

### **Ballarat**

# **Tuesday, 02 May 2017**

Weather conditions: Overcast
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: D. Pyers

Stewards: D. Verberne/M. Blood

Judges: T. Lockwood/ M. Bayliss

Lure Drivers: D. Keirl
Starter: J. Loudon
Kennel Supervisor: G. White
Kennel Attendants: N. Thornton
Veterinarian: Dr. A. Cole

### Race 1

TAB.COM.AU 2:52 pm 450m Mixed 6/7 Dynamite Jackson, Hammer Head, Hold On Belena and Opalia Bale collided soon after the start, checking Bold On Belena. Hold On Belena checked off Opalia Bale approaching the first turn. Leachwood Lass and Don's Magic collided on the first turn, severely checking Don's Magic which stumbled as a result. Hold On Belena and Opalia Bale collided entering the home straight.

Don's Magic was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained injuries to the right long head triceps (monkey) and left biceps femoris (thigh) muscles. A ten-day stand down period was imposed.

#### Race 2

R & J BATTERIES

3:17 pm 390m Grade 5 A pre-race sample was taken from Campeon.

Benlura, Tricky Tron, Roll 'Em Maggie and Lizzy Allen collided soon after the start, checking Benlura and Tricky Tron. Lizzy Allen, Roll 'Em Maggie and Benlura collided approaching the first turn, checking Roll 'Em Maggie and Benlura. Benlura checked off Lizzy Allen approaching the home turn. Tricky Tron checked off Roll 'Em Maggie approaching the home turn.

Abed Bale was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained a mouth/oral lesion. A three-day stand down period was imposed.

## Race 3

SINCLAIR MEATS 3:38 pm 390m Grade 5 Seabrook Oscar and Harsh Miles collided soon after the start and again approaching the first turn. Drysdale Doll checked off Sugar Hit Heidi on the first turn. Sugar Hit Heidi and Frac Geek collided on the first turn, checking Frac Geek. Drysdale Doll and Seabrook Oscar collided on the first turn, checking Seabrook Oscar and Harsh Miles. Drysdale Doll and Frac Geek collided approaching the home turn, checking both greyhounds. Seabrook Oscar and Hearing De Novo collided in the home straight, checking Hearing De Novo. Drysdale Doll and Good Odds Jet collided approaching the winning post.

# Race 4

LYNETTE'S FLORIST

3:57 pm 390m Grade 5 Hardaway Outlaw was quick to begin. Mahjong Baby was slow to begin. Pacific Angel and Handsome Cosmo collided on the first turn, checking Handsome Cosmo. Gelwix and Mahjong Baby collided approaching the home turn, checking Mahjong Baby.

# Race 5

BRENDAN DODD SIGNS

4:17 pm 450m Grade 5 Jimmy Got Style and Jesterday were slow to begin. Onya Sami crossed to the rail soon after the start, checking Merc. Mr. Moonlight and Merc collided approaching the first turn. Merc and Take That Banksy collided approaching the first turn, checking Take That Banksy. Merc, Julaine and Mr. Moonlight collided on the first turn, checking Mr. Moonlight and Julaine.

## Race 6

MEGAMERCH RURAL & PET

4:37 pm 450m Grade 5 Our Luck, Zebo Bale and Don Lesta collided approaching the first turn. Our Luck and Philo Bale collided approaching the first turn, checking Our Luck. Manzeene Man checked off Crown Princess on the first turn. Philo Bale and Manzeene Man collided approaching the home turn, checking Philo Bale. Philo Bale and Don Lesta collided on the home turn.

#### Race 7

TOPCAT VIDEO 5:01 pm 450m Grade 5 A pre-race sample was taken from Tiarna Keeping

Lunar Shadow and Lainey's Fortune were quick to begin. Avatar Thor, Lister Bale and Tiarna Keeping collided soon after the start. Lunar Shadow and Karise Fusileer collided approaching the first turn, checking Karise Fusileer. Lister Bale and Tiarna Keeping collided approaching the first turn, checking Lister Bale. Avatar Thor checked off Karise Fusileer on the first turn, checking Tiarna Keeping. Karise Fusileer and Krystals The One collided approaching the home turn. Zelemar Zest checked off Lunar Shadow on the home turn. Karise Fusileer and Krystals The One collided entering the home straight, checking Karise Fusileer. Avatar Thor and Karise Fusileer collided in the home straight, checking Karise Fusileer. Lunar Shadow, Lainey's Fortune and Tiarna Keeping raced wide in the home straight.

