

# Healesville Friday, 09 Mar 2018

Weather conditions: Fine Track condition: Good Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: S. Gillespie

Stewards: M. Lowe, G. Truett & I. Kennedy

Dr N Evans

Judges: L. Schulze & J. Alsop

Lure Drivers: S. Courts Starter: J. Ryan Kennel Supervisor: R. Moles Kennel Attendants: M. Ryan & R. Bau

Veterinarian:

#### Race 1

SILVER FAGI F OUTFITTERS (250+RANK)

11:21 am 300m Maiden

This race meeting was deemed to be hot weather affected. At the beginning of kennelling the outside temperature was 21.5C and the kennel temperature was 17.4C. At the close of kennelling the outside temperature was 24.8C and the kennel temperature was 17.4C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Just Jimmy.

Maggie Mikado was quick to begin.

Just Jimmy crossed to the inside soon after the start, checking Flamin' Miracle, Don's Queen (late Don's Tron) and Just Jimmy. Joanie's Johnny, New Fire Girl, Flamin' Miracle and Just Jimmy collided approaching the 250m mark, checking Joanie's Johnny, New Fire Girl and Just Jimmy, and severely checking Flamin' Miracle. Flamin' Miracle crossed to the outside approaching the winning post.

Stewards spoke with Ms K Houlahan, kennel representative for Joanie's Johnny, regarding the boxing of the greyhound. Ms Houlahan explained that she was handling the greyhound for the first time and didn't anticipate Joanie's Johnny's actions once it was placed in the box. Stewards accepted Ms Houlahan's explanation and took no further action

# Race 2

LIKE GRVictoria ON FACEBOOK (250+

RANK) 11:37 am 350m Maiden

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 25.5C and the kennel temperature was 17.3C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Olivia's Pearl.

Rocky Rooster was quick to begin.

Punt Road Girl, Articus and Tzar Liam collided soon after the start, checking Punt Road Girl and Articus and severely checking Tzar Liam. Wolfs Nightcall crossed to the inside and contacted the running rail approaching the 200m mark, checking Tzar Liam which also contacted the running rail. Punt Road Girl and Miss Cotton Sox collided approaching the 200m mark, checking Punt Road Girl.

Tzar Liam was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained no apparent injury.

Wolfs Nightcall was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained an injury to the left long head triceps (monkey) muscle and lacerations to the left hock. A 21-day stand down period was imposed

Stewards spoke to Mr Jeff Gorgioski, trainer of Rocky Rooster, regarding the improved performance and significant fixed odds support of the greyhound. Mr Gorgioski stated that the greyhound had trialled well at Healesville recently and he was expecting a forward showing. Mr.Gorgioski also pointed out that the greyhound found plenty of trouble at its debut run and had benifited from two months off. Stewards noted Mr.Gorgioski explanation and took no further action.

A sample was taken from Rocky Rooster, the winner of the event.

# Race 3

SMITH & CALDER SIGN CO (250+RANK) 11:57 am 350m

Grade 7

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 27.0C and the kennel temperature was 18.0C.

Mr John Peterson, trainer of He's A Freebie, declared a new weight of 33.9kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). He's A Freebie last raced at 32.2kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Steel Magnetic.

Shimmy Dat Ray was slow to begin.

Little Kensi, Steel Magnetic and Ryben Jack collided at the 300m mark, checking Little Kensi. Keisha's Boy and He's A Freebie collided at the 200m mark. All Revved Up and Ryben Jack collided approaching the 100m mark, checking All Revved Up. All Revved Up checked off Ryben Jack approaching the 100m mark. Ryben Jack checked off Steel Magnetic approaching the 50m mark.

# Race 4

Pursuant to GAR 104 (6), catching pen scanner Mr R Johnson did not act in any official capacity for this TAB - WE LOVE A BET (250+RANK)

12:14 pm

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 27.3C and the kennel temperature was 18.3C.

350m Grade 6 A pre-race sample was taken from Macauliff.

Fruit Frames and Challis Sprite were quick to begin. Lonesome Spring and Daintree Prinz were slow to begin.

Lonesome Spring stumbled soon after the start and crossed to the outside. Macauliff and Wolf Point collided soon after the start, checking both greyhounds. Jupiter Asending checked off Macauliff approaching the 300m mark, checking Wolf Point. Jupiter Asending crossed to the outside at the 300m mark

#### Race 5

FOLLOW GRV\_NEWS ON TWITTER (250+RANK)

12:30 pm 350m Grade 5 Prior to this event the outside temperature was 28 C and the kennel temperature was 18.7 C.

First Refusal and Sam's General were slow to begin.

First Refusal crossed to the outside approaching the 300m mark. Cinnamon Cindy and Massive Attack collided several times from the 300m mark to the 250m mark, checking both greyhounds.

