

BANGALORE TURF CLUB LIMITED

PRESS RELEASE

Ladies & Gentlemen,

On behalf of the Members of the Managing Committee of the Bangalore Turf Club Ltd., it gives me great pleasure in extending a very warm welcome to all of you to this Press Conference.

- I. Bangalore Summer Meeting 2025 will commence on Saturday, 17th May, 2025 and will conclude on Friday, 1st August, 2025. Racing will be conducted over 24 days during the meeting and will mainly be held on Saturdays and Sundays except during last week.
- II. Details of professionals expected to participate in the ensuing season are as under:

CATEGORY	NUMBER
Bangalore Based Trainers	30
Mumbai Based Trainers	09
Hyderabad Based Trainers	12
Kolkata Based Trainers	05
Chennai Based Trainers	04
Indian Jockeys "A" Licensed at BTC	58
Indian Jockeys "B" Licensed at BTC	44

Nearly 60 Trainers and 102 Jockeys are expected to participate during the meeting.

- III. Particulars of Outstation Trainers and number of Horses under their charge are furnished in the table below

Centre	Trainers	No of Horses
	Altamash Ahmed	03
Mumbai	Aman Altaf Hussian	06
	Adhiraj Singh Jodha	14
	P.S. Chouhan	03
	Karthik Ganapathy	06
	M.K.Jadhav	11
	M. Narredu	03
	Shazaan Shah	02
	P.Shroff	10
Hyderabad	Bharath Singh	04

Hyderabad	L.V.R. Deshmukh	02
	A.Imran Khan	03
	Jasbir Singh	04
	B. Mukesh Kumar	04
	Neelesh N. Rawal	06
	K.S.V.Prasad Raju	07
	S.A. Raza Shehzad	01
	G. Shashikanth	02
	L.D'Silva	10
	R.H.Sequeria	03
	S.Sreekanth	03
Kolkata	Aashay Doctor	06
	Arti Doctor	01
	B.Mahesh	01
	Rutherford Alford	09
	Neil Darashah	18
Chennai	Deepesh Narredu	15
	James Mckeown	23
	B.Suresh	01
	Vijay Singh	17
Outstation Horses Under the Charge of " A " Licensed Trainers		04
Under the Charge of "A" Licensed Trainers		597
Total		799

- IV. In all about 799 racing horses including 202 outstation horses are stabled in BTC premises and are expected to participate during the meeting as against 450 during the previous Summer Meeting 2024.

V. STATISTICAL INFORMATION:

Particulars	SUMMER 2023	SUMMER 2024	SUMMER 2025
Number of Race Days	24	13	24
Number of Races	176	105	168
Number of Local Horses	577	343	788
Number of Outstation Horses	208	94	185
Number of 3-Year Olds	165	190	215

VI. Prize Money:

Total duly Prize Money including trophies is Rs. 15,71,95,000 estimated to be paid during Bangalore Summer Meeting 2025 and would be approximately 18 crores including divisions.

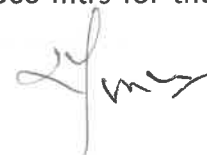
VII. CLASSIC RACES AND SPONSORSHIP:

- (a) Guaranteed money for the following Classic races to be run during Bangalore Summer Meeting 2025 is detailed below:

Sl. No.	Classic Race	Guaranteed Money
1	Bangalore Summer Derby (Grade I)	2,00,00,000
2	Fillies Championship Stakes (Grade I)	50,00,000
3	Colts Championship Stakes (Grade I)	50,00,000
4	Bangalore St. Leger (Grade III)	20,00,000

