

Ballarat Saturday, 04 May 2024

Weather conditions: Fine
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: A. Blackmore

Stewards: C. Hon, A. Fewell & D. Makohon

Judges: N. Hutchinson
Lure Drivers: J. Haigh

Starter: D. Robertson, S. Boag & S. James

Kennel Supervisor: C. Hopkins

Kennel Attendants: S. Bull, P. Brennan & H. White

Veterinarian: Dr. M. Hoebergen

Race 1

SPORTSBET BET WITH MATES

(300+RANK) 5:12 pm 390m Maiden Pursuant to GAR 75(6), starter Ms. Donna Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.

A pre-race sample was taken from Bingo Dash.

Rockhampton Emma was quick to begin. Bingo Dash, Slick Whisper and Boulder Dash were slow to begin.

Race 2

A1 SIGNAGE (300+RANK)

5:29 pm 450m Maiden Gloze and Cornhill Storm were quick to begin. Junior Ruslie and Aston Typhoon were slow to begin.

A post-race sample was taken from Henry Bale - the winner of the event.

Untethered underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a back muscle strain. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.

Stewards spoke to trainer Mr Simon Barker regarding Untethered's racing manners on the home turn and in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 125, Untethered was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment (by reason of injury). Mr Barker pleaded guilty to the charge. Untethered must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 125, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

Race 3

SJC CONCRETING (300+RANK)

5:48 pm 390m Grade 7 Salmon Spray was quick to begin.

A post-race sample was taken from Queen Shaka - the winner of the event.

Race 4

GREYHOUND ADOPTION PROGRAM

(300+RANK) 6:12 pm 390m Grade 5 Aston Sinatra, Kempton Bale and Cherry Red were slow to begin.

Yeah Sweetie (faltered approaching the first turn and tailed off), underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a triangle and calf injury. A 28 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 5

SWEET NETTY'S CATERING (300+RANK)

6:27 pm 450m Grade 7 Bomb Neave was slow to begin.

Race 6

PAUA OF BUDDY AT STUD (300+RANK) 6:51 pm Always My Way – Late scratching at 16.52 due to non–arrival (GAR 86 and LR 39). Due to the circumstances surrounding the non–presentation, Trainer Mr. Derek Faulknall was fined \$250.00.

 $\operatorname{\mathsf{Man}}\nolimits$ Of Magic and Fentons Rise were quick to begin.

A post–race sample was taken from Fentons Rise – the winner of the event.

450m Grade 5

Race 7

EUREKA CONCRETE (300+RANK)
7:10 pm
450m
Mixed 6/7

Majestic George and Alonzo Thrills were quick to begin.

Kiwi To Burn raced wide entering the home straight.

Race 8

SOUTHERN SHEETMETAL (300+RANK) 7:34 pm 450m

Mixed 4/5

A pre-race sample was taken from Argyle Emma.

Louie Zeus was slow to begin.

Power Innings raced wide entering the home straight.

A post–race sample was taken from Ibrox Cooper – unplaced in the event.

Race 9

TUDOR ELECTRICAL (300+RANK)
7:53 pm
390m
Grade 7

Trainer Mr James Forbes requested an early race endorsement for Bissuoma. Stewards approved the request after an examination prior to racing by the on–track veterinarian. Bissuoma will compete in early races until further notice.

Bissuoma was slow to begin.

Evie Wonder underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was re-vetted after race 12 – no apparent injury was reported.

Stewards spoke to trainer Mr Lee Lansdown regarding Evie Wonder's racing manners approaching the winning post. Acting under the provisions of GAR 124, Evie Wonder was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr Lansdown pleaded guilty to the charge. Evie Wonder was suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

Race 10

BALLARAT FUNCTION CENTRE (300+RANK) 8:13 pm 390m

Grade 6

Workout and Ron's Mistake raced wide entering the home straight.

Race 11

TOWN & COUNTRY LINE MARKING (300+RANK)

8:31 pm 390m

Mixed 4/5

Pursuant to GAR 75(6), starter Ms. Donna Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.

So Sudden was quick to begin. Fat Boy's Flying, Silliest Salmon and Rowcliffe Ruslie were slow to begin.

Little Easy (faltered approaching the first turn and tailed off), underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have right hock injury. A 90 day stand down period was imposed

Race 12

SPORTSBET GREEN TICKS (300+RANK)

8:52 pm 390m

Grade 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Chinchilla Mist.

Skull, My Boy Harvey and Kaylee Onyx were slow to begin.