



ROA TODAY

NEWSLETTER

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From the desk of the CEO

Dear Members

Welcome to the October edition of ROA Today.

This month sees many changes to the ROA as we bid a sad farewell to three of our long-standing members of the ROA team. Merle Parker, who has been with us for nearly 20 years and has dedicated even more to this industry, will be retiring at the end of October. Merle reflects on her time in the industry on page 7.

I personally want to thank Merle for her unwavering support and mentorship. She has been an integral part of our team and deserves to put her feet up, relax and enjoy her retirement. Although, knowing Merle as I do, I'm sure that she will be keeping busy by continuing to do things she is passionate about and making a difference in people's lives.

Penny Morsner and Angie Basel will also be leaving us at the end of October and I take this opportunity to thank them for all of their dedicated service over the years. I've really valued our collaborations and am proud of what our team has accomplished. On behalf of the Board and the staff of the ROA, I wish them both all the best in their future endeavours.

This Friday, the 28th of October sees the running of the TAB4Racing Algoa Cup (L) and the Racehorse Owners Association Stakes (L) over 1600m. The ROA will once again be hosting its members with runners in these two feature races in the Bold Silvano Room on the day.

Feature racing then moves to the Highveld on Saturday with no less than 6 feature races to be run at Turffontein. The Allied Steelrode - Onamission Charity Mile (G2) run over 1600m is the main feature on the day. Other feature races are the Allied Steelrode Graham Beck Stakes (G3), the HSH Princess Charlene Starling Stakes (G3), the 4Racing Yellowwood Handicap (G3), The Citizen Golden Loom Handicap (L) and the Java Stakes (L). This charity raceday always provides something special and we are delighted that the charity element has returned as we move forward with an unrestricted racing programme. The HSH Princess Charlene Starling Stakes is run in honour of Princess Charlene of Monaco and the ROA was proud to announce this week that due to the Princess's passion for charity and in line with the spirit of the day, another two charities, both of whom have benefited in the past from the Royal Race Day event, will receive R50 000 each donated by HSH Princess Charlene in her personal capacity. We are extremely grateful for this generosity and hope that such gestures will inspire others to contribute to these worthy causes in future. We are proud to be part of this initiative which combines racing and philanthropy and we look forward to an exciting and profitable day's racing.

This month I am pleased to announce a change to the criteria for the Equus Media Award: Still Photography. After careful consideration and discussion by the Equus Steering Committee, it was decided to include a theme around the photography

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award. The theme for the 2022/2023 season is "The Need For Speed". We wanted to make sure that participants were notified early in the season and we encourage all photographers to submit their choices according to this theme. We look forward to receiving your entries and are confident that once again, the work entered will be of the highest standard.

In closing I would like to wish all of our members well and as we move closer to the end of 2022, we have much to reflect on. I am excited for the feature season ahead and to witness all of the inspiring equine achievements yet to come. See you at the races.




Natalie Turner
CEO



4 RACING

Stage is set for Johannesburg's special Allied Steelrode On A Mission Charity Mile race day

Johannesburg's most meaningful and special race day, the R800 000 Allied Steelrode On A Mission Charity Mile, takes place at Turffontein Racecourse this Saturday 29 October and the true winners will be the 16 charity beneficiaries of the race.

Each of the 16 runners competing in the Grade 2 race over 1600m on the Standside track at Turffontein on Saturday were paired at today's official draw with a charity, who will each receive a payout based on where their horse finishes in the race.

As part of its sponsorship of this prestigious race, global steel manufacturer Allied Steelrode On A Mission have made R500,000 available to be shared by the 16 deserving Johannesburg charities.

This will range all the way from R200,000 for the charity whose horse wins the Charity Mile main race and a minimum of no less than R20,000 for the charity whose horse finishes in last position.

Each charity was present at the official draw today and a representative from that charity was allowed to draw for one of the runners in the race.

Speaking on behalf of sponsors Allied Steelrode, its CEO Arun Chadha said that as a company they have always been involved in supporting charity initiatives.

"What better way for us to do it than with a passion we have, which is horseracing. Good luck to all the charities, they are all going to be winners some way or another. So, let's hope we can carry this Charity Mile on and maybe have more races and more charities involved in the future," said Chadha.