#### Race 8

ENERGIS SMART ENERGY SOLUTIONS 5:26 pm 545m

Mixed 4/5

A pre-race sample was taken from Paraphernalia.

Tiggerlong Cruz crossed to the rail approaching the first turn, checking Flaming Elite, Seven Two, Villa Jemma, Paraphernalia and Still The One. Still The One checked off Villa Jemma on the second turn.

#### Race 9

STRIDES FUNCTION CENTRE 5:49 pm 450m Mixed 3/4 A pre-race sample was taken from Chubba Chops.

Militant Chief and Chubba Chops collided soon after the start, checking Chubba Chops. Allen Punter and Slick Ice collided approaching the first turn, checking Allen Punter. Allen Punter checked off Maximum Mak on the first turn. Chubba Chops checked off Allen Punter approaching the home turn.

#### Race 10

BOTTLE-O 6:09 pm 450m Grade 5 A pre-race sample was taken from Benny's Promise.

Benny's Promise, Poor Old Frank, Destini Scorcher and Diamond Vee collided soon afte the start, checking Benny's Promise and Poor Old Frank. Kirabilli Dawson galloped on Destini Scorcher approaching the first turn, checking both greyhounds. Von Schnitzel checked off Destini Scorcher on the first turn. Von Schnitzel galloped on Kirabilli Dawson on the home turn, checking Von Schnitzel, Kirabilli Dawson and Destini Mermaid. Destini Scorcher and Diamond Vee collided on the home turn, checking Poor Old Frank. Von Schnitzel checked off Destini Mermaid in the home straight.

### Race 11

TAB REWARDS 6:28 pm 390m Mixed 3/4 Iconic Rock was quick to begin. Break The Code and Ninetymile Barry collided soon after the start. Break The Code, Ninetymile Barry and July Allen collided approaching the first turn, checking Break The Code. Ninetymile Barry checked off Wrecker One approaching the home turn.

### Race 12

EUREKA CONCRETE 6:51 pm 390m Grade 5 Stewards spoke to Mr Bradley Keel, the kennel representative of Shades Of Earl, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Shades Of Earl last raced on 27th December 2017. Mr Keel stated that the greyhound was returning to racing following an injury to the right hind toe. Mr Keel also declared a new weight of 33.7kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Shades Of Earl last raced at 32.5kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Cowboy Love.

Shades Of Earl was slow to begin. Jimmy Flash and Cowboy Love collided soon after the start, checking Cowboy Love. Rube's Ablaze and Jimmy Flash collided soon after the start. Suspicious Lee and Call Me Deita collided soon after the start. Suspicious Lee, Call me Deita, Rube's Ablaze and Jimmy Flash collided approaching the first turn, checking all four greyhounds. Shades Of Earl checked off Jimmy Flash on the first turn. Call me Deita checked off Suspicious Lee approaching the home turn and again entering the home straight.

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### Meeting Comments:

Satisfactory Trial Results - Big Boy Rocket trialled over the 390m from box 1, weight 30.6kg, the greyhound was placed 3rd in a field of four. The time of the trial was 22.49, the greyhound was beaten by a margin of 4.25L. Big Boy Rocket was cleared.

Satisfactory Trial Results (GAR 77A) - Stewards spoke to Mr David Keanelly, the trainer of Mahjong Prince, regarding the length of time since the greyhound last raced. Mahjong Prince last raced on 24th September 2016. Mr Keanelly stated that the greyhound was returning to racing following fractures to both metacarpals. Pursuant to GAR 77A, Mahjong Prince trialled over the 390m from box 3, weight 36.9kg, the greyhound was placed first in a field of four. The time of the trial was 22.49, the greyhound won by a margin of 1.25L. Mahjong Prince was cleared.