

**INDIAN TURF INVITATION CUP**

**RACING WEEKEND**

**2017 - 2018**

**SATURDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> MARCH 2018**

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**SUNDAY 4<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2018**



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**CALCUTTA RACES, SPECIAL MEETING  
FIRST DAY**

**Saturday, 3rd March 2018**

**1. THE SPRINTERS' CUP (GR I)**

Trophies valued ₹2,50,000 and Stakes ₹40,00,000 presented by the **Turf Authorities of India**.

A Trophy value ₹1,00,000 & ₹24,00,000 to the winner, ₹8,00,000 to the second, ₹4,00,000 to the third, ₹2,00,000 to the fourth, ₹80,000 to the fifth and ₹40,000 to the sixth.

A Trophy value ₹50,000 & ₹80,000 to the Breeder of the Winner.

A Trophy value ₹50,000 each to the Winning Trainer & Jockey.

For Indian Horses **4 years old & over**

**Weights** - 4 years old **58** Kgs, 5 years old and over **59** Kgs.

**Allowances** - Fillies and Mares allowed **1½** Kgs.

**Distance** – (About) **1200** Metres.

**Entrance** - For horses invited to participate by RCTC on nominations received from all the Turf Authorities of India of not more than three horses each and for horses invited to participate by RCTC from amongst the reserves nominated by all Turf Authorities of India, not exceeding 15 acceptors.

Horses nominated should enter for the race not later than 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday 20th February 2018.

No entry fee/forfeit will be charged for the above race.

**2. THE DR M A M RAMASWAMY STAYERS' CUP (GR I)**

Trophies valued ₹2,50,000 and Stakes ₹40,00,000 presented jointly by **Dr M A M Ramaswamy Chettiar of Chettinad Charitable Trust & the Turf Authorities of India**.

A Trophy value ₹1,00,000 & ₹24,00,000 to the winner, ₹8,00,000 to the second, ₹4,00,000 to the third, ₹2,00,000 to the fourth, ₹80,000 to the fifth and ₹40,000 to the sixth.

A Trophy value ₹50,000 & ₹80,000 to the Breeder of the Winner.

A Trophy value ₹50,000 each to the Winning Trainer & Jockey.

For Indian Horses **4 years old & over**

**Weights** - 4 years old **56½** Kgs, 5 years old and over **59** Kgs.

**Allowances** - Fillies and Mares allowed **1½** Kgs.

**Distance** – (About) **3000** Metres.

**Entrance** - For horses invited to participate by RCTC on nominations received from all the Turf Authorities of India of not more than three horses each and for horses invited to participate by RCTC from amongst the reserves nominated by all Turf Authorities of India, not exceeding 15 acceptors.

Horses nominated should enter for the race not later than 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday 20th February 2018.

No entry fee/forfeit will be charged for the above race.

### 3. THE SANS CRAINTES STUD TROPHY

A Trophy value ₹25,000 and Stakes ₹5,65,000 presented by

**Mr. S Pathy.**

For Horses Rated **81 & above, Rated 61-86** eligible.

**Distance** – (About) **1600** Metres.

	Total Stakes	Owner	Trainer	Jockey
Winner the Trophy &	₹ 2,78,262	₹ 2,29,566	₹ 27,826	₹ 20,870
Second	₹ 1,37,013	₹ 1,13,035	₹ 1,37,01	₹ 10,276
Third	₹ 80,513	₹ 66,423	₹ 8,051	₹ 6,038
Fourth	₹ 52,262	₹ 43,117	₹ 5,226	₹ 3,920
Fifth	₹ 16,950	₹ 13,984	₹ 1,696	₹ 1,271

### 4. THE BRAVE DANCER CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 presented by the **Royal Calcutta Turf Club.**

For Horses Rated **61-86, Rated 41-66** eligible

**Distance** – (About) **1600** Metres.

	Total Stakes	Owner	Trainer	Jockey
Winner the Cup &	₹ 2,48,713	₹ 2,05,187	₹ 24,872	₹ 18,653
Second	₹ 1,22,462	₹ 1,01,032	₹ 12,246	₹ 9,185
Third	₹ 71,962	₹ 59,369	₹ 7,196	₹ 5,397
Fourth	₹ 46,713	₹ 38,538	₹ 4,671	₹ 3,503
Fifth	₹ 15,150	₹ 12,499	₹ 1,515	₹ 1,137

### 5. THE BERGAMO CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 presented by the **Royal Calcutta Turf Club.**

For Horses Rated **41-66, Rated 21-46** eligible.