"We are excited as 4Racing to see Allied Steelrode On A Mission back for the next running of the Charity Mile. It is fantastic to see the event returning to its charity tradition and to see Arun Chadha and Warne Rippon throwing their might behind the event, especially in terms of supporting the charities. We are looking forward to a wonderful day and the charities are all excited about their horse's chances," said 4Racing Chief Operating Officer, Colin Gordon.

Horses from the Mike de Kock yard dominate the race as he will saddle four runners which include Grade 1 Daily News 2000 winner Safe Passage and Grade 1 HF Oppenheimer Horse Chestnut Stakes champion MK's Pride, who will be having

the first run for his stable.

Also in the field is last year's winner Bingwa, who has drawn in pole position and has Gavin Lerena in the irons.

Another special element of the event this year will be the Her Serene Highness Princess Charlene Starling Stakes Grade 3 being run on Saturday on the race card at Turffontein, with Princess Charlene of Monaco making a personal charitable contribution on the day.

"In the spirit of the race day and the Princess's passion for charities, the Racehorse Owners Association is proud to announce that together with HSH Princess Charlene, donations of R50 000 each will be made to the following two charities; The Earth Centre and The United Cerebral Palsy Association of SA," said Natalie Turner, Chief Executive at the Racehorse Owners Association.





The final field and charities for the R800,000 Allied Steelrode Onamission Charity Mile (Grade 2) over 1600m at Turffontein on Saturday 29 October:

- 1 – 10 ASTRIX (J J van Vuuren) R Simons 61.5
- 2 – 2 MK'S PRIDE (M F De Kock) M Yeni 60.0
- 3 – 4 SAFE PASSAGE (M F De Kock) G van Niekerk 59.5
- 4 – 19 PUERTO MANZANO (J J van Vuuren) K de Melo 59.0
- 5 – 1 BINGWA (J J van Vuuren) G Lerena 58.0
- 6 – 9 RED SAXON (J A Soma) S Khumalo 56.5
- 7 – 8 HOEDSPRUIT (J S Snaith) R Fourie 56.0
- 8 – 15 PYROMANIAC (S G Tarry) C Habib 53.5
- 9 – 11 HOMELY GIRL (J J van Vuuren) M V'Rensburg 52.5
- 10 – 14 FOREVER MINE (M F De Kock) J P v'd Merwe 52.0
- 11 – 12 AFTER THE RAIN (G van Zyl Jnr) D De Gouveia 52.0
- 12 – 3 HUMDINGER (M F De Kock) R Munger 52.0
- 13 – 18 IRISH TRACTOR (B Crawford) K Matsunyane 52.0
- 14 – 5 WILLOW EXPRESS (S G Tarry) J Mariba 52.0
- 15 – 7 LITIGATION (S G Tarry) C Maujean 52.0
- 16 – 6 INDLAMU (S G Tarry) K A Brewer 52.0

- Little Rose Centre
- SARDA Centre
- San Michele Home
- Joburg Child Welfare
- Epworth Children's Home
- Door Of Hope
- The Hamlet School
- TAG Foundation
- Highveld Horsecare Unit
- Angel Baby Sanctuary
- St Francis Care Centre
- Soweto Equestrian Centre
- Cotlands
- Thusanani Children's Foundation
- Tembisa Child Welfare
- Ekukhanyeni Childhood Development

Reserve Runners

- 17 – 17 CORNISH POMODORO (S G Tarry) Reserve 1 52.5
 - 18 – 16 VANDERBILT (R Klaasen) Reserve 2 52.0
 - 19 – 13 EXPRESSFROMTHEUS (W C Marwing) Reserve 3 52.0
- Same Trainer: (1,4,5,9) (2,3,10,12) (8,14,15,16,17)

Representatives from all 16 beneficiary charities participated in the official draw for the Allied Steelrode On A Mission Charity Mile at Turffontein today. Picture: JC Photos / 4Racing



4 RACING

4Racing concludes exclusive global television rights deal with Cape Racing

4Racing has concluded an exclusive multi-year agreement with Kenilworth Racing (Pty) Ltd to continue to sell and distribute all of Cape Racing's race meetings globally.

4Racing.TV will continue to produce all the live racing coverage from both Hollywoodbets Kenilworth and Hollywoodbets Durbanville and distribute this locally and internationally, along with its own local and international racing content.

