



**ILLINOIS RACING BOARD**

On September 24, 2009, the Illinois Racing Board approved the following racing schedule for 2010.

***THOROUGHBRED***

	<u>Live Race Programs</u>	<u>Total Host Programs</u>
<b>ARLINGTON PARK</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>194</b>
Dark "host" period: January 3 through February 11 – No Live Racing.		
April 28 through September 28 - racing 4 days per week, dark Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays except live racing on May 31, July 5 and September 6.		
<b>HAWTHORNE RACE COURSE</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>171</b>
January 1 and January 2; and		
February 12 through February 27 - racing 3 days per week on Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays; and		
February 28 through March 27 - racing 4 days per week on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays; and		
March 28 through April 27 – racing 5 days per week, dark on Mondays, Thursdays, April 4 (Easter) and Tuesday, April 27; and		
September 29 through December 31 - racing 5 days per week, dark Mondays and Tuesdays, and dark Wednesday, September 29, Thursday, September 30, November 25 (Thanksgiving), December 24 (Christmas Eve) and December 25 (Christmas).		
<b>TOTAL UPSTATE THOROUGHBRED</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>365</b>
<b>FAIRMOUNT PARK</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>n/a</b>
April 27 through August 24 racing 3 programs per week, primarily Tuesday afternoons and Friday and Saturday evenings.		
<b>TOTAL THOROUGHBRED</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>365</b>

***HARNES***

Live  
Race  
Programs

Total  
Host  
Programs

**BALMORAL PARK**

**144**

**266**

Dark “host” period: January 4 through January 26 – No Live Racing.

January 2 and January 3; and

January 27 through December 29 - racing 3 nights per week, Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays, dark on February 7 (Super Bowl), April 4 (Easter) and December 25 (Christmas).

**MAYWOOD PARK**

**97**

**99**

January 1 and January 28 through December 31 - racing 2 nights per week, Thursdays and Fridays, dark on November 25 (Thanksgiving) and December 24 (Christmas Eve).

**TOTAL HARNES**

**241**

**365**

**TOTAL THOROUGHBRED AND HARNES**

**493**

**730**