at [enquiries@tasracing.com.au](mailto:enquiries@tasracing.com.au) or to our mailing address: Tasracing Pty Ltd, PO Box 730, Glenorchy TAS 7010.



**COMPLAINT/FEEDBACK FORM:**

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**AUSTRALIAN HARNES RACING RULES**

Industry Notice - 01 September 2020



**RACING YEAR PERMANENTLY CHANGED TO 1 JANUARY**

Ironically, on the day Australian Standardbreds would ordinarily be turning a year older, Harness Racing Australia (HRA) today advise that the Racing Year (season), will be permanently changed to a calendar year from 1 January 2021.

Following consultation subsequent to HRA's decision to extend the current season to 31 December 2020 due to COVID-19, today's announcement was a recommendation emanating from the HRA Executive meeting of 28 August 2020 and subsequently approved by a two-thirds majority of HRA Members.

Changing the season permanently to a calendar year is intended to bring about a number of important commercial, marketing and welfare benefits across the industry.

Most noticeably from the outset will be some major changes to the Feature Race Calendar, with the traditionally condensed season-end juvenile features able to be staggered throughout the year, with the space for States and Clubs to build momentum for promotion, wagering, visiting horses and interest in the sport.

As all horses will now turn a year older on 1 January each year, the additional 4-months provided for due to the racing year change can also benefit the education, training and confidence of young horses preparing for their racing careers.

With the current two-year old January to August racing season being extended under the changes, pressure on young horses to maintain performance for end of season features can be alleviated. Programs can

now provide feature races throughout the year and more developed two-year olds in feature racing.

While this provides more opportunities for more horses to compete in feature juvenile races, this can also establish an important foundation for a stronger racing base to sustain a program of racing more often and for longer for the future.

From a commercial perspective, moving the traditional end of season juvenile features to spring and summer provides harness racing a great opportunity to showcase itself in the warmer weather, where it is expected that an increase in promotion and marketability will result in larger crowds and ultimately larger turnover nationally on harness racing.

HRA, along with the State Controlling Bodies will continue to collaborate on the calendar and feature races, updating the Feature Race Calendar on the [harness.org.au](http://harness.org.au) website regularly.

Importantly, this change only affects the racing year – as the breeding season will remain as it is, starting on 1 September each year. As that is today, all at HRA extend their best wishes to all breeders, studs, veterinarians and AI technicians for a successful breeding season ahead.

For further information, please contact Andrew Kelly, Chief Executive, on +61 3 9227 3000.

## AUSTRALIAN HARNESS RACING RULES

### Rules Amendments



#### DICTIONARY

Add definition:

“Breeding Season” means the period commencing 1 September in a calendar year and ending 31 August in the following calendar year.

#### 18. STUDS, SIRES and STUD BOOK

##### Sire summary sheet and related matters

- Amend Rule 275(6), (7)
- Renumber existing Rule 275(6), (7) to 275(8), (9)

275.(6)(a) Subject to paragraph (b), in a breeding season the total number of mares bred in accordance with Parts 18 and 19 of these Rules to a sire registered in Australia including free returns from a previous breeding season shall not exceed 150.

(b) In the breeding season commencing 1 September 2020 and ending 31 August 2021 the total number of mares bred to a stallion registered in Australia may exceed 150 to a maximum of 170 provided that:

- each additional foal is the progeny of a free return to that sire; and,
- the free return must be to the same mare and that sire; and,
- the studmaster has made written application to HRA to use the free return and the application has been approved.

(7) A horse that is foaled in contravention of sub-rule (6) shall not be eligible for registration.

(8) The Controlling Body may from time to time change the information required to be recorded under this rule, the way in which it is recorded and the manner, form and time in which information is to be supplied, materials or documents lodged or issued, or application made to the Controlling Body or other person.

(9) A person who fails to comply with any provision of this rule is guilty of an offence.

#### 19. ARTIFICIAL BREEDING

##### Transported Semen

- Add new Rule 285A(1)(a), (b)
- Add new Rule 285A(2)

285A.(1)(a) Semen from an Australian registered sire which has died or disappeared or been gelded shall, subject to sub-paragraph (b) only be used in the breeding season in which the sire has died or disappeared or been gelded or the next breeding season.

(b) If a broodmare has been inseminated by the sire which has died or disappeared or been gelded and that insemination did not produce a live foal then the progeny of a subsequent insemination of the same broodmare by the same sire shall be eligible for registration in the second breeding season following the death or disappearance or gelding of the sire.

(2) The provisions of sub-rule (1) do not apply to a registered standardbred which has prior to 1 September, 2020 died, disappeared or been gelded.

##### Summary of Amendments:

HRA approved 17 August 2020

**Dictionary:** Add definition: Breeding Season

**Rules Amended:** 275(6), (7)

**New Rules/Sub-Rules:** 285A(1)(a),(b), (2)

**Rules Repealed:** --

**Rules Renumbered:** 275(6) to 275(8), 275(7) to 275(9)

**New Headings/Amended Headings:** --

*Adopted by Tasracing 31 August 2020*

*Effective 1 September 2020 August 2020*

## AUSTRALIAN HARNESS RACING RULES

### Industry Notice - 21 August 2020



#### WHIP RULE UPDATE - AHRR 156A

HRA previously issued a notice on 19 June 2020 regarding Australian Harness Racing Rules (AHRR) 156A, which deals with the type of whip that could be used from 1 September 2020.

