

## MEDIA RELEASE

During May/June 2016, Victoria's Racing Integrity Commissioner (RIC), Sal Perna, will again undertake a series of presentations in regional and metropolitan areas of Victoria.

These presentations build on those undertaken the previous four years to create a greater understanding and awareness of the role and responsibilities of the RIC, the work the office has undertaken and an overview of what is in place to ensure that the Victorian Racing Industry operates free from the influence of crime and corruption.

The sessions will be an opportunity to raise questions and hear first-hand of the Commissioner's perspectives on integrity in the racing industry.

All members of the public are invited to attend, whether racing industry participants or not.

Details of the Commissioner's presentations are as follows:-

<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Venue</b>
Tues 17 May	Mildura	7.00pm	MADEC Community College 133-137 Madden Avenue, Mildura
Wed 18 May	Swan Hill	7.00pm	Swan Hill Jockey Club Gray Street, Swan Hill
Thurs 19 May	Bendigo	11.00am	Latrobe University Visual Arts Centre 121 View Street, Bendigo
Tues 24 May	Warrnambool	7.00pm	Warrnambool Racing Club Grafton Rd, Warrnambool
Wed 25 May	Geelong	11.00am	Geelong Greyhound Racing Club Beckley Park, Broderick Road, Corio
Thurs 26 May	Cranbourne	11.00am	Cranbourne Turf Club Grant St, Cranbourne
Thurs 26 May	Sale	7.00 pm	Sale Turf Club 1227 Maffra-Sale Rd, Sale
Mon 30 May	Horsham	7.00pm	Horsham Greyhound Racing Club Horsham Showground, Horsham
Tues 31 May	Ballarat	11.00am	Ballarat Golf Club 1800 Sturt St, Ballarat
Tues 31 May	Shepparton	7.00pm	Shepparton Harness Racing Club Quest Racing Complex Goulburn Valley Highway, Kialla
Thurs 2 June	Melbourne	7.00pm	Victoria Racing Club Flemington Racecourse 448 Epsom Rd, Flemington

All sessions will commence at the allocated time and will run for approximately 1 hour.

Those interested in attending any of the sessions are kindly asked to indicate their attendance online via the website [www.racingintegrity.vic.gov.au](http://www.racingintegrity.vic.gov.au) or email [rsvp@racingintegrity.vic.gov.au](mailto:rsvp@racingintegrity.vic.gov.au) prior to the session.

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