



Calling the Horses: A Racing Autobiography (Hardback)

By Sir Peter O Sullevan

Hodder Stoughton General Division, United Kingdom, 2015. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 230 x 162 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. For decades Peter O Sullevan was one of the iconic sports commentators, providing the sound track for half a century of horseracing as he called home such legends of the sport as Arkle, Nijinsky, Red Rum and Desert Orchid. His rapid-fire commentary seemed to echo the sound of horses hooves, and it was not long before he became known as The Voice of Racing . But in addition to his legendary status as a TV personality, Peter O Sullevan was also a notable journalist and much-admired writer, and it is a measure of his standing both within and beyond the world of racing that his compulsively readable autobiography Calling the Horses, first published in 1989 and reprinted eight times, reached the top of the SUNDAY TIMES non-fiction bestseller list. The most recent edition of Calling the Horses was published in 1994, and the twenty years since then have brought many fresh episodes in the ongoing Peter O Sullevan story, including the last racing days of his great friend Lester Piggott in 1995, his commentary on the Bomb Scare Grand...



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