

March 2023

From the desk of the CEO

Welcome to the March edition of ROA Today.

This month, I am extremely proud to announce a significant initiative between the ROA and 4Racing. This partnership has allowed for the provision of medical and funeral benefits to grooms working in 4Racing training facilities on the Highveld and in the Eastern Cape. We are always mindful that we need to strike a balance between Stakes maximisation for owners and plaving a meaningful role to bring about change and transformation in the industry. Turn to page 2 for more on this important story and how, by coming together, we can create real change.

Another significant partnership that has gained momentum over the last month, is that with our friends in Monaco. The Royal Raceday which takes place on Saturday, April 15th will once again be celebrated in the true spirit of charity. Turn to page 6 for more information on this exciting day as well as the opportunity to enter a raffle where all proceeds will flow directly to the charities nominated on the day.

On the Royal Raceday another ROA Super Bonus cheque will be up for grabs and I am delighted to report that we have already paid over R737 500 on the Highveld and R225 000 in the Eastern Cape to winning members in good

standing. There are still several bonus cheques to collect, and this scheme runs until the end of July 2023. I encourage members in good standing to promote this offer to their fellow owners who may not be members of the ROA as yet. For any queries and application forms please contact info@racingassociation.co.za

Racing at Turffontein this weekend is set to be an exhilarating advert for our sport. Day 3 of "The WSB Championships" or as it is affectionately known, Derby Day, takes place on Saturday with the running of the WBS Derby (G1), the H.F Oppenheimer Horse Chestnut Stakes (G1) and the Wilgerbosdrift Bridget Oppenheimer Oaks (G2). The Man O' War Sprint (G3) over 1100m and the Caradoc Gold Cup (G3) over 2850m round off the list of features on the day. Various hospitality options are still available so please don't hesitate to contact us should you want more information or to make a booking.

I am delighted to announce to members that during the month of April, we will be launching a new Whatsapp Booking Service for the Elevation Room at Turffontein. By making use of this service, you will gain access to weekly menu updates as well as special offers for members on raceday. Further details will follow in a separate communication so

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please do keep an eye on your inbox over the coming weeks.

I would like to take this opportunity to announce that the Highveld Feature Season Awards Dinner will take place on Saturday, the 20th May 2023 at Melrose Arch in Johannesburg. The event follows shortly after the culmination of the season on 29th April, Day 5 of the WSB Championships. More details on this event will follow in due course.

In closing, I would like to send warm wishes to you and your families over the upcoming holidays. Please do stay safe and enjoy the remainder of the season.



Natalie Turner CEO

Partnership between the ROA and 4Racing see the provision of Medical and Funeral Benefits for Grooms.



The ROA have partnered with 4Racing with a shared goal: to provide these workers with the support and resources they need to thrive.

It was with great enthusiasm, that 4Racing approached the ROA and together we have identified key areas that require assistance, namely medical and funeral benefits for Grooms. The team has worked over several months to create a programme that could support medical expenses and offer assistance to the Grooms in case of any accidents or illnesses. We have also sought to provide funeral services for grieving families, ensuring that Grooms' loved ones could provide a loving and dignified send-off.

During the month of March, registration drives for Grooms were held at Fairview, the Vaal, Randjesfontein and finally at Turffontein on Monday, the 27th. These events provided an opportunity to speak to this worthy initiative as well as

to 4Racing's roll-out of other important projects such as the upgrade of grooms' accommodation and most significantly the ground- breaking Grooms Trust that will give Grooms and Stable Hands a considerable stake in the 4Racing business.

We received good media coverage, and our message has been well received.



Please click here for the SABC Sports News Insert

We have scheduled 4 Wellness Days during the month of April at each training centre and I encourage any owners who would like to attend these days or to get more information on this initiative to please get in touch with us. We know that the real power of this initiative lies in the spirit of collaboration. Together, we are greater than the sum of our individual parts and by joining hands and working together we will be able to create a more

just, equitable, and supportive horseracing industry for all.

► Landmark 4Racing
Transformation Initiative sees
26% of the company transferred
to a Grooms and Employees'
Trust, along with a wide range of
historic Grooms' benefits

When the Competition Commission approved the transaction between Phumelela and 4Racing on 31 March 2021, 4Racing made a commitment to contribute to the transformation of not only the organisation, but the horse racing industry as a whole.

