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White Turf St. Moritz – The European Snow Meeting

The White Turf organisers are extremely satisfied – a vast field of international competitors can once again be listed for the 106th occasion of the international horse races. All six races are now closed. CEO Silvio Martin Staub is delighted with the entry results. Two further races have been announced due to the cancelled races at Arosa.

In agreement with the active participants, White Turf reacted immediately to the cancelled races of Arosa and organised on the first and second race Sunday a further flat race in St. Moritz (1800m/1900m), each with prize money of CHF 10,000. This measure offers the possibility of participation for all the horses that were especially trained and prepared for Arosa, and an additional opportunity for the horses that would not have been able to enter in St. Moritz because of the tender. The decision received a positive response from the active competitors.

Entries on the 1st race Sunday, 3rd February 2013

Suisse Trot and Galopp Schweiz received valid entries for all six races taking place. The races are no longer accepting entries – they are all definitely closed. All the flat races are very well registered. The exceptional number of entries for the 'Fegentri World Championship for Gentlemen Riders' flat race was received with enthusiasm. Eleven horses in total have been registered: from Switzerland (8), France (1), England (1) and Germany (1) are registered.

Sensational entry results have been achieved for the big flat race, with 20 registered horses in total: from Switzerland (13), Germany (3), France (1), England (2) and Hungary (1). Eleven entries are registered for the sprint race.

Trotting races

There are twelve entries for the small trotting race and eleven for the big one. Only one double entry has been registered.

Skikjöring

Once again, the Skikjöring race is in great demand. With fifteen entries received from Germany, France and Switzerland, the Skikjöring field is more than complete. Eliminations will have to take place.

Entries on the 3rd race Sunday, 17th February 2013

Gübelin – 74th Grand Prix of St. Moritz (G2)

As every year, this trial is the horse race with the highest prize money in Switzerland, the purse this year standing at 135,135 Swiss francs. Thirty-two entries have been received for the 'Gübelin – 74th Grand Prix of St. Moritz (G2)' with horses from five nations. Besides entries from Swiss stables, horse names from Germany, England, France and Italy can be found on the entry list. The most prominent participants are last year's two best placed horses, African Art and Flash Dance. They will compete against Winterwind and Pont des Arts, who came first and second in 2011. The last entry date, with a triple entry fee, is 4th February 2013.

St. Moritz, 22nd January 2013

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