

Ballarat
Monday, 27 Dec 2021

Weather conditions: Overcast/Windy
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting
Steward in Charge: A. Curry
Stewards: D. Verberne, A. Fewell & B. Blood
Judges: N. Hutchinson
Lure Drivers: D. Keirl
Starter: F. Terry
Kennel Supervisor: R. Raven
Kennel Attendants: G. White
Veterinarian: Dr Craig Finlayson

<p>Race 1 EUREKA CONCRETE 2:42 pm 390m Tier 3 - Maiden</p>	<p>All persons attending today checked-in, wore face-masks indoors and provided satisfactory evidence of double vaccination or exemption under the State Government's mandatory vaccination directions (as of 26 November 2021) that in-turn, permitted entry to the venue.</p> <p>Inky's Fireball was quick to begin. Cool Whip was slow to begin.</p> <p>Fancy Lily faltered on the first turn and tailed off. Sanctioned and Crusoe Kid collided on the first turn checking both greyhounds. Exit Sign, Faint Perfume and Half Pint collided approaching the home turn checking all three greyhounds. Inky's Fireball race wide entering the home straight checking Faint Perfume and Half Pint. Crusoe Kid and Exit Sign collided in the home straight checking Exit Sign.</p> <p>Fancy Lily underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right triangle and hip injuries. A 28 day stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>Stewards spoke to Mr Nathan Hunt regarding the racing manners of Exit Sign approaching the home turn and in the home straight. After hearing evidence from Mr. Hunt, viewing all the available race footage and acting on their observations, Stewards took no further action.</p>
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<p>Race 2 SHIMA SHINE AT STUD 3:07 pm 450m Tier 3 - Maiden</p>	<p>Dennis Delight was very slow to begin (3 lengths).</p> <p>Mt. View Bro, Bolt For Biers and My Name's Judy collided soon after the start. Bolt For Biers, Dennis Delight and My Name's Judy collided approaching the first turn checking all three greyhounds. Dennis Delight checked off Mt. View Bro on the first turn. Bolt For Biers and Dennis Delight collided entering the home straight. Don't Tell Julie and Stormy Lights collided in the home straight checking Stormy Lights. Don't Tell Julie visibly eased and turned its head inwards approaching the winning post colliding with Stormy Lights.</p> <p>Don't Tell Julie underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was re-vetted following race 4. No apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to Mr Patrick Furci, the trainer regarding the greyhound's racing manners approaching the winning post. Acting under the provisions of GAR 69A(1) Don't Tell Julie was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr. Furci pleaded guilty to the charge, Don't Tell Julie was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and must perform a satisfactory trial in accordance with GAR 69A(2) and pursuant to GAR 72 , before any future nomination will be accepted.</p>
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<p>Race 3 A1 SIGNAGE (1-2 WINS) 3:28 pm 450m Tier 3 - Restricted Win</p>	<p>Blazer Nation, Ava's Journey and Lala Fig were slow to begin.</p> <p>Shifty Shirl checked off Och Eye Mum approaching the first turn. Och Eye Mum and Rock Me Mama collided several times approaching the first turn. Och Eye Mum, Shifty Shirl and Rock Me Mama collided on the first turn checking Shifty Shirl and severely checking Och Eye Mum which pulled up as a result. Ava's Journey checked off Pure Mania in the home straight.</p> <p>Och Eye Mum underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a left monkey muscle injury and left shin soreness. A 28 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
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<p>Race 4 REVOLUTION PRINT (1-2 WINS) 3:47 pm 545m Tier 3 - Restricted Win</p>	<p>Mt. View Buck and Kruger Lass collided soon after the start checking Kruger Lass. Trojan Package crossed to the rail on the first turn checking Lonesome Star, Dutch Impact and Skibo Boy.</p> <p>Trojan Package underwent a post-race veterinary examination at the trainer's request due to an incident in the catching pen - no apparent injury was reported.</p>
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<p>Race 5</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Pie Night.</p>
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GPP 3300 LASER (2-3 WINS)
4:08 pm
450m
Tier 3 - Restricted Win

Call Me Molly, Mega Heist and Our Watto were slow to begin.

Call Me Molly and Mega Heist collided soon after the start. Wishly Bale checked off Majestic Stella on the first turn. Majestic Stella galloped on King Cujo on the first turn checking both greyhounds.

Race 6

GREYHOUND ADOPTION PROGRAM
4:27 pm
450m
Grade 5 T3

Millie Millions and Master Febey collided in the home straight.

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

Race 7

DOWNLOAD THE WATCHDOG APP
4:48 pm
450m
Grade 5 T3

A pre-race sample was taken from Low Planes.

