

# Ballarat Monday, 29 Apr 2024

Weather conditions: Overcast
Track condition: Good

Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: M. Hayden-Evans & C. Hon
Stewards: J. Jeffery, A. Fewell & D. Makohon

Judges: N. Hutchinson
Lure Drivers: J. Haigh

Starter: D. Robertson, R. Thomas & P. Haley

Kennel Supervisor: C. Hopkins

Kennel Attendants: R. Thomas, N. King, S. Bull, R. Raven & P. Haley

Veterinarian: Dr. Sarah Doornbusch

#### Race 1

NATIONAL GREYHOUND ADOPTION

MONTH 10:42 am 390m Tier 3 - Maiden Straight Facts – Late scratching at 9.41am on the advice of the On–Track Veterinarian (GAR 92) due to Pyrexia. A 3 day stand down period was imposed.

American Angel was quick to begin. Good Days Ahead was slow to begin.

Stewards spoke to Trainer Ms. Kate Jackson regarding the racing manners of Blue Rise turning in to the home straight. Ms. Jackson suggested that Blue Rise's racing manners may have been impacted by the greyhound's muzzle becoming partially disloged during the running of the event. Stewards noted Ms. Jackson's comments, viewed the available race footage and acted upon their own observations. Stewards took no further action.

#### Race 2

A1 SIGNAGE 11:01 am 450m Tier 3 - Maiden A pre-race sample was taken from Edinburgh Bale.

Ready To Stagger was quick to begin. Edinburgh Bale and Qilin Bale were slow to begin.

## Race 3

SJC CONCRETING 11:18 am 450m Tier 3 - Grade 7 Abraxas Bale, Shima Harley and Yamgata Bale were slow to begin.

## Race 4

GREYHOUND ADOPTION PROGRAM

11:36 am 390m Grade 5 T3 Idyllic Point – Late scratching at 8.45am due to non–arrival (GAR 86 and LR 39). A 28 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer Mr. Michael Meyer informed Stewards that he had a vehicle breakdown on–route to the track. The 28 day stand down was removed from Idyllic Point after Mr. Meyer provided Stewards with sufficient evidence of the vehicle breakdown.

A pre-race sample was taken from Broombrae Fritz.

Pineapple Head was slow to begin.

# Race 5

SPORTSBET SAME RACE MULTI (1-2

WINS)
11:56 am
545m
Tier 3 - Restricted Win

Aston Monitor – Late scratching at 11:49am on the advice of the On–Track Veterinarian (GAR 92) due to a wound on the tibia. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.

Renegade Ruslie was quick to begin. Bomb Neave was slow to begin.

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

## Race 6

SWEET NETTY'S CATERING 12:18 pm 450m Grade 5 T3 Pursuant to GAR 75(6), starter Ms. Donna Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.

Kensington Flyer was quick to begin.

Spartan Legend raced wide in the home straight.

Stewards spoke to Mr. Gregory McRae, the kennel representative of Kensington Flyer, regarding the

greyhound's betting fluctuations (\$5 - \$1.65) and improved performance in today's event. Mr. McRae stated he had not supported the greyhound in the event. Mr. McRae added that Kensington Flyer's improved performance could be explained by the greyhound beginning well and not suffering interference. Stewards noted Mr. McRae's comments. A post-race sample was taken for analysis.

#### Race 7

PAUA OF BUDDY AT STUD 12:34 pm 450m Grade 5 T3 Spicy Siren and Remember What were quick to begin. Big Boy Andre was slow to begin.

Little Poppet and Ashlee Girl raced wide in the home straight.

#### Race 8

TOWN & COUNTRY LINE MARKING 12:54 pm 545m

Grade 5 T3

A pre-race sample was taken from Tom's Bourbski.

Aston Arielle and Tom's Bourbski were quick to begin. Aston Pablo and Reality Mask were slow to begin.

Rothwell Boy raced wide throughout.

#### Race 9

TUDOR ELECTRICAL (1-2 WINS)
1:22 pm
450m
Tier 3 - Restricted Win

McIntosh Grange was guick to begin, Jack's Regret, Serenity Girl and Hello Luna were slow to begin.

Serenity Girl faltered soon after the start and subsequently tailed off. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right back muscle injury. A 60 day stand down period was imposed.

### Race 10

SOUTHERN SHEETMETAL (1-2 WINS) 1:44 pm 390m Tier 3 - Restricted Win Spicy Machete went up with the lids at box rise and was slow to begin.

Hotspot Hero raced wide in the home straight.

Remo Adalli contacted the inside rail turning out of the back straight, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right back muscle injury and a right hock sprain. A 14 day stand down period was imposed.

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

## Race 11

EUREKA CONCRETE 2:09 pm 390m Grade 5 T3 Pursuant to GAR 75(6), starter Ms. Donna Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.

Ventura Bale and Go Stripey Go were quick to begin. Mini Minion was slow to begin.

Mini Minion raced wide in the home straight.

# Race 12

SPORTSBET BET WITH MATES
2:24 pm
390m
Grade 5 T3

Pursuant to GAR 75(6), starter Ms. Donna Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.

Bolter's Grange was quick to begin

Zipping Siri faltered in the home straight and subsequently tailed off. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a left hock fracture. Zipping Siri was humanely euthanised.

Satisfactory Trials

Bruising Faun – 6 Months – Solo, Distance: 390m, Weight: 38.5kg, Box 2, Comment: Not Cleared (visibly eased and pulled up home straight). Brusing Faun is now stood down for 28 days after failing three consecutive satisfactory trials.

To watch this Satisfactory Trial, copy BAL MON 29 APR 24 ST1 into the search engine of YouTube.

George Jetson – F.T.P. (Inj.) – Field of 4, Distance: 450m, Weight: 30.3kg, Box 1, Placed 1st, Time Run: 25.440 – Comment: Cleared All Tracks (cleared to race in right side blinker).

To watch this Satisfactory Trial, copy BAL MON 29 APR 24 ST2 into the search engine of YouTube.