In December 2022, the Competition Commission approved the implementation of the 4Racing Transformation Initiative, which will see a 26% shareholding of the company apportioned between a Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Trust



(BBOS), the beneficiaries of which will be Grooms and Stable Hands, and an Employee Share Ownership Programme (ESOP) being established for 4Racing employees.

4Racing has appointed an independent Trust Administrator to handle the establishment and administration of the Grooms and Employees' Trust. A total of 16% of the company's shares will be issued to the Grooms and Stable Hands' Trust (BBOS) and 10% to 4Racing Employees (ESOP).

"Grooms are one of the most crucial parts of the horse racing industry," said 4Racing Chief Executive Officer, Fundi Sithebe.

"They are also traditionally, the most marginalised stakeholders."

"This landmark approval by the 4Racing Board of the funding for the Grooms Trust initiative is a massive moment in the history of South African horseracing. The Grooms Trust will genuinely empower Grooms and Stable Hands and we are extremely proud of the progressive

steps being made to improve the holistic living standards of these very important stakeholders, as well as by the formation of the Employees' Trust."

▶ Upgrading of Grooms Accommodation

The 4Racing Board commissioned a property solution company to conduct a thorough assessment and investigation into the state of the Grooms accommodation at all 4Racing's racing and training facilities.

Turffontein Grooms' lodging was in need of renovations and that the Vaal were well-maintained and that no

The company will renovate the existing Grooms' accommodation at Turffontein and work on the eight-month project has already begun, with a number of Grooms currently moved to temporary accommodation while their living quarters are being renovated.

World Sports Betting commits R52 million to sponsoring 4Racing's major horseracing events in Johannesburg, Vaal and Nelson Mandela Bay

Major sports bookmaker, World Sports Betting, has significantly increased its investment in South African horseracing by committing a minimum R52 million towards the sponsorship of 4Racing's blue–chip events in Gauteng and Eastern Cape over the next three years.

World Sports Betting, renowned sponsors of the World Sports Betting Triple Crown Series that traditionally kicks off the Gauteng horseracing season, are proudly the new and official sponsors of 'The Championships' season in Johannesburg, which will now come to be known as 'The World Sports Betting Championships'.

In addition to the first three legs of the World Sports Betting
Triple Crown, held annually and in tandem with the Wilgerbosdrift
Triple Tiara, The World Sports Betting Championships will
also include the Royal Race Day, headlined by the Her Serene
Highness Princess Charlene Empress Club Stakes, and the
eagerly anticipated Champions Day, which is the Finale of The
World Sports Betting Championships.

As part of their exciting partnership and a minimum of R52 million sports marketing investment in 4Racing, World Sports Betting will continue to sponsor the Vaal's big racing day out, the Grand Heritage, and the East Cape Derby at Fairview over the next three years.

The deal will also see World Sports Betting invest significantly into 4Racing's digital and broadcast programming on Racing 240 all-year-round, as well as its magazine show Weighted To Win, along with activations around major WSB race days.

World Sports Betting have proudly announced that they will commit a further R7 million to Grooms' CSI initiatives, with every winning Groom under the 4Racing umbrella being awarded a generous R1 500 cash incentive.

"This investment by World Sports Betting into the future sustainability of South African horseracing is hugely significant.

We appreciate their confidence in and support for The World Sports Betting Championships season, which has added a new dimension to the start of the Johannesburg horseracing season. We are also appreciative of WSB's sponsorship of our major race days in the Vaal and Nelson Mandela Bay. While the horseracing industry remains under pressure to ensure its long-term survival, we are heartened by the partners who have come on board to put their name, energy and support behind our major race days on the 4Racing calendar and to ensure stakes remain competitive. We will continue to make the sport of horseracing appealing to existing and potential new punters, owners, trainers, corporates and all stakeholders who are strongly invested in the much-loved sport of horseracing," said 4Racing Chief Executive Officer, Fundi Sithebe.