Ziping Malibu was quick to begin. Ziping Slade was slow to begin.

Ziping Slade checked off Ultimate Mayhem on the first turn. Rocky Strike and Ultimate Mayhem collided on the first turn checking Rocky Strike. Ziping Malibu and Litigator collided on the home turn checking Ziping Malibu. Siala Gible and Litigator collided in the home straight.

Stewards spoke to Mr. T. Ploeger regarding the undue delay in boxing Ziping Malibu in this event. A warning was issued to Mr. Ploeger pursuant to GAR 51(9).

Due to a technical issue, the photo finish was unavailable for this event.

The times and margins that were originally issued for this race were incorrect which effected the Tier 3 status of several greyhounds incorrectly. In rectifying the issue, the margins of the greyhounds were unable to be populated in the correct form, due to IT issues. The margins were 5.75, 1.75, head, head, nose, 0.25 & 4.25.

Race 8

TAB - LONG MAY WE PLAY
5:07 pm
545m
Grade 5 T3

A pre-race sample was taken from Ask For More.

Tiger Blurton and Full Moon Party were quick to begin.

Alpine Blaze, Redzin and Aerolithology collided on the first turn checking Redzin, Alpine Blaze and Ziems Park Miss. Crumb Snags and Full Moon Party collided on the second turn checking Crumb Snags, Full Moon Party and Ask For More. Crumb Snags checked off Aerolithology on the home turn checking Ziems Park Miss. Alpine Blaze and Ziems Park Miss collided entering the home straight checking Ziems Park Miss. Alpine Blaze and Ziems Park Miss collided several times in the home straight. Alpine Blaze visibly eased in the home straight.

Alpine Blaze underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported. Ms Margaret Brealey declined the option to have the greyhound re-vetted. Stewards spoke to Ms. Brealey, the trainer regarding the greyhound's racing manners in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 69A(1) Alpine Blaze was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Ms. Brealey pleaded guilty to the charge, Alpine Blaze was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and must perform a satisfactory trial in accordance with GAR 69A(2) and pursuant to GAR 72, before any future nomination will be accepted.

Race 9

GREYHOUND CLUBS VICTORIA
5:28 pm
390m
Tier 3 - Grade 7

Surf To Burn – Late scratching at 2.09pm on the advice of the On-Track Veterinarian (GAR 37) due to left hindleg injury. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.

Glenore Lass – New declared weight of 27.8 kg, last raced at 26.4 kg.

A pre-race sample was taken from Our Dreamer.

Miss Molly May went up with the lids at box rise and was slow to begin.

Glenore Lass and Ava's Prediction collided approaching the first turn.

Race 10

CATERING ALLSORTS (1-2 WINS)
5:47 pm
390m
Tier 3 - Restricted Win

The Stewards discussed the frequency of racing of Echo Chamber with trainer Mr Trevor Whitford and noted their comments.

Gunther was slow to begin.

Blue Cherry Miss, Ruby Dealer and Denis The Menace collided soon after the start. Shania's Dream and Mt. View Jewel collided soon after the start. Mt. View Jewel and Gunther collided approaching the first turn checking Mt. View Jewel. Gunther and Shania's Dream collided approaching the first turn checking Shania's Dream. Denis The Menace and Echo Chamber collided on the first turn checking Echo Chamber. Gunther galloped on Echo Chamber on the first turn checking Echo Chamber and severely checking Gunther which fell as a result. Mt. View Jewel checked off Blue Cherry Miss approaching the home turn. Ruby Dealer checked off Texicali Sweetie approaching the winning post.

Echo Chamber underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.

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

Stewards spoke to Mr. M. Davison and issued him a warning regarding his conduct behind the starting boxes.

Race 11

STEVE TUDOR ELECTRICAL

6:09 pm

390m

Grade 5 T3

Habits To Burn was quick to begin. Aston Xavier, Aston Shadow and Vortex were slow to begin.

Speedy Spyro crossed to the rail soon after the start checking Vortex and Aston Shadow. Speedy Spyro and Mt. View Ginger collided on the first turn checking Mt. View Ginger. Roxy Rum Pumper and Delta Storm collided on the first turn checking Delta Storm and Aston Xavier. Habits To Burn and Speedy Spyro collided entering the home straight.

Race 12

HARD STYLE RICO AT STUD

6:32 pm

390m

Grade 5 T3

Ziems Park Girl and King Brown collided soon after the start checking King Brown. Evident checked off Pyrenees Spirit on the first turn. Euchre John checked off Ziems Park Girl on the first turn. Frothy's De Goe and Golden Child collided on the first turn checking Frothy's De Goe. Ziems Park Girl raced wide on the home turn.