

RACING AUSTRALIA
TEMPLATE FEES NOTICE IN RELATION TO TRAINING SERVICES BETWEEN:
CLINTON MCDONALD RACING (the Trainer) and THEIR OWNERS

IMPORTANT NOTICE: The form and content of this document is provided as an example of the Fees Notice a Trainer is required to provide under the TOR Rules (part of the Australian Rules of Racing). A Trainer can exclude, amend, add to or delete from, this document at the Trainer's discretion provided the Trainer's Fees Notice complies with the requirements under the TOR Rules.

IMPORTANT NOTES

- A Fees Notice must be provided by the Trainer to the Managing Owner within 7 days of being appointed as the trainer of a horse.
- The Trainer should seek written confirmation from the Managing Owner acknowledging receipt of the Fees Notice.
- If the Managing Owner does not object to this Fees Notice within 14 days of it being provided, the basis for charging set out herein is deemed to have been accepted by the Owner (including on behalf of any other owners).
- It is not possible for the Trainer to indicate to the Owner in advance the exact total monthly/yearly cost for training a horse. This is because while some fees are charged at a fixed daily rate (e.g. daily training fee), others are variable (e.g. per treatment for veterinary services). Also, horses vary in the rates at which they mature and progress, including while on agistment and through each preparation, which can influence the total fees for a particular horse.
- Race entry fees are not included in this Fees Notice – they are additional to the costs set out herein. The Trainer should inform the Managing Owner of those fees as soon as practicable.

TRAINER MANAGED FEES & CHARGES – As at 01/09/2023

The following fees are as at the date of issue of this Fees Notice, and remain so until otherwise advised by the Trainer to the Owner in writing.

SERVICES (per day/horse/event)	CHARGE	GST	TOTAL
Daily Training Fee	\$120.00	\$12.00	\$132.00
Daily Track Access Fees	\$5.00	\$0.50	\$5.50
Agistment	\$35.00	\$3.50	\$38.50
Stable Agistment	\$60.00	\$6.00	\$66.00
4Cyte Gel Daily	\$3.50	\$0.35	\$3.85
Gastrozol	\$9.55	\$0.95	\$10.50

STAFFING ATTENDANCE COSTS	STRAPPER	RANGE OF COST <i>(Monday to Saturday (Day), Sunday, Night/Public Holiday, Official Trials/Jump Outs)</i>
Race Meetings	Per Strapper	\$110 to \$165

THIRD PARTY FEES & CHARGES (ESTIMATE) – As at 01/09/2023

The following are service providers commonly engaged by the Trainer. This pricing chart is offered as a guide for basic services frequently/historically sourced by the Trainer.

However, if the Trainer becomes aware that a fee estimate in this section is likely to be exceeded by 10% or more, the Trainer should notify the Managing Owner and explain why.

TRAINER TRANSPORT (per horse)	CHARGE	GST	TOTAL
Float charged at approximate rate per hour including return trip	\$100.00	\$10.00	\$110.00

PROVIDER	TYPE OF SERVICE	RANGE OF COST <i>(Metro, Provincial, Country, State if applicable)</i>
Farrier	Work Shoes	\$150.00 to \$220.00
	Race Plates	\$180.00 to \$260.00
	Trim	\$75.00 to \$120.00
Dentist	General Examination	\$80.00 to \$120.00
Chiropractor	General Examination and Manipulation	\$80.00 to \$130.00
Veterinary	General Examination, Treatment and Medications	As per invoiced amount

- Notes:
- Charges incurred for any therapeutics, applications, tests, sampling, ointments and/or medicines applied to the horse for specific treatments will be identified on the Training Invoice issued to the Owner for reimbursement, in addition to the charge for any General Examination.
 - 2 year olds may have lower costs than 3+ year olds given: (i) the level of development required to race; and (ii) the overall life cycle of the horse.
 - For other than emergency treatment, prior approval will be sought from the Owner where an individual treatment will likely exceed \$2,000 (incl GST) in cost.

PROVIDER	SERVICE	COST
Float Company	<100km journey	As per invoiced amount
Float Company	>100km but <250km journey	As per invoiced amount
Float Company	>250km but <500km journey	As per invoiced amount
Float Company	>500km journey	As per invoiced amount

RACE ENTRY, NOMINATION, ACCEPTANCE, NON-ACCEPTANCE AND SCRATCHING FEES

- Race entry fees are not included in this Fees Notice – they will be additional and depend on the race. The Trainer should inform the Managing Owner of these as soon as practicable once known.
- All race nomination, acceptance, non-acceptance and scratching fees are set by PRAs and/or Race Clubs, and are passed on to the Owner/s at cost. They should be checked with each relevant PRA or Race Club.