"We are proud and more so honoured to be part of this journey and partnership with 4Racing. Our aim and vision go hand in hand with that of the 4Racing Executive team and all major players and contributors to ensure the sustainably and longevity of the sport we live and breathe. Our plan is to welcome a new life into the sport of racing, creating awareness, an element of fun and lifestyle too. We look forward to a long and fruitful partnership with 4Racing," said World Sports Betting Group Holdings CEO, Warren Tannous.

The third leg of the World Sports Betting Championships, the R4.3 million Derby Day, takes place at Turffontein on Saturday 1 April, headlined by the R1.5 million World Sports Betting SA Derby (Grade 1), R1 million HF Oppenheimer Horse Chestnut Stakes (Grade 1) and the R750 000 Wilgerbosdrift Bridget Oppenheimer Oaks (Grade 2).

The World Sports Betting Championships continues on Saturday 15 April with the Royal Race Day, headlined by the R1 250 000 HSH Princess Charlene Empress Club Stakes (Grade 1), as well as the Racehorse Owners Association's R300 000 Monaco Sport of Kings Charity Maiden Sprint.

The World Sports Betting Championships' Finale concludes on leg five with the high-octane R4 895 000 Champions Day on Saturday April 29, which is a major highlight on the South African horseracing calendar packed with top quality Graded races galore.

Champions Day includes the R2 million Grade 1 Premier's Champions Challenge, the Middle Distance Championship, and the R1 million Grade 1 Jonsson Workwear Computaform Sprint, the quickest 1000m event in the land which crowns the best sprinter.

The day also contains a host of Championship Graded races for Juveniles, Fillies and Mares.

The World Sports Betting East Cape Derby takes place on Friday 12 May 2023, while the World Sports Betting Grand Heritage at the Vaal takes place on Saturday 9 December this year.

The remainder of the World Sports Betting Championships' season race days' details are as follows:

Leg 3: Derby Day, 1 April:

- WSB South African Derby Gr.1 Leg 3, The Triple Crown, The 3yo Championship
- Wilgerbosdrift Bridget Oppenheimer Oaks, Gr.2, Leg 3, The Triple Tiara - The 3yo Fillies Championship
- H. F Oppenheimer Horse Chestnut Stakes, Gr.1 The Mile Championship

Leg 4: Royal Race Day, 15 April:

- HSH Princess Charlene Empress Club Stakes, Gr.1 - The Fillies and Mares Mile Championship
- Racehorse Owners Association's Monaco Sport of Kings Charity Maiden Sprint.

Leg 5: The World Sports Betting Championships Finale, 29 April:

- WSB Premier's Champions Challenge Gr.1 The Middle-Distance Championship
- Jonsson Workwear Computaform Sprint Gr 1. The Sprint Championship
- WSB SA Nursery Gr.2 The Juvenile Championship
- WSB SA Filles Nursey Gr.2 The Juvenile Filles Championship
- WSB Gerald Rosenberg Gr.2 The Fillies and Mares Middle Distance Championship
- WSB Camellia Stakes Gr. 2 The Fillies and Mares Sprint Championship
- SpinaWina Gold Bowl Gr.3 The Staying Championship

Entrance to the Turffontein Racecourse is free throughout 'The World Sports Betting Championships' season.



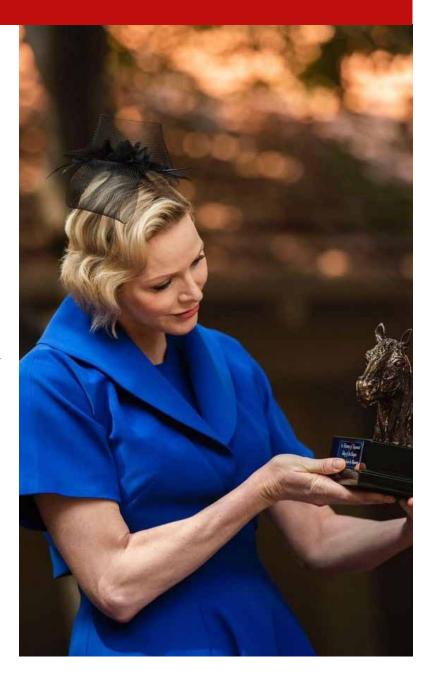
The Royal Raceday 2023

The HSH Princess Charlene Empress Club Stakes (G1), is to be contested over 1600m at Turffontein Racecourse on Saturday, 15th April 2023. It also sees the running of the R300 000 Monaco Sport of Kings Charity Maiden Sprint.

