

Healesville Friday, 12 May 2017

Weather conditions: Fine
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: D. Barber

Stewards: M. Lowe, L. Fahry & J. Van Gelderen

Judges: J. Allsop & L.Gough
Lure Drivers: T. Adamson
Starter: M. Craig
Kennel Supervisor: G. Bahen

Kennel Attendants: R. Moles & M. Ryan

Veterinarian: Dr. Barbara Backhov

Race 1

RACING HERE FRIDAY MAY 19TH (250+RANK)

12:12 pm 350m Maiden Due to a technical issue with the semaphore board, some information was initially displayed incorrectly. This was corrected before the all clear was given.

Miss Houdini was quick to begin and crossed to the rail soon after the start. Secret High was slow to begin and crossed to the rail soon after the start.

Runaway Jack and Alouette Josie collided soon after the start. Jupiter Asending crossed to the outside approaching the 250m mark and collided with Gotta Little Big, Runaway Jack and Secret High. Jupiter Asending and Gotta Little Big collided several times between the 250m mark and the 200m mark. Jupiter Asending and Runaway Jack collided at the 200m mark, causing Runaway Jack to collide with Secret

A sample was taken from Miss Houdini, the winner of the event.

Race 2

TAB REWARDS (250+RANK)

12:37 pm 300m Maiden Stewards spoke to Mr Keith Kelly, the trainer of Rapid Rock, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Rapid Rock last raced on 16 December 2016 and is returning after a change of kennels.

A pre-race sample was taken from Toby's Taxi.

Cosmic Tool and Babs Streishound collided soon after the start. Let's Move On and Pergamon collided soon after the start. Let's Move On, Pergamon and Matchstick Girl collided approaching the 250m mark. Rapid Rock, Toby's Taxi and Cosmic Tool collided approaching the 100m mark, checking Cosmic Tool. Toby's Taxi and Rapid Rock at the 50m mark. Pergamon and Rapid Rock collided approaching the winning nost

Stewards spoke to Ms Jennifer Thorpe regarding her difficulty in boxing the greyhound Cosmic Tool. Stewards directed that Cosmic Tool be boxed first in future events.

Race 3

SMITH & CALDER SIGN CO (250+RANK)

12:58 pm 300m Grade 7 Stewards spoke to Mr Peter Grice, the trainer of I'm Livin' It, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. I'm Livin' It last raced on 19 December 2016 and is returning after a seasonal spell.

Stewards spoke to Ms Lina Repici, the trainer of Excuse Me Baby, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Excuse Me Baby last raced on 15 December 2016 and is returning after a left back toes injury. Ms Repici also declared a new weight of 31.2kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Excuse Me Baby last raced at 32.3kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Deadly Mary.

Storm Of All, Deadly Mary and Little Written were slow to begin.

Deadly Mary, Little Written and Divino collided soon after the start. I'm Livin' It and Excuse Me Baby collided soon after the start. Little Written and Divino collided approaching the 250m mark. Storm Of All and Deadly Mary collided at the 250m mark. Janray Blue Nero and Excuse Me Baby collided approaching the winning post.

Race 4

GAP PROGRAM (250+RANK)

1:16 pm 350m Grade 7 Mr Alan Marum, trainer of Kalimna Express, declared a new weight of 29.2kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Kalimna Express last raced at 31.1kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Gotta Cheer Up.

Woodleigh Bond and Kalimna Express collided soon after the start.

Challis Ridge crossed to the inside soon after the start, colliding with Clickin' Gears, Gotta Cheer Up, Woodleigh Bond, Kalimna Express and Cullquin Alexis, checking Cullquin Alexis as a result. Kalimna Express and Challis Ridge collided several times from the 300m mark to the 250m mark. Woodleigh Bond and Challis Ridge collided several times from the 250m mark to the 150m mark. Challis Ridge checked off Cullquin Alexis approaching the winning post.

Woodleigh Bond was vetted following the event and after being re-vetted following event nine, it was

reported that the greyhound sustained an abrasion to the left stopper. A three-day stand down period was imposed.

Kalimna Express was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained no apparent injury. No stand down period was imposed.

Stewards issued a warning to Mr Gregory Graham, the trainer of Woodleigh Bond, regarding the greyhound's racing manners approaching the winning post.

Race 5

SILVER EAGLE OUTFITTERS (250+RANK)

1:36 pm 350m Mixed 6/7 A pre-race sample was taken from Bald Wal.

Urana Vee Eight was slow to begin.

Whipstick Chloe and Bald Wal collided soon after the start. Urana Vee Eight and Belisarius crossed to the outside soon after the start and raced wide for the remainder of the event. King Of Merrimu and Whipstick Chloe collided at the 300m mark. King Of Merrimu checked off the heels of Bald Wal at the 150m mark.

