

NRC Breeders Plate 2016/17



Race Point and Date

To be flown from a racepoint of approximately 650 km.
The race date will be around
the 23rd September 2017 (to be confirmed).

Mass Liberation - the Breeders Plate birds will be
liberated with the NRC combine birds.

Auction Dates, Venue and Start Time

Dates;

Sunday 23rd October 2016

Sunday 13th November 2016

Sunday 11th December 2016

Option for a 4th sale in January 2017

All sales will be held at the NRC club rooms
Zammit Oval,
Zammit Street, Deception Bay.

Bird registration begins from 9.00 AM

The Auction starts at 11.30 AM

Affordable BBQ lunch, tea and coffee, cold drinks available for purchase.

Prizes

Prize money will be allocated as a percentage of the total monies raised in the sales.

As an example, assuming that \$25,000 is raised in the sales an estimate of the prize monies is
shown below.

Example assuming \$25,000 in sales.

| Position | Estimated Payout | Breeder 40% | Flier 40% | Buyer 20% |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 st | \$10,000 | \$4,000 | \$4,000 | \$2,000 |
| 2 nd | \$6,000 | \$2,400 | \$2,400 | \$1,200 |
| 3 rd | \$4,500 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 | \$900 |
| 4 th | \$3,000 | \$1,200 | \$1,200 | \$600 |
| 5 th | \$1,500 | \$600 | \$600 | \$300 |
| | \$25,000 | | | |

Committee;

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Race Loft boundaries:

Eligible race lofts must be located North of the Brisbane River and South of Roys Road/Kilcoy-Beerwah Road. An application for an exception can be made to the committee for consideration.

Out of area fliers are encouraged to participate (see details below of how to enter).

Bird Entries and Conditions

1. Breeders can enter a total of 15 squeakers. **All entries are to be written on the attached form. Birds will not be accepted unless they are on the attached entry form. Extra forms will be available at each sale.**
2. A maximum of 5 buy-backs is permitted. Each buy-back is \$40.
3. For every buy-back a **minimum of one bird must** be entered in the open auction.
4. For every buy-back a maximum of two birds may be entered in the open auction(s). For example, if you buy-back 5 birds you must enter 5 birds in the open auction(s), but you also have the option to enter a further 5 birds in the open auction(s) - i.e. a ratio of 2 open birds per buy-back.
5. If a bird is passed in at open auction, the onus is on the breeder to purchase it for \$40.
6. The race is open to breeders anywhere in Australia. If you live inter-state and wish to enter, you can make arrangements with committee members to collect birds from the airport on Saturday (the day before the auction). Contact details of the committee are provided on the footer of this brochure.
7. If you live outside the boundaries you may nominate a flier to race the birds. If you do not know eligible fliers then fliers will be allocated by ballot to race your buy-back birds.
8. If you live outside the boundaries and believe you have a case for inclusion, you can make a written submission to the committee for consideration.
9. All buy-back fees must be paid with your entries.
10. Squeakers must be rung with 2016 rings.
11. At the time of the sale(s), squeakers in the **Open Auction** must be fledged, healthy and must not have dropped any flights – there will be **no exceptions for Open Auction birds!** Some reasonable leniency can be applied to **buy-backs**, because they are going home with the breeder – at their risk. As of 2016/17 they will now be allowed to have dropped one flight. Any bird not meeting acceptable conditions may be rejected and returned to the breeder at the discretion of the committee.

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12. Auction fees are encouraged to be paid on the day of the sale, but must be paid prior to the next sale, **by arrangement with the committee. No further entries will be accepted until all outstanding fees from a prior sale are paid.**
13. **All outstanding monies must be settled on the day of the final auction.**
14. Unpaid birds will not be eligible for the race.
15. Acceptable forms of payment are cash, cheque or internet deposit. Receipts will be issued.
16. A bird list will be provided so that the details can be checked and validated by fliers. **Any errors must be reported to the committee in writing within 2 weeks of the lists being posted. The onus is on the owners to make the effort to verify their own entries, else risk disqualification.**
17. Prize winning birds may be subject to a homing test.
18. **If a situation occurs that is not covered by the rules, as described above, the committee will consider the case fairly and make a ruling. Its ruling will be final.**
19. If a bird is purchased at the Breeders Plate and dies or is culled, **the ring must not be put on another bird.** This is considered fraudulent and dishonest. Anyone found to have done this will have all current entries disqualified and will be banned, for life, from future entry in the race.

Basketing and Clock Reading.

Basketing will be on the Thursday night prior to the race, at the NRC clubrooms. (Same venue as the sales, at Zammit Oval).

Clock reading will be at 11.00 AM Sunday at a venue to be confirmed. Check the NRC website for venue details.

Results will be available live on the internet.

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NRC BREEDERS PLATE NOMINATION SHEET

Breeders name; _____

Address; _____

Post Code; _____

Phone; _____

Club; _____

| | Ring Number | Colour | If buy-back write BB |
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Interstate fliers can make arrangements with the committee (or anyone they know) for collection of birds on the Saturday, the day before the auction.

Send this form, with payment (or payment arrangements) for buy- backs (at \$40 each), to;

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