Locally, 4Racing has also reached agreement for Cape Racing's content to go on to GallopTV, alongside the existing distribution to bookmakers and retail on 4Racing.TV's Global Racing 1 Channel and direct to consumers via Racing 240 and www.4racing.tv.

Cape Racing's major Grade 1 events, such as the L'Ormarins King's Plate and World Sports Betting Cape Town Met, will also feature on SABC 3 as part of 4Racing's exclusive agreement with the public broadcaster, boosted by features and ancillary content on Racing Today on SABC Sport.

4Racing's Head of Licensing and Broadcast, Stephen Watson, said: "We are delighted to have reached agreement with Greg Bortz and the Cape Racing Executive. This rights deal is a significant one for the licensing and distribution of our collective South African horseracing broadcast product. It also offers mutually beneficial commercial benefits and cost efficiencies, through the continued offering of a united racing product locally and internationally. We value the trust and collaborative approach from both Cape Racing and 4Racing in

maximising this opportunity for the benefit of South African horseracing and all its stakeholders".

Greg Bortz, Chairman of Cape Racing, added "We are very pleased with our new broadcast partnership with 4Racing.TV, for numerous reasons. First, the quality of their TV production continues to go from strength to strength. Second, our Cape product will also be shown on GallopTV, thus widening the local footprint. Third, it reinforces what we have said all along, namely that unity within our industry countrywide is essential for our collective survival and success. Furthermore, given that all of racing is on Racing 240, and Cape Racing is also on GallopTV, we are pleased that the operators are working well together to put the owners' and punters' needs in the forefront."

Commenting on the deal during her attendance at the World Tote Association's General Assembly in London, 4Racing CEO Fundi Sithebe said the agreement between 4Racing and Cape Racing was hugely significant.

"Having spent the weekend networking with our international partners and fellow World Tote Association members, it's clear that our South African horseracing product is highly valued and well consumed around the world. The continued production and collective distribution of 4Racing and Cape Racing's product internationally, as well as the other Sub-Saharan African jurisdictions we are supporting, allows us to showcase Africa's racing globally, serve our punters and generate key forex revenues to contribute to the rebuilding and growth of racing," said Sithebe.

4Racing.TV will continue to produce and distribute all Cape Racing race meetings, such as the showpiece World Sports Betting Cape Town Met, after reaching an exclusive global distribution deal with Kenilworth Racing (Pty) Ltd.





CAPE RACING

Kenilworth Racing Change of Chair

Following on from previous announcements regarding the proposed transactions involving Kenilworth Racing (Pty) Ltd ("KR") and Gregory Bortz's investment vehicle, GMB Investment (Pty) Ltd ("GMB"), KR is pleased to announce that all the necessary agreements between GMB and KR have been successfully concluded. This has enabled the flow of funding from GMB to sustain the amazing sport of horse racing in the Western Cape and more importantly puts KR in a safe, stable position going forward.



Over the past three months there have been numerous positive changes effected at KR. The tremendous sponsorship from Hollywoodbets, together with the GMB capital infusion, and most importantly the additions to the management team, has raised the racing experience on course beyond expectations. The influx of horses, trainers, grooms and owners bears testament to the innovative racing initiatives designed to attract the best to compete for the sizable prize money on offer in the Cape Summer Season. KR looks forward to exciting racing events throughout the summer.

This current positive environment did not seem possible a few years back. After Phumulela's filing for business rescue, it did not appear likely that KR would survive. It took tireless, thankless work and efforts from the KR board and management to navigate those choppy waters. Board

members who were part of that journey deserve a specific mention for getting the business to this point. Were it not for their efforts, there would not have been a business for GMB (and in the future, post the necessary regulatory consents, Hollywoodbets) to save.

So with the safety of KR secured, the changing of the guard is inevitable and so too the KR Board construct. To ensure a seamless transition to build the momentum created in the Western Cape, Bradley Ralph will step down as Chairman of KR and hand over the reins to Greg Bortz as the incoming Chairman. Bradley has committed more than just his time and emotional energy to ensuring the survival of KR and we would like to thank him for his service on the board and thankless devotion and effort over the past four years, of which the last two were as Chair.

Added Greg Bortz, "It has been an absolute pleasure working with Brad over the past few months. His calm demeanour, comprehensive knowledge and love of racing are just some of the reasons why KR was able to survive the last few years, despite the most challenging of environments. KR as a whole, and myself personally, look forward to maintaining our deep ties and friendship with Brad."

