



## Race Night Group Package - 2020

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Turn your next special occasion into a **grand occasion at Grand River Raceway!**

Here at Grand River Raceway we have many different entertainment options for groups of all sizes. Our Race Night Buffet is a unique opportunity for guests to experience a night at the races while enjoying a buffet dinner in our multi-level dining room that overlooks the finish line of the race track.

Every guest over 18 years of age will receive a Race Night Program to guide them through the evening. As members of the group package, guests (19+ yrs old) will also receive a \$10 slot voucher that can be used to try their luck on the slot floor that night, along with a group photo in the winners circle following the race named for your group. Additional add ons are available to enhance your experience as a group throughout the night.

After your guests have had their fill at the buffet they are encouraged to wander around our ever-growing facilities to experience live racing up close and personal on the Tarmac or to explore the many entertainment options that are available on special event nights. Their table will always be available for them to return to at any time that evening.

Let's get started; call or email one of our skilled Events and Experience Coordinators, to start planning your GRAND night at the races!

**The completed package will need to be received before your group reservation can be confirmed.**

**To submit your package you may either:**

**1) Email: [bookings@grandriverraceway.com](mailto:bookings@grandriverraceway.com)**

**2) Fax: (519) 846-0206**

**3) Mail: Grand River Raceway c/o Events & Experience Dept.**

**7445 Wellington County Rd. 21, R.R. #2, Elora, ON N0B 1S0**

If you have any questions or would like to arrange a tour of our facilities, please contact us at **(519) 846-5455 ext. 288**

We look forward to hosting your next business or social outing at Grand River Raceway.

Best regards,

*Jacqueline Lapointe & Danielle Patton*

Events & Experience Coordinators

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*Expect an Experience!*



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## Group Booking Contract

*Please Note: Your group reservation will be considered tentative until we receive a signed copy of this contract.*

1. Groups must consist of 12 or more adults (age 19+) to receive group benefits and pricing. Children are welcome, but will be billed separately from the group.
2. Group leaders must confirm final group numbers with the Bookings Department no later than noon, 7 days in advance of your event– **you will be billed for a minimum of the confirmed amount.** It is up to the group leader to fill all confirmed seats. We cannot guarantee seating or meals for additional attendees above the confirmed number, nor can we provide a reduction to your bill for fewer attendees after this date.
3. Space is reserved based on the estimated number of attendees at time of booking. If you estimate changes significantly, please notify the Bookings Department as soon as possible to find out if more space is available. Periodic updates of numbers are required.
4. We reserve the right to pre-arrange your group seating as space permits. Every effort will be made to seat groups in the same section of tables. Please note that the largest table size seats 6 guests and therefore, reservations with more than 6 guests may be seated at multiple tables, side-by-side. Special requests must be made as soon as possible. (i.e. upper level seating due to wheelchair access) Upper level seating is limited.
5. For group meals, the bill will be given to the group leader based on the pre-confirmed number. Payment is to be submitted to your server that evening as one lump sum, payable by debit card, credit card, or cash only. Cheques will not be accepted. All beverages will be billed separately per individual. If you would like beverages to be included on one bill, please indicate by the confirmation date, and let your server know at the start of the evening. All food and beverages are to be paid prior to leaving the Captain's Quarters.
6. If your group will be arriving later than 7 pm, please make prior arrangements to hold your tables. Tables initially held for your group that are not in use may be made available to other patrons at the discretion of Grand River Raceway.
7. A deposit may be required to hold your group reservation at the discretion of Grand River Raceway.

**I have read the above contract and agree to the terms thereof.**

**Please return promptly to reserve your group booking.**

**Initials: \_\_\_\_\_**



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## What your Group Package includes

### **Race Night Buffet Dinner in the Captains Quarters**

The doors to the Captains Quarters open at 5:30pm. Your guests will be able to help themselves to a variety of options at the dinner buffet beginning at 6:00pm. Throughout the evening everyone is welcome to come and go from their table as they please. We only seat one round of guests each night so we will not give your table away.

### **Grand River Raceway Program**

Race Night Programs are included for each individual over 18 years of age. They are a great resource for guests to navigate their experience with easy to understand Betting Guides, race specific details about each horse, driver and trainer as well as entry forms into any contest running at the track that night.

### **Group Named Race**

Each group will have a race named after them. Your name will be printed in the Race Night Program, and a welcome message will be displayed on our race night broadcast and onsite screens.

### **Photo with the Winning Horse**

Each group will be invited to the winners circle after their assigned race to have a photo taken with the winning horse. Please note, we recommend no more than 20 people in each photo due to the patience of the horses and we reserve the right to eliminate the photo opportunity based on safety. Additional photos can be purchased from our track photographer for \$8.50 for each 8.5" X 11" photo (*only cash is accepted for additional photos*).

### **Slot Vouchers**

Each individual (*19+ yrs old*) who books within a group will receive a \$10 Slot Voucher that can be used in the Elements Casino Slot Floor on the same night of the groups dinner experience. Each individual must be members of the Elements Rewards Program. Signup is available onsite at the Elements Guest Care counter inside the main doors. Guest must show valid photo ID to sign up.



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# Additional Items to Enhance your Experience

### Pre-Ordered Betting Vouchers

Encourage your guests to dive into the horse racing experience by providing a betting voucher in the amount of your choosing, starting at \$2. You never know who will go up against the odds and win by a long shot. Betting Vouchers must be ordered with a credit card at least 1 week prior to your night.

### Betting Tutorial

No matter what your guests experience level is our free tutorial will be sure to teach them the ins and outs of the race program and how to place a bet with one of our many mutual tellers. Guests will experience more confidence when selecting their winning horse and calling out their bet after completing our Betting Tutorial.

