

**SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HOMING PIGEON ASSOCIATION INC.**

# DRAFT RACE PROGRAM 2025 N/NW&E

DATE	REL.	RACEPOINT	STATUS	HAMPER NIGHT	Distance to Adel.	Line
May 31	Sat	Carrieton / Stirling North 1	SDC / Benzing	Friday	280	NW1
June 7	Sat	Carrieton . Stirling North 2	SDC / Benzing	Friday	280	NW2
14	Sat	Murrayville 1	SDC / Benzing	Friday	240	E1
21	Sat	Hawker / Bookaloo 1	SDC / Benzing	Friday	360	NW3
28	Sat	Murrayville 2	SDC / Benzing	Friday	240	E2
July 5	Sat	Hawker / Bookaloo 2	SDC / Benzing	Friday	360	NW4
6	Sun	Ouyen 1	SDC / Benzing	Saturday	330	E3
12	Sat	Parachilna	SDC / Benzing	Thursday	415	NW5
19	Sat	Ouyen 2	SDC / Benzing	Thursday	330	E4
20	Sun	Carrieton / Stirling North 3	SDC / Benzing	Saturday	280	NW6
26	Sat	Lyndhurst Open	Assoc	Thursday	510	NW7
August 2	Sat	Moulamein Open	Assoc	Thursday	500	E5
9	Sat	Lyndhurst YBC	Assoc	Thursday	510	NW8
16	Sat	Moulamein SAD	Assoc	Thursday	500	E6
23	Sat	Marree Open	Assoc	Thursday	585	NW9
23	Sat	Marree 5-bird Special	Assoc	Thursday	585	NW10
30	Sat	Deniliquin Open	Assoc	Thursday	580	E7
30	Sat	Deniliquin 5 Bird	Assoc	Thursday	580	E8
Sept 6	Sat	Marla Keith Wickham Challenge	Assoc	Wednesday	970	NW11
13	Sat	Morundah 1 Doug Green/Bill Walford	Assoc	Thursday	700	E9
20	Sat	Coober Pedy Allen Goodger	Assoc	Thursday	750	NW12
27	Sat	Temora Open (Bill Button Newland Cup)	Assoc	Thursday	870	E10

**SAHPA MEMBERS ONLY:** For club races only any birds over 30 are charged at \$1 per bird. 5-bird Specials are pre-paid.

SAHPA AND CLUB PHONES				BIRDS PER CRATE - MAIN			
<b>General Secretary</b>	<b>0448 883 512</b>	North Suburban	0413 171 697	Race Type	Birds	Crates	Total
Barossa Valley	0416 731 713	Port Adelaide	0421 674 335	One night	28	156	4368
Central Districts	0402 567 800	Southern Districts	0400 845 846	Two nights	22	156	3432
Gawler & Districts	0431 636 696	Southern Vales	0448 588 013				
Glenelg	0450 141 308	Vitesse	0449 611 281				
Hyde Park	0450 107 545	West Torrens	0405 507 031				
Happey Valley	0400 740 963	Golden Mile	0401 818 862				
Kingsford	0423 522 927	Metro	0490 550 926				
Lower Murray	0488 727 003	Para Hills	0421 770 610				

## SPECIAL EVENTS

<b>Aug 15</b>	Fri	Alice Springs	SALDC	\$25	Tuesday	1320 km
<b>Aug 31</b>	Sun	Marree Sires Produce	SALDC		Friday	585 km
<b>Sept 13</b>	Sat	Morundah Vin Blanden (Nom 1 Bird)	SAHPA	Free	Thursday	700 km
<b>Sept 20</b>	Sat	Coober Pedy Cock Bird Special	SALDC	\$5/5 <sup>th</sup> free	Thursday	750km

**Draft considerations :**

- 1) Finish the season by end of September, so the long weekend on Monday October 6<sup>th</sup> is free for families. Therefor there was need to have 2 double up races during the short races to reduce program by 2 weeks
- 2) Most flyers prefer to start their birds on the East line later in the season after they have had some North tosses/races. Therefor the draft program - the Short Races, has 6x N/NW races and 4x East races, first E on the 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend
- 3) The Association races are evenly split 6x North/North West and 6 x East races
- 4) Included a "come back" race (Stirling North / Carrieton 3) to assist flyers who have birds that have a delayed preparation
- 5) Come back race is 3 weeks before Glendambo Open which helps with preparation of the old birds
- 6) This is a draft as at 30/6/2024, clubs are welcome to have meetings and provide feedback in the form of club minutes to the SAHPA Committee of Management for their consideration before finalizing the program.
- 7) SALDC race points and dates are only indicative, they still need to be discussed by SALDC Management committee.