

Ballarat
Monday, 26 Oct 2015

Weather conditions: Showery
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting
Steward in Charge: C Gent
Stewards: J Rea, M Blood & G Bromley
Judges: J. Loudon & S. Bonaccorso
Lure Drivers: D Keirl & S Bull
Starter: G. White
Kennel Supervisor: M. McKenna
Kennel Attendants: T. Siatta
Veterinarian: Dr. A. Cole

Race 1

LATROBE STREET MEGA MEATS
 12:08 pm
 390m
 Tier 3 - Maiden

Derail went up with the lids at box rise and was slow to begin. In Dee Gang and Boris Winslow collided soon after the start. Kolora Tess crossed to the rail approaching the first turn checking Boris Winslow and In Dee Gang. Atlas Tinkabell and Kolora Tess collided on the first turn. Boris Winslow and Casey's Choice collided on the first turn checking Boris Winslow. Derail was held up for a run approaching the home turn and checked off Kolora Tess as a result. Kolora Tess and In Dee Gang collided approaching the home turn checking In Dee Gang which contacted the running rail as a result. Derail checked off Kolora Tess approaching the home turn. In Dee Gang checked off Kolora Tess in the home straight. Boris Winslow and Derail raced wide entering the home straight.

Stewards spoke to Mr. A Richardson, the trainer of Smart Business regarding the greyhounds improved performance. Mr. Richardson stated that this was the greyhounds first start for him and the greyhound had run up to the time it had been trialling in. Stewards noted Mr. Richardson's explanation and directed that a sample be taken.

Race 2

NEVERFAIL SPRINGWATER
 12:27 pm
 545m
 Tier 3 - Maiden

Destini Blaze, Sparkling Star and Light Feathers were quick to begin. Greysynd Turbo, Eighteen Two and She's A Freebie were slow to begin. Destini Blaze and Light Feathers collided on the first turn checking Light Feathers. Greysynd Turbo and Eighteen Two collided on the first turn. Sparkling Star and She's A Freebie collided on the first turn. Greysynd Turbo galloped on the heels of Light Feathers on the second turn chcking Greysynd Turbo, Pyrenees Dynasty and Eighteen Two and severely checking Light Feathers. Pyrenees Dynasty and Eighteen Two collided approaching the home turn. She's A Freebie raced wide on the home turn and in the home straight.

She's A Freebie was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained an injury to its left thigh. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.

Stewards spoke to Mr. D Choules, the representative of Destini Blaze regarding the greyhounds improved performance. Mr. Choules stated that the greyhound had been receiving considerable interference of late and today the greyhound managed to obtain a clear run to the first turn and lead throughout the event, which he believes was due to a drop in class. Stewards noted Mr. Choules's explanation and directed that a sample be taken.

Race 3

MEGAMERCH RURAL & PET
 12:46 pm
 450m
 Tier 3 - Maiden

Stewards spoke to Mr. E Sladdin, the trainer of Ahlenny regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Ahlenny last raced on 03.06.2015 and is returning to racing after a change of kennel.

Mr. E Sladdin, trainer of Ahlenny declared a new weight of 32.9kgs for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Ahlenny last raced at 31.3kgs.

Maximum Bella and Avatar Sandee were quick to begin. Nordul's Hope was slow to begin. Violets For Suzy and Quicker Than Bev collided soon after the start. Knight Ice and Maximum Bella collided several times approaching the first turn checking Knight Ice. Nordul's Hope and Boston Jive collided approaching the first turn severely checking Nordul's Hope. Maximum Bella checked off Avatar Sandee on the first turn. Knight Ice checked off Ahlenny on the first turn. Boston Jive checked off Violets For Suzy on the first turn. Boston Jive and Quicker Than Bev collided approaching the home turn checking Quicker Than Bev. Boston Jive and Quicker Than Bev collided on the home turn.

Stewards spoke to Ms. S Elmes, the representative of the greyhound Avatar Sandee regarding the greyhounds improved performance. Ms. Elmes stated that the greyhound had been receiving interference in the early stages of its races of late. She also added that the greyhound was at a more suitable weight and that the greyhound has done all her pre training at ballarat. Stewards noted Ms. Elmes's explanation and directed that a sample be taken.