This day is not an ordinary horseracing event on the Highveld, this event has a special purpose, a purpose that is particularly close to the hearts of HSH Princess Charlene as well as to the Monaco Sport of Kings group. While the event itself has traditionally been one where the thrill of the race and the glamour of the occasion has been showcased, this event is also about giving back to the community. It is about bringing people together, creating a sense of community and using the excitement of the races to make a positive impact on the area surrounding Turffontein Racecourse.

Three charities in the Johannesburg area, namely The United Cerebral Palsy Association, The Hamlet Foundation and Earth Centre NPC will be supported throughout the day with various initiatives proposed in order to maximise the contributions to be made to these worthy causes.

The ROA will donate the Nomination and Acceptance Fees received from the Charity Maiden Sprint towards the charities and Mike Wittstock has generously donated a magnum of the limited edition Chalbert Wine. This bottle will be raffled off on raceday and all proceeds from the raffle will be distributed to charities in the area. If you would like to buy a raffle ticket kindly email catherine@racingassociation.co.za or call the ROA offices on (011) 683-3220.





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DRAW WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE 15TH APRIL 2023

Tickets R100 each

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Mike Wittstock, father of HSH Princess Charlene, has been instrumental in assisting with this promotion and we owe him a great deal of thanks for all the work he has, and continues to put into ensuring this raceday is a success.

We will be awarding cash prizes for the best dressed on the day and the theme is "The Roaring 20's". There promises to be a lively atmosphere on course, with entertainment and special offers. Members are encouraged to book early on (011) 683–3220 or by emailing info@racingassociation.co.za to avoid disappointment.



Feature Race Winners



1 March 2023 Western Cape – Kenilworth

Newlands Stakes (NB)

Narina Trogon

Trainer: Candice Bass-Robinson

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

3 March 2023 Eastern Cape – Fairview

Breeders Guineas (L)

Ekoria

Trainer: Gavin Smith

Owner: Messrs B C Ralph & M Greene Breeder: Maine Chance Farms (Pty) Ltd

4 March 2023 Highveld – Turffontein

World Sports Betting SA Classic (GR 1)

Anfields Rocket

Trainer: Grant Maroun

Owner: Hollywood Syndicate (Nom: Mr A Delpech)

Breeder: Klawervlei Stud

Wilgerbosdrift SA Fillies Classic (GR 1)

Bless My Stars

Trainer: Sean Tarry

Owner: Kestorm Investments (Nom: Mr Kenneth Pillay)

Breeder: Varsfontein Stud

World Sports Betting Hawaii Stakes (GR 2)

Under Your Spell

Trainer: Sean Tarry

Owner: OTI Management (Pty) Ltd (Nom: Mr T F Henderson), Mrs B M A Lahoud, Messrs M A Currie, C N Francis, A Lahoud,

Jarryd Lahoud, Allan F Peters & Larry Pogir

Breeder: Summerhill Stud (Pty) Ltd

Europa Point Drum Star Handicap (L)

Infinite Wonder

Trainer: Paul Matchett
Owner: Mr M Pandaram
Breeder: Cheveley Stud

7 March 2023 Western Cape – Durbanville

Durbanville Cup (L)

Thefutureisbright

Trainer: Justin Snaith
Owner: Mr J P Rycroft

Breeder: Applewood Trading (Pty) Ltd T/A Ndoro Stud

11 March 2023 Highveld – Turffontein

Senor Santa Stakes (GR 2)

Princess Calla

Trainer: Sean Tarry
Owner: Mr M J A Ferreira

Breeder: Maine Chance Farms (Pty) Ltd

Derby Trial (L)

Son Of Raj

Trainer: Weiho Marwing
Owner: Mr Steven Chetty
Breeder: Mr Steven Chetty

Ormond Ferraris Oaks Trial (L)

Ipso Facto

Trainer: Ashley Fortune

Owner: Mrs A B Fortune, Messrs D Chinsammy, K Jansen, Jody Van Heerden & Waste Glass Recovery (Pty) Ltd

