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NZ Metro leading breeding recognition

The NZ Standardbred Breeders' Association would like to thank the NZ Metropolitan Trotting Club who have successfully implemented breeders' names being added to the race book for all races, at no extra cost to the club.

A letter sent to Canterbury and Northern South Island clubs by the Canterbury Standardbred Breeders' Association was met positively by the NZMTC.

NZMTC CEO Shane Gloury made the addition to the race book in late February. Akaroa and Banks Peninsula Trotting Clubs are also willing to add breeder names; they use a different system to NZMTC and are currently working with the TAB to action the changes.

CSBA President John Mooney joined in thanking The Met. He said:

“Recognition of participation in our industry is very important to owners and breeders. This small gesture, supported by HRNZ's inclusion of the breeder's name in the InfoHorse results, is appreciated.”

The NZSBA also acknowledges the Auckland Trotting Club who add breeders' names to their Group races. A little bit of recognition goes a long way.

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