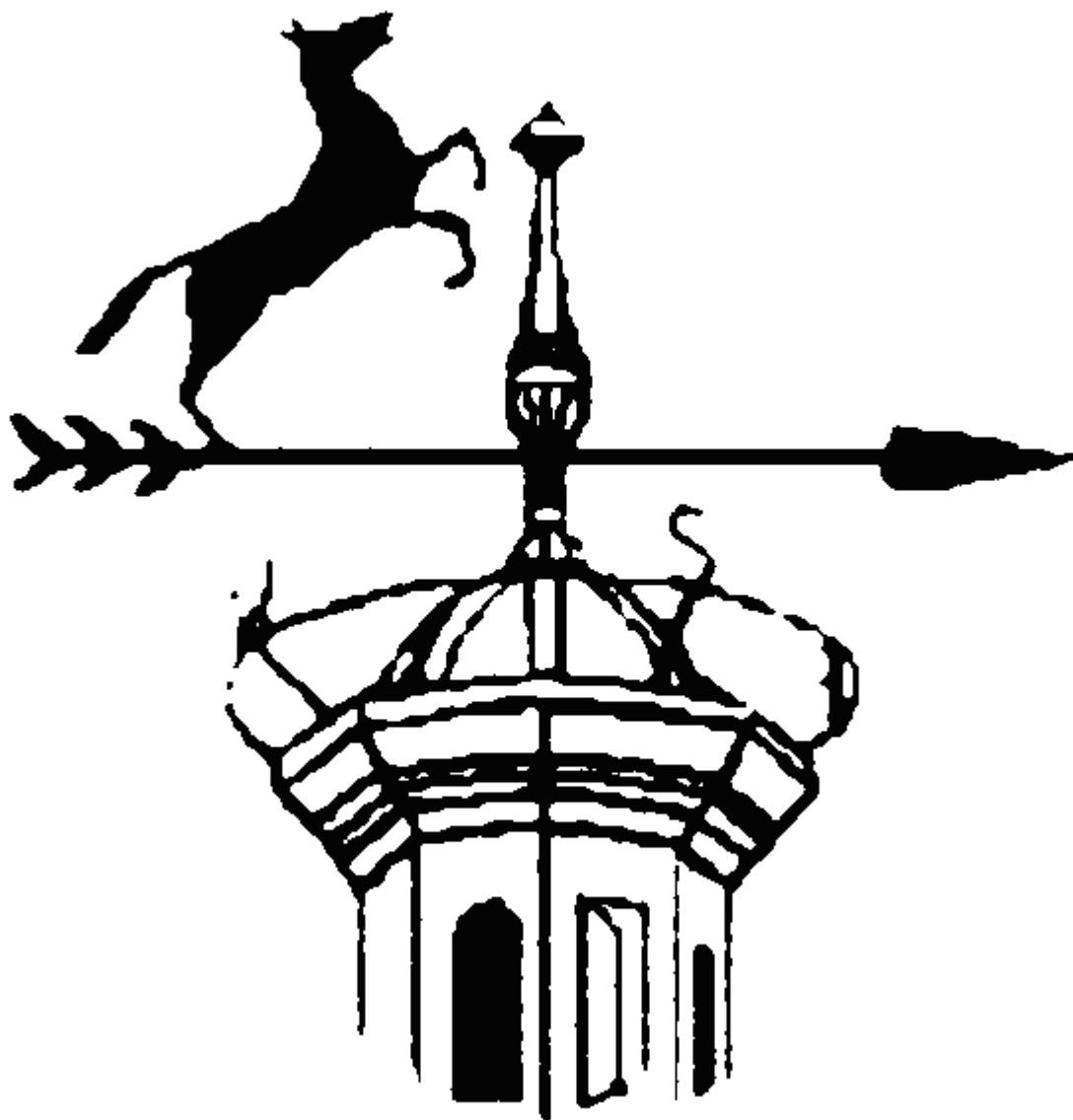


RACING PROGRAMME



MASHONALAND TURF CLUB

14 January 2018

to

29 April 2018

9 MEETINGS

TOTAL STAKES – US\$ 450 000

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LOCAL CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO THE MASHONALAND TURF CLUB

For all Race Meetings held at Mashonaland Turf Club
With effect from 14 January 2018

Amendments shall be advised by publication of amended, dated pages

All nominations and acceptances are made and accepted subject to the Rules and Constitution of The National Horseracing Authority of Southern Africa and the following Local Conditions:-

1. NOMINATIONS

- a] A horse may be dual nominated on the programme for any race other than a designated Sponsored feature race, but may only be accepted to run in one race on the same day.
- b] A horse may be dual nominated for more than one feature race on the programme but may only be accepted to run in one race on the same day.
- c]
 - i) Nomination Fees – Minor and Club Feature races, \$20 refundable if the horse starts in a race.
 - ii) Nomination fees for Sponsored races **\$75** refundable if the horse starts in a race.
 - iii) Dual nominations that start in either race will be refunded their nomination fees.
 - iv) Nomination fees will be refunded for horses scratched on veterinary grounds supported by a veterinary certificate.
 - v) All refunds shall be effected through the scale book.
 - vi) If at the time of final acceptances, the number of horses exceeds the maximum field size, then horses will be eliminated in accordance with local condition 2.
- d] Supplementary Entries – In some selected races where supplementary entries are permitted, the supplementary fee shall be \$150. This fee is non refundable.
- e] Nomination fees are payable through the Scale Book on the day of the appropriate race meeting or may be deducted from the Trainer's stake earnings following the race meeting.

