

TRIALS INFORMATION

(Including Points System for Maiden Races)

NORTHERN

OCTOBER

6	Tue	Ruakaka
15	Thur	Avondale
20	Tue	Waipa
27	Tue	Taupo

NOVEMBER

5	Thur	Waipa
12	Thur	Ellerslie (inside track)
18	Wed-	
19	Thur	Ready To Run sales
24	Tue	Cambridge

TRIALS FEE SCHEDULE

60 to 99 Starters	Fee to be advised by Club after consultation with NZTR
100 to 120 Starters	\$127.27 (incl. GST)
121 to 140 Starters	\$121.13 (incl. GST)
141 plus Starters	\$115.00 (incl. GST)

CENTRAL

OCTOBER

6	Tue	Otaki
27	Tue	Foxton

NOVEMBER

17	Tue	Foxton
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DECEMBER

1	Tue	Waverley
8	Tue	Foxton

TRIALS FEE SCHEDULE

40 to 59 Starters	\$126.50 (incl. GST)
60 to 80 Starters	\$115.00 (incl. GST)
81 to 99 Starters	\$109.25 (incl. GST)
100 plus Starters	\$103.50 (incl. GST)

SOUTHERN

OCTOBER

13	Tue	Rangiora
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NOVEMBER

5	Thur	Ashburton
24	Tue	Rangiora

DECEMBER

8	Tue	Riccarton Park
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JANUARY

14	Thur	Ashburton
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TRIALS FEE SCHEDULE

\$141.50 (incl. GST)

POINTS SYSTEM FOR MAIDEN RACES

The following is an explanation of the points system used for field selection for maiden races:

Raceday 2nd add 2 points – minimum 7 points, maximum 9 points

Raceday 3rd add 1 point – minimum 6 points, maximum 9 points

Raceday 4th minimum 5 points – if presently higher stays as is

Raceday 5th minimum 2 points – if presently higher stays as is

Raceday 6th in one of a horse's first 3 starts will accrue 1 point. This is not accumulative.

- 1 point to be deleted for every unplaced run (6th or worse), after 3 unplaced runs points revert to zero.
- Any Maiden horses rated 45 that win a trial receive 2 points. Points are not cumulative.
- Fell, brought down, pulled up, ran off, disqualified and lost rider are ignored.
- An unplaced run in a Group or Listed race is ignored.

Examples:

0287..... 5 points 766..... 1 point 4565..... 4 points

8202..... 8 points 3908..... 0 points 006..... 1 point

4522..... 9 points 0499..... 3 points 2005..... 5 points

9984..... 5 points 4564..... 5 points 2434..... 8 points

TRIALS BALLOTING CONDITIONS

In the event that the number of entries for a trial meeting means that the number of heats exceed 30, then the following elimination conditions will apply:

1. When programming trials, preference will be given to those events that were eliminated at the previous trials meeting in the Northern Region.
2. In August, September & October, Maiden four year olds and upwards will be eliminated first starting with the longest distance. If further eliminations are required the next horses to be eliminated will be Maiden three year olds starting with the longest distance. In the months of November through July (inclusive) Maidens will be eliminated first starting with the longest distance.
3. Exemptions regarding longer distance heats will be considered if there is a need to accommodate horses preparing for jumping races.
4. When trial fields are compiled in the months of November through July (inclusive) three & four year old+ Maiden heats will be combined. In August, September & October, three & four year old+ Maiden heats will be programmed separately.
5. If the deletion of heats is necessary at 12pm, the fields will remain open for a further 30 minutes. The trainers of eliminated horses will be advised via text and/or email to be given an opportunity to move their horse or horses into a heat for which they are eligible, and in which there is an available position, notwithstanding the starting limits that apply. This will be done on a first come first served basis.
6. Once the fields have closed, no further entries will be received or horses swapped except in extreme circumstances, such as a horse being placed in an incorrect heat by the NRB.
7. The Scratching time will be 7:30am on trial days.

SCRATCHING FEE

A scratching fee will apply to any horse that is scratched from a trial meeting after the nomination deadline has passed.

The scratching fee will be the applicable starters fee.

The scratching fee will be waived in the following circumstances:

- A veterinary certificate is received by NZTR by 12 noon on the first business day after the trial meeting.
- A horse starts at a race meeting within 5 days of the scheduled trial meeting.
- The track conditions move two bands in either direction after the nominations have closed. E.g. Good - Slow, Dead - Heavy and vice versa.
- A horse is late scratched at the barrier on veterinary advice.
- The Club requests that NZTR remove the fees from any horse.



PEARL/NZ FILLIES & MARES BONUS STAKE RACES SERIES 2018-19

NORTHERN

Avondale	Wed 7/10	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Tauranga	Wed 14/10	Mdn 1200 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Te Aroha	Wed 28/10	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Counties	Sat 31/10	R65 1200 F&M \$22.5k	\$20,000
Avondale	Wed 4/11	Mdn 1600 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Te Aroha	Tue 10/11	Mdn 1200 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Rotorua	Tue 17/11	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Tauranga	Fri 11/12	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Counties	Wed 16/12	Mdn 1200 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Rotorua	Mon 28/12	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500

CENTRAL

Otaki-Maori	Thur 5/11	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Taranaki	Fri 20/11	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Hawke's Bay	Wed 9/12	Mdn 1200 3yoF \$10k	\$11,500
Manawatu	Sat 26/12	R65 1200 \$22.5k	\$20,000
Taranaki	Tue 29/12	Mdn 1200 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Hawke's Bay	Fri 1/1	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Otaki	Mon 4/1	Mdn 1200 F&M \$10k	\$11,500

SOUTHERN

Winton	Mon 26/10	R65 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Ashburton	Thur 29/10	R65 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Ashburton	Thur 29/10	Mdn 1200 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Central Otago	Fri 27/11	Mdn 1400 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Ashburton	Thur 17/12	Mdn 1200 2yo+ F&M \$10k	\$11,500
South Canterbury	Mon 28/12	R65 1600 F&M \$10k	\$11,500
Kumara	Sat 9/1	Mdn 1150 2yo + F&M \$10k	\$11,500

2YO PEARL BONUS STAKE RACES - SERIES 2020

NORTHERN

Waikato	Sat 7/11	2YO 1000 SWP \$22.5k	\$8,000
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CENTRAL

Manawatu	Sat 19/12	2YO 1100 SWP \$22.5k	\$8,000
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SOUTHERN

Canterbury	Sat 24/10	2YO 800 SWP \$22.5k	\$8,000
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Conditions: If there is a race where fillies and mares are required to run against male horses NZTR will pay the usual Pearl bonuses if the first filly/mare home (official placings) is Pearl nominated.