#### Race 6

STRAIGHTS FUNCTIONS & EVENTS (250+ RANK)

12:53 pm 350m Grade 5 Prior to this event the outside temperature was 28.0C and the kennel temperature was 18.9C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Headspace.

Fear Fire was slow to begin.

Headspace crossed to the outside soon after the start, checking Get The Gaff and Johnny's Return. Top Alcohol and Get The Gaff collided several times from the 250m mark to the 200m mark, checking both greyhounds.

#### Race 7

SANCTUARY STOVE BAKEHOUSE (250+RANK)

1:13 pm 300m Grade 5 Prior to this event the outside temperature was 28.7C and the kennel temperature was 19.2C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Harsh Miles.

Phillip Keeping was quick to begin. Quedos was slow to begin.

Jack's On Deck checked off Quedos at the 100m mark.

# Race 8

YARRA VALLEY MEAT SUPPLIES (250+RANK)

1:31 pm 350m Grade 5 Ace Gone Wild was a late scratching at 7.35AM due to this meeting being declared hot weather affected after the scratching deadline.

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 29.7C and the kennel temperature was 19.3C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Malick.

Don's Machine and Galaxy Star collided soon after the start, checking Galaxy Star. Stir Fry Shrimp and Blackjack's Back collided approaching the 300m mark. Malick and Midnight Max collided approaching the 300m mark. Blackjack's Back crossed to the inside approaching the 200m mark, checking Team Son.

# Race 9

SUPPORTING GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL (250+RANK)

> 1:47 pm 300m Mixed 6/7

Eggeb Mai was a late scratching at 8.07 AM due to this meeting being declared hot weather affected after the scratching deadline.

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 30.4C and the kennel temperature was 19.4C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Black In Town.

Wiggle Emma and Black In Town were slow to begin.

Wiggle Emma and Black In Town collided soon after the start, checking Wiggle Emma. Belleperi Miss crossed to the inside soon after the start, checking Alfie's Affair and Liberty Sage. Belleperi Miss and Spring Shower crossed to the inside approaching the 200m mark.

# Race 10

GREYHOUNDS ON BOARD VETERANS (250+RANK) 2:07 pm 350m

S/E Veteran

Tally Ho Billy was a late scratching at 9.55AM due to weight variation (GAR 39). A ten-day stand down period was imposed. Trainer Ms Annette Kampman was fined the sum of \$100.

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 30.5C and the kennel temperature was 19.7C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Tzar Norma.

Tzar Norma, Sir Fancy and Grandis were slow to begin.

Grandis checked off Karaoke Ken soon after the start. Karaoke Ken and Sleeping Slick collided approaching the 300m mark, checking Karaoke Ken. Sleeping Slick crossed to the inside at the 250m mark, causing Grandis to gallop on Sleeping Slick, checking both greyhounds. Tzar Norma and Sleeping Slick collided approaching the 150m mark, checking both greyhounds and causing Tzar Norma to gallop on Sleeping Slick.

# Race 11

TAB.COM.AU (250+ RANK) 2:22 pm 300m Grade 5 period was imposed. Trainer Mr Gavin Gledhill was fined the sum of \$100.

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 31.5C and the kennel temperature was 19.5C.

A pre-race sample was taken from Coco Marlow.

Daintree Dynamo and Tiny Octane collided soon after the start, checking Daintree Dynamo. Daintree Dynamo crossed to the outside at the 250m mark. Dodge Ball checked off Tiny Octane at the 200m mark. Tiny Octane and Tzar Knight collided approaching the 50m mark, checking Tiny Octane.

Tiny Octane was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained no apparent injury.

#### Race 12

RACING HERE EVERY SUNDAY (250+RANK) 2:49 pm 300m Grade 5 Selynya Kev was a late scratching at 7.35AM due to this meeting being declared hot weather affected after the scratching deadline.

Pursuant to GAR 104 (6), catching pen scanner Mr R Johnson did not act in any official capacity for this event.

Prior to this event the outside temperature was 31.5C and the kennel temperature was 19.6C.

A pre-race samples were taken from Daintree Teacake and Hugh Made Who.

Dozer Lad and Hugh Made Who were slow to begin.

Daintree Teacake crossed to the inside soon after the start, checking King Of Diamonds. Dozer Lad, Fiery Miss and Daintree Teacake collided approaching the 100m mark, checking Fiery Miss.

Hugh Made Who was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained minor lacerations to the left hind leg. No stand down period was imposed.

### MEETING COMMENTS

Prior to race three, Stewards were informed that a pet dog was in an empty vehicle in the car park. Stewards located the owner of the vehicle, Mr Jeff Gorgioski, and further investigations revealed that the pet dog was left unattended briefly by his wife. Mr Gorgioski was reminded of his responsibilities in that no greyhound or any other animal, shall be permitted on the racecourse except with the permission of the Stewards (GAR30).