

[Employment Opportunity]

Racecourse Manager – Port Macquarie Race Club

Port Macquarie Race Club conducts up to 23 TAB race meetings per annum and provides training facilities for up to 100 racehorses.

Reporting to the CEO, the Racecourse Manager is responsible for the management and ongoing maintenance of the course proper, training tracks, stalls complex, gardens, and grounds to ensure they are presented in prime condition.

The successful applicant will have proven knowledge and experience in –

- Turf Management and the maintenance of equine racing and training surfaces.
- The supervision of track staff.
- WHS matters relating to risk assessment, manual labour and the handling of pesticides and other chemicals used in the management of the grounds and tracks.
- Qualified at AQF3 Chemical Application level and experience in operating a tractor mounted boom spray unit.
- General mechanical aptitude and record keeping relating to maintenance and trouble shooting of tractors, ride-on mowers, and other equipment.
- The operation and maintenance of computerized irrigation systems.
- Horticulture.

Key skills required are –

- Prior management experience and the ability to lead, manage and motivate your team.
- Ability to confidently liaise with RNSW officials, licensed persons, contractors, and all other stakeholders.
- Strong time management and organizational skills.
- Analytical skills and the capacity to develop solutions to problems.
- Excellent communication [written and oral].
- Computer literacy.
- Current driver's license.

A greenkeeping trade certificate or other turf management qualification is highly desirable, as is a thorough knowledge and understanding of the racing industry.

Applications should be emailed to –

Chief Executive Officer

Port Macquarie Race Club

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Applications will close FRIDAY, 4 MARCH 2022