

Racing kicks up its heels

WERE YOU ONE OF THE LUCKY ONES WHO WERE 'CELEBRATING THE BEST' AT THIS YEAR'S RACING'S NIGHT OF CHAMPIONS?

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NSWROA's Racing's Night of Champions was a night of many highlights held at a new venue, the Event Centre at The Star, with a large crowd in attendance and also an international audience via the live coverage on Sky Racing World.

It was a night of celebration but we did not forget that racing has its highs as well as its lows as we opened proceedings with a prayer from Brother Dan Stafford OAM and Reverend Colin Watts for the late Simone Montgomerie.

It's a Dundeel (NZ) took the top honours on the night being named the Luxbet.com NSW Champion Horse of the Year as well as the NSW Three-Year-Old of the Year after a sensational season which saw him take out the coveted Three-Year-Old Triple Crown in Sydney.

The wonderful Tom Burlinson provided the feature entertainment and had guests quickly on their feet and onto the dance floor.

So let's take a walk down the red carpet and into the function room of 2013 Racing's Night of Champions.

Racing's Night of Champions is the flagship event of NSWROA. To view more information regarding this year's event, visit the NSWROA website – www.nswroa.com.au **RNSW**





OPPOSITE: Sarah and Nash Rawiller ABOVE: The Event Centre at The Star
BELOW LEFT: Geoff and Mary Grimish BELOW RIGHT: Ray McDowell, Christy Johns and Tom Burlinson

