

## **Ballarat**

# Wednesday, 25 Sep 2024

Weather conditions: Showery
Track condition: Good

Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: J. Jeffery

Stewards: D. Makohon & B. Blood

Judges: C. Hon
Lure Drivers: J. Haigh
Starter: C. Dyett
Kennel Supervisor: C. Hopkins

Kennel Attendants: M. McKenna, S. Bull, P. Brennan & M. Hunter

Veterinarian: Dr. Sarah Doornbusch

#### Race 1

14 RACES TONIGHT

6:25 pm 390m Maiden New Line and Naughty Nung were quick to begin. Franky's Fury was slow to begin.

Romantic Buzz (galloped on by Franky's Fury turning off the back straight) underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have an abrasion on the right hind. No stand down period was imposed.

#### Race 2

SPORTSBET HT1 6:43 pm

450m Maiden Heat A pre-race urine sample was taken from Paw Trina.

Paw Ignite was slow to begin

Paw Trinny, Paw Trina, Paw Waitara and Zero Predator raced wide in the home straight.

Paw Ultron was checked multiple times in the back straight, stumbled turning off the back straight and lost significant ground in the home straight. Paw Ultron underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was re-examined following race 5. Paw Ultron was found to have a right back muscle injury. A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke with Kennel Representative Ms. Rickii Lee Church regarding the greyhound's overall performance in the event. Taking into the account the injury sustained and the significant interference suffered, Stewards took no further action.

### Race 3

SPORTSBET HT2 7:00 pm

450m

Maiden Heat

Paw Whisper, Paw Crafter and Paw Fabian were quick to begin.

Paw Whsiper underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury reported.

A post-race urine sample was taken from Paw Fabian - winner of the event.

# Race 4

SPORTSBET HT3 7:18 pm 450m Maiden Heat Paw Alley was quick to begin. Out The Window was slow to begin.

### Race 5

SJC CONCRETING 7:40 pm 390m

Grade 5

A race day urine sample was taken from Gloria's Entity at the trainer's kennel earlier today.

Hot Saki, Blackpool Slade and Let's Win Ollie were quick to begin. Zipping Olaf and Gloria's Entity were slow to begin.

Hot Saki raced wide in the home straight.

Dollar Short (faltered turning off the back straight and subsequently tailed off) underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right back muscle injury. A 60 day stand down period was imposed

Following the running of the event, Stewards inspected the track on the turn off the back straight and deemed it suitable for racing.

### Race 6

TUDOR ELECTRICAL

Swift Vodka was quick to begin. Top Speed Gear and Need A Pilot were slow to begin.

Arandt About raced wide in the home straight.

7:58 pm 450m Grade 5 Stewards noted that Idron Bale and Show Cause collided multiple times in the home straight. Stewards were comfortably satisfied that neither greyhound's racing manners constituted a breach of the rules. Subsequently, Stewards took no further action.

## Race 7

SOUTHERN SHEETMETAL

8:18 pm 450m Grade 5 Bourbon Bullet was quick to begin.

Magnum Riot, Bourbon Bullet and County Kildare raced wide in the home straight.

County Kildare (turned its head outwards on the home turn) underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury reported. Kennel Representative Mr. Jeffrey Geall declined the opportunity to have the greyhound re-examined. Acting under the provisions of GAR 124, County Kildare was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr. Geall reserved his right to enter a plea to the charge. County Kildare was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Ballarat (1st offence) and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

#### Race 8

EUREKA CONCRETE

8:42 pm 450m Mixed 4/5 Mahogany and Aeroplane Mode were slow to begin.

Mahogany crossed wide entering the home straight checking Tricky Disco.

#### Race 9

SWEET NETTY'S CATERING

9:02 pm 390m Maiden Belle Riot and Heathcote Star were quick to begin.

Heathcote Star (marred Belle Riot approaching the first turn) underwent a post–race veterinary examination - no apparent injury reported. Stewards spoke to trainer Mr. Craig Elliot regarding Heathcote Star's racing manners. Acting under the provisions of GAR 123, Heathcote Star was charged with marring. Mr. Elliot pleaded guilty to the charge. Heathcote Star was found guilty and suspended for 28 days (1st offence) 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.

Paw Zachary (marred Heathcote Star in the home straight) underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a left triangle muscle injury and left shin soreness. A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke to representative Mr. Myles Delbridge regarding Paw Zachary's racing manners. Acting under the provisions of GAR 123, Paw Zachary was charged with marring. Mr. Delbridge pleaded guilty to the charge. Paw Zachary was found guilty and suspended for 28 days (1st offence) 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

A1 SIGNAGE (1-3 WINS) 9:27 pm 450m Restricted Win A race day urine sample was taken from Grace's Entity at the trainer's kennel earlier today.

A pre-race urine sample was taken from Major Franky.

Paw Mantra was quick to begin. Crimson Kit was slow to begin.

Major Franky (checked in the back straight and raced wide in the home straight) underwent a post-race verterinary examination and was found to have a spike wound. A3 day stand down period was imposed.

Crimson Kit (shifted wide, turned its head outwards and failed to pursue the lure in the home straight) underwent a post-race verterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to Trainer Mr. John Hickey regarding Crimson Kit's racing manners in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 124, Crimson Kit was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr. Hickey pleaded not guilty to the charge. Crimson Kit was found guilty and suspended for 28 days (2nd offence) at all tracks and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

### Race 11

TOWN & COUNTRY LINE MARKING

9:52 pm 390m Mixed 6/7 A pre-race urine sample was taken from Mini Milky.

Zero Monster was quick to begin. Paw Roxy and Miss Boom were slow to begin.

Has A Lot, Paw Xena, Mini Milky and Miss Boom raced wide in the home straight.

A post-race urine sample was taken from Paw Xena - winner of the event.

### Race 12

TWO MORE RACES TO GO

10:16 pm 390m Mixed 3/4 I'm What's Next and Gas Lantern were quick to begin.

## Race 13

Dragonelle and Gunai Lily raced wide in the home straight.

BALLARAT RACE 13 DAMSELS DASH

10:39 pm	
390m	
Grade 5	

# Race 14

BALLARAT RACE 14 DAMSELS DASH 10:54 pm 390m Grade 5 Cool Nature and Swanky Chic were quick to begin. Nikita Bale was slow to begin.

Swanky Chic, Jenny Bale, Lochinvar Ruby and Nikita Bale raced wide in the home straight.