KR wishes Brad all the best with his future endeavours and looks forward to welcoming him back to Hollywoodbets Kenilworth and Hollywoodbets Durbanville frequently.

Kenilworth Racing

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4Racing CEO Fundi Sithebe appointed to Board of the World Tote Association



4Racing CEO, Fundi Sithebe, was today appointed to the Board of the World Tote Association at WoTA's General Assembly in London, as 4Racing continues to actively promote pool betting and the critical role it plays in supporting the global horseracing industry.

Sithebe was voted onto the WoTA Board, comprised of the world's leading horseracing industry figures, by the members of WoTA's General Assembly.

Sithebe participated in a panel session today on 'The Future of Tote Betting', alongside Michael Fitzsimons, Executive Director of Wagering Products at the Hong Kong Jockey Club, Aymeric Verlet, International Manager of the PMU (France), Keith Johnson, Chief Revenue Officer of 1st Bet Technology & Amtote (USA) and Hans Lord Skarploth, CEO of ATG (Sweden) in a session moderated by Racing Post journalist Andrew Brown.

In the session Sithebe reiterated 4Racing's position of being "bookmaker agnostic"

and said that while 4Racing was fighting to ensure the sustainability of the tote as a critically important mainstay of the industry, the operator was also open to collaboration and partnerships with bookmakers for the benefit of the broader horseracing industry.

"In our strategy we deliberately said we would partner with bookmakers, rather than considering ourselves a bookmaker competing with other bookmakers. At the end of the day what serves the industry is collaboration, it is partnership, and we can ensure integration from bookmakers into the tote and partner with bookmakers in a way that is not to the detriment of the industry," said Sithebe.

The 4Racing CEO added that digitisation of the tote products and diversifying its product offering, as it has done with for instance its soccer betting products, was critical in ensuring 4Racing and the horseracing industry's long-term sustainability.

"Our ethos is to say how do we ensure that for the safeguarding of the industry we diversify and serve the rapidly changing customer needs in the space we are in. Being voted onto the WoTA Board underlines 4Racing's commitment to the tote, off the back of the enhancements we have made to our TAB4Racing digital app. Being on the global body that seeks to positively influence the relevance of the tote is a major boost for 4Racing as we collaborate with industry leaders across the world for the sustainability of the horseracing industry," said Sithebe.

CAPTION DETAILS: 4Racing CEO Fundi Sithebe participates in a panel on 'The Future of Tote Betting', which also included Michael Fitzsimons, Executive Director of Wagering Products at the Hong Kong Jockey Club, Aymeric Verlet, International Manager of the PMU (France), Keith Johnson, Chief Revenue Officer of 1st Bet Technology & Amtote (USA) and Hans Lord Skarploth, CEO of ATG (Sweden).

Farewell to Merle Parker



Much of my adult life has been spent working in the horseracing industry and I consider it an honour and a privilege to have been associated with the Sport of Kings for many years. I relocated to Johannesburg from Port Elizabeth in 1979 and following an interview at Gosforth Park racecourse, I was appointed secretary to John Alexander. After just short of five years, I moved on to the Star Newspaper, Racing Department under Robert Garner where I worked as a statistician doing speed ratings. I rejoined John as an Executive Assistant when he was appointed CEO at Turffontein Racecourse in 1986 and in the years that followed, I held several management positions.

In 1995, Don Borchers, the General Manager at that time and I, were (acting) joint General Managers for a few months. My appointment as CEO came as a huge surprise, particularly as the industry at the time was totally male dominated. Corporatization of the industry was on the cards but my stewards supported me and my management team in providing education and training for our staff which stood them in good stead prior to the retrenchment that followed. We were also able to create better living conditions for staff members by arranging a day care centre at Turffontein Racecourse and a home loan benefit enabling them to buy houses. My success in that position was made possible partly due to my passion and determination but largely due to the support of the stewards of Turffontein Racecourse, an excellent, committed management and staff who always gave of their best as well as co-operation and support from the senior officials from other racing clubs and organizations who were always there to offer advice and support.

When I first started in the industry, we had a manual tote system, no televised racing and off course totes closed when racing commenced so patrons had to be on-course to be a part of racing. Those early masters in the industry played an enormous role in modernizing our product and today we can bet not only

on local racing but also on international racing, watch horseracing at any time and our training centres which were established in those days, offer excellent facilities.