Race 4

LIL DICKIE
 1:11 pm
 450m
 Tier 3 - Grade 7

Crackerjack Cam was a late scratching at 11:24am due to weight variation (GAR 39). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer, Mr. M. Gibbons was fined the sum of \$100.

Oh Lele Suzi was a late scratching at 9:47am due to the greyhound being on season (GAR 24). A 28 day stand down period was imposed.

Stewards spoke to Ms. M Shaw, the representative of the greyhound Oh Lele Suzi regarding the scratching time of the greyhound. Ms. Shaw stated that the greyhound was checked at 7am to ensure she was free of

injury and season. When Mr. G Campbell was loading the greyhounds into the trailer at 9:45am it was noticed that Oh Lele Suzi was on season. Stewards noted Ms. Shaw's explanation and reminded her that it's crucial that greyhounds are scratched before scratching time when possible to allow for reserves to gain a start.

Lektra Allan was quick to begin. Midfield Maestro and Barroom Express were slow to begin. Spritely Boy and Emi's Boy Badger collided soon after the start. Satin Ice and Midfield Maestro collided approaching the first turn. Spritely Boy, Satin Ice and Midfield Maestro collided on the first turn checking Midfield Maestro and Barroom Express and severely checking Satin Ice; Spritely Boy fell as a result.

Satin Ice was vetted following the event. It was reported that there was no apparent injury found.

Spritely Boy was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained an injury to its right shoulder. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 5

R & J BATTERIES

1:31 pm

450m

Grade 5 T3

A pre-race sample was taken from Dundas Boy.

Hardy Chief and Flashy Arrow were slow to begin. Hardy's Me Mum, Slipaway Simba and Crymelon Orbit collided approaching the first turn checking Crymelon Orbit and Slipaway Simba. Hardy Chief and Flashy Arrow collided approaching the first turn. Hardy Chief checked off Shiridon Wee Nell on the first turn. Slipaway Simba checked off Crymelon Orbit approaching the home turn. Flashy Arrow checked off Hardy's Me Mum in the home straight.

Race 6

LYNETTE'S FLORIST

1:48 pm

545m

Grade 5 T3

Zipping Noel was quick to begin. Velocity Alice, Chappy, Derby Ghost and Mepunga Sammy were slow to begin. Zipping Noel, Nork, Vasile Boy and Hook Him In collided on the first turn checking Nork, Vasile Boy and Hook Him In. Derby Ghost and Mepunga Sammy raced wide in the back straight. Chappy and Vasile Boy collided on the second turn severely checking Vasile Boy. Chappy and Mepunga Sammy collided on the home turn.

Vasile Boy was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained an injury to its right thigh. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 7

TOPCAT VIDEO (1-2 WINS)

2:08 pm

545m

Tier 3 - Restricted Win

Toothless Homer and Abbie's Dream were slow to begin. Olympic Lass and Kinloch Creek collided soon after the start. Claretown Clyde, Nikon Bale and Blonde Boucheau collided on the first turn checking Claretown Clyde. Toothless Homer and Olympic Lass collided entering the back straight checking Olympic Lass and Blonde Boucheau. Kinloch Creek and Nikon Bale collided in the back straight. Olympic Lass and Claretown Clyde collided in the back straight. Olympic Lass and Kinloch Creek collided approaching the home turn. Kinloch Creek and Nikon Bale collided approaching the home turn. Blonde Boucheau checked off Claretown Clyde on the home turn. Nikon Bale and Abbie's Dream collided entering home straight.

Race 8

STRIDES FUNCTION CENTRE

2:25 pm

450m

Grade 5 T3

A pre-race sample was taken from Eumeralla Donny, the winner of the event.