2. MAXIMUM FIELD SIZES - ELIMINATIONS

Borrowdale Park	Allowed to Start
1450m race	12(plus 2 reserve runners)
All other races	20

If after the time of final acceptances, the number of horses exceeds the maximum field size, then horses will be eliminated as follows:

- a] **Handicap races**
 - i. Horses with no declared rider.
 - ii. Highest Draws eliminated first around the turn and lowest draws up the straight
- b] **Conditions Races (excluding Maiden Plates)**
 - i. Horses with no declared rider.
 - ii. Highest Draws eliminated first around the turn and lowest draws up the straight.
- c] **Feature Races** – at the handicapper's discretion.
- d] **Maiden Plates**
 - i. Horses with no declared rider.
 - ii. Maiden Juveniles
 - iii. Worst rated in terms of the weights, provided they were not eliminated from the last meeting they accepted to run at.
 - iv. Horses without a published rating will be eliminated on worst finishing position at last start.
 - v. Horses that are equal on criteria will be eliminated on draw. Highest Draws eliminated first around the turn and lowest draws up the straight.
- e] **Maiden Juvenile & Juvenile Plates** – at the handicappers discretion.

In all cases of elimination any nomination fee will be refunded. Any horse eliminated in terms of this condition will be given preference when next nominated for a Racemeeting at the Race Course. It is the responsibility of the Trainer to bring this requirement to the attention of the Mashonaland Turf Club at the time of Acceptances. A horse eliminated for any reason other than in terms of this condition will not be given preference when next nominated.

3. ABANDONMENT OF A RACE

The Racing Operator (RO) reserves the right, subject to the provisions of Rule 49.17 to cancel any races that do not comply with the below conditions.

Sponsored Feature – A sponsor should have contributed at least 1/3 of the published Feature stake for the race to qualify for a sponsored feature event.

- i.
 - a) The minimum of **6** nominations/acceptances from **2** trainers shall apply for all other races except **juvenile and sponsored feature** races only.
 - b) The minimum of **6** nominations or acceptances from **3** trainers shall apply for **sponsored feature** races.
 - c) The minimum of **4** nominations/acceptances from **2** trainers shall apply for **(a) All Fillies and Mares (b) juvenile (c) MR 90 and above** races. **NB There should be at least 1 horse with a 90 merit rating at Acceptance stage (d) All races contested over 2001m (e) Club feature races.**
- ii. Where a race in (i) above folds, it shall first be reopened with the **same conditions**.

- iii. If and when a race in (ii) above folds for the second time, a similar race that will cater for similar horses will be opened subject to a minimum of **6** runners from **2** trainers, provided that the opened race shall be within the following parameters; **+4** rating points or **-2** rating points from the folded race in the case of a handicap and **+/-200m** in terms of distance from the abandoned race.
- iv. In reopening **fillies and mares** races, preference shall be made to make the race open company rather than going for a totally new race.
- v. At the time of closing of entries, the RO may request trainers to supplement entries where it is noticeable that Local Condition 3 (i & iii) will not be achieved.

4. STAKES

- a] The stakes for each race are payable in the **Dollars (\$)** and will be as published in the race card for that race.
- b] The Racing Operator (RO), at its discretion, may increase or reduce the gross value of the stakes advertised in any race in accordance with rule 5.2.7 as follows.

10 starters	100% of Gross Stake Value
9 starters	90% of Gross Stake Value
8 starters and below	80% of Gross Stake Value subject to Local Condition 4(d)

NB: The deductions shall not apply to **Club feature, Sponsored feature** and **Juvenile races. STAKES PAYABLE IN ZIMBABWE ONLY.**
- c] Based on the advertised stakes for each division, other than those referred to in 4(d) below.
 - 1) The percentage for the winner shall be 60%
 - 2) The percentage for the 2nd horse shall be 20%
 - 3) The percentage for the 3rd horse shall be 12.5%
 - 4) The percentage for the 4th horse shall be 7.5%
 - 5) No stakes will be paid for the 5th place
- d] In all races with less than 8 runners, advertised stakes and places shall be paid in full down to a minimum of 4 runners. The Racing Operator reserves the right subject to rule 49.17 to abandon ANY races that for whatever reason has reduced to 3 or less.
- e] In the case of Grade 1 and 2 races and certain Grade 3 races, the RO at their discretion, will pay stakes down to the 5th place as follows:
 - 1) The percentage for the winner shall be 60%
 - 2) The percentage for the 2nd horse shall be 20%
 - 3) The percentage for the 3rd horse shall be 12%
 - 4) The percentage for the 4th horse shall be 6%
 - 5) The percentage for the 5th horse shall be 2%

5. DECLARATIONS

a] RIDERS

- N/B: Declarations will only be done once and final. They will be due at 10h30am on the day of declarations.**
Nominators will be responsible for declaring riding engagements by the time of final acceptance.
- i] If at the time of final acceptance the Nominator has not declared his intention to race or scratch his horse from a race, the horse shall be declare a runner.
 - ii] If at the time of final acceptance the Nominator is unable to declare a jockey, they may seek permission from the ROR who reserves such right, to declare TBA (To Be Advised) which shall be valid until 10am of the day following the final declarations. If the Nominator has not declared a jockey by this time, the nominator will incur a fine of \$50 and the horse may be withdrawn.
 - iii] A horse that is scratched from a race which then folds will not be allowed to come back into the same race if reopened with the same conditions.
 - iv] Should a horse be scratched for whatever reason after the time laid down for final acceptances other than on veterinary grounds supported by a veterinary certificate, a fine of \$100 will be imposed on the nominator concerned.

b] RESERVE RUNNERS

- i] RO may name, from the list of horses accepting, Reserve Runners to replace any horse withdrawn after the closing of declarations but before **09:00 on the day of a race meeting**, unless otherwise stated in the Race Requirements. In the event that the Reserve Runner has not replaced a horse so withdrawn, the Reserve Runner shall be scratched at that time.
- ii] In the event that any Reserve Runners are from the same Trainer, that Trainer shall have the option to nominate which of his Reserve Runners he wishes to run.
- iii] Reserve Runners shall retain their adjusted barrier draw and their Official Racing Publication saddle cloth number.
- iv] The onus shall be on the Trainer to establish whether his Reserve Runner becomes a runner as a result of a scratching.
- v] Should a race meeting or race be postponed after **09:00 on the day of the race**, Reserve Runners, which had been withdrawn in terms of Condition b.(i), may be reinstated in terms of the Rules.