(Nom: JH de Lange)

Breeder: Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein

Aquanaut Handicap (L)

Good Council

Trainer: Ashley Fortune

Owner: River Palace Racing Syndicate & Messers D Chinsammy,

C Narayanasami & Waste Glass Recovery (Pty) Ltd

(Nom: J H de Lange)

Breeder: Avontuur Thoroughbred Farm

Gold Rush Sprint (NB)

Mercantour

Trainer: Stuart Pettigrew
Owner: Mr V C Veeramootoo
Breeder: Varsfontein Stud

Sun Chariot Handicap (NB)

Apache Fighter

Trainer: Roy Magner

Owner: Dr G S Robinson & Mr S W Robinson

Breeder: Mr S W Robinson

17 March 2023 Eastern Cape – Fairview

East Cape Fillies Nursery (L)

Luna Halo

Trainer: Alan Greef

Owner: Messrs M Greene, GL Blank, G Piha, D Yutar, HN Yutar, S M Davis, Nick & Val McFall, Mr & Mrs AC Greeff

Breeder: Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein

18 March 2023 Highveld – Turffontein

Sycamore Sprint (GR 3)

Alula's Star

Trainer: Stuart Pettigrew
Owner: Mr I F M van Schalkwyk
Breeder: Winterbach Stud

Jacaranda Handicap (L)

Bureau Des Legende

Trainer: Robyn Klaasen

Owner: Nu-Atlas Racing (Nom: Mr P J Klaasen)

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

24 March 2023

Eastern Cape - Fairview

East Cape Sprint Cup (L)

Countdown

Trainer: Glen Kotzen

Owner: Messrs P Bamford, W N Frost & W Luthi

Breeder: Varsfontein Stud

East Cape Guineas (L)

Perfection

Trainer: Gavin Smith

Owner: Mr V C Veeramootoo

Breeder: Wilgerbosdrift & Mauritzfontein

25 March 2023 Highveld – Turffontein

Colorado King Stakes (Gr 2)

Rain In Holland

Trainer: Sean Tarry

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

Protea Stakes (Gr 3)

Lucky Lad

Trainer: Sean Tarry

Owner: Mr A R & Mrs A B L Beck Breeder: Varsfontein Stud

Pretty Polly Stakes (Gr 3)

Leaving Las Vegas

Trainer: Tony Peter

Owner: Messrs A Lang, I Levitan & Hyperpaint Syndicate

(Nom: Mr JT Peter)

Breeder: Klawervlei Stud

26 March 2023

Kwa-Zulu Natal - Greyville

Kings Cup (L)

Cape Eagle

Trainer: Andre Nel
Owner: Mrs S Plattner
Breeder: La Plaisance Stud

Feature Races -

April 2023

DATE	KWAZULU-NATAL	WESTERN CAPE	HIGHVELD	EASTERN CAPE
April, 1			WSB SA Derby G1 H F Oppenheimer Horse Chestnut Stakes G1 Wilgerbosdrift SA Oaks G2 Caradoc Gold Cup G3 Man O' War Sprint G3	
April, 2	Byerley Turk G3 Umzimkhulu Stakes G3 KwaZulu-Natal Stakes LR			
April, 5		Easter Sprint NB Cape Point Stakes NB The Magnolia NB		
April, 13			Work Riders Race Day	
April, 14				East Cape Oaks LR Glenlair Trophy LR Fairview Flying Five NB
April, 15			Empress Club Stakes G1 Spook Express Stakes LR	
April, 16	The Sledgehammer LR The Scarlet Lady LR Highland Night Cup NB			
April, 21			East Cape Nursery LR	
April, 23		Variety Club Mile G3 Champagne Stakes G3 Sweet Chestnut Stakes LR		
April, 26		Cape Vase NB		
April, 29			Premier's Champions Challenge G1 Computaform Sprint G1 Gerald Rosenberg Stks G2 Camellia Stks G2 Gold Bowl G3 SA Nursery G2 S A Fillies Nursery G2	
April, 30	Poinsettia Stakes G3 Godolphin Barb Stakes G3 Strelitzia Stks G3 In Full Flight Handicap LR			

ROA Bonus Race Winners

















Congratulations to:

Mrs J B Jell Mr J .

