

Ballarat

Friday, 31 Mar 2023

Weather conditions: Showers
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: L. Fahry

Stewards: A. Kitching, W. Hunt, A. Fewell, B. Blood & Z. Harrison

Judges: C. Hon

Lure Drivers: J. Haigh

Starter: D. Robertson

Kennel Supervisor: C. Hopkins, F. Terry

Kennel Attendants: M. McKenna

Veterinarian: N. De Silva

Race 1

TUDOR ELECTRICAL

7:08 pm 450m Maiden Kanji Seattle was quick to begin.

Lala Rapid was slow to begin.

Kanji Seattle underwent a post–race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to kennel representative Mr B Keel regarding Kanji Seattle's racing manners in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 124 Kanji Seattle was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr B Keel pled guilty to the charge, Kanji Seattle was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted. Stewards also spoke to kennel representative Mr. B Keel, regarding the greyhound pulling up prior to the return gate and failing to enter the catching pen. After viewing the available race footage and acting on their observations, a warning was issued under GAR 120

Kanji Rome underwent a post–race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to kennel representative Mr B Keel regarding Kanji Rome's racing manners in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 124 Kanji Rome was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr B Keel pled guilty to the charge, Kanji Rome was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

Arandt's Girl underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have an injured right groin. A 14 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 2

SOUTHERN SHEETMETAL (1-3 WINS)

7:27 pm 450m Restricted Win Classy Bella and Kanji Quebec were quick to begin.

Hara's Salty collided with Classy Bella and fell on the home turn, underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have an injured right triangle and left wrist. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 3

SPORTSBET BALLARAT CUP HT1

7:49 pm 450m S/E Heat Bobby Axelrod was quick to begin.

Rejuvenate was slow to begin.

Post-race samples were taken from Bobby Axelrod (1st) and Rejuvenate (2nd).

Race 4

SPORTSBET BALLARAT CUP HT2

8:08 pm

8:08 pm 450m S/E Heat Westar Commander was quick to begin.

Trending Zari was slow to begin.

Post-race samples were taken from Kelsey Bale (1st) and Westar Commander (2nd).

Race 5

SPORTSBET BALLARAT CUP HT3

8:27 pm 450m S/E Heat Unathi Bale was quick to begin.

Aston Kalkara was slow to begin.

Post-race samples were taken from Quinlan Bale (1st) and Shima Dream (2nd).

Stewards spoke to Mr N Jones via telephone, the representative of Unathi Bale after leaving the course without Stewards permission and without having the greyhound vetted following the event. Stewards reminded Mr Jones of his responsibilities under GAR 94(2) and directed Mr Jones to produce Unathi Bale at the Meadows Greyhound Racing Club for a veterinary examination on 1.04.2023. Supplementary

Report: Unathi Bale was presented for a veterinary examination at The Meadows on 1 April, 2023 and it was reported the greyhound was found to have a monkey muscle injury. A 10 day stand down period was applied effective 1 April, 2023.

Race 6

SPORTSBET BALLARAT CUP HT4

8:48 pm 450m S/E Heat Aston Lira was quick to begin.

Post-race samples were taken from Shima Shadow (1st) and Unleash Collinda (2nd).

Race 7

SPORTSBET BALLARAT CUP HT5

9:08 pm 450m S/E Heat A pre-race sample was taken from Flying Pie.

Salad Dodger and Lektra Heckler were quick to begin.

A post-race sample were taken from Salad Dodger (1st).

Race 8

EUREKA CONCRETE GDR 9:30 pm 660m

Special Event

Untapped was quick to begin.

Rhino Bale was slow to begin.

Master The Art sustained an injury at the first turn and took no further competitive part in the event. A postrace veterinary examination revealed the greyhound to have sustained a fractured left hock. A 90 day stand down period was imposed.

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

Race 9

CATERING ALLSORTS

9:49 pm 390m Mixed 6/7 Zeal Of Fortune was quick to begin.

Mo City was slow to begin.

A post-race sample was taken from In Blue Jeans - the winner of the event.

Race 10

SJC CONCRETING 10:12 pm

450m Grade 5 Pi Grange was quick to begin.

Major China was slow to begin.

A post–race sample was taken from Belle Violin – the winner of the event.

Stewards conducted a box draw for the Sportsbet Ballarat Cup to be held on 7/4/2023. The official box draw is as follows:

- 1. Flying Pie
- 2. Bobby Axelrod
- 3. Quinlan Bale
- 4. Unleash Collinda
- 5. Shima Shadow
- 6. Salad Dodger
- 7. Kelsey Bale
- 8. Shima Dream
- 9. (1st Res) Rejuvenate
- 10. (2nd Res) Westar Commander