To be a working mother in this demanding industry was not easy but I am incredibly proud of my daughter and son, Louise and Steven, who have been enormously successful in their careers. Like me, they are extremely determined and have self-belief and our motto is "never give up".

I have a dedicated passion for Turffontein Racecourse and have been grateful to serve and assist the people who I worked with. Among these associates are people who will be my friends for life. My dear "partner in crime", Penny Morsner, will be leaving on the same day as me to pursue personal interests after having served the industry for almost 28 years. I enjoy communicating almost daily with many of the colleagues who I met during my years at Turffontein. Thanks to the racing industry, I have met royalty, sporting heroes, politicians, captains of industry and celebrities. Of equal importance, I have watched many humble people work really hard to become self-supporting and achieve great things. I am pleased that in certain instances I played some small role in their successes.

I joined the Racing Association in 2003 thanks to Colin Gordon who gave me that opportunity after having been retrenched when corporatization occurred. The time has now come for me to bid farewell to my associates within the industry. I believe many will miss me as I have developed strong friendships during my time in racing and most definitely, I will look back with pride following many happy years that I have served. There has certainly been much hard work, some tears of sadness but also happiness and plenty of laughter. I was part of the celebrations in 1987 when Turffontein celebrated their centenary year and I have enjoyed seeing the thrilling finishes by champions of the turf. The two most memorable events were when London News won in Hong Kong on 13 April 1997 and when Horse Chestnut completed his illustrious career in South Africa when winning the 1999 SA Derby.

Racing is now facing yet another new beginning. I wish all leaders and participants success in this wonderful industry. If I could be so bold as to give some sound advice from the heart to the industry leaders – please try to communicate and be united for the betterment of horseracing. The livelihoods of hundreds of people employed in the equine industry depend upon your decisions.



HENRY DEVINE

Henry Devine who passed away at midnight on 15 October 2022 having achieved a century in this lifetime will be sadly missed by the South African horseracing industry. It is true gentlemen of this stature that enables thoroughbred horseracing to be recognised as "The Sport of Kings". His famous purchase Jet Master, who was in fact selected at a sale by his devoted wife Patricia, provided 17 wins and was Equus Champion sire on 5 occasions. It has been an honour and a privilege to have known and hosted Henry Devine who was a member of the Racehorse Owners Association. Our condolences to Pat, Philippa, Craig and Isabela - may his soul rest in peace.

Farewell to Ashwin Reynolds and Philip Sarembock

Both Ashwin and Philip have resigned from the Board of Racehorse Owners Association during the month of October. Philip is already on his way to his new home and environment overseas. On behalf of the ROA Board, I wish to thank Ashwin and Philip for their contributions to the Association and wish them all the very best for the future.



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ROA OWNERS OF THE MONTH

October 2022

Corne and Xander Spies

Congratulations to the Spies family – in particular – Corne and Xander who have been selected by the ROA as our Owners of the Month. This family has been involved in horseracing for three generations, having started by Tobie Spies as far back as 1978. They have been totally dedicated and given of themselves to the industry. Corne joined the ROA in 2007 and Xander followed in 2019.

They had a good win with William Robertson on Saturday 1 October at Turffontein in the R400 000 Grade 2 Top Bet Mike o' Connor Johannesburg Spring Challenge with Muzi Yeni in the saddle. William Robertson (Rafeef (Aus) – Massachusetts (SAF) by Trippi (USA) was bred at Ridgmont Highlands Stud and is owned in partnership with Mr RP Macnab, Keegan Govender and Waste Glass Recovery. Corne had a further two victories in October with Prophet winning a Progress Plate at Turffontein on 8 October and Golden Aspen winning a FM83 Handicap at the Vaal on 20 October.

Corne is a resident trainer at Randjesfontein Training Centre where he has 68 horses in his care. He started working for his father way back in 1988 and took out his trainers' licence in 2000. When asked what his most memorable victory has been he said proudly that there have been too many to single out a particular victory. Nothing shy about this man.

With all those years in the industry, racing has gone through many challenges. Corne said he firmly believes that there are a number of small initiatives that could make a difference in racing and one of those would be for the Computaforms or a similar publication to be made available to punters free



of charge. He believes that punters are reluctant to place bets when there is very limited or no information available to them to determine their selections.

