

Meeting: Northern Mares Gateway & YG Heats
Raceday: NORTHERN MARES GATEWAY & YG HEATS - Friday, March 6, 2026 at
Alexandra Park, Auckland (TV)

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First Race Starts: 5:00 pm

Race 1, 2,3 R35 & FASTER DISCRETIONARY HANDICAP TROT 2200m (Tentative)
Of \$17000

For R35 & faster trotters. Ratings and or conditions may be used in determining the splits for these races. The lower rating races to be run for a stake of \$15,000.

Race 4 2YO FILLIES MOBILE PACE 1700m (Tentative)
Of \$17000

For 2-year-old pacing fillies. Preferential Barrier Draw Based on: Winning Stakes from the Heats numbering sequentially from 1. Refer Full Series Conditions on HRNZ website. Heat 2 Feb 20th, Heat 3 March 6th. Final \$100,000 Group 1 March 20th, 2026. Note: Heats 1 & 2 Random Draws. Heat 3 Sequential PBD based on Winning Stakes from the Heats. The Final will have a Random Draw.

Race 5 2YO COLTS & GELDINGS MOBILE PACE 1700m (Tentative)
Of \$17000

For 2-year-old pacing colts & geldings. Preferential Barrier Draw Based on: Winning Stakes from the Heats numbering sequentially from 1. Refer Full Series Conditions on HRNZ website. Heat 2 Feb 20th, Heat 3 March 6th. Final \$100,000 Group 1 March 20th, 2026. Note: Heats 1 & 2 Random Draws. Heat 3 Sequential PBD based on Winning Stakes from the Heats. The Final will have a Random Draw.

Race 6 NON-WINNERS 3YO & OLDER MOBILE PACE 2200m (Tentative)
Of \$15000

For 3yo-&-older pacers.

Race 7 4YO+ MARES UP TO & INCLUDING R80, R81 TO R120 WITH COND... 1700m (Tentative)
Of \$17000

For up to & including R80 4yo-&-older pacing mares. Also R81 and above if driven by a concession junior driver. Preferential Barrier Draw Based on: Rating then Winning Stakes using the track grid.

Race 8, 9 R40 & FASTER MOBILE PACE 2200m (Tentative)
Of \$17000

For R40 & faster pacers. Ratings and or conditions may be used when determining the splits for these races. Preferential barrier draws may apply should it be deemed necessary to ensure overall fairness to all horses given the ratings spread in these races. The lower rating of these two races to be run for a stake of \$15,000.

Special Conditions**1. RATINGS PROGRAMME**

The programme for this meeting is ratings based. It is a likely indication of the programme that will be in place for the meeting. Where it is required changes will be made to the final programme after the close of withdrawals. Ratings bands and other conditions shown only serve as an indication as to how races will likely be programmed. As nominations permit race conditions will be programmed to ensure horses can race in a competitive environment whilst also optimising field sizes and where possible ensuring as many horses as possible gain a start.

2. ONE NOMINATION

Trainers are advised that a horse may only be nominated for One Race at this meeting. Trainers do however have the right to Transfer their horse(s) following the close of Nominations. The Club reserves the right to transfer any horse deemed necessary, unless trainers specify that their horse(s) is NOT to be Transferred.

3. RESTRICTED PROGRAMME

Owners and Trainers please note that this programme is restricted to nine races.

Nominations Close NORTHERN MARES GATEWAY & YG HEATS - Mon, Mar 02, 2026 @ 12:00 noon
Withdrawals Close Mon, Mar 02, 2026 @ 2:00 pm
Drivers Notified Tue, Mar 03, 2026 @ 2:00 pm

Contact Details

Nominations, Withdrawals, Drivers, Scratchings:
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