

Ballarat
Wednesday, 12 Feb 2020

Weather conditions: Overcast
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting
Steward in Charge: S. Bettess
Stewards: M. Blood, B. Blood & A. Fewell
Judges: B. Loudon
Lure Drivers: J. Haigh
Starter: D. Todd
Kennel Supervisor: M. Mckenna
Kennel Attendants: M. Hunter
Veterinarian: Dr. R. Page & Dr. S. Lane

<p>Race 1 FREE ENTRY EVERY MEETING 6:57 pm 450m Maiden</p>	<p>Stewards spoke to Mr. Jason Wickham regarding being late to kenneling of his greyhounds (9 minutes after closing time). Mr. Wickham was reminded of his responsibilities and issued with a warning on this occasion.</p> <p>Lektra Midnight – Late scratching at 11.02am when Ms. Dailly reported the greyhound to have an illness (GAR 23). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards will require a veterinary certificate before any future nomination will be accepted.</p> <p>Exclusively Mine and Konta were quick to begin. Ted Do was slow to begin.</p> <p>South East Queen and Wendalin Bale collided approaching the first turn checking South East Queen. South East Queen galloped on the heels of Konta on the first turn checking Konta, Exclusively Mine and Gamma Bale. South East Queen and Konta collided on the first turn checking South East Queen. Gamma Bale clipped the heels of Ted Do on the first turn checking Ted Do and Konta. Konta clipped the heels of Ted Do approaching the home turn.</p>
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<p>Race 2 BACKMANS PET FOODS (1-3 WINS) 7:18 pm 390m Restricted Win</p>	<p>Regal Missile and Zambora Lulu collided soon after the start checking Regal Missile. Daisy Field, Don't Argue Love, Name Me Nelly and Aston Genesis collided on the first turn checking Daisy Field, Don't Argue Love, Name Me Nelly and Regal Missile. Zambora Lulu and Artic Assassin collided approaching the home turn checking Zambora Lulu.</p>
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<p>Race 3 SIREN ON ICE 7:38 pm 450m Mixed 6/7</p>	<p>Razor Burn and Bundoran were slow to begin.</p> <p>All Over Elly and Lektra Shadow collided approaching the first turn checking Lektra Shadow. Razor Burn, Come On Serenity and Lektra Shadow collided approaching the first turn checking Come On Serenity and Lektra Shadow. Razor Burn and All Over Elly collided on the first turn checking All Over Elly. Guinness Banshee and Elvisa Bale collided approaching the home turn checking Guinness Banshee. Come on Serenity checked off Guinness Banshee approaching the home turn. Guinness Banshee and Lektra Shadow collided entering the home straight checking Lektra Shadow. All Over Elly, Come On Serenity and Lektra Shadow raced wide in the home straight.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Aston Stealth - the winner of the event.</p>
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<p>Race 4 A1 SIGNAGE (3-6 WINS) HT1 7:57 pm 450m Restricted Win Heat</p>	<p>Clyde Jakit and Burning Eddy collided soon after the start checking Clyde Jakit. O'sullivan and Megapascal collided approaching the first turn checking Megapascal. O'sullivan and Why Not Pockets collided approaching the first turn checking Why Not Pockets. Burning Eddy and O'sullivan collided on the first turn checking Clyde Jakit, Burning Eddy, Megapascal and Why Not Pockets. O'sullivan and Fab's Special collided several times in the home straight checking Fab's Special.</p>
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<p>Race 5 BALLARAT DISTANCE CHALLENGE PRELUDE 4 8:18 pm 660m Special Event</p>	<p>Black Spring was slow to begin.</p> <p>Screen Shot and Zekel Bale collided on the first turn checking Screen Shot. Zekel Bale, Black Canvas, Kiomara and Saint Destructor collided approaching the second turn checking Black Canvas, Kiomara and Saint Destructor. Zekel Bale cramped in the home straight. Zekel Bale and Black Canvas collided entering the home straight checking Zekel Bale, Black Canvas and Kiomara.</p> <p>Zekel Bale underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.</p> <p>Stewards spoke to Mr. C. Grenfell, who agreed with the stewards observation that the greyhound cramped in the home straight. Stewards charged Zekel Bale with Cramp (GAR 71), Zekel Bale must perform a Satisfactory Trial before any future nomination will be accepted.</p>
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A post-race sample was taken from Front Page News - the winner of the event.

