

First Race Starts: 12:00 noon

Race 1 NON-WINNERS 3YO & OLDER TROT 2600m
Of \$22000 (\$12100, \$3410, \$2090, \$1320, others \$385)

For 3yo-&-older trotters. To be eligible to contest this final a horse must have started in at least one heat, been balloted out or eliminated from a heat or been an acceptor for a heat that was abandoned. PLEASE NOTE: owing to four Graduation Heats of this series being run, the club in consultation with HRNZ have amended point three of the qualifying conditions for the Graduation Final, as follows: The first three placegetters in each heat will be guaranteed a start in the final, if nominated. Next preference will be given to fourth placegetters in heats. The balance of the field will be made up of starters in the heats, at the club's discretion. See Special Condition 8 for more information.

Race 2, 3 3YO & OLDER R35 TO R50 TROT 2600m
Of \$12500 (\$6875, \$1937.50, \$1187.50, \$750, others \$218.75)

For R35 to R50 3yo-&-older trotters. These races will be selected on Ratings (highest to lowest).

Race 4 NON-WINNERS 3YO & OLDER MOBILE PACE 2600m
Of \$22000 (\$12100, \$3410, \$2090, \$1320, others \$385)

For 3yo-&-older pacers. To be eligible to contest this final a horse must have started in at least one heat, been balloted out or eliminated from a heat or been an acceptor for a heat that was abandoned. The first three placegetters in each heat will be guaranteed a start in the final, if nominated. The balance of the field will be made up of starters in the heats, at the club's discretion. See Special Condition 9 for more information.

Race 5 NON-WINNERS 3YO & OLDER MOBILE PACE 2000m
Of \$12500 (\$6875, \$1937.50, \$1187.50, \$750, others \$218.75)

For 3yo-&-older pacers. Any Non-Win Pacer that is a guaranteed qualifier for the Anne Thompson Pacing Graduation Final (placed second or third in a heat) is not permitted start in this race.

Race 6 5YO & OLDER R35 TO R39 MOBILE PACE 2600m
Of \$12500 (\$6875, \$1937.50, \$1187.50, \$750, others \$218.75)

For R35 to R39 5yo-&-older pacers. To be eligible for this race a nomination must be made for the Canterbury Plains Challenge at NZMTC's meeting on Friday 17 May. Full conditions of this series can be viewed online in the Racing & Schedules Section of the HRNZ website. This race is a random barrier draw.

Race 7, 8 4YO & OLDER R35 TO R50 MOBILE PACE 2000m
Of \$12500 (\$6875, \$1937.50, \$1187.50, \$750, others \$218.75)

For R35 to R50 4yo-&-older pacers. Preferential Barrier Draw Based on: Rating then Winning Stakes using the track grid. These races will be selected on Ratings (highest to lowest).

Race 9 3YO & OLDER R35 TO R50 PACE 2000m
Of \$12500 (\$6875, \$1937.50, \$1187.50, \$750, others \$218.75)

For R35 to R50 3yo-&-older pacers. This race will be selected on Ratings (highest to lowest).

Race 10 R51 & FASTER DISCRETIONARY HANDICAP PACE 2600m
Of \$20000 (\$11000, \$3100, \$1900, \$1200, others \$350)

For R51 & faster pacers.

Special Conditions

1. ONE HORSE ONE NOMINATION

A horse may only nominate for one race on the programme/race day, the trainer has the right to transfer the horse if he/she wishes, and may advise the club at the time of nomination whether the horse is to be transferred or not.

2. DUAL ACCEPTORS

Selection Preference for this meeting, in the first instance, will be given to horses that are not already accepted into a race(s) at another meeting. This condition includes races later than this race day/night. This condition will not apply to races that are covered by specific series or race conditions; e.g. NZ Sires Stakes Board Administered races.

3. LATE NOMINATIONS

In the event Nominations are extended for any races or the meeting, selection preference will be given to those horses that Nominated at the original closing time. Except in the case of Non-Win races, where Field Selection Regulations take precedence or where specific race or series conditions are Programmed. No late Nominations will be permitted to transfer from the race that they have nominated for, unless the club requires it.

4. ELIGIBILITY

Any horse is eligible to nominate & accept for a race that has a higher Rating than it has. However, preference will be given in the first instance to horses that the race caters for in terms of Rating. Races Programmed with an 'R' rating will see preference given to 'R' rated horses over 'MR' rated horses.

5. FIELD SELECTION

Field Selection for this meeting will be conducted in line with the Handicapping Regulations for non-win or non-win front races. That being; first and second preference horses will be selected in the first instances and thereafter at clubs discretion. All other races will be selected at the clubs discretion or per the conditions attached to each Programmed race.

