

MEDIA RELEASE



THOROUGHBRED RACING SA

MEDIA INFORMATION

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2016 Quorn Cup cancellation

The following can be attributed to Nick Redin, Chief Operating Officer, Thoroughbred Racing SA:

On 27 March 2016 a track inspection was conducted by Thoroughbred Racing SA stewards and a jockey representative at the Quorn Jockey Club. A number of safety issues were identified during the course of the inspection.

It was evident that these issues would not all be rectified in time for the June 4 Cup. As a result, the Thoroughbred Racing SA Board has made the decision not to race at Quorn this year to provide the Club with sufficient time to address the track issues prior to recommencing racing in 2017.

The safety of our jockeys and horses is always paramount.

The 2017 Quorn Cup is part of our published race dates for the upcoming 2016/17 racing season. We will work closely with the Quorn Racing Club to rectify the issues to ensure the Quorn Cup will go ahead in 2017.

We are currently looking at alternative options to see if this year's meeting can be held elsewhere to preserve the number of meetings held in the region; however details are yet to be confirmed.

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