

## Sandown Park

### Thursday, 31 Dec 2020

**Weather conditions:** Fine  
**Track condition:** Good  
**Officials for Meeting**  
**Steward in Charge:** C. Day  
**Stewards:** D. Verberne, J. Goldenberg, G. Marsland & I. Kennedy  
**Judges:** J. Barlow & L. Gough  
**Lure Drivers:** T. Adamson  
**Starter:** B. Chapman  
**Kennel Supervisor:** B. Mulligan  
**Kennel Attendants:** O. Cartechini, H. Miller & H. Hansen  
**Veterinarian:** Dr. A. Donlan

#### Race 1

sandowngreyhounds.com.au  
 7:02 pm  
 515m  
 Mixed 6/7

All staff & participants attending the race-meeting wore face masks at all times when inside the kennel block and associated buildings, and when engaged in the exclusive race-day functions of handling, boxing, starting and catching greyhounds.

Five Star was slow to begin.

Lenny Fox and Peaky Pub collided soon after the start. Aston Lavina galloped on Courageous Swan on the first turn, checking Courageous Swan. Peaky Pub checked off Aston Skylar on the first turn, checking Courageous Swan. Lenny Fox and Peaky Pub collided entering the back straight; checking Peaky Pub and Five Star. Courageous Swan checked off Aston Skylar in the back straight. Five Star checked off Peaky Pub approaching the home turn. Courageous Swan turned its head outwards and collided with Aston Skylar approaching the home turn, checking Aston Skylar. Aston Skylar and Courageous Swan collided several times entering the home straight; checking both greyhounds. Peaky Pub and Galloping Albi collided entering the home straight. Galloping Albi and Five Star collided in the home straight. Lenny Fox and Peaky Pub collided approaching the winning post.

Bodine underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a laceration to the right hindleg. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.

Peaky Pub underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.

Courageous Swan underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a left foreleg wrist injury, a seven day stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke to handler, Mrs J Greenough regarding the greyhounds racing manners approaching the home turn. Acting under the provisions of GAR 69B (1), Courageous Swan was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment (by reason of injury). Mrs Greenough pleaded not guilty to the charge, Courage Swan was found guilty and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 69B (1) and GAR 72, before any future nomination will be accepted.

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

#### Race 2

XP3020  
 7:19 pm  
 515m  
 Grade 6

Keep It Black was slow to begin.

Mepunga Warrior and Weblec Rebel collided soon after the start. Mepunga Warrior, Weblec Rebel and Flying Lantern collided on the first turn; checking Flying Lantern; severely checking Mepunga Warrior and Keep It Black, both fell as a result. Major Sacrifice, Big Wings and Taiepa collided on the first turn; checking Big Wings and Taiepa. Big Wings turned its head outwards and marred Flying Lantern approaching the home turn, checking Flying Lantern. Big Wings checked off Weblec Rebel entering the home straight.

Mepunga Warrior underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.

Keep It Black underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a left hindleg hip injury. A seven day stand down period was imposed.

Big Wings underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to Trainer Mr B Pursell regarding the greyhound's racing manners approaching the home turn. Acting under the provisions of GAR 69(1) Big Wings was charged with marring. Mr Pursell pleaded guilty to the charge, Big Wings was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Sandown and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 69(2) and GAR 72, before any future nomination will be accepted.

A post-race sample was taken from Major Sacrifice - the winner of the event.

#### Race 3

GIDDY-UP  
 7:40 pm  
 515m  
 Grade 5

Memphis Keeping and She Excites collided soon after the start. Kutcher's Ruslie and Bowled Underarm collided approaching the first turn. Memphis Keeping checked off Walk Me Home approaching the first turn. Kutcher's Ruslie and Busy Bella collided on the first turn, checking Busy Bella. Grindylow and Bowled Underarm collided approaching the home turn. Grindylow checked off Bowled Underarm entering the home straight.

A post-race sample was taken from Walk Me Home - the winner of the event.