PRIZE MONEY ALLOCATION UNDER RULES OF RACING (INCL. AR 126 AND PRA LOCAL RULES) – current as at 1/1/2020

- Prizemoney splits, and threshold amount from which they take effect, are subject to discretion of PRAs.

Relevant Party	NSW / ACT % Split*	VIC % Split ⁺	QLD % Split [±]	SA % Split	WA % Split ^{**}	TAS % Split	NT % Split [±]
Trainer	9.9%	9.7% (flat and jumps races)	9.9%	10% (flat and jumps races)	10%	10%	9.9%
Jockey	4.95%	4.85% (flat races) 9.7% (jumps races)	4.95%	5% (flat races) 10% (jumps races)	5%	5%	4.95%
Owner	81.65%	82.45% (flat races) 77.6% (jumps races)	84.15%	85% (flat races) 80% (jumps races)	85%	85%	84.15%

*Prizemoney also paid to: Stablehand Scheme (1.5%), Jockey Insurance and Welfare Scheme (1%) & Animal Welfare Fund (1%).

*Prizemoney also paid to: Jockey Welfare Fund (1%) & Equine Welfare Fund (2%).

± Prizemoney also paid to: Equine Welfare Fund (1%)

** Prizemoney also paid to: Jockey Welfare Fund (1%)

POTENTIAL ADDITIONAL REMUNERATION, GRATUITIES AND/OR BONUSES THAT MAY BE PAYABLE TO THE TRAINER.

- If the Horse, or Interest or Share in the Horse, is being sold, and:
 - the Horse is being trained by the Proprietor; or
 - the Horse is sold within 90 days after ceasing to be trained by the Proprietor;
 ...the Proprietor may opt to invoice an amount not exceeding 5% of any proceeds of sale after deduction of expenses directly relating thereto including any commission paid to third parties.
- If the Horse, or Interest or Share in the Horse, is being sold, and:
 - the Proprietor acted as Buying Agent of the Owner to originally select and purchase the Horse; or
 - the Proprietor acted as Selling Agent of the Owner and sourced a Buyer for the sale of the Horse and that Buyer successfully purchased the Horse;
 ...the Proprietor may opt to invoice an additional amount not exceeding 10% of the proceeds of sale after deduction of expenses directly relating thereto including any commission paid to third parties.
- If the Horse that was given to the Proprietor to train is a homebred, from a commercial horse stud and is an Entire and retired to Stud, and:
 - the Horse is being trained by the Proprietor; or
 - the Horse is retired within 90 days after ceasing to be trained by the Proprietor;
 ...the Proprietor may opt to enforce in any sale contract the entitlement of one (1) transferable Lifetime Service right entitling the holder of such right to nominate a mare to be provided with a stud service by the Horse during each season that the Horse is used to provide stud services commercially, free of any service fee.

PURCHASES OF HORSES

- The Trainer reserves the right to charge interest on any overdue invoices related to horse purchases as permitted under the TOR Rules. If charged, it will be charged at the rate of 2% per month. (or higher rate if the relevant sales company charges the trainer a higher amount)
- The trainer reserves the right to resell any share invoices that become overdue unless it is agreed in writing by the trainer that a specific time extension is permitted.
- No owners will be registered as owners with Racing Australia into a horse where their share invoice has not been paid in full. This includes instances where a time extension to pay has been granted in writing.

WHETHER INTEREST MAY BE CHARGED BY THE TRAINER ON OVERDUE TRAINING FEES AND/OR DISBURSEMENTS

The Trainer reserves the right to charge interest on any overdue Training Fees and/or Training Disbursements as permitted under the TOR Rules. If charged, it will be charged at the rate of 2% per month.

NON-PAYMENT OF THE TRAINER'S INVOICE AND ITS CONSEQUENCES

If the Trainer's invoice is issued in accordance with the TOR Rules and is not fully paid by the end of the month it is issued, then unless a Dispute Notice is lodged by the owner by the end of that month, the Trainer may file an Enforcement Action Application with Racing Australia seeking the following consequences:

- Not process any Stable Return seeking to transfer the horse to another trainer (if the owner owns at least 50% of the horse).
- Not register any transfer of the owner's share of the horse.
- Freeze payment of the owner's prizemoney and direct it to the Trainer.

ISSUED BY

I, Clinton McDonald, Trainer, confirm that I issued this Fees Notice on 1/08/2023 and that I have provided a copy of this Fees Notice to the Managing Owner. This fees notice will also be sent as an additional attachment with every monthly statement that is distributed to owners.

Signed: *Clinton McDonald*

Date: 1/08/2023