Next Grange was slow to begin. Eumeralla Donny, Ulla Allen and Cowboy Jury collided soon after the start checking Ulla Allen. Cowboy Jury checked off Pyrenees Grand soon after the start. Shattered Ice, Pyrenees Grand and Our Murray Grey collided approaching the first turn checking Pyrenees Grand and severely checking Our Murray Grey which contacted the running rail as a result. Eumeralla Donny and Shattered Ice collided on the first turn. Cowboy Jury checked off Hard Merchandise on the first turn. Shattered Ice checked off Next Grange on the home turn. Pyrenees Grand checked off Cowboy Jury entering the home straight. Our Murray Grey and Cowboy Jury collided in the home straight.

Our Murray Grey was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained an injury to its left loin. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 9

COSMIC CHIEF @ STUD

2:45 pm

390m

Tier 3 - Grade 7

Ladies Kay was a late scratching at 11:21am on the advice of the Club's Veterinary Surgeon due to an injury to its right hock. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.

Shachar Magic and Hotlips Matilda collided soon after the start. Little Miss Sin and Shachar Magic collided approaching the first turn checking Little Miss Sin. Lektra Connie and Whipstick Chloe collided on the first turn. Whipstick Chloe raced wide on the home turn and collided with Hotlips Matilda.

A sample was taken from Swazza's Rocket, the winner of the event.

Race 10

VELOCETTE @ STUD

3:02 pm

450m

Tier 3 - Grade 6

A pre-race sample was taken from Daisy Bale, the winner of the event.

Ripped and Dark Tantra were slow to begin. Nawala Barko and Uno Frankie collided soon after the start checking Uno Frankie. Daisy Bale and Maximum Melva collided approaching the first turn. Ultimate Jet checked off Dark Tantra approaching the first turn. Daisy Bale and Maximum Melva collided on the first turn checking Mewstone Rocket. Nawala Barko and Uno Frankie collided approaching the home turn.

Stewards spoke to Mr. S Collyer regarding his failure in catching the greyhound Ripped. After hearing evidence from Mr. W Kirk, the trainer stewards charged Mr. Collyer with a breach of 86(o). Mr. Collyer pleaded guilty to the charge and was found guilty. Mr. Collyer was fined the sum of \$100.00.

Major Gold was a late scratching at 11:51am due to weight variation (GAR 39). A 10 day stand down

Race 11

TAB REWARDS

3:22 pm

390m

Tier 3 - Grade 6

period was imposed. Trainer, Mr. B. Hodgson was fined the sum of \$100.

Ms. M Shaw, representative of Blue Jager Light declared a new weight of 34.0kgs for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Blue Jager Light last raced at 32.9kgs.

Jill Laker, Good Odds Sammy and Roman Boy collided soon after the start checking Good Odds Sammy and Roman Boy. Franky Doorite and Jill Laker collided approaching the first turn. Dynamic Dash checked off Blue Jager Light approaching the first turn. Slipaway Anna, Jill Laker and Good Odds Sammy collided on the first turn checking Jill Laker. Blue Jager Light checked off Jill Laker approaching the home turn checking Dynamic Dash. Dynamic Dash raced wide approaching the winning post.

Race 12

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3:42 pm

390m

Grade 5 T3

A pre-race sample was taken from Paramount Arrow.

Paramount Arrow, Wolf Spy and Valentine Belle collided soon after the start checking Wolf Spy and Valentine Belle. Paramount Arrow crossed to the rail approaching the first turn and collided with Harvest Gold; Harvest Gold, Valentine Belle and Wolf Spy were checked as a result. Gotta Rush and Specify collided approaching the home turn.

Meeting Comments**Satisfactory Trial**

Bold Caper trialled over the 390 metre distance from box 8, weight 36.0kgs. The greyhound was placed 2nd, in a field of 4. The time of the trial was 23.28. The greyhound was beaten by a head. Bold Caper was not cleared.

Stewards spoke to Ms A Court regarding comments she had written on the starters sheet at the Ballarat meeting 19.10.15 and 26.10.15. After hearing all the evidence stewards charged Ms. Courts with a breach of GAR 86(o). Ms Courts pleaded guilty to the charge and was found guilty, Ms Courts was fined the sum of \$50.00.