

**Geelong**  
**Thursday, 22 Dec 2022**

**Weather conditions:** Overcast  
**Track condition:** Good  
**Officials for Meeting**  
**Steward in Charge:** L. Fahry  
**Stewards:** J. Jeffery, C. Golledge, J. Smith  
**Judges:** R. Drew  
**Lure Drivers:** J. Haigh  
**Starter:** C Smith  
**Kennel Supervisor:** S. Ettridge  
**Kennel Attendants:** M. Tippett, R. Smith & C. Macleod  
**Veterinarian:** Dr. Nadun de Silva

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 1</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">THE BECKLEY CENTRE GEELONG</p> <p style="text-align: center;">4:04 pm 400m Maiden</p>	<p>There were no reportable incidents in the event.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 2</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">MERV JENNINGS SIGNS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">4:19 pm 460m Maiden</p>	<p>Rothwell Boy was checked approaching the turn off the back straight, lost ground and underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 3</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">MILLERS MUZZLES</p> <p style="text-align: center;">4:47 pm 460m Grade 7</p>	<p>Malibu Bale lost ground on the home turn, continued to lose ground in the home straight and underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 4</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">PARKER PUMPS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5:07 pm 460m Mixed 6/7</p>	<p>Left To Tell and Dark Nautilus were quick to begin. Aston Kalkara was slow to begin.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 5</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">GEELONG PRINTING</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5:22 pm 460m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>Jungle Panther was slow to begin.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Xenium Bale - the winner of the event.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 6</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">SPORTSBET BET WITH MATES</p> <p style="text-align: center;">6:37 pm 400m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>Acting in accordance with the GRV Lightning and Thunderstorm Safety Procedure, racing was suspended at 17:35 due to weather conditions - continuous heavy downfalls, thunder and lightning activity within the designated safety zone around the Geelong venue. Due to safety concerns, the meeting was delayed and races re-scheduled as per below after Stewards inspected the track surface and after conferring with track staff as to the penetrometer readings, found the track satisfactory for racing.</p> <p>Race 6: 6.37pm  Race 7: 6.55pm  Race 8: 7.09pm  Race 9: 7.23pm  Race 10: 7.39pm</p>
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A pre-race sample was taken from Oliver Bale.

Oliver Bale and Blackpool Dill were quick to begin. Snowy's Sister was slow to begin.

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

### Race 7

SPORTSBET SET A DEPOSIT LIMIT

6:55 pm

400m

Grade 5

Blackpool Ruth was quick to begin.

### Race 8

NP ELECTRICAL DAMSELS DASH

7:09 pm

460m

Grade 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Nicki Whoop.

Ziping Bronte and Udita Bale were quick to begin. Whispers Blare and Nicki Whoop were slow to begin.

### Race 9

TTS ELECTRICS

7:23 pm

400m

Mixed 6/7

A pre-race sample was taken from Wolf.

Blackpool Jewel and Talk Out Loud were quick to begin. Uriana Bale and Jet Fighter were slow to begin.

Uriana Bale marred Blackpool Jewel in the home straight. Uriana Bale underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to trainer Mr. Alfio Giacca regarding Uriana Bale's racing manners. Acting under the provisions of GAR 123, Uriana Bale was charged with marring. Mr. Giacca pled guilty to the charge. Uriana Bale was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at all tracks and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

### Race 10

FREE ADMISSION TO ALL RACE

MEETS

7:39 pm

460m

Grade 5

Tinker Yvonne and Devastation were slow to begin.

Satisfactory Trial:

Aston Rozee – Failed To Chase – Field of 4, Distance 400m, Weight 34kg, Box 3, Placed 3rd, Time Run 23.131 – Comment: Cleared All Tracks, except Bendigo.

Quest For Fame – Failed To Chase – Field of 4, Distance 400m, Weight 34.7kg, Box 5, Placed 2nd, Time Run 23.089 – Comment: Cleared All Tracks.

To watch this Satisfactory Trial, copy GEL THU 22 DEC 22 ST1 into the search engine of YouTube.