



Template Fees Notice in relation to training services between:

O'Rourke Racing Pty Ltd, Edward O'Rourke (the Trainer) and \_\_\_\_\_ (the Owner)

**IMPORTANT NOTES**

- A Fees Notice is a formal contract agreement between the Managing Owner and Trainer and should be exchanged before the racehorse arrives in the stable. Once the horse arrives at the stable, the Managing Owner has confirmed their acceptance of all outlined in this Fees Schedule.
- It is not possible to indicate to the Owner in advance the exact total monthly/yearly cost for training a horse. This is because while some fees are charged at a fixed daily rate (e.g. daily training fee), others are variable (e.g. per treatment for veterinary services). Also, horses vary in the rates at which they mature and progress, including while on agistment and through each preparation, which can influence the total fees for a particular horse. In signing this document, the Managing Owner agrees to this point and understands that changes will be brought to the attention of the Managing Owner forwardly to billing.
- Race entry fees are not included in this Fees Notice – they are additional to the costs set out herein. The Managing Owner will be communicated with on all decisions around nominations and acceptance of feature races.

**TRAINER MANAGED FEES AND CHARGES – As of 1st September 2024**

The following fees are as at the date of issue of this Fees Notice and remain so until otherwise advised by the Trainer to the Owner in writing. All fees are accumulated per horse, per day unless otherwise stated. Statements will be issued monthly and payable within 30 days.

SERVICES (per day/horse/event)	CHARGE	GST	TOTAL
Daily Training Fee	120	12	132
Track Usage Fees **On charge from HRC	6.36	0.63	7
Breaking In (charged as a service which usually takes 30 days to complete)	4000	400	4400
Ready to Race: Daily Preparation Fee (Not inc. agreed commission on sale)	120	12	132

Daily Maintenance Fee (To help cover the cost of daily stable treatments such as bandages, topical medical treatment & feed supplements)	1.82	.18	2
UlcerShield 6g Daily: All horses "In Training" or R2R Preparation will be preventatively treated for ulcers daily	9.57	0.96	10.53
Public Holiday Surcharge	50	5	55
Gear Levy (on billed to horses requiring outside of the ordinary track and stable gear - to be discussed before issue)	Variable		
<b>Race Day Attendance</b>	<b>Charge</b>	<b>GST</b>	<b>Total</b>
Barrier Trial – Home	50	5	55
Barrier Trial – Away	100	10	110
Races – Home	100	10	110
Races – Country	250	25	275
Races – Provincial	200	20	220
Races – Metropolitan	150	15	165

### THIRD PARTY FEES & CHARGES (ESTIMATE) – As at 01/09/2024

The following are service providers commonly engaged by the Trainer. This pricing chart is offered as a guide for basic services

frequently/historically sourced by the Trainer. All prices are displayed as Mon-Fri normal rates, additional weekend charges of 10% and 15% for Sunday and Public Holidays. \*\* Price variations between suppliers, represented as an average fee across main providers.

<b>Transport - Main Providers: ORR, Platinum, JRC (Subject to availability)</b>	<b>Charge</b>	<b>GST</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Stable to Hawkesbury Racecourse	120	12	132
Stable to Metropolitan Tracks	305	30.5	335
Stable to Provincial (Zone 1): Gosford Kembla Grange Wyang	390	39	429
Stable to Provincial (Zone 2): Newcastle	500	50	550
Stable to Country (Zone 1): Goulburn Scone Cessnock Bathurst Muswellbrook,	550	55	605
Stable to Country (Zone 2): Mudgee Orange Nowra Canberra	650	65	715

Stable to Country or Interstate (Zone 3): Northern NSW, QLD, Victoria	\$900-1900	90-190	990-1990
Transport: Paddock Runs:			
The Oaks	260	26	286
Central Coast	330	33	363
Dubbo	500	50	550
Wellington/ Cowra	480	48	528
REC	200	20	220
Mittagong/ Moss Vale	350	35	385
Dural (& Surrounds)	220	22	248

Provider	Type of Service	Range of Cost
Kane Simpson	Typical Farrier Services as Follows: Full set of Race Plates Specialist Shoes: Additional fees may apply	254
Dr Gary Baitz (Omnia Equine)	Veterinary Services: Consultation & Treatment	Varied – ** Major decisions or expensive treatments in absence of life-threatening situations will be first consulted with the managing owner. All treatment and services will be itemised on each bill
Ken Butler	Chiropractor Consultation & Manipulation	75
Chelsea Fisher	Acupuncture and Massage Therapy: Consultation and 1 hour treatment	145
Peter Beck	Dentist: Routine Procedure	77
Equine Laser Therapy	Laser Muscle and Skeletal Repair Treatment – 20 min treatment at the advice of Vet and Massage Therapist	25

#### IMPORTANT NOTES

- Charges incurred for any therapeutics, applications, tests, sampling, ointments and/or medicines applied to the horse for

specific treatments will be identified on the Training Invoice issued to the Owner for reimbursement, in addition to the charge for

any General Examination.

