

## Geelong

### Friday, 22 Mar 2024

**Weather conditions:** Fine  
**Track condition:** Soft  
**Officials for Meeting**  
**Steward in Charge:** J. Jeffery  
**Stewards:** A. Blackmore, C. Golledge & C. Wilson.  
**Judges:** K. McGrath  
**Lure Drivers:** J. Haigh  
**Starter:** D. Robertson & J. Loudon  
**Kennel Supervisor:** S. Ettridge  
**Kennel Attendants:** M. Tippet & T. Rochow  
**Veterinarian:** Dr. Craig Finlayson

<b>Race 1</b> THE BECKLEY CENTRE GEELONG 7:27 pm 400m Maiden	<p>Meeting Comment:</p> <p>Stewards delayed all races by one race due to the late arrival of the broadcast camera team on track, caused by significant traffic en route. Race 12 was re-scheduled for 11.02pm.</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Moraine Archie – Late scratching at 15.57 when Ms. Maureen Bloom reported the greyhound to have diarrhoea (GAR 76). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards will require a veterinary certificate pursuant to GAR 19(3)(w) before any future nominations will be accepted.</p> <p>Harajuku Lass and It's Not Messi were quick to begin. Yamgata Bale and Blackpool Viper were slow to begin.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Mill Ali - the winner of the event.</p>
<b>Race 2</b> MERV JENNINGS SIGNS 7:50 pm 400m Maiden	<p>Heather Bale and Should Not Have were slow to begin.</p> <p>Ginza Chanel (lost ground on the first turn) underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right tensor fascia latae muscle injury. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>Pippa (changed stride approaching the winning post) underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury reported.</p>
<b>Race 3</b> TTS ELECTRICS 8:08 pm 400m Mixed 6/7	<p>Not Forgiven – Late scratching at 6.11pm with permission of Stewards, as granted in a confirmed telephone call with Trainer Mr. Reginald Marriner. Due to the circumstances surrounding the late scratching, namely significant traffic delays en route, no stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>Dawn By Name was quick to begin. Orbit Bale and Aston Pace were slow to begin. Rooster Legs raced wide on the home turn.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Let's Win Ollie - the winner of the event.</p>
<b>Race 4</b> LITTLE RIVER CRICKET CLUB 8:27 pm 400m Mixed 4/5	<p>Axedale Pirate – Late scratching at 6.11pm with permission of Stewards, as granted in a confirmed telephone call with Trainer Mr. Reginald Marriner. Due to the circumstances surrounding the late scratching, namely significant traffic delays en route, no stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>A pre-race sample was taken from Aston Cooper.</p> <p>Explosive Debt was quick to begin. Tinker Jack was slow to begin.</p> <p>Tinker Jack (faltered on the home turn and tailed off) underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right hock fracture. A 90 day stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>Spring Blessing raced wide entering the home straight and collided with Tinker Jack following Tinker Jack faltering. Stewards spoke to Trainer Ms. Lisa Delbridge concerning Spring Blessing's racing manners. Stewards heard submissions from Ms. Delbridge, viewed available footage, and acted on their own observations. Stewards formed the opinion that, whilst Spring Blessing had forcefully collided with Tinker Jack, Stewards could not be comfortably satisfied that Spring Blessing's racing manners constituted a breach of the rules. Stewards took no further action.</p> <p>Following the running of this event, Stewards inspected the track on the home turn and deemed it satisfactory for racing.</p>
<b>Race 5</b> NP ELECTRICAL 8:50 pm 460m	<p>Pursuant to GAR 75(6), Starter, D. Robertson, did not act in any official capacity that may have, in any way, affected the outcome of this event.</p> <p>Redeemer Fortune was quick to begin.</p>

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<b>Race 6</b> GEELONG PRINTING 9:08 pm 460m Mixed 4/5	A pre-race sample was taken from Nikita Bale.  Wrong Bias was quick to begin. Lochan Aura was slow to begin.
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<b>Race 7</b> SPORTSBET (1-4 WINS) HT1 9:27 pm 460m Restricted Win Heat	Tassie Time was quick to begin. Benny Jet and She's Hard Work were slow to begin.  Mira Bale raced wide in the home straight.
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<b>Race 8</b> SPORTSBET (1-4 WINS) HT2 9:49 pm 460m Restricted Win Heat	Pursuant to GAR 75(6), Starter, D. Robertson, did not act in any official capacity that may have, in any way, affected the outcome of this event.
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<b>Race 9</b> SPORTSBET (1-4 WINS) HT3 10:07 pm 460m Restricted Win Heat	A pre-race sample was taken from Tricky Disco.  House Of Turbo was quick to begin. Agent Jesse and Co Pilot were slow to begin.  A post-race sample was taken from House Of Turbo - the winner of the event.
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<b>Race 10</b> MILLERS MUZZLES DAMSELS DASH 10:28 pm 400m Grade 5	Ruby Tubes – Late scratching at 15.57 when Ms. Maureen Bloom reported the greyhound to have diarrhoea (GAR 76). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards will require a veterinary certificate pursuant to GAR 19(3)(w) before any future nominations will be accepted.  On A Mission was quick to begin. Bella La Vita, Spicy Piper and Misty Amy were slow to begin.
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<b>Race 11</b> TOPCAT VIDEO PRODUCTIONS 10:45 pm 400m Grade 5	Back To Scratch was quick to begin.
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<b>Race 12</b> FREE ADMISSION TO ALL RACE MEETS 11:02 pm 400m Grade 5	<p>Hot Hand – Late scratching at 6.11pm with permission of Stewards, as granted in a confirmed telephone call with Trainer Mr. Reginald Marriner. Due to the circumstances surrounding the late scratching, namely significant traffic delays en route, no stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>Spring Watch was quick to begin. Hadouken was slow to begin.            Gunai Jedi (checked turning out of the back straight and lost ground) underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a left tensor fascia latae muscle injury. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.            Spring Watch (lost ground in the home straight) underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury reported.            Hadouken (turned its head outwards in the home straight) underwent a post-race veterinary examination - no apparent injury reported. Stewards spoke to Representative Mr. Dylan Sharp regarding Hadouken's racing manners. Acting under the provisions of GAR 124, Hadouken was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr. Sharp pleaded not guilty to the charge. Hadouken was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Geelong and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.</p>
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