Mrs M Slack Mr S

Dr M Taljaardt Mr J !

Mr F Bronkhorst Mr D

Mr E Arundel

Mr M Pandaram

Mrs G A Rupert

Mr J J Habib

Mr S H Pieterse

Mr J H & Mrs A de Lange

Mr D Chinsammy

Mr E Naicker

Mr L M F Wernars

Mrs T J Wernars

Mr J F Wernars

Mr.C. I Barnara

Mr A F Peters

Mrs A J Wynne

Mr J Peter

Mrs S Viljoen

Miss H J Reddie

Mr W G S Miller

Mr N J Paddoo

1r F Mvnhardt

Mr A Chadha

Mrs C J Boyers

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Mr L Houdalakis

Mr C F Strydom

Mr R Grahan

ROA Bonus Race Schedule - April

HIGHVELD

- 1 April Turffontein (Standside Track) SUPER BONUS RACE
- 4 April Turffontein (Inside Track) Maiden Plate (F&M) 1450m,
 WD Maiden Plate 1450m
- **6 April** Vaal (Classic Track) Maiden Plate (F&M) 1000m
- 8 April Turffontein (Inside Track) Maiden Plate 1600m,
 Maiden Plate (F&M) 1600m
- 13 April Vaal (Work Riders Raceday) Maiden Plate 1000m, Maiden Plate 1200m, Maiden Plate (F&M) 1200m, Maiden Plate 1500m, Maiden Plate (F&M) 1500m, Maiden Plate 1800m, Maiden Plate (F&M) 1800m,
- 15 April Turffontein (Standside Track) Royal Race Day –

 SUPER BONUS RACE Monaco Sport Of Kings

 Charity Maiden Sprint 1160m
- **18 April** Turffontein (Inside Track) WR Maiden Plate 1600m
- **20 April** Vaal Maiden Plate 1200m

- 25 April Vaal (Classic Track) Maiden Plate 1450m, Maiden Plate (F&M) 1450m, Maiden Plate 2000m, Maiden Plate (F&M) 2000m
- 27 April Turffontein (Inside Track) Maiden Plate (F&M) 1200m,
 Maiden Plate (F&M) 1600m
- 29 April Turffontein (Standside Track) Champions Day –
 SUPER BONUS RACES Maiden Plate 1600m,
 Jockeys vs Work Riders Challenge Maiden Plate 1160m

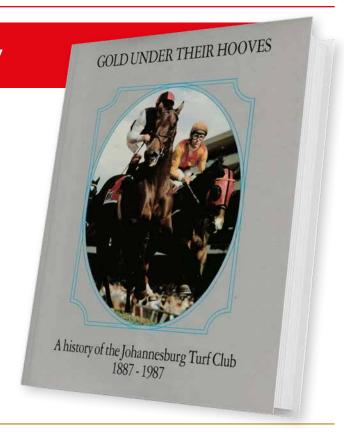
EASTERN CAPE

- **7 April** Fairview (Turf) Maiden Plate 1000m
- **14 April** Fairview (Turf) Maiden Plate 1600m
- **17 April** Fairview (Poly Track) Maiden Plate (F&M) 1200m, Maiden Plate 1300m
- 21 April Fairview (Turf) Maiden Plate 1200m, Open Maiden 2400m
- 28 April Maiden Plate (F&M) 1600m

Free Book Giveaway

GOLD UNDER THEIR HOOVES

We at the ROA have several copies of this most interesting book on the history of the Johannesburg Turf Club from 1887 to 1987. GOLD UNDER THEIR HOOVES is available free of charge to members. If you would like one please contact natalie@racingassociation.co.za and we will have a complimentary copy sent to you directly.