A sample was taken from In It Together, the winner of the event.

Stewards issued a warning to Mr Andrew Xerri regarding the boxing manners of the greyhound King Of Merrimu

Race 6

TAB - WE LOVE A BET (250+RANK)

1:51 pm 350m Grade 5 Dozer Lad, Elle Driver and Hello Slick collided soon after the start. Zipping Ethan, Dozer Lad and Elle Driver collided at the 300m mark. Elle Driver and Hello Slick collided approaching the 250m mark. Mister Blue and Ruby Rads collided approaching the 250m mark.

A sample was taken from Bless 'Em All, the winner of the event, and from Zipping Ethan, fourth place-getter in the event.

Race 7

STRAIGHTS FUNCTIONS & EVENTS (250+RANK)

2:07 pm 350m Grade 5 A pre-race sample was taken from Woolly Warbo.

Ashtastic and Canya Keato were slow to begin. Daintree Teacake stumbled at box rise.

Woolly Warbo and Barcia's Fate collided soon after the start. Ninetymile Toby crossed to the outside soon after the start and raced wide for the remainder of the event. Spring Saviour checked off the heels of Canya Keato at the 300m mark. Ashtastic checked off Spring Savour approaching the 250m mark. Daintree Teacake checked off Canya Keato at the 250m mark. Spring Saviour and Daintree Teacake collided several times from the 50m mark to approaching the winning post.

A sample was taken from Barcia's Fate, the winner of the event.

Race 8

TOP CAT VIDEO PRODUCTIONS (250+RANK)

2:28 pm 350m

Mixed 4/5

Gunmetal Angel, Uncool Albert, Lunar Shadow and Filius Flitwick collided soon after the start. Emi's Boy Murph, Gunmetal Angel and Lunar Shadow collided at the 300m mark. Emi's Boy Murph and Red Light Runner collided several times from the 50m mark to the winning post.

Race 9

ALL 4 PAWS & CLAWS (250+RANK)

2:46 pm 300m

Mixed 6/7

Mr Jason Hardy, Representative of Whacker Fancy declared a new weight of 26.4kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Whacker Fancy last raced at 25.1kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Remembering Dad.

Laniakea and Gold Rush Dozer were slow to begin.

Hey Shaza Fozz, Whacker Fancy, Anita's Girl and Still Just Under collided soon after the start. Jack's Alouette and Remembering Dad collided soon after the start. Gold Rush Dozer, Jack's Alouette, Remembering Dad and Whacker Fancy collided at the 250m mark. Anita's Girl checked off Still Just Under at the 200m mark. Jack's Alouette and Whacker Fancy collided several times from the 50m mark to the winning post.

Stewards spoke to Mr Hardy regarding the direction that the greyhound Whacker Fancy be boxed first. Acting under GAR 52(2), Stewards directed that this box first be removed.

Race 10

FOLLOW @GRV_NEWS ON TWITTER (250+RANK)

3:06 pm 300m Mixed 4/5 Tommy Two and Benlura were slow to begin.

Tomm Two crossed to the outside soon after the start and collided with Benlura and Star's Big Boy. Tommy Two raced wide throughout the event.

Race 11

Peter's Pride and Jack's Miss were slow to begin.

3:31 pm 300m Grade 5 Ginger Warrior, Emperor Cruz and Redefined collided soon after the start. Dynamite Dozer crossed to the rail at the 250m mark, checking Ginger Warrior and Peter's Pride. Ginger Warrior and Redefined at the 250m mark, checking both greyhounds. Peter's Pride and Dynamite Dozer collided approaching the 200m mark and again at the 200m mark.

Ginger Warrior was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained a carpal sprain to the right wrist. A ten-day stand down period was imposed.

A sample was taken from Sun Choice, the winner of the event.

Race 12

LIKE GRVictoria ON FACEBOOK (250+RANK) 3:51 pm 300m Grade 5 A pre-race sample was taken from Fiery Nell.

Showgirl Miss and Molly Walker collided soon after the start. Nangar Tiger, Rose Of Dyanna, Showgirl Miss and Molly Walker collided at the 250m mark. Rose Of Dyanna and Showgirl Miss collided at the 200m mark.

Stewards spoke to Mr. C. Brett, the handler of Fiery Nell, regarding the delay in boxing the greyhound for this event. Mr. Brett stated that the greyhound's rear toenail became momentarily caught in a screw access hole at the rear of the boxes. Stewards noted Mr. Brett's explanation and reffered the incident onto appropriate management.