



ILLINOIS RACING BOARD

On September 27, 2011, the Illinois Racing Board approved the following racing schedule for 2012.

THOROUGHBRED

	<u>Live Race Programs</u>	<u>Total Host Programs</u>
ARLINGTON PARK	90	197
<p>Dark "host" period: January 1 through February 13 – No live racing.</p> <p>Live racing May 1 through September 30 - racing 4 days per week, Thursdays through Sundays. Dark on May 3. Racing live May 28, July 4 and September 3. Night racing on June 30, July 21 and August 25.</p>		
HAWTHORNE RACE COURSE	105	169
<p>Dark "host" period: February 14 through February 16 – No live racing.</p> <p>Live racing February 17 and 18 and racing 3 days per week, February 19 through February 27, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.</p> <p>Live racing February 28 through April 30 - racing 4 days per week on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. (Total spring programs – 41)</p> <p>October 1 through December 31 - racing 5 days per week, Wednesdays through Sundays. Dark on Thanksgiving, November 22. (Total fall programs – 64)</p>		
TOTAL UPSTATE THOROUGHBRED	<u>195</u>	<u>366</u>
FAIRMOUNT PARK	67	n/a
<p>April 3 through September 21, racing 2 and 3 programs per week, Tuesday afternoons, Friday and Saturday evenings. Dark May 29 and September 4. Racing live May 28 and September 3.</p>		
TOTAL THOROUGHBRED	<u>262</u>	<u>366</u>

HARNESS

	<u>Live Race Programs</u>	<u>Total Host Programs</u>
BALMORAL PARK	207	262
<p>January 1 through December 30 - racing 4 nights per week, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays. Dark on Super Bowl, February 5 and Christmas, December 25.</p>		
MAYWOOD PARK	103	104
<p>January 5 through December 28 - racing 2 nights per week, Thursdays and Fridays. Dark on Thanksgiving, November 22.</p>		
TOTAL HARNESS	310	366
TOTAL THOROUGHBRED AND HARNESS	572	732

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