

Sandown Park Thursday, 19 Aug 2021

Weather conditions: Fine
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: A. Spence

Stewards: C. Day, M. Hayden-Evans, G. Truett & S. Sutton

Judges: J. Barlow & L. Gough

Lure Drivers:S. CourtsStarter:G. JohnsonKennel Supervisor:B. Mulligan

Kennel Attendants: C. Johnson, H. Woodward & G. Johnson

Veterinarian: Dr. Anna Donlan

Race 1

BOOK YOUR XMAS PARTY

3:47 pm 515m Mixed 6/7 Essential persons (both staff & participants) attending today, undertook successful health screenings, wore facemasks, observed social distance requirements and adhered to room density quotients that in-turn, permitted entry to the venue for exclusive race-day functions and operations.

Retro Rocket was slow to begin.

Impulse Buy, Gold Symbol, Curator, Steamer Redeemer and Mepunga Stellar collided soon after the start checking Curator and Steamer Redeemer. Jye's Jet checked off Gold Symbol approaching the first turn. Jye's Jet checked off Impulse Buy approaching the second turn. Retro Rocket, Impulse Buy and Steamer Redeemer collided approaching the second turn checking Impulse Buy. Curator and Jye's Jet collided continuously from the third turn to the home turn checking both greyhounds.

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

Race 2

TOONGABBIE LODGE FINAL

4:14 pm 595m Mixed 6/7 Final Pirate Tails and Soda Fizz were slow to begin.

Arby's Lucy and Scary Too collided approaching the first turn. Orca and Rocket Power collided approaching the first turn checking Rocket Power. Bell Burner checked off Christmas Magic on the first turn. Bell Burner checked off Orca approaching the second turn. Bell Burner and Pirate Tails collided approaching the second turn. Pirate Tails and Rocket Power collided on the second turn, causing Pirate Tails to fall checking Scary Too. Scray Too and Rocket Power collided on the fourth turn. Christmas Magic and Orca collided approaching the home turn. Bell Burner contacted the running rail approaching the home turn. Bell Burner and Soda Fizz collided entering the home straight. Bell Burner and Arby's Lucy collided approaching the winning post.

Pirate Tails underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have an abrasion to the left and right hind legs. No stand down period was imposed.

Bell Burner underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have left bicep injury. A 5 day stand down period was imposed.

Post-race samples were taken from Orca, winner of the event and Bell Burner, unplaced in the event.

Race 3

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4:32 pm 515m Grade 5 Shima Punga and Dr. Xander were quick to begin.

Hurry Harry and Halo Lad collided soon after the start. Freakish Talent faltered in the front straight. Shima Punga checked off Dr. Xander approaching the first turn checking Halo Lad and Hurry Harry.

Freakish Talent underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right back muscle injury. A 90 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer Mr Patrick Newell advised Stewards that the greyhound would now be retired.

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

Race 4

HAPPY 95TH RAY BYRON

4:54 pm 515m Grade 5 A pre-race sample was taken from Yohan Bale.

Aston Cade and Yohan Bale were quick to begin. Arizona Gold was slow to begin.

Daph's Ascend, Aston Amigo and One Night Only collided approaching the first turn checking One Night Only. Aston Amigo and Going Alright collided approaching the first turn checking both greyhounds. Aston Cade checked off Yohan Bale on the first turn. Aston Amigo and One Night Only collided on the second turn checking One Night Only.

A post-race blood sample was taken from Yohan Bale - winner of the event.

Race 5

TAB - LONG MAY WE PLAY 5:14 pm 515m Mixed 4/5 Shima Bolt was slow to begin.

Envy To Burn and Bahati Bale collided approaching the first turn. Shima Bolt checked off Bahati Bale approaching the first turn. Shima Bolt and Colden Dayto collided approaching the first turn. Envy To Burn checked off Invictus Rising on the first turn. Shima Bolt and Bahati Bale collided on the third turn checking both greyhounds.

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

Race 6

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5:34 pm 595m Grade 5 Nine To Seven was slow to begin.

Knicks Bale and Omega Gringo collided soon after the start. Knicks Bale, Omega Gringo and Up The Amount collided approaching the first turn checking all three greyhounds. Do It, Nikoli Bale and Fairytale Wish collided approaching the first turn checking Fairytale Wish and Yeah Easy. Knicks Bale and Up The Amount collided on the second turn. Do It and Nikoli Bale collided on the third turn checking Do It.

Yeah Easy underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have an abrasion to the left hind metatarsal. No stand down period was imposed.

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

Race 7

RSN CENTRAL - 10:30 AM WEEKDAYS 5:57 pm 515m Free For All Riccarton Rick, Tiggerlong Tonk and Hazey Roy were quick to begin. Jepara was slow to begin.

Call Me Buster, Got The Torque and Aston Rupee collided approaching the first turn checking Got The Torque. Got The Torque and Jepara collided on the first turn. Aston Rupee and Call Me Buster collided on the first turn. Riccarton Rick checked off Aston Rupee entering the back straight.

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

Race 8

TAB MELB CUP - NOVEMBER 26 6:14 pm 715m Mixed 4/5 Lunar Star was slow to begin

Lakeview Lola and Nikephoros collided soon after the start. Mepunga Ruby and Pilbara collided soon after the start. Pilbara, Kenny The Brute and Venus Light collided on the first turn checking Kenny The Brute and Lakeview Lola. Lakeview Lola and Kenny The Brute collided approaching the second turn. Lakeview Lola checked off Kenny The Brute entering the front straight. My Father's Son checked off Nikephoros on the fifth turn checking Venus Light and Lunar Star. Kenny The Brute checked off Nikephoros approaching the home turn. Lakeview Lola and My Father's Son collided entering the home straight and again in the home straight.

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

Race 9

ACCELL THERAPY 6:39 pm 515m Grade 5 Mepunga Katie and Dash Of Reyne were quick to begin. Belle Ali, Sierra Foxtrot and Usman Bale collided soon after the start checking Belle Ali and Sierra Foxtrot. Belle Ali and Sierra Foxtrot collided approaching the first turn. Mepunga Katie and Keep It Blue collided on the first turn. Mepunga Katie and Usman Bale collided on the third turn checking both greyhounds.

A post-race sample was taken from Keep It Blue - winner of the event.

Race 10

XP3020 6:57 pm 515m Grade 5 Family Trust and Fabriola Duran were quick to begin.

Call Me Chloe and Way To Important collided on the first turn. Way To Important checked off So Hazy on the first turn. Call Me Chloe contacted the running rail approaching the second turn and lost ground checking Weblec Storm.

Call Me Chloe underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.

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

Race 11

GIDDY-UP 7:19 pm 515m Grade 5 Affair Bit - The frequency of racing was discussed with Trainer Mr M. Hanke, his comments were noted.

Vayda Bale was quick to begin. Callum's Capers was slow to begin.

Ethan's Fury and Fireweed collided soon after the start. Ethan's Fury checked off Affair Bit entering the back straight. Affair Bit and West Song collided on the third turn checking West Song. Ethan's Fury and Callum's Capers collided entering the home straight.

A post-race sample was taken from Denise's Vision - winner of the event.

Race 12

STAY SAFE! 7:40 pm 515m Grade 5 Stay Strong and Ernie Prang collided soon after the start. Aston Resort and Broadway Benny collided on the first turn. Broadway Benny and Enabler collided on the second turn.

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