- 2-year-olds may have lower costs than 3+ year olds given: (i) the level of development required to race; and (ii) the overall life

cycle of the horse.

- For other than emergency treatment, prior approval will be sought from the Owner where an individual treatment will likely

exceed \$2,000 (incl GST) in cost.

#### RACE ENTRY, NOMINATION, ACCEPTANCE, NON-ACCEPTANCE AND SCRATCHING FEES

- Race entry fees are not included in this Fees Notice – they will be additional and depend on the race.

▪ All race nomination, acceptance, non-acceptance and scratching fees are set by PRAs and/or Race Clubs, and are passed on

to the Owner/s at cost. They should be checked with each relevant PRA or Race Club. In NSW, they are set out at: Racing NSW

#### PRIZE MONEY ALLOCATION UNDER RULES OF RACING (INCL. AR 126 AND PRA LOCAL RULES) – current as at 1/1/2020

▪ Prizemoney splits, and threshold amount from which they take effect, are subject to discretion of PRAs.

Relevant Party	NSW / ACT % Split*	VIC % Split*	QLD % Split*	SA % Split*	WA % Split**	TAS % Split	NT %
Trainer	9.9%	9.7% (flat and jumps races)	9.9%	9.9%	10%	10%	9.9%
Jockey	4.95%	4.85% (flat races) 9.7% (jumps races)	4.95%	4.95%	5%	5%	4.95%
Owner	81.65%	82.45% (flat races) 77.6% (jumps races)	84.15%	84.15%	85%	85%	84.15%

\*Prizemoney also paid to: Stablehand Scheme (2%), Jockey Insurance and Welfare Scheme (1%) & Animal Welfare Fund (1.5%).

\*Prizemoney also paid to: Jockey Welfare Fund (1%) & Equine Welfare Fund (2%).

± Prizemoney also paid to: Equine Welfare Fund (1%)

\*\* Prizemoney also paid to: Jockey Welfare Fund (1%)

#### POTENTIAL ADDITIONAL REMUNERATION, GRATUITIES AND/OR BONUSES THAT MAY BE PAYABLE TO THE TRAINER

- *If the horse is an entire and is sold or retired to stud, the Trainer is entitled to*

*(i) An additional fee of an amount equal to 5% of the sale price of the horse. Further, the Trainer is entitled to the above within 3 months of the horse ceasing to be trained by the Trainer.*

*(ii) The same entitlement will apply if there is a sale of a share or interest in the horse.*

*(iii) On the occasion of an entire being sold or retired to stud, the Trainer is entitled to the equivalent of 5 Stallion Nominations to mares of their choosing.*

- *If the horse is other than an entire to which the first bullet point applies, and the horse is sold while being trained by the Trainer or within a period of 3 months after ceasing to be trained by the Trainer, an additional fee being an amount equal to 5% of the sale price may be paid to the Trainer. Further, this entitlement will apply if there is a sale of a share or interest in the horse.*

#### WHETHER INTEREST MAY BE CHARGED BY THE TRAINER ON OVERDUE TRAINING FEES AND/OR DISBURSEMENTS

☐ (Trainer to tick if applicable). The Trainer reserves the right to charge interest on any overdue Training Fees and/or Training Disbursements as permitted under the TOR Rules. If charged, it will be charged at the rate of 5%.

## NON-PAYMENT OF THE TRAINER'S INVOICE AND ITS CONSEQUENCES

If the Trainer's invoice is issued in accordance with the TOR Rules and is not fully paid by the end of the month it is issued, then unless a Dispute Notice is lodged by the owner by the end of that month, the Trainer may file an Enforcement Action Application with Racing Australia seeking the following consequences:

- Not process any Stable Return seeking to transfer the horse to another trainer (if the owner owns at least 50% of the horse).
- Not register any transfer of the owner's share of the horse.
- Freeze payment of the owner's prizemoney and direct it to the Trainer.

## ISSUED BY

I, Edward O'Rourke, Trainer of \_\_\_\_\_ (horse/s), confirm that I issued this Fees Notice on [date of agreement] and that I have provided a copy of this Fees Notice to the Managing Owner \_\_\_\_\_ on [date of agreement].

Signed:.....

Date:.....