**Distance** – (About) **1400** Metres.

	Total Stakes	Owner	Trainer	Jockey
Winner the Cup &	₹ 2,19,162	₹ 1,80,809	₹ 21,916	₹ 16,437
Second	₹ 1,07,913	₹ 89,028	₹ 10,791	₹ 8,093
Third	₹ 63,412	₹ 52,315	₹ 6,342	₹ 4,756
Fourth	₹ 41,163	₹ 33,959	₹ 4,116	₹ 3,087
Fifth	₹ 13,350	₹ 11,014	₹ 1,335	₹ 1,002

### 6. THE BOOKMAKERS' ASSOCIATION CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 and Stakes ₹3,75,000 presented by

**The Bookmakers' Association of Calcutta.**

For Horses Rated **21-46, Rated 01-26** eligible.

**Distance** – (About) **1200** Metres.

	Total Stakes	Owner	Trainer	Jockey
Winner the Cup &	₹ 1,84,687	₹ 1,52,367	₹ 18,469	₹ 13,852
Second	₹ 90,937	₹ 75,023	₹ 9,094	₹ 6,820
Third	₹ 53,438	₹ 44,086	₹ 5,343	₹ 4,008
Fourth	₹ 34,688	₹ 28,617	₹ 3,468	₹ 2,602
Fifth	₹ 11,250	₹ 9,282	₹ 1,126	₹ 843

### 7. THE JAPAN CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 presented by the **Royal Calcutta Turf Club.**

For Horses Rated **21-46, Rated 01-26** eligible.

**Distance** – (About) **1600** Metres.

	Total Stakes	Owner	Trainer	Jockey
Winner the Cup &	₹ 1,84,687	₹ 1,52,367	₹ 18,469	₹ 13,852
Second	₹ 90,937	₹ 75,023	₹ 9,094	₹ 6,820
Third	₹ 53,438	₹ 44,086	₹ 5,343	₹ 4,008
Fourth	₹ 34,688	₹ 28,617	₹ 3,468	₹ 2,602
Fifth	₹ 11,250	₹ 9,282	₹ 1,126	₹ 843

### 8. THE NANOLI STUD CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 and Stakes ₹6,00,000 presented by

**Nanoli Stud & Agricultural Farm.**

For Maiden Horses **3 years old only.**

**Weights** - Indian Colts & Geldings **52 Kgs.**, Indian Fillies - **50.5 kgs.**,

English Colts & Geldings **57.5 Kgs.**, English Fillies **56 Kgs.**

**Distance** – (About) **1200** Metres.

	Total Stakes	Owner	Trainer	Jockey
Winner the Cup &	₹ 3,10,275	₹ 2,55,976	₹ 31,028	₹ 23,271
Second	₹ 1,52,775	₹ 1,26,039	₹ 15,278	₹ 11,458
Third	₹ 89,775	₹ 74,064	₹ 8,978	₹ 6,733
Fourth	₹ 58,275	₹ 48,077	₹ 5,828	₹ 4,371
Fifth	₹ 18,900	₹ 15,593	₹ 1,890	₹ 1,418

Entries close at 10:30 a.m. on **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2018.**

Handicaps will be published at 5:30 p.m. on **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2018.**

Final forfeits will fall due at 10:30 a.m. on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2018.**

Declaration boxes will be opened at 10:30 a.m. on **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2018.**

**CALCUTTA RACES, SPECIAL MEETING  
SECOND DAY  
Sunday, 4th March 2018**

**1. THE INDIAN TURF INVITATION CUP (GR I)**

Replicas of Trophies valued ₹6,00,000 and ₹1,00,00,000 presented by the **Turf Authorities of India**.

