



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **CITY OF MARION STAKES DAY TO START SUMMER WITH A BANG**

Black type racing returns to Morphettville Racecourse this Saturday 10 December, with the South Australian Jockey Club (SAJC) delivering an exciting program, including the running of the highly anticipated \$80,000 City Of Marion Stakes.

The race has drawn together a field of ten and includes four runners from interstate stables. Victorians Rocking Force, King Hoaks and Undeniably from Mark Kavanagh's Melbourne stable will no doubt put on a show, with Northern Territorian Lucid Reflection to take on six of South Australia's better sprinters.

The majority of the line up will be eyeing off the Christmas Handicap to be run at the Morphettville Parks circuit on 26 December 2011, including last year's Christmas Handicap winner Shekinaar.

The David Jolly prepared Shekinaar made a brilliant return to the track winning a fortnight ago, and will be the one to keep an eye on this coming Saturday.

Young South Australian Trainer Lloyd Kennewell has a two pronged attack in Lexcen and The Eighth Maker; both having claims for victory in the highlight race.

Favoritism is likely to be head to head with the Victorians, Rocking Force and Undeniably.

So celebrate the start of summer with a day at the races, and enjoy an entertaining racing program at Morphettville Racecourse.

The eight race program on Saturday 10 December 2011 commences at 12.25pm.

Admission:

Adults: \$10

Concession: \$5

Children Under 18: FREE

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