### Group Barn Tour

We welcome your group to come join us in the paddock for a behind the scenes look at our ship-in racing stable. Guests will have the opportunity to have their questions answered by industry experts and hey, you never know who you might meet in the paddock!

### Sponsored Blanket Throw

Itching to see your group name or company logo in the winners circle? Now's the time, during the winners circle presentation we will adorn the winning horse with a branded blanket sponsored by you. Winners Circle presentations are displayed on over 100 screens throughout our facilities as well as across our North American wide broadcast channels. The Blanket Sponsor price is \$250 per blanket and must be paid for no later than 3 weeks before booking date.

### Spoil a Horse

These big-hearted horses love the challenge of being the best at what they do but like every athlete they need some TLC after a hard workout. Give the gift of health and relaxation to your winning horse with a custom made gift basket. Let us know your budget and we can customize your gift to match. Gift Baskets must be ordered and paid for no later than 1 week prior to your booking date. Minimum order of \$50 required.

### Spoil a Groom

All of the horses that race each night would never make it here if it weren't for their Grooms. The grooms responsibilities include watching over and caring for every aspect of their horse no matter how smelly or messy the job is. Help us appreciate their endless hard work and dedication by gifting the groom of your winning horse with a much needed gas card to help get them where they need to go. Gas Card Denominations include \$25, \$50, \$75 or \$100. Gift Cards must be ordered and paid for no later than 1 week prior to your booking date.



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## Client Information

GROUP NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
(will be printed in race program as written)

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON (group organizer/leader): \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE (work): \_\_\_\_\_ EXT: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE (cell): \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE (potential date(s) for booking): \_\_\_\_\_ DOORS OPEN AT 5:30pm

ESTIMATED # OF PEOPLE IN GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_

**(final number must be confirmed 7 days in advance of booking date.**

The final confirmed guests is what will be billed on one bill the night of your booking)

DOES ANY MEMBER OF YOUR GROUP HAVE TROUBLE WITH STAIRS?: \_\_\_\_\_

WILL YOU BE PRE-ORDERING BETTING VOUCHERS?: Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_ Value: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOUR GROUP LIKE A BETTING TUTORIAL? \_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOUR GROUP LIKE A BARN TOUR? \_\_\_\_\_ If so how many people? \_\_\_\_\_

WILL ANYONE BE ORDERING EXTRA GROUP PHOTOS? \_\_\_\_\_ If so how many? \_\_\_\_\_

(one free photo is included with each group package. Each additional photo is \$8.50)

WOULD YOUR GROUP LIKE TO SPONSOR A BLANKET THROW (\$250.00 PER BLANKET)? \_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOUR GROUP LIKE TO SPOIL A HORSE? \_\_\_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_\_\_ \$75 \_\_\_\_\_ \$100 \_\_\_\_\_ \$150

WOULD YOUR GROUP LIKE TO SPOIL A GROOM? \_\_\_\_\_ \$25 \_\_\_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_\_\_ \$75 \_\_\_\_\_ \$100

I have read this application and acknowledge that I, the applicant, have the authority to sign for and bind the group or organization named in this agreement. Also, I hereby covenant and agree to all of the terms and conditions set out and in particular, hereby covenant and agree that I am personally responsible and obligated to pay all charges due to Grand River Raceway (GRR) in accordance with the conditions. I further acknowledge that my right to use the Premises is at the discretion of the GRR. I further acknowledge that I have read and will communicate the alcohol policy and the Group Booking Contract (Page 2) to all attendees in my group.

By typing your name into the Signature field, you are providing the same consent guaranteed by your handwritten signature

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# RACE NIGHT BUFFET

in the Captain's Quarters multi-level dining room overlooking the racetrack

## Captain's Quarters BUFFET MENU

### Fresh Baked Breads & Soup

Warm Ciabatta Rolls  
Chef Selection Soup of the Day

### Delicious Entrées

Beef Pot Roast  
Chicken Thighs in Cream Sauce  
Baked Salmon with Lemon Dill Sauce

### Sides

Mashed or Roasted Potatoes  
Seasonal Vegetable  
Asian Style Stir Fry  
(Gluten Free & Vegetarian)  
Cabbage Rolls  
Baked Macaroni & Cheese  
Perogies with Bacon & Onions

### Salads on the Side

Garden Salad with a variety of  
Fresh Seasonal Toppings  
Macaroni & Potato Salad  
Coleslaw  
Bean Salad

### For the Sweet Tooth

Bridor Baked Goods  
Variety of Tarts  
Selection of Cake  
Fruit Salad & Watermelon

**Buffet items may vary.**

## Race Night SCHEDULE

### JUNE

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

### JULY

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

### AUGUST

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

### SEPTEMBER

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

## Race Night Buffet INFORMATION

### GROUP RATE:

Applies to groups of 12 + people  
over 19 years old

Mon. & Wed.

**\$28.60**

Fridays  
**\$31.20**

Group Rate per person includes:  
Dinner, tax, gratuity HST,  
Grand River Raceway Program,  
race named after your group,  
and a photo with the winning  
horse of your race..

Doors open at 5:30 pm  
Buffet starts at 6:00 pm  
Racing starts at 6:30 pm  
Buffet served until 8:30 pm

### For RESERVATIONS or GROUP BOOKINGS:

Online at [GrandRiverRaceway.com](http://GrandRiverRaceway.com)  
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July 10: Ren's Pets Depot Wiener Dog Races;  
*no group bookings permitted*

Aug. 3: Industry Day, Post Time 12:30  
Lunch Buffet \$29.99 + HST & Gratuities;  
Reservations open July 3<sup>rd</sup>



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