

Ballarat
Monday, 26 Feb 2018

Weather conditions: Fine
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting
Steward in Charge: G. Dimsey
Stewards: S.Bettest/ H. Montgomery/ M. Blood & A. Fewell
Judges: T. Lockwood/J. Barlow
Lure Drivers: R. Phillips
Starter: J. Loudon
Kennel Supervisor: N.Thornton
Kennel Attendants: N Thornton/T. Lockwood
Veterinarian: Dr. A. Cole

Race 1

SIRES ON ICE (250+ RANK)
 12:25 pm
 450m
 Maiden

Dyna Raze, Time Away and Firelight Twist were quick to begin. Tantalise was slow to begin and turned it's head at box rise.

Keisha's Boy checked off Communique approaching the first turn and raced wide to the home straight as a result. Time Away, Firelight Twist and Communique collided on the first turn, checking Firelight Twist.

Tantalise was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained an injury to the right long head triceps (monkey) muscle. A ten-day stand down period was imposed.

Stewards spoke to Ms Cheryl Pirani, the trainer of the greyhound Tantalise. Stewards deemed the performance of Tantalise unsatisfactory in this event and acting in accordance with GAR 71, directed that Tantalise must perform a Satisfactory Trial (all tracks) before any future nomination will be accepted.

A sample was taken from Balance, the winner of the event.

Race 2

GREYHOUND ADOPTION PROGRAM
 (250+ RANK)
 12:47 pm
 545m
 Grade 7

Inga Red, Avalon Sisco, Muzzle Welsh and Seeking Stars collided on the first turn, causing Muzzle Welsh to fall and inconvenience Handsome Jake.

Inga Red turned its head and collided with Handsome Jake in the back straight.

Muzzle Welsh was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained an injury to the left quadriceps muscle, and a spike wound and laceration to the right hock. A ten-day stand down period was imposed.

Inga Red was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained a tarsal sprain to the right hock and an injury to the right quadriceps muscle. A ten-day stand down period was imposed.

Stewards spoke to Mr Vito Inguanti, the trainer of the greyhound Inga Red, regarding the greyhound's racing manners in the back straight. Acting under GAR 69(A)(1) stewards charged Red Inga with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr Inguanti pleaded guilty to the charge, Inga Red was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and it was directed that the greyhound perform a Satisfactory Trial (all tracks), pursuant to GAR 69(A)(2)(a) before any future nomination will be accepted.

Race 3

A1 SIGNAGE (250+ RANK)
 1:02 pm
 450m
 Grade 7

A pre-race sample was taken from Nellie Shan.

Not Enough Cash, Rockin' Joe and Don Quixote collided soon after the start and again approaching the first turn, checking Rockin' Joe. Golden Gem and Lonnie Knight collided on the first turn. Rockin' Joe and Tiwala Twist raced wide on the home turn.

Race 4

BOTTLE-O (250+ RANK)
 1:23 pm
 450m
 Grade 6

The start time for this race was delayed by one minute in order to hold for Waikouaiti harness.

Lanis Morris and Summer Skye were quick to begin.

Eltora, Spider Regis, Ark Lightning and Jackie Jai collided approaching the first turn, checking Spider Regis. Trapezius checked off the heels of Ark Lightning approaching the first turn. Trapezius raced wide on the home turn and in the home straight.

A sample was taken from Summer Skye, the winner of the event.

Race 5

EUREKA CONCRETE (2-3 WINS 250+ RANK)
 1:42 pm

Eftpos Jess checked off Destini Rocket entering the back straight. Stir Fry Shrimp and Vectis Seyarda collided in the back straight.

A sample was taken from Matty Mateusz, the winner of the event.

545m
Restricted Win

Race 6

AUSSIE INFRARED @ STUD (250+
RANK)
1:57 pm
450m
Mixed 4/5

Succession Plan, Booming Zulus and Nolita Nelly were quick to begin.

Booming Zulus and Nolita Nelly collided on the first turn, checking Booming Zulus. Swift Trent checked off Booming Zulus on the first turn. Voodoo Hustler checked off Booming Zulus approaching the home turn. Nolita Nelly checked off Succession Plan in the home straight.

Race 7

FREE ENTRY EVERY MEETING (250+
RANK)
2:17 pm
450m
Grade 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Lucky Holly.

Ace Gone Wild and Sachi were quick to begin. Crackerjack Shak was slow to begin.

Solar On, King's Fury and Lucky Holly collided approaching the first turn. Solar On galloped on Remain Seated on the first turn, checking both greyhounds and causing Remain Seated and Sachi to collide. King's Fury checked off Remain Seated approaching the home turn. Crackerjack Shak, Remain Seated and King's Fury raced wide on the home turn. King's Fury and Remain Seated collided entering the home straight.

Race 8

MEGA MERCH RURAL & PET (250+
RANK)
2:32 pm
545m
Mixed 4/5

A pre-race sample was taken from Katlin.

Onya Grover, Katlin and Alcyone collided on the first turn. Last Princess checked off Katlin entering the back straight. Noosa Parade, Katlin and Alcyone collided on the third turn. Onya Grover raced wide on the home turn.

Race 9

R & J BATTERIES (250+ RANK)
2:52 pm
450m
Grade 5

Ms T Long, kennel representative for Honestly Bob, declared a new weight of 31.8kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Honestly Bob last raced at 30.6kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Valdar Bale.

Djays Larry, Media Street, Honestly Bob, Smudger Smiff and Sukoku Baby collided soon after the start, checking Djays Larry and Media Street, and severely checking Honestly Bob. Arolok Lil' Gal and Dynamic Couldron collided approaching the first turn, checking Dynamic Couldron which lost ground as a result.

Honestly Bob was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained split webbing on the right hind foot. A 14-day stand down period was imposed.

Dynamic Couldron was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained injuries to the right long head triceps (monkey) muscle and split webbing on the left hind foot. A ten-day stand down period was imposed.

Race 10

TOPCAT VIDEO PRODUCTIONS (250+
RANK)
3:07 pm
390m
Grade 5

Stewards spoke to Mr Craig Treherne, the trainer of Midnite Starling, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Midnite Starling last raced on 3 November 2017. Mr Treherne stated that the greyhound was resuming from being seasonal. Mr Treherne also declared a new weight of 27.5kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Midnite Starling last raced at 28.8kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Midnite Starling.

Midnite Starling was slow to begin.

In Dee Genes, Predemonic and Bryden Dora collided approaching the first turn, checking Predemonic. Seabrook Dill, Poison Pen and Midnite Starling collided on the first turn, checking Poison Pen. Midnite Starling raced wide on the home turn.

Race 11

ENERGIS SMART ENERGY (250+
RANK)
3:27 pm
390m
Mixed 4/5

A pre-race sample was taken from Bobby Tokaam.

Slipaway Bolt crossed to the rail approaching the first turn, checking Mahlo Blackhawk. Bobby Tokaam, Scarecrow Tiger and Team Son collided on the first turn, checking Scarecrow Tiger. Team Son raced wide from the first turn to the home straight.

Race 12

JA CATERING & FUNCTIONS (250+
RANK)
3:42 pm
390m
Grade 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Chief Mingo.

Djarragun was slow to begin.

Chief Mingo checked off Manhattan Man approaching the first turn and collided with Unique Olivia. Coolatai Lass checked off Djarragun approaching the home turn.

MEETING COMMENTS

Satisfactory Whelping Trial (Solo) - Roll 'Em Maggie trialled over the 390m from box one, weight 26.6kg.
The time of the trial was 22.38, Roll 'Em Maggie was cleared.