

2026 BURNETT TO THE BEACH SERIES



FINAL: NANANGO RC SATURDAY DECEMBER 12, 2026 BURNETT TO THE BEACH FINAL

Benchmark 60 Handicap - 1200m

\$20,000 Prize Money: 1st \$13,700; 2nd \$3,500; 3rd \$1,600; 4th \$800; 5th \$400

HEATS

DATE	CLUB	RACE
10/10/26	Gayndah JC	Benchmark 55 Hcp 1200m
17/10/26	South Burnett RC (Wondai)	Benchmark 50 Hcp 1100m
3/11/26	Kumbia	Benchmark 55 Hcp 1200m
7/11/26	Esk JC	Benchmark 50 Hcp 1200m
14/11/26	Mount Perry RC	Benchmark 55 Hcp 1000m
21/11/26	Gympie TC	Benchmark 60 Hcp 1170m
5/12/26	Bundaberg RC	Benchmark 55 Hcp 1090m

Refer to the Race Magazine for individual prize money for the heats listed above.

FINAL CONDITIONS:

- To be eligible to compete in the Final, horses must have competed in a minimum of one (1) Heat.
- It is a requirement to nominate for the Final i.e. horses will not be automatically nominated.

FINAL BALLOTING CONDITIONS:

- Composition of the field will be determined at acceptance time by the highest two (2) placegetters (1st, 2nd, 3rd) in each of the seven (7) Heats. (see condition below regarding dead-heats)
- If a horse places first or second in more than one (1) Heat, it will be deemed to have qualified in the first of those Heats.
- If there are not two (2) placegetters from each Heat declared as acceptors for the Final, third placegetter from other Heats that have not already secured a place in the Final will be eligible to be included. Preference will be determined on the following basis:
 - The horse with the highest official RQ rating
 - If two or more horses have the same official RQ rating, they will be balloted by lot.
- If all placegetters from the Heats are exhausted and the Final field (plus emergencies) is still not complete, then unplaced horses from the Heats that have nominated for the Final, will complete the composition of the field for the Final. Preference will be determined on the following basis:
 - The horse with the highest official RQ rating
 - If two or more horses have the same official RQ rating, they will be balloted by lot.
- Should there be any dead-heats in the Heats, preference will be determined on the following basis:
 - The horse with the highest official RQ rating at the time of final acceptance of Heat.
 - If two or more horses have the same official RQ rating, they will be balloted by lot.

QUALIFYING HEAT CONDITIONS:

- To be eligible to compete in a Heat, a horse must have started in a minimum of three (3) non-Tab races in Queensland in the 12 months immediately preceding the acceptance date for that Heat specifically.
- Qualifiers will not be divided.

SERIES BALLOTING CONDITIONS:

Heats: Racing Queensland balloting conditions for Ratings Based Handicap Races will apply in all Heats of this Series.

RQ reserves the right to add, amend, delete any conditions relating to this Series, if deemed necessary.