A Trophy value ₹3,00,000 & ₹60,00,000 to the winner, ₹20,00,000 to the second, ₹10,00,000 to the third, ₹5,00,000 to the fourth, ₹2,00,000 to the fifth and ₹1,00,000 to the sixth.

A Trophy value ₹1,00,000 & ₹2,00,000 to the Breeder of the Winner.

A Trophy value ₹1,00,000 each to the Winning Trainer & Jockey.

For Indian Horses **4 years old & over**

**Weights** - 4 years old **57** Kgs, 5 years old and over **59** Kgs.

**Allowances** - Fillies and Mares allowed **1½** Kgs.

**Distance** - (About) **2400** Metres.

**Entrance** - For horses invited to participate by RCTC on nominations received from all the Turf Authorities of India of not more than three horses each and for horses invited to participate by RCTC from amongst the reserves nominated by all Turf Authorities of India, not exceeding 15 acceptors.

Horses nominated should enter for the race not later than 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday 20th February 2018.

No entry fee/forfeit will be charged for the above race.

**2. THE MAJ P K MEHRA MEMORIAL SUPER MILE CUP (GR I)**

Trophies valued ₹2,50,000 and Stakes ₹40,00,000 presented jointly by **M/s Usha Stud & Agricultural Farm Pvt Ltd and Turf Authorities of India**.

A Trophy value ₹1,00,000 & ₹24,00,000 to the winner, ₹8,00,000 to the second, ₹4,00,000 to the third, ₹2,00,000 to the fourth, ₹80,000 to the fifth and ₹40,000 to the sixth.

A Trophy value ₹50,000 & ₹80,000 to the Breeder of the Winner.

A Trophy value ₹50,000 each to the Winning Trainer & Jockey.

For Indian Horses **4 years old & over**

**Weights** - 4 years old **57½** Kgs, 5 years old and over **59** Kgs.

**Allowances** - Fillies and Mares allowed **1½** Kgs.

**Distance** - (About) **1600** Metres.

**Entrance** - For horses invited to participate by RCTC on nominations received from all the Turf Authorities of India of not more than three horses each and for horses invited to participate by RCTC from amongst the reserves nominated by all Turf Authorities of India, not exceeding 15 acceptors.

Horses nominated should enter for the race not later than 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday 20th February 2018.

No entry fee/forfeit will be charged for the above race.

### 3. THE SURESH MAHINDRA MULTI – MILLION TROPHY (GR II)

Trophies valued ₹1,00,000 and Stakes ₹15,00,000 presented jointly by **Mr Marthand Singh Mahindra** and **Turf Authorities of India**.

A Sweepstakes of ₹30,000 each with ₹15,00,000 added.

The Trophy and 60% of the stakes to the winner, 20% to the second, 10% to the third and 5% to the fourth, 2% to the fifth, 1% to the sixth, and 2% to the Breeder.

For Indian Horses **4 years old & over**

**Weights** - 4 years old **52½** Kgs, 5 years old and over **54** Kgs.

**Penalties** - i) Winner after 30th April, 2015, of either a Grade III race or a race of the value **₹8 Lakhs** or over (other than a Graded race) **1** Kg. or either of two or more such races **2** Kgs.

**or**

Winner of either a Grade II race or a race of the value **₹12 Lakhs** or over (other than a Graded race) **3** Kgs. or either of two or more such races **4½** Kgs.

**or**

Winner of either a Grade I race or a race of the value **₹30 Lakhs** or over (other than a Graded race) **6** Kgs. or either of two or more such races **7½** Kgs.

ii) Winner after 30th April, 2017, of a race of the value **₹4 Lakhs** or over **1** Kg. extra or winner of either two or more such races or a race of the value **₹8 Lakhs** or over **1½** Kgs. extra.