c] BLINKERS, FRENCH BLINKERS, PACIFIERS, TONGUE TIED DOWN

Horses will be declared to be equipped as per their last start. Nominators wishing to declare a change to the way their horse was previously equipped must do so by the time of Final Acceptance.

d] **SHOES**

Nominators intending to race their horses with Alumites must declare their intention by the time of Final Acceptance. Any change to this declaration must be declared to the Club by not later than 09h00 on the day of the Race.

e] **OVERWEIGHTS**

In terms of the Guidelines on the overweights, any overweights shall be declared by the connections at the time laid down for Final Acceptances. Any overweights not declared may result in a fine of not less than US\$20.

f] **LEAD HORSE/PONY**

It is the responsibility of the Trainer to advise the Chairman of the Stipendiary Board and the Racing Manager of his/ her intention to use a lead horse/pony at the time of final declaration.

6. SCRATCHINGS

- i. A horse that is scratched from taking part in a race on veterinary grounds shall be automatically suspended from racing for **12 days**, calculated inclusive from the date of scratching.
- ii. In terms of NHRA rule 10.5.12, it is mandatory for a Trainer, Assistant Trainer or Stable Employee (where applicable), to notify the Stipendiary Board immediately he becomes aware of any circumstances that could lead to the scratching of any HORSE trained by him/her which has been entered for a RACE.
- iii. All scratchings made on veterinary grounds shall be supported by a **Veterinary Certificate**; deadline for submission shall be 9am unless such scratching shall be done after 9am in which case the VETERINARY CERTIFICATE shall be given to the Chairman of the Stipendiary Board before the running of the race in which the HORSE was scheduled to run. Failure to comply with this Rule shall result in a penalty of not less than **\$50** being imposed on the Trainer concerned.

7 JOCKEY FEES AND INSURANCE

- a] The Nominator must pay the appropriate scale book fees to the appointed Official in the weighing room not later than 45 minutes before the advertised time of the race or the equivalent of such fee shall be deducted from the respective trainer's earnings.
- b] The RO will contribute the 50% towards local riders while nominators will pay the full riding fees for foreign riders.

8 DEDUCTIONS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

The following deductions will be made from all stakes payable:

- a]
 - i 7 starters and above 11% for the credit of the relevant Trainer.
 - ii 6 starters 9% for the credit of the relevant Trainer.
 - iii 5 starters and below 7% for the credit of the relevant Trainer.
- b] Eight percent for the credit of the relevant Jockey.
- c] Two percent for the credit of The Zimbabwe Jockeys Association.
 - i These funds are to be Audited.
- d] One percent for the credit of MOTA.

9 HANDICAPPING

- a] A 0.5kg allowance shall be granted to all runners in Plate races except for Maiden and Pinnacle Plates at the time of publication of weights, for each unplaced start since finishing in the 1st four places except for starts in Listed and Graded races to a maximum of 3kg.
- b] MAIDEN PLATE
All to carry 60kg, less age and sex allowance [if applicable]
- c] NOVICE PLATE [for maidens and one time winners]

Maidens	All to carry 57.5kg
One time winners	All to carry 60.0kg
- d] GRADUATION PLATE [for maidens, one and two time winners]

Maidens	All to carry 55kg
One time winners	All to carry 57.5kg
Two time winners	All to carry 60.0kg
- e] PROGRESS PLATE [for maidens, one, two and three time winners]

Maidens	All to carry 52.5kg
One time winners	All to carry 55.0kg
Two time winners	All to carry 57.5kg
Three time winners	All to carry 60.0kg
- f] ALLOWANCE PLATE [Open to maidens and all winners]

Maidens & One time winners	All to carry 52.5kg
Two time winners	All to carry 55.0kg,
Three time winners	All to carry 57.5kg
Four time winners	All to carry 60.0kg

Five time winners All to carry 62.0kg

Thereafter, a 2kg penalty for each additional win.

g) ADVANCE PLATE [Open to horses that have won at least three races]

Three time winners All to carry 52.5kg

Four time winners All to carry 55.0kg

Five time winners All to carry 57.5kg

Six time winners All to carry 60.0kg

Thereafter, a 2kg penalty for each additional win.

h) PINNACLE PLATE (For all horses)

Pinnacle Plate 100	Pinnacle Plate 95	Pinnacle Plate 90	Pinnacle Plate 85	Pinnacle Plate 80	Pinnacle Plate 75
MR100 or more = 60kg	Net MR 95=60kg	Net MR 90=60kg	Net MR 85=60kg	Net MR 80=60kg	Net MR 75=60kg
95-99 = 58.0kg	90-94 = 58.5kg	85-89 = 58.5kg	80-84 = 58.5kg	75-79 = 58.5kg	70-74 = 58.5kg
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75-79 = 50.0kg	70-74 = 52.5kg	65-69 = 52.5kg	60-64 = 52.5kg	55-59 = 52.5kg	50-54 = 52.5kg
70-74 = 48.0kg	69 and below = 51.0kg	64 and below = 51.0kg	59 and below = 51.0kg	54 and below = 51.0kg	49 and below = 51.0kg
69 and below = 46.0kg					

If at the time of final declarations, the top weight is less than 62kg (Distances ≤ 1600m), then it shall be raised to that weight and all the other weights shall be raised accordingly. The winner of this race will not incur a penalty of more than 5 Merit Rating points.