As regards the purpose of the Racehorse Owners Association, we were reminded of the mission statement that is "to protect and advance the interests of all owners while ensuring an excellent racehorse ownership experience". Corne suggested that we should focus on improving and fixing stakes and he firmly believes that should we get that right, many benefits will accrue and this will improve many aspects of the industry.

► Feature Race Winners



1 October 2022 (Highveld – Turffontein)

Joburg Spring F & M Challenge (G2)

Humdinger

Trainer: Mike de Kock

Owner: International Racing Club (Nom: J da Mata),
Mrs Laura de Haast and Mr MF de Kock

Breeder: Ridgemont Highlands

Joburg Spring Challenge (G2)

William Robertson

Trainer: Corne Spies

Owner: Messrs RP Macnab, X Spies & Corne Spies Racing (Pty)
Ltd, Waste Recovery (Pty) Ltd (Nom: JH de Lange)

Breeder: Ridgemont Highlands

1 October 2022 (Western Cape – Durbanville)

Diana Stakes (G3)

Santa Maria

Trainer: Candice Bass-Robinson

Owner: Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mrs GA Rupert)

Breeder: Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mrs G A Rupert)

Matchem Stakes (G3)

Trip Of Fortune

Trainer: Candice Bass-Robinson

Owner: Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mrs GA Rupert)

Breeder: Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mrs GA Rupert)

16 October 2022 (Kwazulu-Natal – Greyville)

Sea Master

Trainer: Carl Hewitson

Owner: Mrs Laura de Haast

Breeder: Varsfontein Stud

22 October 2022 (Western Cape – Kenilworth)

Cape Classic (G3)

Charles Dickens

Trainer: Candice Bass-Robinson

Owner: Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mrs GA Rupert)

Breeder: Drakenstein Stud (Nom: Mrs G A Rupert)

Southeaster Sprint (L)

Resonate

Trainer: Candice Bass-Robinson

Owner: Messrs MI Fullard & JH Drew

Breeder: Ridgemont Highlands

Feature Races –

November 2022

DATE	KWAZULU-NATAL	WESTERN CAPE	HIGHVELD	EASTERN CAPE
Nov, 5		Cape Mile G3 Laissefaire Stakes LR Woolavington Stakes LR	Victory Moon Stakes G3 Gardenia Stakes LR	
Nov, 6	Model Man Mile LR			
Nov, 8			Work Riders Race Day	
Nov, 12		Western Cape Fillies Championship G2 The Bantry Bay Stakes NB	Fillies Mile G3	
Nov, 18				November Stakes NB
Nov, 19		Selangor Cup G2 Sophomore Sprint LR Summer Bowl NB		
Nov, 25				Glendore Sprint NB
Nov, 26			Summer Cup G1 Dingaans G2 Ipi Tombe Challenge G2 Merchants G3 Magnolia Hcp G3 Racing Association Stayers LR	



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David Blaai

David Blaai is a 50yr old man from Tsolo. He has been with us for 28 years. David is a quiet gentle groom who has looked after our top horses in the past, including the likes of Golden Hoard. At the moment he has had a lucky run by looking after Humdinger and also Iphiko. - "Mike de Kock"



Louis Sekhokho

Louis Sekhokho is an integral member of the Spies Stable. He joined the yard in 2013 and is a capable horseman having played an important role in many of our winners, remarked Corne Spies. In all probability, his crowning moment was victory by William Robertson at the start of October. He was overcome with excitement and is now on leave taking a well-deserved break.

Competition Time



"All ROA Members in good standing are invited to enter a competition to win a voucher towards a framed on-course photo in any region.

In order to enter, kindly send an email through to natalie@racingassociation.co.za with your name and contact details by midnight on 23 November 2022. All eligible entries will be entered into a random draw and the winner will be announced in the November edition of ROA Today!

T's and C's apply

Competition Winner

The winner of the complimentary table for 6 guests at either **the Elevation Room** (Turffontein Racecourse), **The 1881 Lounge** (Kenilworth Racecourse) or **The Bold Silvano Room** (Fairview Racecourse), is

Garth Towell

Congratulations on your win!

Welcome to new ROA member:

Mr HB Beukes



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Vaal Racecourse

Contact: info@racingassociation.co.za

Fairview Racecourse

Bold Silvano Room Contact Gail on (041) 372 1859 or email gailr@4racing.com