

# Ballarat Saturday, 01 Dec 2018

Weather conditions: Fine
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: S. Bettess

Stewards: L.Fahry A.Fewell, B.Blood, M Blood, D.Verberne

Judges: C. Hon
Lure Drivers: D. Kierl
Starter: G. White
Kennel Supervisor: D. Jones
Kennel Attendants: M. McKenna
Veterinarian: Dr A. Cole

### Race 1

40 YEARS AT MORSHEAD PARK (0-2

WINS) 6:17 pm 450m Restricted Win Barooga Mac, Dyna Gabba and Kurtis Pandora were slow to begin.

Canyon County checked off Lektra Swing approaching the first turn. Tonk's Treasure checked off Dyna Gabba on the first turn, severely checking Tonk's Treasure. Barooga Mac checked off Canyon County entering the home straight. Canyon County and Dyna Gabba collided several times approaching the winning post.

A sample was taken from Ballistic Yaala - the winner of the event.

A sample was taken from Canyon County - placed fourth in the event.

## Race 2

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP

HT1 6:42 pm 450m S/E Heat Stewards spoke to Mr P Lagogiane, representing Ms J Lagogiane - trainer of Beast Unleashed, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Beast Unleashed last raced on 16th June 2018. Ms J Lagogiane stated that the greyhound was resuming racing following a right hock injury.

A pre race sample was taken from Beast Unleashed.

Dyna Oscar was quick to begin. Beast Unleashed was slow to begin.

Black Treasure and Feikuai George collided approaching the first turn, checking Feikuai George. Lektra Stomp checked off Feikuai George approaching the first turn. Spring Bridge checked off Feikuai George on the first turn. Dyna Oscar checked off Italian Plastic on the first turn, checking Feikuai George. Lektra Stomp checked off Feikuai George on the first turn. Dyna Oscar checked off Italian Plastic approaching the home turn. Feikuai George checked off Dyna Oscar approaching the home turn. Dyna Oscar checked off Italian Plastic entering the home straight. Dyna Oscar and Shimando collided in the home straight. Black Treasure, Spring Bridge and Italian Plastic collided in the home straight, severely checking Black Treasure.

A sample was taken from Spring Bridge, the winner of the event.

## Race 3

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP

HT2 7:07 pm 450m S/E Heat Amigo Two, Zoom Out and Peter Galo were slow to begin.

Zoom Out and Peter Galo collided soon after the start. Peter Galo, Black Mumbo and Lagoon Rhett collided approaching the first turn. Zipping Captain checked off Alpha Midas on the first turn, checking Black Mumbo and Lagoon Rhett in turn severely checking Peter Galo which lost ground as a result. Zipping Captain and Black Mumbo collided approaching home turn. Zipping Captain checked off Lagoon Rhett entering the home straight.

Samples were taken from the placegetters - Speed Star (1st) and Zoom Out (2nd).

## Race 4

JA CATERING & FUNCTIONS

7:31 pm 545m Grade 5 Pirate's Curse was slow to begin.

Pirate's Curse checked off Seabrook Eb soon after the start and trailed the field throughout. Yogi Mikado, Mepunga Debbie and Seabrook Eb collided soon after the start, checking Mepunga Debbie and Seabrook Eb. King of Merrimu, South of Eden, Folding Green and Detroit Wally collided soon after the start, checking Folding Green. South of Eden checked off Yogi Mikado approaching the first turn. King of Merrimu and Detroit Wally collided several times on the first turn. Mepunga Debbie and Seabrook Eb collided approaching the home turn. King of Merrimu and Yogi Mikado collided several times in the home straight and again approaching the winning post.

A sample was taken from South of Eden - the winner of the event.

Pirate's Curse was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained a left triceps muscle injury, a 10 day stand down period was imposed.

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP HT3

7:51 pm 450m S/E Heat My Bro Kade and Lochinvar Deus collided soon after the start. Ash star checked off Henessey Venom approaching the first turn, severely checking Ash Star. Henessey Venom and Go Natalie Go collided several times approaching the home turn. Lochinvar Deus and Go Natalie Go collided on the home turn. Henessey Venom and Ash Star collided on the home turn. Ash Star and Henessey Venom collided in the home straight.

Samples were taken from the placegetters - Aston Kimetto (1st) and Startron (2nd).

### Race 6

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP

HT4 8:12 pm 450m S/E Heat A pre race sample was taken from Shima Mart.

This event was delayed by one minute to remove debris from the track.

Dyna Patty was quick to begin. Shima Mart was slow to begin.

Kouta Mayhem, Feikuai Donna and Sanjiro collided approaching the first turn, checking Go Seek Fernando and Grey Ghost. Feikuai Donna and Shima Mart collided approaching the first turn. Go Seek Fernando checked off Grey Ghost approaching the first turn. Kouta Mayhem and Feikuai Donna collided on the first turn. Shima Mart checked off Go Seek Fernando entering the home straight.

Samples were taken from the placegetters - Dyna Patty (1st) and Sanjiro (2nd).

### Race 7

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP

HT5 8:31 pm 450m S/E Heat Fully Loaded was quick to begin, Barooga Brett was slow to begin.

Big Deal, Wise Ricciardo and Cosmic Chieftain collided soon after the start. Big deal checked off Wise Ricciardo approaching the first turn. Barooga Brett, Ice Cool Kaedyn, Jakesta and Wise Ricciardo collided on the first turn, checking all greyhounds. Big deal checked off Barooga Brett approaching the home turn. Ice Cool Kaedyn and Wise Ricciardo collided on the home turn. Jakesta checked off Cosmic Chieftain entering the home straight. Wise Ricciardo and Cosmic Chieftain collided approaching the winning post.