There will be no rating increase for placed horses. Weight For Age allowance will be applied where applicable to a minimum of 50kg. Sex allowance shall be granted subject to a minimum of 50kg.

i) MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE

All to carry 58kg less sex allowance [if applicable]

j) JUVENILE PLATE/STAKES

All to carry 52kg less sex allowance [if applicable]

PENALTIES: 2kg penalty for each win.

k) ALLOWANCES IN PLATE RACES

TWO YEAR OLD ALLOWANCE	
DISTANCE	APRIL TO JULY
1000m to 1300m	3kg
1301m to 1700m	4kg
1701m and further	5kg

THREE YEAR OLD ALLOWANCE				
DISTANCE	AUG TO SEPT	OCT to NOV	DEC to JAN	FEB to JUL
1000m to 1300m	2kg	1kg	0kg	0kg
1301m to 1700m	3kg	2kg	1kg	0kg
1701m to 2200m	4kg	3kg	2kg	0kg
2201m and further	5kg	4kg	3kg	0kg

FILLIES AND MARES	
DISTANCE	ALLOWANCE
800m to 1300m	2.5kg
1301m to 1700m	3.0kg
1701m and further	3.5kg

l) In all races excluding Juvenile Plate, Juvenile Stakes and Weight For Age Races should the highest weight accepting be lower than 60kg then it may be raised by the Handicapper to such a weight and all other weights shall be raised equally, provided that such a weight does not exceed 60kg. [In some feature races special conditions will still apply].

m) In Juvenile Plate and Juvenile Stakes races, should the highest weight accepting be lower than 58kg then it will be raised to such a weight and all other weights shall be raised equally, provided that such a weight does not exceed 58kg.

n) If after final acceptances, the highest weight is less than 60kg, it may be raised to a weight not exceeding 60kgs and all other weights raised proportionately providing that the lowest weight is not less than 52kg.

o) Conditions Races:

i) Weights determined by the conditions of the race and in no case shall the lowest weight be lower than 50kg.

ii) In all Conditions and Plate races except in Maiden Plate races a winner can only incur a maximum rating adjustment of 6 MR points and Placed horses which run above their ratings do not incur any adjustments, unless requested so by the connections.

iii) If a Conditions or Plate race is designated a Minor Feature then placed horses that run above their ratings can only incur a maximum 6 MR point increase to their rating.

p) MERIT RATING:

- i] Each horse shall have a merit rating, which shall be re-assessed by the Handicapper after each race.
- ii] Rating of Maiden horses.
 - a] Maiden horses will be merit rated, but their rating will only be published after three runs.
 - b] A Maiden entered for a handicap race will be allocated a weight at the sole discretion of the Handicapper.
- iii] A horse's merit rating determines its eligibility and subsequently its allocated weight in a handicap. The benchmark ratings and maximum ratings shown in the programme indicate the weight to be carried in a particular handicap. Horses receive weight-for-age allowances in accordance with the weight-for-age table. Please note however that the benchmark and maximum ratings indicated below do not take into account the applicable weight-for-age allowances. Horses rated above the maximum rating but which receive a weight-for-age that brings them into the weight range shall be eligible to run in the race.

Divisions for Merit Rated Handicaps.

MR 100 = 60kg MR95=60kg MR 90 = 60kg MR 85 = 60kg MR 80 = 60kg MR 75 = 60kg MR 70 = 60kg MR 65 = 60kg MR 60 = 60kg MR 55 = 60kg MR 50 = 60kg
 MR 50 Handicap - For all horses within the MR50 benchmark. 1 time winners and maidens above the MR50 benchmark may run in this division. Horses above the MR50 benchmark that have won 2 or more races are ineligible.
 Novice Handicap – Open to maidens and one time winners.
 MR 45 Handicap - For all horses within the MR45 benchmark, nett MR45.
 Graduation Handicap - Open to horses that have won up to two races only
 Progress Handicap - Open to horses that have won up to three races only
 3 Year Old Handicaps – Open to 3 year olds only.

10.SCHOOLING AND CERTIFICATE OF TRACTABILITY OF HORSES IN STARTING STALLS

- a] Any horse ordered to be reschooled in terms of the National Horseracing Authority Rules shall be reschooled by the Trainer in the presence of a licensed Official before it is permitted to start again.
- b] Any horse which has been suspended because of intractability in the starting stalls in terms of the National Horseracing Authority Rules shall be certified tractable by a licensed Official on a race day before it is permitted to race again.

11.STARTING STALLS

In all races for which the starting stalls require to be moved from the course immediately after the start of the race, the ROR reserves the right, in their sole discretion to abandon the race in the event that such stalls are, for any reason whatsoever, not able to be removed. Such abandonment shall be conveyed to jockeys by means of a siren situated 600m behind the point from which the start was effected. On hearing the siren, all riders shall immediately pull up their mounts.

12.TROPHIES

All trophies are Floating Trophies and will not be removed from Mashonaland Turf Club.

13.APPRENTICES' CLAIMING

In terms of Rule 47.1.6 Apprentices' Allowance may be claimed in all races other than Graded Races held at Mashonaland Turf Club.

14.COPYRIGHT & INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

The following rights vest in and are exclusively for the Mashonaland Turf Club:

- a] All rights or sponsorship of and in conjunction with all racemeetings and related activities held by or on behalf of the Mashonaland Turf Club.
- b] No Owner, Trainer, Rider, Groom or horse may, at any racemeeting or on the Mashonaland Turf Club racecourse, carry any form of advertising material or sponsorship on any part of his clothing or equipment, including saddle cloth numbers and horse blankets, without the express written authority of the Mashonaland Turf Club. The Mashonaland Turf Club may impose conditions to such Authorisation
- c] The Mashonaland Turf Club may require any Owner, Trainer, Rider or Groom who has an individual sponsor not to display or wear any of his sponsor's advertising material when the Mashonaland Turf Club has a sponsored racemeeting.
- d] In the event of an Owner, Trainer, Rider or Groom failing to comply with conditions 14b, 14c, then the Chairman of the Stipendiary Board shall require the said advertising or sponsorship material to be removed or covered, failing which the horse concerned shall be withdrawn or the rider stood down, as the case may be.
- e] All rights to photograph film, videotape and record, by any means whatsoever, all horses, races, racemeetings and related activities held by or on behalf of the Mashonaland Turf Club and all rights to broadcast and telecast, reproduce and transmit worldwide, by any means whatsoever, both sound and vision including any internet transmission, all such photographs, films, videotapes, sound and television and recordings, however made;
- f] All copyright in and to all photographs, films, videotapes, sound and television broadcasts or any other recordings or reproduction, in respect of all horses, races, racemeetings and related activities held by Mashonaland Turf Club
- g] All rights (including copyright) in and to all Racing Programmes, race results, the historical performances of all horses, races and saddle cloth numbers, the names of riders and weights to be carried and all related information.