Following a meeting of the HRA Executive earlier today, an updated notice is now given that the proposed amendments of AHRR 156A will be parked until such time as HRA has had an opportunity to complete a study which is testing whips in order to set an industry Standard for approval, which will include length, width, materials, colours and the use of poppers or keepers on whip tips, and therefore providing the best welfare outcomes for Standardbreds.

Until such work is completed, the existing AHRR 156A will remain in place:

The approved whip is a flexible whip of black or dark tan colour with a core of fibreglass with a handle base and shaft and either a leather keeper to a maximum of 60 millimetres in length and 20 millimetres in width or a non rigid tip amounting to a maximum overall length of 1600 millimetres.

The review period regarding effectiveness and compliance of AHRR 156 following introduction on 1 September 2020 remains unchanged.

For further information, please contact Andrew Kelly on akelly@hra.com.au or 03 9227 3004.

## AUSTRALIAN HARNESS RACING RULES

### Rules Amendments



#### 9. DRIVERS

##### Whips

- Amend Rule 156(2)(a),(b)

(2) (a) A driver shall only apply the whip in a wrist only flicking motion whilst holding a rein in each hand with the tip of the whip pointed forward in an action which does not engage the shoulder.

(b) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (a), “wrist only flicking motion” means:-

- Ensuring no force is generated by the use of the elbow or shoulder when applying the whip.
- The forearm is not raised beyond forty-five degrees relative to the racing surface.
- Not applying the whip with overt force.

- Add new Rule 156(4)(d)

(4) For the purposes of sub-rule (3) a driver shall be deemed to have used the whip in an unapproved manner in the following circumstances which are not exclusive:-

(d) If the whip is used in a prodding or jabbing fashion.

- Amend Rule 156A

156A. The approved whip is a flexible whip of black or dark tan colour with a core of fibreglass with a handle base and shaft and a leather keeper to a maximum of 60 millimetres in length and 20 millimetres in width amounting to a maximum overall length of 1600 millimetres.

##### Summary of Amendments:

HRA approved 11 June 2020

**Rules Amended:** 156(2)(a),(b), 156A

**New Rules /Sub-Rules:** 156(4) (d)

**Rules Repealed** --

*Adopted by Tasracing 17 June 2020*

*Effective 1 September 2020*

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**Please Note:**  
**Race Day Scratching Deadline is 8am to avoid penalties.**

**NOVICE DRIVERS**

Licence Issued	Christian Name	Surname	Date Of Birth	Concession Expiry	Career Wins (Inc R)	Home Phone	Mobile Phone
8/11/2017	Charlie	Castles	7/10/2000	8/11/2024	12		0438 227 782
04/06/2020	Sam	Clotworthy	17/06/1966	8/11/2024	2		0434 837 104
3/10/2014	Matthew	Cooper	18/02/1970	3/10/2021	27	03 6254 1090	0487 144 652
28/10/2016	Conor	Crook	26/12/1995	28/10/2023	109	03 6341 2761	0400 277 661
02/03/2018	Lachlan	Dakin	18/11/1998	02/03/2025	13	03 6391 8359	0407 446 784
14/04/2014	Taylor	Ford	07/04/1998	14/04/2021	94		0459 745 207
21/12/2018	Andrew	Freeman	11/09/1998	21/12/2025	3		0457 455 693
2/10/2015	Samantha	Gangell	29/10/1998	2/10/2022	70	03 6268 1885	0498 485 810
01/09/2018	Georgie	Hayward	12/06/2002	01/09/2025	1	03 6352 3082	0498 182 802
22/11/2019	Malcolm	Jones	20/11/2003	22/11/2026	1		0499 871 866
4/2/2019	Gavin	Kelly	29/4/1979	4/2/2026	4		0402 507 886
10/12/2014	Troy	McDonald	13/09/1992	10/12/2021	128		0433 588 111
26/08/2020	Bronte	Miller	04/08/2004	26/08/2027	0	03 6382 2065	0477 969 702
5/05/2014	Wade	Ratray	3/03/1992	5/05/2021	32		0427 446 918
29/1/2014	Lee	Simmonds	25/7/1968	28/1/2021	1		0417 395 716
10/08/2016	Hannah	Vandongen	11/09/1995	10/08/2023	62	03 6344 2597	0439 891 390
14/7/2014	Clinton	Woods	1/11/1983	14/7/2021	0		0458 413 953
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## INDUSTRY WELLBEING SUPPORT PROGRAM

Tasracing has transitioned our Employee Assistance Program provider from Relationships Australia to Positive Solutions, a Tasmanian owned and operated psychology, counselling and mediation provider. The local team at Positive Solutions are ready to welcome Tasracing staff and racing industry participants.

Employees and their immediate family are encouraged to utilise the confidential and free service for up to three (3) counselling sessions per calendar year, or more as approved on a case by case basis. Racing industry participants can access the program for up to two (2) counselling sessions each calendar year. Tasracing has 24/7 access to the EAP, which provides greater flexibility and access to suit our industry's varying work hours.

Counselling offices are located in Hobart, Burnie, Devonport and Launceston.

**SESSIONS CAN BE HELD FACE TO FACE, VIA PHONE OR ONLINE TO SUIT YOUR INDIVIDUAL PREFERENCES.**

*Existing clients: If you are currently accessing support through Relationships Australia, your program will continue until its natural completion. It is important that you maintain continuity of care with the counsellor you have been working with.*



To make a booking or enquire further about the program please contact the Positive Solutions toll-free number: 1800 064 039 or email [admin@positivesolutions.com.au](mailto:admin@positivesolutions.com.au)