

### Press release

For many years prior to the HRD, the door had been closed to Mauritians to join the South African Jockey's Academy. However, this travesty of justice was corrected by the HRD once it was established as the Regulator in Mauritius and a partnership between the two entities was agreed.

Apprentice N Nastili was one of the first apprentices approved by the HRD after it reestablished the partnership with South African Jockey's Academy.

It gives us great pleasure to announce that the young man has ridden his first winner in Race 3 at Greyville Racecourse today - IRON BARK (Trainer G Van Zyl).

Congratulations to Apprentice Nastili and his family who we are sure were cheering him loudly from Mauritius.

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