15.RIGHT OF SEARCH

The Mashonaland Turf Club shall have the right to search any person who is licensed in terms of the rules or any property upon that person whilst on any premises of Mashonaland Turf Club

16. INTERPRETATION

The decision of the Mashonaland Turf Club as to the interpretation, meaning and effect of these Racing Operator's conditions shall be final and binding.

LOCAL CONDITIONS FOR AMATEUR'S RACES MASHONALAND TURF CLUB

Races are to be run under the Rules and Constitution of the National Horseracing Authority and the Local Conditions of the Mashonaland Turf Club.

Open to professionally trained horses which must be ridden by Amateur Riders. Weights to be assessed at the sole discretion of the Handicapper. Two year olds ineligible. The maximum dead weight should not exceed 12kg.

ELIGIBILITY OF RIDERS

- a] All riders must be aged not less than 16 years.
- b] Each rider at the time of final acceptance must hold a certificate of competence signed by a Stipendiary Steward.
- c] All riders participating will be required to sign an undertaking that neither the National Horseracing Authority of Southern Africa, nor the Mashonaland Turf Club or its Officials/Agents will be in any way liable for any injuries, accidents or damages sustained whilst preparing for or taking part in the race.
- d] All riders under the age of 21 years will be required to submit a form signed by a parent or guardian giving their permission to ride at the meeting.
- e] The riders will be insured. The RO will pay the insurance premium.
- f] Single, widowed or divorced mothers with dependent children will only be permitted to ride on authority of the ROR.

COLOURS AND EQUIPMENT

- a] All riders must wear proper kit, i.e. white breeches, riding boots, colours. Crash caps or helmets must have a chin strap. Spurs are not allowed, crops are permitted.

RUNNING

- a] Not more than 16 horses may run.
- b] A stall start shall be effected.

RIDING FEES

- a] Riding Fees, net of any relevant costs, and the percentages of the winning and placed stakes, normally paid to a professional rider shall be paid to the Zimbabwe Jockeys Association. The Officials and Stewards officiating the race will do so in an "Honorary" capacity and will be permitted to hold an enquiry into any aspect of the race, the outcome of which will be final and binding.

NOTE:

It is a condition of entry that amateurs declared to ride must present themselves at the weighing room at 12h00 on the advertised date for Final Acceptance and Declaration of Riders with all items of equipment for test weighing and for fitting of items supplied under paragraph 6 above.

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS CONDITION MAY RESULT IN THE HORSE BEING WITHDRAWN BY THE ROR.

**DAILY GUIDE FOR TRAINERS DIARY OF NOMINATIONS AND ACCEPTANCES
FOR RACEMEETINGS FEATURED IN THIS PROGRAMME**

<u>RACEMEETING</u>	<u>NOMINATIONS (WEDNESDAY)</u>	<u>FINAL ACCEPTANCE (MONDAY)</u>
JANUARY 2018		
SUNDAY 14 JAN 2018	03 JANUARY 2018	08 JANUARY 2018
SUNDAY 28 JAN 2018	17 JANUARY 2018	22 JANUARY 2018
FEBRUARY 2018		
SUNDAY 11 FEB 2018	31 JANUARY 2018	05 FEBRUARY 2018
SUNDAY 25 FEB 2018	14 FEBRUARY 2018	19 FEBRUARY 2018
MARCH 2018		
SUNDAY 11 MAR 2018	28 FEBRUARY 2018	05 MARCH 2018
SUNDAY 25 MAR 2018	14 MARCH 2018	19 MARCH 2018
APRIL 2018		
SUNDAY 01 APR 2018	21 MARCH 2018	26 MARCH 2018
SUNDAY 15 APR 2018	04 APRIL 2018	09 APRIL 2018
SUNDAY 29 APR 2018	17 APRIL 2018 (TUE)	23 APRIL 2018

MASHONALAND TURF CLUB SCHEDULE OF STAKES

CLUB FEATURES	US\$ 8 000
MINOR EVENTS	US\$ 7 000

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS - JANUARY TO APRIL

01ST JANUARY	NEW YEAR
18TH APRIL	INDEPENDENCE DAY
30TH MARCH	EASTER FRIDAY
31ST MARCH	EASTER SATURDAY
02ND APRIL	EASTER MONDAY

MASHONALAND TURF CLUB
Final Matrix 14 January to 29 April 2017

F&M							NOV	PINN 100	PINN 90	PINN 80	PROG	ALLOW	GRAD	NOVICE	JUVENILE RACES						OPEN							
MR H'CAPS							HAND	PLATE	PLATE	PLATE	PLATE	PLATE	PLATE	PLATE	PLATE							MAIDENS						
& FEATURES																FEATURES	STAKES/PLATE	MAIDENS	DISTANCE		SPRINT							
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Weight For Age Table