Samples were taken from the placegetters - Fully Loaded (1st) and Rixy Ya Pest (2nd).

#### Race 8

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP

HT6 8:51 pm 450m S/E Heat Stewards spoke to Mr. Dennis Kerr, the trainer of Mighty Barcia, regarding the length of time the greyhound has had between races. Mighty Barcia last raced on 13th August 2018. Mr Kerr stated that the greyhound was resuming racing following a left hock injury.

A pre-race sample was taken from Mighty Barcia

Dyna Hunter and Wharfies Girl were quick to begin. Circus Oasis and Honcho Monelli were slow to begin.

Circus Oasis checked off the heels of Mighty Barcia on the first turn. Veracity checked off the heels of Mighty Barcia on the first turn and collided with Wharfies Girl. Veracity and Wharfies Girl collided approaching the home turn. Honcho Monelli shifted out and raced wide on the home turn. Mighty Barcia tired over the concluding stages.

Samples were taken from the placegetters - Dyna Hunter (1st) and Circus Oasis (2nd).

## Race 9

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP

HT7 9:09 pm 450m S/E Heat Mr Terry Reid, trainer of Lagoon Pirate declared a new weight of 32.7kg for the greyhound in accordance with GAR 39(2). Lagoon Pirate last raced at 33.8kg.

Abuzz was quick to begin, Big Sam Marjen was slow to begin.

Lagoon Pirate and Blue Striker collided soon after the start. Burnout and Blue Striker collided on the first turn. Fernando's Flare and Lagoon Pirate collided on the first turn. Big Sam Marjen and Dyna Harpa collided on the first turn. Fernando's Flare galloped on the heels of Burnout on the first turn, checking Fernando's Flare, Burnout fell as a result. Abuzz raced verywide in the home straight.

Samples were taken from the placegetters - Belt Up Bubbs (1st), Blue Striker (2nd)

Burnout was vetted following the event. It was reported that the greyhound sustained a scapula injury to the right fore leg and tarsal sprain injury to right hind leg, a 14 day stand down period was imposed.

# Race 10

2018 BALLARAT VOLKSWAGEN CUP

HT8
9:34 pm
450m
S/E Heat

Poke The Bear was slow to begin.

Regazzoni checked off Tito Mojito approaching the first turn. Milky Jones checked off Huxley on the first turn, checking Milky Jones and Poke The Bear, severely checking Tito Mojito, Regazzoni and Kinloch Moss

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

Both a urine and blood sample was taken from Huxley, placed second in the event.

## Race 11

VW CADDY RUNNER

9:51 pm 450m Mixed 4/5 Zipping Inglis, Rowchester Flash, Aston Aniston and Fat Rhino were slow to begin.

Zipping Inglis and Ominous Warning collided approaching the first turn. Aston Aniston checked off I'm Orion approaching the first turn. Zipping Inglis, Ominous Warning and I'm Orion collided approaching the home turn. Ominous Warning and I'm Orion collided approaching the home turn. Rowchester Flash and Fat Rhino collided approaching the home turn. Rowchester Flash and Fat Rhino raced wide in the home

A sample was taken from Winsome Fernando, the winner of the event.

# Race 12

A1 SIGNAGE 10:09 pm 390m Mixed 4/5 Blue Odessa was slow to begin.

Jar Man and Winlock Casper collided soon after the start, checking Jar Man. Knocka Feller checked off Kung Fu Hustle on the first turn. Kung Fu Hustle checked off Cherokee Shimmer on the first turn. Knocka Feller, Jar Man and Blue Odessa collided on the home turn, checking Jar Man. Dyna Winter raced wide in the home straight.

Stewards spoke to Mr. T. Rasmussen, the trainer of Dyna Layla and issued a warning for the racing manners in the home straight.

Stewards issued a warning to Mrs J Hall for her difficulties in boxing Blue Odessa.

A sample was taken from Dyna Winter, the winner of the event.

#### Meeting Comments:

GRV Stewards today finalised an inquiry into an incident that occurred on-track during a race-meeting held at the Horsham Greyhound Racing Club on Tuesday 20 November 2018. After taking evidence from GRV Steward Mr. Dan Verberne, the Horsham Starter and Licensed Trainer Mr. Frank Meyer, the Stewards issued a charge to Mr. Meyer under GAR 86 (q). The specifics of the charge were that at the Horsham Greyhound Racing Club on Tuesday 20 November 2018, Mr Frank Meyer engaged in conduct during Race 6 at the 485m boxes which is detrimental or prejudicial to the interests of greyhound racing, by swearing in a loud manner. Mr. Meyer pleaded not guilty to the charge however was found guilty and fined \$250.

In determining penalty, Stewards took into consideration Mr. Meyer's poor behaviour record with GRV, his personnel antecedence and submissions on penalty, the nature and gravity of the incident, other behaviour related cases, the need to deter other participants to act in this manner and denounciation. Specific deterrence looms large for Mr. Meyer as his record indicates recidivism and he has indicated a reluctance to change his ways. Mr Meyer was advised that changes in his behaviour are required or other, more punitive modes of penalty may be considered in the future. All participants should note that a trainer's license is a privilege, not a right and that there are consequences for poor behaviour or conduct.

#### **BOX DRAW**

A box draw was conducted for the Final of the Ballarat Cup to be held on 8 December, 2018 as follows:

Box 1: Belt Up Bubbs

Box 2: Shadale

Box 3: Aston Kimetto

Box 4: Speed Star

Box 5: Fully Loaded

Box 6: Dyna Hunter

Box 7: Spring Bridge

Box 8: Dyna Patty

Res 9: Rixy Ya Pest

Res 10: Sanjiro