

Warrnambool Thursday, 05 Oct 2023

Weather conditions: Overcast
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: J. Rea

Stewards: A. Curry, J. Durrant & P. Watson

Judges: T. Lockwood
Lure Drivers: J. Haigh
Starter: G. McLeod
Kennel Supervisor: D. Brooks

Kennel Attendants: T. James & J. Hosking

Veterinarian: Dr. Alysha Sandercock

Race 1

MACEY'S BISTRO

5:18 pm 390m Maiden A pre–race sample was unable to be obtained from Flaming Flirt, a post–race sample was subsequently taken

Moonlight Sid was slow to begin.

Race 2

WOOD MOTORCYCLE & MOWER

5:43 pm 390m Maiden A pre-race sample was taken from Charlie Calamari.

What Hope and Naringal Mate were quick to begin. Rabada was slow to begin.

Cannoneer was severely checked on the first turn and underwent a post–race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.

Wirrulla Melvy was severely checked and fell on the first turn, underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a right foreleg shoulder muscle injury. A 5 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 3

BROAD TREE CARE

6:02 pm 450m Maiden A pre-race sample was taken from Country Crusader.

Country Crusader and Saint Tay were quick to begin. Vixen Riot was slow to begin.

Little Zoom underwent a post–race veterinary examination due to an incident in the catching pen - no apparent injury was reported.

Race 4

SPORTSBET HT1 6:19 pm 390m Grade 5 Heat A pre-race sample was taken from Longissimus.

Kiwi Turtle turned its head inwards and collided with Lubbock Lad in the home straight and underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a right foreleg shoulder muscle injury. A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke to Colin Baker regarding Kiwi Turtle's racing manners in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 125, Kiwi Turtle was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment (by reason of injury). Colin Baker pleaded guilty to the charge. Kiwi Turtle must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 125, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

 $Long is simus\ was\ severely\ checked\ on\ the\ first\ turn\ and\ underwent\ a\ post-race\ veterinary\ examination-no\ apparent\ injury\ was\ reported.$

Lubbock Lad underwent a post–race veterinary examination at the trainer's request and was found to have a right wrist fracture. A 60 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Rushmore Red.

SPORTSBET HT2 6:41 pm 390m Grade 5 Heat

Apollo Bale was slow to begin.

Race 6

A pre-race sample was taken from Blackpool Blade.

6:59 pm 390m Grade 5 Heat Moraine Baloo was quick to begin.

Captain Bender raced wide in the home straight.

Race 7

GREAT CHASE HT22 (1-5 WINS) 7:18 pm 450m

Special Event

A pre-race sample was taken from Iron Atlas.

Matt Loch, Mepunga Ollie and Slipstream Beam were quick to begin.

Race 8

MEPUNGA CRUZER @ STUD 7:34 pm 450m Mixed 4/5 An out of competition sample was taken from Our Fabio on 3 October 2023, pursuant to GAR 139.

A pre-race sample was taken from She Devil.

Explosive Debt and Jack Disney were quick to begin.

Our Fabio lost ground approaching the home turn, underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a right foreleg carpal sprain injury. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 9

PREMIER SPEEDWAY WARRNAMBOOL 7:49 pm 390m

Grade 7

A pre-race sample was taken from Aston Zoom.

Bismuth was slow to begin.

Black Bow was severely checked on the first turn and underwent a post–race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.

Aston Bolivar was severely checked and fell on the first turn and underwent a post–race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.

Aston Zoom was severely checked and fell on the first turn, underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have left and right foreleg shoulder muscle injuries. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 10

WARRNAMBOOL FENCING SPECIALISTS 8:10 pm 390m

Grade 6

A pre-race sample was taken from Fiery Flirt.

Fiery Flirt and Acacia Rocket were quick to begin. Spanish Bullet and Bobby were slow to begin.

One Spark was severely checked on the first turn, underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a right foreleg monkey muscle injury. A7 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 11

CASSIGN DESIGN 8:31 pm 390m Mixed 4/5 A pre-race sample was taken from Orson Leigh.

There were no reportable incidents in the event.

Race 12

COAST FM & 3YB 8:48 pm 450m Grade 5 An out of competition sample was taken from Kraken Candy on 3 October 2023, pursuant to GAR 139.

A pre-race sample was taken from Storm Key.

Georgie Bale was slow to begin.