Distance	Age	August	September	October	November	December
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	3	14	13	11	10	8
	4>					
1201-1400m	2					
	3	17	16	14	12	10
	4>	1	1	1		
1401-1600m	2					
	3	18	17	16	14	12
	4>	1	1	1		
1601-2000m	2					
	3	20	19	18	16	14
	4>	2	2	2	1	1
2001-2400m	2					
	3	21	20	19	17	16
	4>	3	3	3	2	2
2401-3600m	2					
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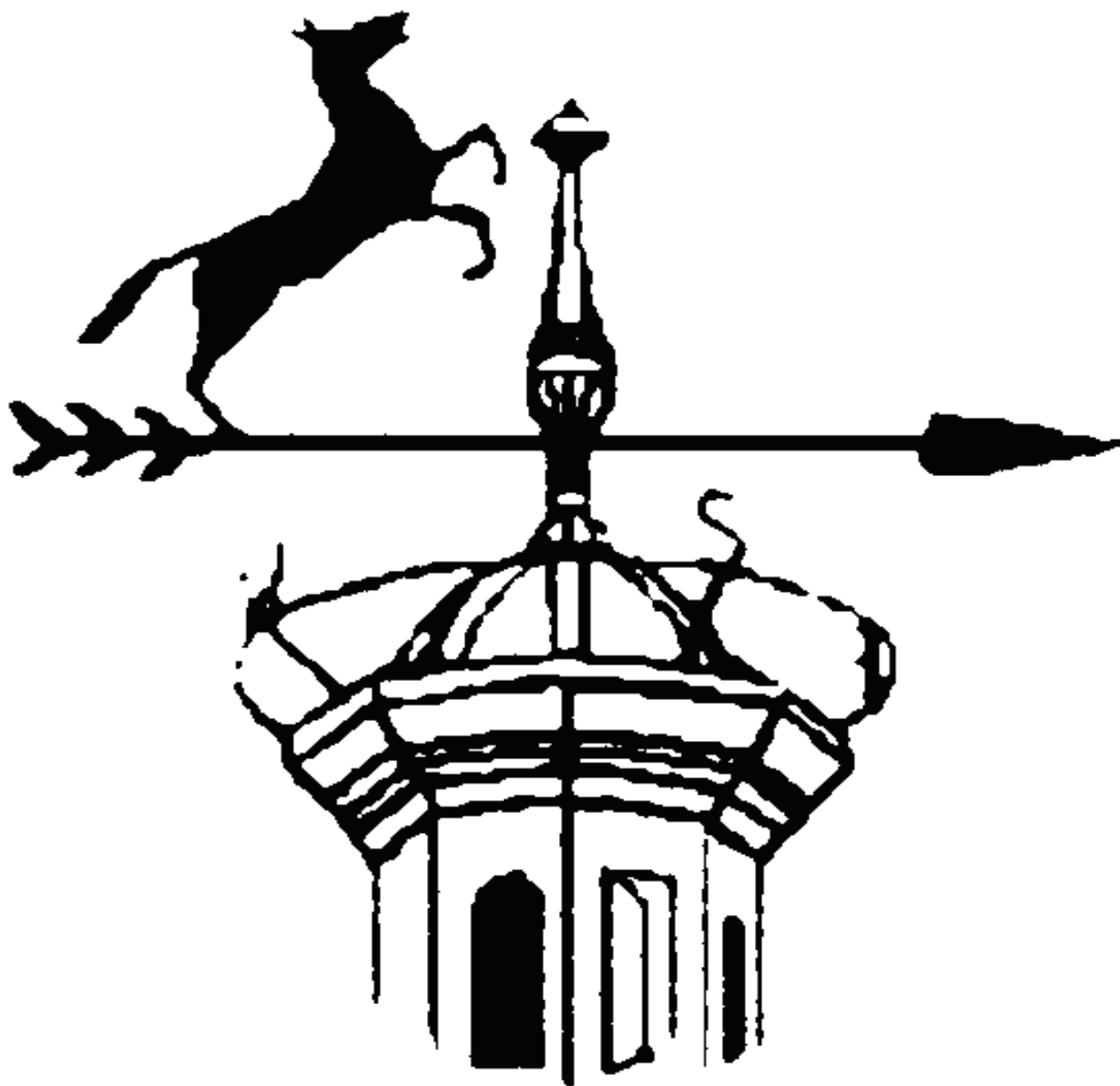
PROPOSED DATES FOR BORROWDALE 2018

DATE	DAY	NAME OF THE RACE	
14 January	Sunday	Hachiman Sprint (4th Leg Sprinter Series)	1100m
28 January	Sunday	Guineas Trial	1600m
11 February	Sunday	Fillies Classic (1st Leg Triple Tiara)	1600m
25 February	Sunday	Mota Ipi Tombe Stakes (L) (2nd Leg Open Series)	1600m
11 March	Sunday	Zimbabwe Guineas (G3) (1st Leg Triple Crown)	1600m
25 March	Sunday	Breeders Champion Cup (L)(3rd Leg Open Series)	2000m
		Silver Slipper (L)(2nd Leg Triple Tiara)	1800m
1 April	Sunday	Zimbabwe Stayers 2000 (G3) (2nd Leg Triple Crown)	2000m
15 April	Sunday	Independence Trophy (4th Leg Open Series)	1600m
29 April	Sunday	Zimbabwe Derby (G3) (3rd Leg Triple Crown)	2400m
05 May	Saturday	Castle Tankard (G1) (5th Leg Open Series)	2000m
20 May	Sunday	Zimbabwe Oaks (L) (3rd Leg Triple Tiara)	2000m
02 June	Saturday	OK Grand Challenge (G2) (6th Leg Open Series)	1800m
17 June	Sunday	Champion Juvenile Stakes (G3) (2nd Leg Juvenile Series)	1200m
1 July	Monday	No Feature (MR80 HANDICAP)	1800m
14 July	Saturday	Republic Cup (G3) (7th Leg Open Series)	1900m
28 July	Saturday	ZRP Fillies Charity Stakes	1800m
		Champagne Stakes (L) (3rd Leg Juvenile Series)	1200m
		Breeders Sprint (5th Leg Sprinter Series)	1400m

Seasonal Break for scarification 29 July to 08 September 2018 (6 weeks)