6. SPLIT FIELD NOMINATIONS

Should any race on this programme be able to be split it will be done so on the basis of highest to lowest rating or vice versa, by sex or by a yet to be decided method, as the Club sees fit. This does not apply where conditions are detailed in the race programme. Owner, Trainer & Driver splits will not be taken into consideration if the race is split.

7. HEALTH & SAFETY NOTICE

Rangiora HRC asks all owners, trainers, drivers and horse attendants to become familiar with and comply with the Rangiora HRC Safety Plan during this racemeeting. The full Safety Plan can be found at rangioraharnessracingclub.co.nz.

8. ANNE THOMPSON MEMORIAL TROTTER GRADUATION SERIES

1. The Rangiora HRC 3YO & Older Non-Win Trotter Graduation series is scheduled to consist of two heats and a final. The two heats will be as follows: heat one run at the 28 April meeting, heat 2 run at the 05 May meeting. The final will be run at the Rangiora HRC meeting on 19 May 2024.

2. To be eligible to contest the final a horse must have started in at least one heat, been balloted out or eliminated from a heat or been an acceptor for a heat that was abandoned.

3. The first three placegetters in each heat will be guaranteed a start in the final, if nominated. Next preference will be given to fourth placegetters in heats. The balance of the field will be made up of starters in the heats, at the club's discretion..

4. Heat one on 28 April will be run over 2600m standing start. This race will be for Non-Win 3YO & Older Trotters, for a stake of \$12,500. Heat two will be run on 05 May will be run over 2000m standing start. This race will be for Non-Win 3YO & Older Trotters, for a stake of \$12,500.

5. The final for the series will be run over 2600m standing start, be a random draw and be run for a stake of \$20,000. No handicaps will apply for the final of this series

6. In the event any race in this series has nine or fewer acceptors the club reserves the right to abandon said race.

7. Any horse that is a guaranteed qualifier for the graduation final will not be permitted to start in any other race at the meeting of the final on 19 May 2024.

8. A nomination for the final must be made to the club in the normal manner, even if a horse is an automatic qualifier.

9. Any horse automatically qualified for the final of this series that accepts to start at the NZ Metropolitan TC's clubs meeting on Friday 17 May 2024 will forfeit its automatic qualifier status and be reliant on club's discretion, if it is to be selected to start in the final.

10. Selection for the heats will be per the Handicapping Regulations and the discretion of the Raceday Secretary.

11. A trotter winning a heat of this series on 28 April will be ineligible to contest the heat on 05 May.

Note: All races in this series will be run under the Rules and Regulations of HRNZ. No races within this series will be Rating Penalty Free.

In the event of circumstances beyond the club's control, it reserves the right to alter the conditions or dates of this series, providing the approval of HRNZ. In the event nominations for the heats or final of this series are not full the club reserves the right to extend the closing of nominations.

9. ANNE THOMPSON MEMORIAL PACING GRADUATION SERIES

1. The Rangiora HRC 3YO & Older Non-Win Pacer Graduation series is scheduled to consist of four heats and a final. The four heats will be as follows: two heats run at the 28 April meeting, two heats run at the 05 May meeting. The final will be run at the Rangiora HRC meeting on 19 May 2024.

2. To be eligible to contest the final a horse must have started in at least one heat, been balloted out or eliminated from a heat or been an acceptor for a heat that was abandoned.

3. The first three placegetters in each heat will be guaranteed a start in the final, if nominated. The balance of the field will be made up of starters in the heats, at the club's discretion.

4. The two heats on 28 April will be run over 2600m mobiles. These races will be for Non-Win 3YO & Older Pacers, for a stake of \$12,500. The two heats on 05 May will be run over 2000m mobiles. These races will be for Non-Win 3YO & Older Pacers, for a stake of \$12,500.

5. The final for the series will be 2600m mobile, be a random draw and be run for a stake of \$20,000.

6. In the event any race in this series has nine or fewer acceptors the club reserves the right to abandon said race.

7. Any horse that is a guaranteed qualifier for the graduation final will not be permitted to start in any other race at the meeting of the final on 19 May 2024.

8. A nomination for the final must be made to the club in the normal manner, even if a horse is an automatic qualifier.

9. Any horse automatically qualified for the final of this series that accepts to start at the NZ Metropolitan TC's clubs meeting on Friday 17 May 2024 will forfeit its automatic qualifier status and be reliant on club's discretion, if it is to be selected to start in the final.

10. Selection for the heats will be per the Handicapping Regulations and the discretion of the Raceday Secretary.

11. A pacer winning a heat of this series on 28 April will be ineligible to contest the heats on 05 May.

Note: All races in this series will be run under the Rules and Regulations of HRNZ. No races within this series will be Rating Penalty Free.

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