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Start Your Engines, The Grid Girls Are Also Back





The Adelaide 500 certainly holds true to the saying "Start your engines" as all eyes will be not only on the cars and drivers but the grid girls are back!! In the words of legendary race commentator Murray Walker once quoted the Adelaide 500 as "the best touring car event in the world", the four-day motorsport carnival is extremely well known world wide for being a such a great spectacle both on and off the track. Five-time Supercars champion Mark Skaife said the circuit has probably the "wildest corner in Australian motorsport". "It's unforgiving, it's got a hero corner ... it's the reason people ride big waves or jump out of planes — we love it." "Peter Brock used to say that great racetracks have got consequences," he said. . Craig Lowndes, a three-time championship winner who won Bathurst seven times, was the winner at Adelaide's inaugural race in 1999. Lowndes also described Turn Eight as a "hold your breath" corner. "We can't talk about Adelaide without talking about the infamous Turn Eight," Lowndes said. "Thankfully, I never went in there, but teammates have.""When you walk back into the paddock on the Sunday morning with blisters on your hands, sore feet, a sore back, and knowing that you've got to another 78 laps, it's brutal," Lowndes said. "Physically, this is as tough as it gets for the drivers. Picture credit -Supplied



By Chip Miller

Strike me Pink, already the so called experts are having a crack/ prediction / writing off some of the clubs after the release

of the 2025 AFL season programme all just because they think its either a too tough or a soft draw . Good to see both South Aussie clubs straight on the front foot yesterday. Adelaide **CEO Tim Silvers quoted** "Playing four games at home in the first six weeks of the season is a great result for a number of reasons but especially for the opportunity to get in front of our members and supporters. We are also really pleased to have received some prominent timeslots and national free-to-air television exposure. To once again open Gather Round is important (and) we'll put on a show that is worthy of the occasion, and likewise hosting the SA Freeze against Brisbane in June gives us the chance to really build on what we did this year and possibly make it a tradition. Every interstate team loves the chance to get on the MCG, it's where big games are played, and to have three games scheduled there is another good outcome." Port CEO Matthew **Richardson quoted** "We are looking forward to another fantastic year of AFL football. Twilight and daytime timeslots on Saturdays and Sundays provide great access for our fans, in particular for families with children" "we are fixtured to play in every Australian state"

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Morphett Parks

Crystal Clear

R1:3,1,4,5

R2:3,5,4,1

R3:7,3,2,8

R4: 1, 3, 5, 7

R5: 6, 2, 3, 1

R6: 8, 1, 6, 7

R7: 9, 11, 3, 10

R8: 4, 8, 7, 2

Caulfield

The Shark

1:3,7,8,13

2: 13, 2, 16, 5

3:11,14,13,2

4:1,3,4,7

5:7,5,6,8

6:11,7,3,2

7:4,2,11,10

8:8,5,17,14

9:4,7,1,13

10:10,6,4,3

Newcastle

Harbour Harry

1:5,8,3,2

2:5,10,3,4

3:3,16,2,14

4:4,5,9,11

5:4,5,2,6

6:10,3,6,11

7:8,1,2,3

8:5,14,1,4

9:3,11,1,4

10:9,13,17,3

Sunshine Coast

Jungle Jim

1:8,1,6,9

2:5,1,10,4

3:5,3,7,8

4:16,8,9,3

5:9,13,12,4

6: 12, 15, 9, 8

7:2,3,5,8

8:1,11,9,2

9:5,9,4,2

Jimmy Olsen

BR 4 # 14 Umetini

BR 5 # 3 Billionair Baby

SR 7 # 7 Totoka

The Mailman

BR 2 # 10 Aerial Dancer

BR 5 # 9 Transatlantic

SR 8 # 14 Briasha

Tower Of Knowledge

AR 2 # 3 Dancing Storm

AR 4 # 1 Great Maximus

AR 7 # 3 Even Sharper

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