08 September	Saturday	AFZ Borrowdale Handicap (1st Leg Sprinter Series)	1000m
23 September	Sunday	St Canisius Sable Flyers (L)	1450m
06 October	Saturday	ZNA Charity Handicap (1st Leg Open Series)	1800m
21 October	Sunday	Breeders Fillies Mile (L)	1600m
03 November	Saturday	ZPS (Zimbabwe Prisons)Jacaranda Free Handicap	1200m
18 November	Sunday	Champion Fillies Stakes	1600m
01 December	Saturday	HRIB Gold Cup Sprint (G3) (2nd Leg Sprinter Series)	1200m
		Tote Free Handicap	1600m
16 December	Sunday	Zimbabwe Challenge (3rd Leg Sprinter Series)	1400m

MASHONALAND TURF CLUB



RACING PROGRAMME

**14 January 2018
to
29 April 2018**

Published on Friday 15 December 2018

**MASHONALAND
TURF CLUB**

**SUNDAY
14 JANUARY 2018**

GROSS STAKES:

\$50,000

NOMINATIONS:

10h30 Wednesday 03 January 2018

WEIGHTS & DRAWS:

12h00 Wednesday 03 January 2018

FINAL ACCEPTANCES:

10h30 Monday 08 January 2018

RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	<p>HACHIMAN SPRINT</p> <p>Open to all Horses Bench mark MR90=60kg</p> <p><i>Apprentice allowance may be claimed</i></p> <p>4TH LEG OF THE SPRINTER SERIES</p>	1100m	\$8,000
2	MERIT RATED 70 HANDICAP	1700m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 70 HANDICAP	1200m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 50 HANDICAP	1100m	\$7,000
5	NOVICE PLATE	1600m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE	1700m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN PLATE	1100m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

**MASHONALAND
TURF CLUB**

**SUNDAY
28 JANUARY 2018**

GROSS STAKES:

\$50,000

NOMINATIONS:

10h30 Wednesday

17 January 2018

WEIGHTS & DRAWS:

12h00 Thursday

18 January 2018

FINAL ACCEPTANCES:

10h30 Monday

22 January 2018

RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	GUINEAS TRIAL A Merit Rated Handicap open to all 3 year olds Maximum weight 61kg <i>Apprentice allowance may be claimed</i>	1600m	\$8,000
2	MERIT RATED 90 HANDICAP	1800m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 65 HANDICAP	1900m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 60 HANDICAP	1260m	\$7,000
5	MERIT RATED 50 HANDICAP	1600m	\$7,000
6	Maiden Juvenile Plate	900m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN PLATE	1200m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

**MASHONALAND
TURF CLUB**

**SUNDAY
11 FEBRUARY 2018**

GROSS STAKES:

\$50,000

NOMINATIONS:

10h30 Wednesday 31 January 2018

WEIGHTS & DRAWS:

12h00 Thursday 01 February 2018

FINAL ACCEPTANCES:

10h30 Monday 05 February 2018

RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	FILLIES CLASSIC For all 3 year old fillies to carry 58kg 1st LEG TRIPLE TIARA <i>Apprentice allowance may be claimed</i>	1600m	\$8,000
2	OPEN HANDICAP (Maximum weight 61kg)	1260m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 75 HANDICAP	1600m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 55 HANDICAP	1700m	\$7,000
5	GRADUATION PLATE	1200m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE	1900m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN PLATE	1260m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

**MASHONALAND
TURF CLUB**

**SUNDAY
25 FEBRUARY 2018**

GROSS STAKES:

\$50,000

NOMINATIONS:

10h30 Wednesday 14 February 2018

WEIGHTS & DRAWS:

12h00 Thursday 15 February 2018

FINAL ACCEPTANCES:

10h30 Monday 19 February 2018

RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	<p>MOTA IPI TOMBE STAKES (L)</p> <p>Kindly sponsored by the Mashonaland Owners and Trainers Association</p> <p>For all horses at Weight For Age</p> <p>The winner of this race will not incur a penalty of more than 5 Merit Rating points. No rating increase for placed horses.</p> <p>2ND LEG OF THE OPEN SERIES</p> <p><i>Apprentice allowance may be claimed</i></p>	1600m	\$8,000
2	MERIT RATED 75 HANDICAP	1200m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 70 HANDICAP	2400m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 55 HANDICAP	1100m	\$7,000
5	MAIDEN PLATE (F&M)	1600m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE	1200m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE	1000m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

**MASHONALAND
TURF CLUB**

**SUNDAY
11 MARCH 2018**

GROSS STAKES:

\$50,000

NOMINATIONS:

10h30 Wednesday 28 February 2018

WEIGHTS & DRAWS:

12h00 Thursday 01 March 2018

FINAL ACCEPTANCES:

10h30 Monday 05 March 2018

RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	<p>ZIMBABWE GUINEAS (GR3)</p> <p>For all 3 year olds Colts and geldings to carry 58kg Fillies to carry 55.5kg</p> <p>1st LEG OF THE TRIPLE CROWN</p> <p><i>No apprentice allowance</i></p>	1600m	\$8,000
2	MERIT RATED 70 HANDICAP	1450m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 60 HANDICAP	1600m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 50 HANDICAP	1800m	\$7,000
5	MERIT RATED 50 HANDICAP	1260m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE	1700m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN PLATE	1000m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

MASHONALAND TURF CLUB		SUNDAY 25 MARCH 2018	
GROSS STAKES:		\$50,000	
NOMINATIONS:		10h30 Wednesday 14 March 2018	
WEIGHTS & DRAWS:		12h00Thursday	15 March 2018
FINAL ACCEPTANCES:		10h30 Monday	19 March 2018
RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	<p>BREEDERS CHAMPIONS CUP (L)</p> <p>Open to all 3yrs and older. Stayers Pinnacle Plate.</p> <p>MR95 and above = 60kg MR90-94 = 58kg MR85-89 = 56kg MR80-84 = 54kg MR75-79 = 52kg MR74 and below =50kg</p> <p>Weights for Age allowance applicable Fillies and mares granted 2.5kg</p> <p>If at the time of final declarations, the top weight is less than 60kg, then it shall be raised to that weight and all the other weights shall be raised accordingly.</p> <p>The winner of this race will not incur a penalty of more than 5 Merit Rated points No rating increase for placed horses.</p> <p><i>Apprentice allowance may be claimed</i></p> <p>3rd LEG OF THE OPEN SERIES SERIES</p>	2000m	\$8,000
2	<p>SILVER SLIPPER (L)</p> <p>For all 3 year old fillies to carry 58kg</p> <p><i>Apprentice allowance may be claimed</i></p> <p>2nd LEG OF THE TRIPLE TIARA</p>	1800m	\$7,000