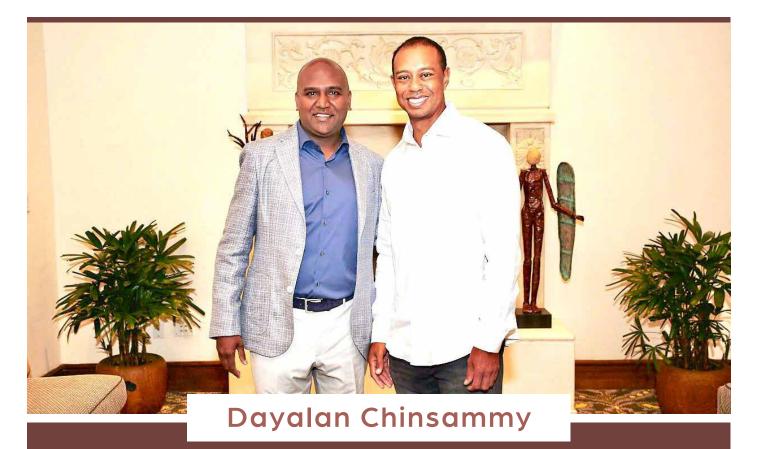






ROA OWNER OF THE MONTH

March 2023



The Highveld is currently buzzing with excitement as the season is in full swing. We are delighted to introduce our owner of the month who has had a successful season thus far, winning 4 ROA Bonus Races, as well as 3 feature races on the Highveld. This is Dayalan Chinsammy.

Dayalan bought his first horse 16 years ago but has had over 30 years of learning under the watchful eye of his uncle and ROA Life member Satch Mathen, who introduced him to the industry by taking him to Gosforth Park and Newmarket Racecourses in his younger days.

Dayalan owns many horses and is part of a number of syndicates with Ashley Fortune, Gareth van Zyl, Weiho Marwing and Fabian Habib. His horses are stabled in many parts of the country, mainly Johannesburg as he and his family are based here, with a few in Kwa-Zulu Natal and the Western Cape. Joe Soma has been the family's main trainer and they have been blessed to win 5 Graded races with him, with Got The Greenlight who he part owned with Joe. Dayalan is also delighted to have been involved

in owning Ashley Fortune's first Grade 3 winner, Let It Rain, winning the 2018 Gold Bowl. Every win is special to Dayalan, but Got The Greenlight's career was truly amazing as he earned them. These consisted of 5 Grade 1s, a 2nd and then a 3rd in the Durban July. "What more could you wish for" he says proudly.

The Chinsammy family enjoys going on holidays and exploring different countries, attending races and Dayalan has a passion for golf too. Dayalan's business interests are in the telecommunications industry focusing on engineered power solutions.

Being an ROA member for quite a number of years, what Dayalan enjoys most is our continued improvement as an organization and he appreciates that owners are being heard

We look forward to keeping an eye on your horses and wish you all the best for the remainder of the Highveld Season!



Studio 88 Highveld Golden Grooms Initiative

GOLDEN GROOMS

Sanela Stokwe

Sanele is 28 years old and has been with the Sean Tarry yard for 8 years. He thinks the filly he takes care of, Under Your Spell, is the best-looking horse at races and always runs with her heart. He enjoys watching her race no matter the outcome.





Eastern Cape Epol Grooms Initiative

Asibabale Tutu

Asibabale, also known as "Humphrey" has worked for the Alan Greeff yard since 2010. He is a competent rider and loves all his horses. He is especially proud of Luna Halo for winning the East Cape Fillies Nursery.



Competition Time

All members in good standing are invited to enter a competition to win a Geometric Horse Steel Art Piece. An equestrian delight, this geometric metal art features the image of a horse, created through an elaborate arrangement of lines and patterns. The minimalist wall art adds a charming touch to your interiors while being robust enough to adorn your outdoor spaces too. In order to enter, kindly send an email through to natalie@racingassociation.co.za with your name and contact details by midnight on the 24 April 2023. All eligible entries will be entered into a random draw and the winner will be announced in the April edition of ROA Today. T's & C's apply.





Welcome to new ROA members:

Mrs F Ferrao Mr R Graham
Mr M J Campbell Mr B Wiese
Mr T Moodley Mr M Moosa
Mr N N Asare Mr D Govender
Mr J Mushwana Mr P Klaasen
Mr J B Janse van Rensburg Mr M S Pillay

ROA Social member:

Mr J de Souza





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Race Day Bookings:

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Furious Room Contact Khanya (011) 681 1796 or khanyal@4racing.com

Vaal Racecourse Contact: info@racingassociation.co.za or (011) 683 3220

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