- (b) The HPSL Bangalore Summer Derby (Grade I) is sponsored by Mr. Suresh Paladugu , HPSL. The Guaranteed prize money will be Rs. 2 crores inclusive of the Club's contribution and an equal contribution of Rs. 1 crore by the sponsor.
- (c) The R.R. Byramji Million is sponsored by Mr. Darius Byramji. The Prize money will be Rs. 11.00 lakhs inclusive of the Club's contribution of Rs. 5.50 lakhs and an equal contribution of Rs. 5.50 lakhs by the sponsor.
- (d) The Hooves of Steel Million is sponsored by Mr. Rajendran Sabanayagam. The prize money will be Rs. 11.00 lakhs inclusive of the Club's contribution of Rs. 5.50 lakhs and an equal contribution of Rs. 5.50 lakhs by the sponsor.
- (e) The Coromandel Gromor Bangalore Million is sponsored by Mr. Arun Alagappan. The added money will be Rs. 10.00 lakhs inclusive of the Club's contribution of Rs. 5.0 lakhs and an equal contribution by the sponsor.
- (f) The Five Star Shipping Million is sponsored by Mr. K.N. Dhunjiboy. The added money will be Rs. 10.00 lakhs inclusive of the Club's contribution of Rs. 5.0 lakhs and an equal contribution by the sponsor.

- VIII. We have introduced races over a distance of 1300 and 1500 mtrs for the first time.



IX. SPECIAL RACE DAYS:

Day	Date	Race
Second Day	Sunday, 18 th May, 2025	THE WAR HAMMER MILLION
Fourth Day	Sunday, 25 th May, 2025	THE JAYACHAMARAJA WADIYAR CUP
Sixth Day	Sunday, 1 st June, 2025	THE KARNATAKA JUVENILE MILLION (GRADE III)
Eighth Day	Sunday, 8 th June, 2025	THE KRISHNARAJA WADIYAR CUP
Tenth Day	Sunday, 15 th June, 2025	THE FILLIES CHAMPIONSHIP STAKES (GRADE I)
Eleventh Day	Saturday, 21 st June, 2025	THE CHIEF JUSTICE'S CUP (GRADE III)
Twelfth Day	Sunday, 22 nd June, 2025	THE COLTS' CHAMPIONSHIP STAKES (GRADE I)
Thirteenth Day	Saturday, 28 th June, 2025	THE JUVENILE SPRINTERS' MILLION (GRADE III)
Fourteenth Day	Sunday, 29 th June, 2025	THE CHIEF MINISTER'S CUP
Sixteenth Day	Sunday, 6 th July, 2025	THE MAHARAJA'S GOLD CUP (GRADE II)
Seventeenth Day	Saturday, 12 th July, 2025	THE COROMANDEL GROMOR BANGALORE MILLION THE HOOVES OF THE STEEL MILLION
Eighteenth Day	Sunday, 13 th July, 2025	THE HPSL BANGALORE SUMMER DERBY (GRADE I) THE B.T.C ANNIVERSARY CUP (GRADE II) THE FIVE STARS SHIPPING MILLION
Twentieth Day	Sunday, 20 th July, 2025	THE BANGALORE ST. LEGER (GRADE III)
Twenty first Day	Saturday, 26 th July, 2025	THE BANGALORE CITY SPRINT CHAMPIONSHIP GOLD CUP
Twenty Second Day	Sunday, 27 th July, 2025	THE KARNATAKA MILE CHAMPIONSHIP CUP
Twenty Third Day	Thursday, 31 st July, 2025	THE BANGALORE SUMMER MILLION
Twenty Fourth Day	Friday, 1 st August, 2025	THE GOVERNOR'S CUP (GRADE III)

X. BOARD OF APPEAL:

The Board of Appeal has been reconstituted effective from the commencement of Bangalore Summer Meeting 2025 as under:

Mr. Shivkumar Kheny[Chairman]
 Mr. S. Chockalingam
 Mr. B. Dayananda I.P.S.
 Mr. S.K. Raghunandan
 Mr. Ritesh Kumar Singh I.A.S.
 Mr. Zeyn Mirza



XI. GENERAL:

Jockeys were subjected to a Jockeys fitness test conducted by the officials of Sports Authority of India, Bangalore as a prerequisite to the licensing procedure.

XII. ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

I thank you all for the help extended to the Bangalore Turf Club Ltd. in the past. On behalf of the Managing Committee, I seek your support once again in providing wide coverage for the Summer Races.

While seeking your cooperation, I wish you and all the racing public a successful Meeting.

Place: Bangalore
Dated: 15th May, 2025



(R. Manjunath Ramesh)
CHAIRMAN & SENIOR STEWARD

