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## Maz Compton new face of Balaklava Cup

Nova 91.9 breakfast radio presenter Maz Compton has been named as the face of the Balaklava Cup for 2012.

On September 5, Maz will join 13,000-plus racegoers at the state's largest country race meeting to host proceedings as the event's official ambassador.

Balaklava Racing Club Chief Executive Officer Doug Hall said Maz's youthful touch made her the right fit for the job.

"We're thrilled to have Maz on board as our ambassador," he said.

"The Balaklava Cup is a popular event among young racegoers and Maz is especially good at connecting with the younger generation.

"She has a track record as one of the country's best entertainment reporters and is a breath of fresh air when it comes to public speaking."

Maz is the current host of Nova 91.9 Adelaide's breakfast program together with Shane Lowe and Dan Debuf, but has more than ten years' experience as a TV presenter, radio announcer and entertainment reporter.

She has delivered live broadcasts across the world and interviewed some of the best known international music artists.

On July 27, Maz's official duties will commence at the Balaklava Cup media launch at The Lakes Resort, West Lakes.

On Cup day she will help judge the Fashion at The Races automatic qualifying event, where one person will be selected to represent the Balaklava region at the State Final in 2013 and enter the running to win a MINI Ray.

The Balaklava Cup is the largest country thoroughbred racing event in South Australia with over 60 corporate and private marquees, 90 TAB facilities, 17 bookmakers and a range of food and beverage outlets.

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