

## Trot Rods 2024

Trots Rods will return to Redcliffe in 2024, running from April 24 through until May 29. The series will follow a similar format to previous years including:

- Two weekly Wednesday night heats leading up to a final night of Trot Rods races on May 29;
- All heats will be run for \$7,000 and are penalty free;
- Maximum field size of five, with one emergency drawn;
- Barrier draw – PBD/Average mile rate last 10 starts;
- Races run over 947m (one lap of Redcliffe);
- A \$1000 bonus will be awarded to any horse which betters the official Leading Time through the series.
- The horse with the fastest official time at the conclusion of the series will win a \$10,000 bonus for its owner and new Otto Tuza 3 horse Float for its trainer;
- The final night, inclusive of 10 heats, will feature five leading drivers who will drive in each race and similar to last year, drives will be selected via a draft following the fields being released.

The schedule/program for this year's series is as follows:

Week	Date	Heat	Class	Heat	Class
1	April 24	1	NR30-40	2	NR30-40
2	May 1	3	NR41-46	4	NR41-46
3	May 8	5	NR47-52	6	NR47-52
4	May 15	7	NR50-55	8	NR50-55
5	May 22	9	NR54-60	10	NR54-60
6	May 29 – <b>Finals Night</b>	11 – 20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NR 30 to 38</li> <li>• NR 39 to 44</li> <li>• NR 45 to 50</li> <li>• NR 51 to 55</li> <li>• NR 56 to 62</li> <li>• NR 63 to 70</li> <li>• NO BAND HORSES – No higher than NR70</li> </ul>		

On the final night multiple heats of one rating group may be conducted depending upon nominations received to achieve the 10 race all Trot Rods card.

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