



PRESS RELEASE – Tuesday 22nd April 2008

The Tasmanian Thoroughbred Racing Council (TTRC) today announced a major restructure to the *SuperVobis (TAS)* scheme with advertised bonuses set to increase to \$750,000 per annum for qualified thoroughbreds from 1 June 2008.

This initiative represents an increase of over 100% in available SuperVobis (TAS) bonuses from the current season and is sure to be embraced by the owners and breeders in Tasmania.

Major changes to the new and improved scheme include:-

- Widespread increases in bonus amounts for all SuperVobis (TAS) eligible races.
- Over 150 individual races to carry SuperVobis (TAS) bonuses per annum.
- All SuperVobis (TAS) races to pay bonuses to all eligible placegetters.
- Nominations for eligible 2006 thoroughbreds extended until 31st July 2008.

TTRC CEO Rohan Mitchell said “This is a major step forward for the Tasmanian thoroughbred racing industry, not only providing additional returns to our participants but assisting with the further development and growth of our local breeding industry”.

“The new structure sets a solid foundation for significant growth into the future, SuperVobis (TAS) now becomes a must for all eligible thoroughbreds in Tasmania”.

The TTRC would like to extend its thanks to the Victorian SuperVobis stakeholders TOBA and Racing Victoria Limited.

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TasVOBIS Bonus Restructure



Table 1: Breakdown of Bonuses from 1 June 2008

Maiden Races (2yo & 3yo)					
Of \$5,000 – First three places					
Winner (70%)		2nd Place (20%)		3rd Place (10%)	
Nominator	\$875	Nominator	\$250	Nominator	\$125
Owner	\$2625	Owner	\$750	Owner	\$375
Maiden Races (3yo & Up Maiden's, for eligible 3yo's only)					
Of \$3,000 – First three places					
Winner (70%)		2nd Place (20%)		3rd Place (10%)	
Nominator	\$525	Nominator	\$150	Nominator	\$75
Owner	\$1575	Owner	\$450	Owner	\$225
2YO & 3YO Restricted Races					
Of \$8,000 – First three places					
Winner (70%)		2nd Place (20%)		3rd Place (10%)	
Nominator	\$1400	Nominator	\$400	Nominator	\$200
Owner	\$4200	Owner	\$1200	Owner	\$600
Group & Listed 2yo & 3yo Races					
Of \$5,000 – Nominator Only					
Winner (70%)		2nd Place (20%)		3rd Place (10%)	
Nominator	\$3,500	Nominator	\$1,000	Nominator	\$500

*Owners bonus includes less trainers' and jockeys' percentages in accordance with the Rules of Racing.