**MASHONALAND
TURF CLUB**

**SUNDAY
25 MARCH 2018**

GROSS STAKES:

\$50,000

NOMINATIONS:

10h30 Wednesday 14 March 2018

WEIGHTS & DRAWS:

12h00 Thursday 15 March 2018

FINAL ACCEPTANCES:

10h30 Monday 19 March 2018

RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
3	MERIT RATED 80 HANDICAP	1260m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 55 HANDICAP	1700m	\$7,000
5	NOVICE PLATE	1200m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE	1600m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE	1100m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

MASHONALAND TURF CLUB		SUNDAY 01 APRIL 2018	
GROSS STAKES:		\$50,000	
NOMINATIONS:		10h30 Wednesday	21 March 2018
WEIGHTS & DRAWS:		12h00 Thursday	22 March 2018
FINAL ACCEPTANCES:		10h30 Monday	26 March 2018
RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	ZIMBABWE STAYERS 2000 (GR 3) For all 3 year olds Colts and geldings to carry 58kg Fillies to carry 55.5kg <i>No apprentice allowance</i> <i>2nd LEG OF THE TRIPLE CROWN</i>	2000m	\$8,000
2	MERIT RATED 75 HANDICAP	1800m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 75 HANDICAP	1100m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 65 HANDICAP	1600m	\$7,000
5	MERIT RATED 60 HANDICAP	1000m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE	2000m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN PLATE	1200m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

**MASHONALAND
TURF CLUB**

**SUNDAY
15 APRIL 2018**

GROSS STAKES:

\$50,000

NOMINATIONS:

10h30 Wednesday 04 April 2018

WEIGHTS & DRAWS:

12h00 Thursday 05 April 2017

FINAL ACCEPTANCES:

10h30 Monday 09 April 2018

RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	<p>INDEPENDENCE TROPHY Kindly sponsored by the President's Fund</p> <p>Open to all 3 year olds and older 3 year olds 54.0kg (No Penalties) 4 year olds and above 54.0kg (Plus Penalties) Fillies and mares granted 2.5kg</p> <p>Penalties will be incurred for the period 06 April 2015 to 09 April 2016 inclusive as follows:</p> <p>2kg for each win in a Feature Race 1kg for each win in any other race</p> <p>Maximum penalty 6kg</p> <p>Weights may not be increased if at the time of final acceptance the top weight is less than 60kg.</p> <p><i>Apprentice allowance may be claimed</i></p>	1600m	\$8,000
2	MERIT RATED 55 HANDICAP	2000m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 55 HANDICAP	1260m	\$7,000
4	GRADUATION PLATE	1600m	\$7,000
5	MAIDEN PLATE	1800m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE	1000m	\$7,000
7	JUVENILE STAKES/PLATE	1000m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

MASHONALAND TURF CLUB		SUNDAY 29 APRIL 2018	
GROSS STAKES:		\$50,000	
NOMINATIONS:		10h30 Tuesday	17 April 2018
WEIGHTS & DRAWS:		12h00 Tuesday	17 April 2018
FINAL ACCEPTANCES:		10h30 Monday	23 April 2018
RACE	DESCRIPTION	DISTANCE	STAKE
1	ZIM DERBY (GR3) For all 3 year olds Colts and geldings to carry 58kg Fillies to carry 55.5kg 3RD LEG OF THE TRIPLE CROWN No apprentice allowance	2400m	\$8,000
2	MERIT RATED 80 HANDICAP	1800m	\$7,000
3	MERIT RATED 65 HANDICAP	1100m	\$7,000
4	MERIT RATED 50 HANDICAP	1600m	\$7,000
5	MAIDEN PLATE	1600m	\$7,000
6	MAIDEN PLATE (F&M)	1200m	\$7,000
7	MAIDEN JUVENILE PLATE	1100m	\$7,000
			\$50,000

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Owners and Trainers are reminded of the following details regarding the use of the track at Borrowdale Park for training purposes and starting stall practise.

1. On each Monday morning the starting stalls will be placed at a position deemed fit by the Course Manager, for all horses for schooling and starting stall certificates.
2. Starting stalls will be placed at the 800 metre mark reverse way from 07h00 to 08h30 or the 800 metre mark up the straight for schooling and unraced horses from 07h00 to 08h30.
Where this facility is used for:
 - (a) Tractability – no charge will be levied.
 - (b) Unraced Horses – One schoolmaster will be allowed for up to four horses. These gallops will be confined to the “dolled” off sections.
3. With regard to feature races the course will be open for all gallops on the Monday (or nearest working day) prior to the race, to enable final acceptors to work with one working companion in the “dolled’ off sections of the main course only. The feature races covered in this programme are:

HACHIMAN SPRINT

GUINEAS TRIAL

FILLIES CLASSIC

MOTA IPI TOMBE STAKES (L)

ZIMBABWE GUINEAS (GR 3)

BREEDERS CHAMPIONS CUP (L)

SILVER SLIPPER (L)

ZIMBABWE STAYERS 2000 (GR 3)

INDEPENDENCE TROPHY

ZIMBABWE DERBY (GR 3)

4. Private Gallops (Monday) – When designated by the ROR, the main course will be open only in the “dolled” off section of the main course. The quota will be governed at 20% of each Trainers yard.
5. Private Gallops (After Racing) – Must be cleared with the Course and Grounds Manager no later than 1100hrs on the day of the Race meeting.

It is emphasised that the use of the course will AT ALL TIMES be subject to the discretion of the Course Manager and weather permitting.

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