



## 2021 SA Sprint Series

Heat	Date	Venue	Value	Race	Distance
Heat 1	Sun 14 March	Kimba at Port Lincoln	\$16,800	Benchmark 80	1210m
Heat 2	Wed 17 March	Balaklava	\$21,800	Benchmark 62	1050m
Heat 3	Sat 27 March	Morphettville	\$37,250	NMW (BM 70)	1050m
Heat 4	Sat 3 April	Oakbank	\$52,250	Benchmark 72	1100m
Heat 5	Sun 4 April	Penola	\$16,800	Benchmark 62	1100m
Heat 6	Sat 10 April	Morphettville	\$37,250	Benchmark 60	1100m
Heat 7	Sun 11 April	Port Augusta	\$16,800	Benchmark 62	1100m
Heat 8	Wed 14 April	Naracoorte	\$21,800	Benchmark 62	1000m
Heat 9	Sat 17 April	Morphettville	\$52,250	Benchmark 78	1050m
Heat 10	Sun 18 April	Strathalbyn	\$21,800	Benchmark 58	1200m
Heat 11	Wed 21 April	Murray Bridge	\$21,800	Benchmark 54	1000m
Heat 12	Sat 24 April	Morphettville Parks	\$52,250	Benchmark 78	1000m
Heat 13	Sun 25 April	Gawler	\$21,800	Benchmark 68	1100m
Heat 14	Wed 28 April	Balaklava	\$21,800	0 - 62	1050m
FINAL	Sat 8 May	Morphettville	\$102,250	Benchmark 82	1100m

Horses must compete in at least one heat to be eligible for the Final.  
Programming of heats is subject to change.

### Points and conditions for each race in the series

Points for each race in the Series will be allocated on the following basis:

1st	10 points
2nd	5 points
3rd	3 points
4th	2 points
All other starters	1 point

In the event of a dead heat points will be divided.

Should any race in the Series be cancelled or abandoned for any reason after the declaration of acceptance all acceptors (not including scratchings, ballots or emergencies not gaining a run) will be allocated 1 point and will have been deemed to have competed in a heat.

### Owner's Bonus

A Bonus of \$5,000 will be awarded to the owner/owners of the horse accruing the highest number of points during the series.

If the point score is equal at the end of the Series a countback will take place. The horse with the most wins in the Series will be declared the winner. If still equal the horse with the most second placings will be declared the winner, failing that the horse with the most thirds. Should the horses still remain tied the bonus will be split.

For the purpose of the Bonus, the Series includes both the heats and the Final.

### Ballot conditions for the final

1. Horses will be balloted in order of points accrued in the heats commencing with those horses with the least amount of points.
2. Horses accruing the same total points shall be eliminated according to the provisions of LR 16.2.
3. Should any horse win two or more heats such horse shall be automatically exempt from the ballot on the Final.