

# OUTBACK

## Racing Showcase

# 2018

### FINAL

**Richmond Turf Club**  
**Saturday 16 June 2018**

1400m – Open Handicap  
(No allowances for Apprentices)

\$30,000 Prize Money

Stake Breakdown  
\$18,300, \$6,150 \$3,150, \$1,500, \$900

### HEATS

**14/04/2018**

Julia Creek TC Open Handicap 1350m

**21/04/2018**

North Gregory TC Open Plate (SW) 1400m

**5/05/2018**

Barcaldine RC Tree of Knowledge  
Open Hcp 1600m

**5/05/2018**

Gregory Downs JC Gregory Downs  
Cup Open Handicap 1300m

**26/05/2018**

Mount Isa RC Open Plate (SW) 1450m

*Refer to the Race Magazine for individual  
prizemoney for the heats listed above.*

### SERIES CONDITIONS

Aggregated points scored in the Heats, according to horses' placing(s), will determine the composition of the field in the final, if a ballot becomes necessary.

**HEATS' POINTS ALLOCATION:** 1st – 10 Points, 2nd – 8 Points, 3rd – 7 Points, 4th – 6 Points, 5th – 5 Points, 6th – 4 Points, 7th – 3 Points, 8th – 2 Points and Others – 1 Point

In the event of a heat of this series being abandoned or declared a "no-race", final acceptors remaining in the field for such heat, at the time of such abandonment or declaration of "no-race", shall be allocated one (1) point. In the event of a dead-heat in the heats, the qualifying points will be combined and evenly divided between the dead-heated horses.

To be eligible to compete in the final, a horse must have competed in a minimum of five races at non-TAB meetings in the period 15/6/17 to 14/6/18.

### SERIES BALLOTING CONDITIONS

**HEATS:** Racing Queensland balloting conditions for Ratings Based Handicap Races will apply in all heats of this series.

**SERIES FINAL RACE:** Excess horses, if any, shall be balloted in the following order:

- Horses that have not earned points in the series, according to Racing Queensland Balloting Conditions for Ratings Based Handicap Races
- Horses that have earned points in the series – with horses with the least number of points first
- In the event of two or more horses having an equal number of points, preference will be given to the horse with the highest Racing Queensland official rating
- Horses on equal points and the same Racing Queensland official rating will be eliminated in order of total advertised prize money received in flat races, with lowest first
- Horses on equal points, the same Racing Queensland official rating and equal total prize money received in flat races will be eliminated by lot

In assessing prize money amounts won by a horse, race bonuses from any source will not be taken into account.

Any horse that wins a heat in the series, as long as otherwise eligible, shall be exempt from the ballot in the final.

Subject to the above balloting conditions, a horse that has not competed in a series heat may start in the final of the series.

It is a requirement to nominate for the final i.e. horses will not be automatically nominated, irrespective of the number of points accrued in the heats.