

**Ballarat**  
**Thursday, 24 Aug 2023**

**Weather conditions:** Fine  
**Track condition:** Good  
**Officials for Meeting**  
**Steward in Charge:** L Fahry  
**Stewards:** C Golledge, Z Harrison, B Blood  
**Judges:** N. Hutchinson  
**Lure Drivers:** S. Courts  
**Starter:** D Robertson  
**Kennel Supervisor:** C Hopkins  
**Kennel Attendants:** G. White  
**Veterinarian:** Dr. Eddie Alvares

<p><b>Race 1</b> SPORTSBET SET A DEPOSIT LIMIT 6:24 pm 390m Maiden</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken Shima Lite.            Shima Lite was quick to begin.            Sandy's Rebel was severely checked approaching the first turn and tailed off, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have soreness to the right shoulder. A 7 day stand-down period was imposed.</p>
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<p><b>Race 2</b> SWEET NETTY'S CATERING 6:45 pm 390m Grade 5</p>	<p>Pursuant to GAR 75(6), Ms. D. Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.            Wrong Bias and Redeemer Fortune were quick to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 3</b> SPORTSBET FINAL 7:04 pm 390m Grade 5 Final</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Gifted Blazer.            Gifted Blazer raced wide in the home straight.            Gifted Blazer was severely checked approaching the first turn and subsequently underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury was reported.            A post-race sample was taken from Willow Road - the winner of the event.</p>
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<p><b>Race 4</b> A1 SIGNAGE (0-4 WINS) GDR 7:25 pm 660m Restricted Win</p>	<p>Spectre Buster and Osprey Diva were slow to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 5</b> SJC CONCRETING GDR 7:49 pm 660m Grade 5</p>	<p>Raven Parrot was quick to begin. Aston Michigan and Osprey Athena were slow to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 6</b> BALLARAT TIER 3 CUP FINAL 8:10 pm 545m Special Event</p>	<p>Neptune Town was quick to begin. Aston Arielle and Phoenix Flight were slow to begin.            A post-race sample was taken from Millers Road, the winner of the event.</p>
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	<p>Roxy Smirnoff and Magic Changes were quick to begin. First Crack was slow to begin.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 7</b>  BALLARAT TIER 3 CHALLENGER  FINAL  8:34 pm  545m  Special Event</p>	<p>Deputy Fred was heavily checked entering back straight, underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Magic Changes, the winner of the event.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 8</b>  BALLARAT ENDURO SERIES FINAL  8:55 pm  545m  Special Event</p>	<p>Raceday samples were taken from Trending Xara, Mepunga Warrior, Hill Top Jack, Mepunga Mustang, Gamache, Raven Owl and Andre Bale.</p> <p>A pre-race sample was taken from Dimora Cruz.</p> <p>Trending Xara was quick to begin. Gamache and Raven Owl were slow to begin.</p> <p>Raven Owl and underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to Ms. R. Church regarding the racing manners of Raven Owl in the home straight. After hearing submissions from Ms. Church, viewing the available race footage and having their own observations, the Stewards issued a warning to connections.</p> <p>Dimora Cruz underwent a post-race veterinary examination (trainer's request) and was found to have abrasions. A 5 day stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>A post-race blood sample was taken from Trending Xara, the winner of the event.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 9</b>  PAUA OF BUDDY AT STUD  9:20 pm  450m  Grade 5</p>	<p>Pass The Buck, Cosmic Sin and Blackpool Dill were quick to begin. Lala Turbo was slow to begin.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 10</b>  TUDOR ELECTRICAL  9:38 pm  390m  Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>Black Edition and Westar Alfredo were slow to begin.</p> <p>Omaha Bale collided heavily and stumbled on the first turn, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have left shoulder joint injury. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Race 11</b>  EUREKA CONCRETE DAMSELS DASH  10:01 pm  390m  Grade 5</p>	<p>Dimora Lightning, Aston Malle and Spicy Piper were quick to begin. Dash Of Sally was slow to begin.</p>
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