<b>Race 4</b> FOLLOW US @sadowndogs 7:59 pm 515m Grade 5	<p>A sample was taken from No Talking upon arrival at the course.</p> <p>Tiger's Twenty and Run Robyn Run collided soon after the start. So Hazy checked off Roll Your Eyes approaching the first turn. Way To Important and So Hazy collided on the first turn; checking So Hazy and Tiger's Twenty. Run Robyn Run and Rockstar Manners collided on the first turn. Way To Important and Run Robyn Run collided on the first turn, checking Run Robyn Run. Tiger's Twenty checked off Nadali on the third turn; severely checking Run Robyn Run, which fell. So Hazy and Way To Important collided entering the home straight. Rockstar Manners clipped the heels of Nadali entering the home straight.</p> <p>Run Robyn Run underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have injuries to the left wrist and shoulder muscle. A21 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
<b>Race 5</b> ACCELL THERAPY FINAL (3-6 WINS) 8:25 pm 595m Restricted Win Final	<p>Curfew was slow to begin.</p> <p>Born A Runner, Lot Coin Babe and Kenny The Brute collided on the first turn, checking Born A Runner. Mepunga Missile and Party Lights collided on the first turn; checking both greyhounds. Born A Runner checked off Lot Coin Babe on the first turn, checking Mepunga Missile. Kenny The Brute and Midnight Force collided on the second turn, checking Midnight Force. Curfew and Party Lights collided on the second turn. Mepunga Missile checked off Kenny The Brute on the third turn, checking Midnight Force. Lot Coin Babe and Kenny The Brute collided in the home straight and again approaching the winning post.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Mepunga Missile - the winner of the event.</p>
<b>Race 6</b> AUSTRALIAN SPRINT - JAN 21 8:43 pm 595m Mixed 4/5	<p>Ripplebrook Glen and Pilbara were slow to begin.</p> <p>Ripplebrook Glen and Pilbara collided on the first turn, checking Ripplebrook Glen. Pilbara and Lawson Drive collided entering the front straight, checking Lawson Drive. Pilbara checked off Wild Card entering the home straight.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Fernando Cazz - the winner of the event.</p>
<b>Race 7</b> MAIDMENT MEMORIAL - JAN 21 9:09 pm 515m Grade 4	<p>Charango and Harden Up Tommy were slow to begin.</p> <p>Cha Cha Charlie checked off One Night Only on the first turn. Harden Up Tommy and Rockstar Stanley collided on the first turn; checking Harden Up Tommy, Rockstar Stanley and Charango. Tiger Time checked off Surella Bale approaching the second turn. Charango checked off Harden Up Tommy on the second turn; causing Charango to race wide. Tiger Time and Rockstar Stanley collided on the home turn; checking both greyhounds. Tiger Time checked off Surella Bale in the home straight.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Fernando Bluey - the winner of the event.</p>
<b>Race 8</b> TAB - LONG MAY WE PLAY 9:31 pm 515m Mixed 3/4	<p>Better Watch Out, Hazey Roy and Tiberia Bale were slow to begin.</p> <p>Better Watch Out and Hazey Roy collided soon after the start; checking both greyhounds. Bees And Honey, Special Talent, Providence Bale and Yozo Bale collided in the front straight; checking Special Talent and Providence Bale. Bees And Honey and Yozo Bale collided on the first turn. Providence Bale, Special Talent and Better Watch Out collided approaching the second turn; checking Special Talent and Better Watch Out. Hazey Roy raced wide approaching the second turn. Tiberia Bale and Bees And Honey collided on the third turn, checking Bees And Honey. Providence Bale and Yozo Bale collided on the home turn, checking Yozo Bale.</p> <p>Yozo Bale underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a laceration to the left hindleg stifle. A seven day stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Faithy Bale - the winner of the event.</p>
<b>Race 9</b> GREYHOUND CLUBS VICTORIA 9:52 pm 515m Grade 5	<p>Gypsy Bun was quick to begin. Taken, Belle Ali and Wallbanger were slow to begin and collided soon after the start; checking Belle Ali and Wallbanger.</p> <p>Belle Ali galloped on Lee Ali in the back straight. Belle Ali checked off Wallbanger in the back straight, checking Belle Ali. Winlock Thor and Gypsy Bun collided on the third turn, checking Winlock Thor.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Carry On Angel - the winner of the event.</p>
<b>Race 10</b> TAB.COM.AU 10:16 pm 515m Grade 5	<p>A sample was taken from Vice Grip upon arrival at the course.</p> <p>Route Sixty Six, Shima Jake and Aston Ulysses were slow to begin.</p> <p>Xamira Bale and Chun Li collided soon after the start, checking Xamira Bale. Route Sixty Six and Shima Jake collided soon after the start, checking Route Sixty Six. Kaison Bale, Vice Grip and Hoffa collided on the first turn; checking Vice Grip and Hoffa. Shima Jake and Aston Ulysses collided on the first turn. Route Sixty Six checked off Xamira Bale on the first turn. Xamira Bale, Hoffa and Chun Li collided entering the back straight. Aston Ulysses and Xamira Bale collided on the third turn, checking Xamira Bale. Route Sixty Six checked off Shima Jake on the home turn.</p> <p>Hoffa underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported..</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Chun Li - the winner of the event.</p>

**Race 11**

RSN927 - RACING &amp; SPORT

10:38 pm

515m

Grade 5

Buffet Destroyer and Sharni's My Girl were quick to begin. Repercussions was slow to begin.

Carry On Liam and Nihari Bale collided approaching the first turn and again approaching the home turn. Nihari Bale checked off Carry On Liam on the home turn.

A post-race sample was taken from Zipping Sultan - the winner of the event.

**Race 12**

HAPPY NEW YEAR

10:55 pm

515m

Grade 5

Leyenda was quick to begin. Swift By Design was slow to begin.

Minter Rise and Aragog collided soon after the start. Arlington and Swift By Design collided in the front straight. Leyenda and Minter Rise collided in the front straight. Ha Ha MacGyver, Minter Rise, Leyenda and Rafael Fever collided on the first turn; checking Ha Ha MacGyver, Leyenda, Aragog and Arlington. Aragog checked off Swift By Design on the third turn. Ha Ha MacGyver raced wide rounding the home turn and lost ground.

Ha Ha MacGyver underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.

A post-race sample was taken from Minter Rise - the winner of the event.