



ILLINOIS RACING BOARD

July 31, 2017

The following applications for 2018 race dates were filed with the Illinois Racing Board. The Dates Hearing for 2018 race dates is scheduled for Tuesday, September 26, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at the James R. Thompson Center, Chicago, Illinois.

THOROUGHBRED

ARLINGTON INTERNATIONAL RACECOURSE, LLC
at Arlington Park

71 Programs
(215 total host days)

January 1 through March 1 (dark host time)

- No live racing.

April 30 through May 12

- Racing 2 days per week on Fridays and Saturdays.

May 13 through June 24

- Racing 3 days per week on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Live racing on May 28. Dark on May 20.

June 25 through September 8

- Racing 4 days per week on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Live racing on July 2 and September 3. Dark on July 5 and August 30.

September 9 through October 1

- Racing 3 days per week on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. Dark September 23 through October 1.

HAWTHORNE RACE COURSE, INC.
at Hawthorne Race Course

55 Programs
(150 total host days)

March 2 through March 22 (dark host time)

- No live racing.

March 23 through March 31

- Racing 2 days per week on Fridays and Saturdays.

April 1 through April 29

- Racing 3 days per week on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays.

October 2 through November 3

- Racing 4 days per week Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. Dark on October 3 and 4.

November 4 through December 1

- Racing 3 days per week on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. Dark on November 22.

December 2 through December 31

- Racing 2 days per week on Fridays and Saturdays. Live racing on December 26 and 27.

FAIRMOUNT PARK, INC.

150 Programs

at Fairmount Park

January 1 through December 31

HARNES

SUBURBAN DOWNS, INC.

110 Programs

at Hawthorne Race Course

(365 total host days)

January 12 through March 4

- Racing 4 nights per week on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays. Live racing on February 5. Dark on February 4.

May 11 through September 23

- Racing 4 nights per week on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays.