

Ballarat
Thursday, 17 May 2018

Weather conditions: Overcast
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting
Steward in Charge: S. Bettess
Stewards: J. Rea, M. Blood & A. Fewell
Judges: C. Hon & B. Loudon
Lure Drivers: D. Kierl
Starter: J. Loudon
Kennel Supervisor: D. Jones
Kennel Attendants: T. Lockwood
Veterinarian: Dr. N. Evans

Race 1

FREE ENTRY EVERY MEETING
 5:49 pm
 390m
 Maiden

A pre-race sample was taken from Little Snitzel.

Ashlee Star, Hawkie and Little Snitzel collided soon after the start, checking Ashlee Star and Little Snitzel. Yakari, Senni Max and Hawkie collided approaching the home turn, checking Hawkie and causing Senni Max to fall. Stavros and Hawkie collided on the home turn, checking Stavros. Stavros and Hawkie collided in the home straight, checking Hawkie.

Senni Max was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained a right hindleg hock injury, a 21 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 2

JUST COPIERS
 6:04 pm
 450m
 Maiden

A pre-race sample was taken from Brin Bandit.

Completed and Brin Bandit were slow to begin. Cazbomb, Limburg Sprite and Three Soldiers collided soon after the start, checking Limburg Sprite. Three Soliders, Milly's Missile and Cazbomb collided on the first turn, checking Milly's Missile. Milly's Missile, Limburg Sprite and Brin Bandit collided approaching the home turn, checking Limburg Sprite. Limburg Sprite checked off the heels of Milly's Missile entering the home straight.

Race 3

SIRES ON ICE
 6:19 pm
 450m
 Grade 7

A pre-race sample was taken from On The Bonnet.

On The Bonnet was quick to begin. Mickie Raven and Moon Prince collided approaching the first turn, checking Mickie Raven. Moonquake and Seeka Moment collided approaching the first turn, checking Moonquake. Mahoney Miss checked off Mickie Raven approaching the home turn. Moon Prince and Raine Allen collided approaching the home turn, checking Raine Allen. Mickie Raven and Raine Allen collided entering the home straight, checking Raine Allen. Mickie Raven, Raine Allen and Maximum Kack collided entering the home straight.

Race 4

JA CATERING & FUNCTIONS
 6:40 pm
 450m
 Mixed 6/7

A pre-race sample was taken from Wanna Allen.

Southwood Ace and Hit The Deck were slow to begin. Wanna Allen, Winlock Dyno and Joffa's Mate collided approaching the first turn, checking Winlock Dyno and Joffa's Mate. Yoda and Zipping Hazel collided approaching the first turn, checking Zipping Hazel. Zipping Hazel and Hit The Deck collided on the first turn. Joffa's Mate checked off Wanna Allen approaching the home turn and again on the home turn. Wanna Allen and Southwood Ace collided on the home straight, checking Wanna Allen. Hit The Deck and Hey Duggee collided several times in the home straight.

Race 5

GAP
 6:57 pm
 450m
 Grade 5

The Club Veterinary Surgeon examined Bomber's Return and no illness was detected. The greyhound was a late scratching at 5:05 pm, due to weight variation (GAR 39). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer, Mr Geoffrey Green was fined the sum of \$100.

A pre-race sample was taken from Mighty Hazza.

Cruisy's Lil crossed to the inside soon after the start, checking Remain Seated, Mighty Hazza and Cloud Cover. Hit Me Up and Dyna Greg collided approaching the first turn, checking Hit Me Up. Hit Me Up clipped the heels of Dyna Greg collided approaching the home turn. Cruisy's Lil clipped the heels of My Mate Wally on the home turn. Hit Me Up and Remain Seated raced wide in the home straight.

Race 6

ENERGIS SMART ENERGY

A pre-race sample was taken from Lainey's Fortune.

Tom Riddle was slow to begin. Bumble Bee Bolto, Blackpool Donny and Poor Old Frank collided soon

SOLUTIONS
7:16 pm
450m
Mixed 4/5

after the start, severely checking Blackpool Donny. Our Didda and Bumble Bee Bolto collided approaching the first turn, checking Our Didda. Lainey's Fortune, Serendipity Gold and Poor Old Frank collided on the first turn, checking Poor Old Frank. Lylah's Way, Serendipity Gold and Bumble Bee Bolto collided on the first turn, checking Bumble Bee Bolto. Lainey's Fortune and Our Didda raced wide in the home straight.

Race 7
A1 SIGNAGE
7:31 pm
450m
Grade 5

Broadway Belle was a late scratching at 5:08 pm, due to weight variation (GAR 39). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer, Mr Paul Mathieson was fined the sum of \$100.

A pre-race sample was taken from Terry Towelling.

Destini Ferrari was slow to begin. Gin Lee's Bullet and Zipping King collided approaching the first turn, checking Zipping King. Chasing James checked off Rock It Ronny approaching the home turn. Zipping King and Rock It Ronny collided on the home turn and again entering the home straight, checking Rock It Ronny. Gin Lee's Bullet and Hard Luck Story collided approaching the winning post.

Rock It Ronny was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound had shown some minor evidence of mild cramp. No stand down period was imposed.

Race 8
BACKMANS PET FOODS
7:46 pm
545m
Mixed 4/5

The Club Veterinary Surgeon examined Spring Bomber and no illness was detected. The greyhound was a late scratching at 5:06 pm, due to weight variation (GAR 39). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer, Mr Geoffrey Green was fined the sum of \$100.

A pre-race sample was taken from It's A Bull.

Game Spirit was slow to begin. Cloona Lass, Graphite County, It's A Bull, Blue Magoo and Haddi Bale collided on the first turn, checking Cloona Lass, Graphite County and Trumpsta. Cloona Lass, Graphite County and Trumpsta collided in the back straight, checking Trumpsta and Graphite County. Game Spirit raced wide entering the home straight.

Race 9
BOTTLE-O
8:01 pm
390m
Free For All

A pre-race sample was taken from Avatar Sparkle.

Avatar Minty turned in the boxes and to no competitive part in the event. Aston Viva and Golden Blaze collided approaching the first turn, checking Aston Viva. Noonbarra Storm and Snow Osti collided on the first turn, checking Snow Osti. Avatar Sparkle and Noonbarra Storm collided entering the home straight, checking Avatar Sparkle.

Stewards established that Avatar Minty turned in the boxes. Acting under GAR 52(1) Avatar Minty was placed on a Satisfactory Trial (all tracks).

Race 10
R & J BATTERIES
8:16 pm
390m
Mixed 6/7

Stewards spoke to Mr Robert Tartaglia, the trainer of Elite Ollie, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Elite Ollie last raced on January 26 2018. Mr Tartaglia stated that the greyhound was returning to racing following a back muscle injury.

A pre-race sample was taken from Elite Ollie.

Newtown Angel was slow to begin. Moon Phase and Articus collided soon after the start. Bomber's Baby, Newtown Angel, Articus and Barinya collided approaching the first turn, checking Moon Phase, and severely checking Bomber's Baby. Newtown Angel checked off the heels of Articus approaching the home turn.

Bomber's Baby was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained cervico-thoracic injury, a five day stand down period was imposed.

Race 11
AUSSIE INFRARED @ STUD
8:31 pm
390m
Grade 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Chevsta.

The start of this event was delayed by one minute, following a system issue with Fastrack which hindered the kenneling process.

Jockey Bale, Lochinvar Adore, Jai Jai Away and Furtado collided soon after the start. Jockey Bale, Flying Action and Furtado collided on the first turn. Teflon Toby and Lochinvar Adore collided approaching the home turn, causing Teflon Toby to fall. Furtado and Jai Jai Away collided approaching the home turn, checking Jai Jai Away. Jockey Bale and Flying Action collided several times in the home straight.

Teflon Toby was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained lacerations to the right fore and hind legs, a three day stand down period was imposed.

Flying Action was vetted following the event. It was reported that there was no apparent injury found.

Race 12
BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN
8:46 pm
390m
Grade 5

Ms Melanie Lithgow, trainer of Wicked Hillary, declared a new weight of 27.2 kgs for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Wicked Hillary last raced at 28.3 kgs.

A pre-race sample was taken from Scott Pizzazz.

Pyrenees Acclaim, Blackpool Ivy and Scott Pizzazz collided soon after the start, checking Pyrenees Acclaim and Blackpool Ivy. George Regis and Angel Cloud collided approaching the first turn and again approaching the home turn. More Moment and George Regis collided approaching the winning post.