**Allowances** - Fillies and Mares allowed **1½** Kgs.

**Note** - If the top weighted acceptor is below 60 kgs., it shall be raised to 60 kgs. and the weights of all acceptors shall be raised relatively.

**Distance** – (About) **1400** Metres.

**Entrance** - ₹15,000 of the Sweepstakes falls due at 10.30 A.M. on Thursday 15th February, 2018 when the entries close and the final ₹15,000 for horses not struck out by 10.30 A.M. on Wednesday 28th February, 2018.

**Final entries close at 10.30 A.M. on Sunday, 25th February, 2018@ ₹3,00,000.**

### 4. THE HAZARA STUD CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 and Stakes ₹5,65,000 presented by **Hazara Stud**.

For Horses Rated **81 & above, Rated 61-86** eligible.

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Winner the Cup &	₹ 2,78,262	₹ 2,29,566	₹ 27,826	₹ 20,870
Second	₹ 1,37,013	₹ 1,13,035	₹ 1,37,01	₹ 10,276
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Fifth	₹ 16,950	₹ 13,984	₹ 1,696	₹ 1,271

### 5. THE CALCUTTA CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 and Stakes ₹3,00,000 presented by **Mr. Joydeep Datta Gupta**.

For Horses Rated **61-86, Rated 41-66** eligible

**Distance** – (About) **1400** Metres.

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### 6. THE ORIGINAL VEL PLATINUM JUBILEE TROPHY

A Trophy value ₹25,000 and ₹2,50,000 presented by **M/s. Original Vel**.

For Horses **Rated 41-66, Rated 21-46** eligible.

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Fourth	₹ 41,163	₹ 33,959	₹ 4,116	₹ 3,087
Fifth	₹ 13,350	₹ 11,014	₹ 1,335	₹ 1,002

## 7. THE HYDROPLANE CUP

A Cup value ₹25,000 and Stakes ₹3,75,000 presented by

**Yeravada Stud Farm.**

For Horses **Rated 21-46, Rated 01-26** eligible.

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Fifth	₹ 11,250	₹ 9,282	₹ 1,126	₹ 843

## 8. THE ARION HORSE TROPHY

A Trophy value ₹25,000 and Stakes ₹6,30,000 presented by

**Mr. D A Nanda.**

For Maiden Horses **3 years old only**

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## GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. In respect of horses participating in :-
  - a. The Indian Turf Invitation Cup (Grade I)
  - b. The Sprinters' Cup (Grade I)
  - c. The Dr. M A M Ramaswamy Stayers' Cup (Grade I)
  - d. The Maj P K Mehra Memorial Super Mile Cup (Grade I)
  - e. The Suresh Mahindra Multi-Million Trophy (Grade III)

Horses arriving from other centres are welcome to arrive and stay in Kolkata anytime up to a month in advance of the date of the race.

The sub part of the General Condition 23 of the Prospectus of the Calcutta Races, Cold Weather Season 2017-2018 “**no horses shall be accepted to participate in more than one race when racing has been scheduled for consecutive days**” does not apply to the horses participating in the above races.

2. No outstation horse will be allowed to participate in any Handicap races during the Invitation Weekend.
3. All horses arriving at Kolkata shall possess the following documents without which they will be prohibited from entering the RCTC premises.
  - a. Valid Coggins test Certificate negative for EIA.
  - b. Health Certificate from the Sr. Veterinary Officer of the respective Club stating that the horse does not show any clinical signs of EIA, Glanders, AHS Strangles or Equine Influenza at the time of its departure.
  - c. Endorsement in the passport to the effect that they have been administered with approved vaccination such as date and name of the vaccine, batch number and expiry date (vignette) should be endorsed in the passport and must be duly signed by the Sr. Veterinary Officer of the respective Club.
4. To qualify for entry, horses must be rated at least 2 days prior to the closing of entries by the DGM – Handicapping, RCTC.

5. **Safety Factor** – The maximum numbers permitted in a Race is 15.

6. The other General Conditions published in the Prospectus for the Calcutta Cold Weather Season 2017-2018 will apply.