Race 6
LIL DICKIE OAKS FINAL
8:38 pm
450m
S/E Final

An out of competition sample was taken from Tiggerlong Back on 10th February 2020 pursuant to GAR 79A.

Aston Perignon, Run Baba Run, Desiree Devere and Tiggerlong Back collided on the first turn checking Desiree Devere and Aston Perignon, which in turn collided with Imminent Reality and Lethal Image checking Aston Perignon, Imminent Reality and Lethal Image. Desiree Devere raced wide on the home turn.

Post-race samples were taken from Faithy Bale (1st) and Tiggerlong Back (2nd).

Stewards conducted a check of catcher's licences in accordance with LR 16.2 and all were compliant.

Race 7
3BA/POWER FM
8:57 pm
545m
Grade 5

Reiko Houdini, Black Opaque and My Hardaway Hana collided soon after the start checking Black Opaque and My Hardaway Hana. Black Opaque and My Hardaway Hana collided entering the back straight checking My Hardaway Hana.

Race 8
WESTERN DISTRICTS DERBY FINAL
9:18 pm
450m
Group Listed

Aston Wizard was slow to begin.

Aston Wizard, Gentleman Thief and Alcott collided on the first turn checking Alcott and Gentleman Thief. Gentleman Thief raced wide on the home turn.

Post-race samples were taken from Tiggerlong Tonk (1st) and Aston Cade (2nd).

Race 9
BALLARAT DISTANCE CHALLENGE
PRELUDE 5
9:38 pm
660m
Special Event

Thomeli Monster was slow to begin.

Gardener's Boyo and Ragnar Bale collided approaching the first turn checking Gardener's Boyo. Crackerjack Daza, Gardener's Boyo and Ragnar Bale collided on the first turn checking Gardener's Boyo, Ragnar Bale and Bayonet. Midnight Titan and Mepunga Debbie collided approaching the second turn checking Crackerjack Daza and Midnight Titan. Gardener's Boyo checked off Ragnar Bale approaching the second turn.

Shima Mist recorded a new track record of 37.475.

A post-race sample was taken from Shima Mist - the winner of the event.

Race 10
JA CATERING & FUNCTIONS
9:58 pm
450m
Mixed 4/5

Brady's Shout and Speedy Ryder were slow to begin.

Miss Firebird checked off Iago Bale on the first turn. Succession Plan checked off Our Rock Man approaching the home turn. Succession Plan raced wide in the home straight. Brady's Shout and Our Rock Man collided in the home straight checking Brady's Shout.

Race 11
REVOLUTION PRINT (3-6 WINS) HT2
10:24 pm
450m
Restricted Win Heat

A pre-race sample was taken from Shimma Rock.

Napa was slow to begin.

Shima Rock and Northern Zone collided soon after the start severely checking Northern Zone. Tiggerlong Al, Nella Bale and Shima Rock collided approaching the first turn checking Tiggerlong Al and Nella Bale. Tiggerlong Al and Napa collided approaching the first turn checking Napa. Weblec Fire and Northern Zone raced wide in the home straight.

Race 12
EUREKA CONCRETE
10:40 pm
390m
Mixed 4/5

A pre-race sample was taken from Tiggerlong Ginga.

Brother Griff and Space Trucking were quick to begin.

Brother Griff and Tiggerlong Ginga collided soon after the start checking Tiggerlong Ginga. Tiggerlong Ginga and Mr. Changretta collided on the first turn checking Tiggerlong Ginga. Space Trucking and Zulu Smoke collided approaching the home turn checking Zulu Smoke. Mindy's Girl and Slingshot Style collided on the home turn checking Mindy's Girl. Space Trucking, Mindy's Girl and Billy Deeds raced wide in the home straight.