

# Shepparton Thursday, 22 Feb 2024

Weather conditions: Fine
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting

Steward in Charge: R.Fazulla

Stewards: A.Gibbins, J.Smith & D.Makohon

Judges: S.Colliver
Lure Drivers: S.Baldwin
Starter: K.Stevens
Kennel Supervisor: A.Groom

Kennel Attendants: N.Groom, S.Evans, J.LaRosa, M.Fothergill & J.Jubb

Veterinarian: Dr N.DeSilva

#### Race 1

SPORTSBET GREEN TICKS

9:27 am 390m Tier 3 - Maiden In accordance with the GRV Hot Weather Policy, this meeting was deemed 'Heat Affected'. At the commencement of kennelling, the outside temperature was 22.4 degrees and the kennel temperature was 17.5 degrees. Stewards continually monitored the temperature at the venue, as per the GRV Hot Weather Policy.

During kennelling, Stewards conducted a carpark check on the vehicles of all trainers engaged in today's meeting. Stewards were satisfied that all transport had adhered to the GRV Hot Weather Policy and the GRV Transportation of Greyhounds Policy.

Wardan Jilungin and Spirit Of Panama were quick to begin. Rapid Paws and Dinosaur Deano were slow to begin.

Hartland Duke (lost ground approaching the home turn) underwent a post–race veterinary examination and was found to have a left wrist sprain. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.

Stewards spoke to Kennel representative Mr J.Formosa regarding Hartland Duke overall performance in the event. In accordance with GAR 122, the Stewards requested Mr Formosa to report as soon as practicable anything that may have affected the running of Hartland Duke in the event, which was not noted by Stewards during or immediately after the event.

# Race 2

CKH PAINTING 9:47 am 450m Tier 3 - Maiden Trainer Mr Brent Merton was issued with a warning under GAR156(f) for negligence, after the greyhound Aeroplane Erin was placed in the incorrect kennel during the kennelling process.

Club Officials were reminded of their responsibilities after the greyhound Aeroplane Erin was placed in the incorrect kennel during the kennelling process. This matter was referred to the Club Manager for further consideration and remediation.

On The Beer was quick to begin. Peaky Cone was very slow to begin (3 lengths).

# Race 3

HARD STYLE RICO @ STUD 10:10 am 390m Grade 5 T3 A post-race sample was taken from Clara Stella - the winner of the event.

# Race 4

GPP LASER3300 10:27 am 390m Grade 5 T3 A post-race sample was taken from Cocktail - the winner of the event.

# Race 5

BYERS ELECTRICAL (2-4 WINS) 10:44 am

> 450m Tier 3 - Restricted Win

Good Manner and Marionvale Miss were quick to begin. Marionvale Pies was slow to begin.

#### Race 6

NAGAMBIE GUTTER CLEANING 11:04 am 390m Grade 5 T3 There were no reportable incidents in this event.

#### Race 7

RICH RIVER GOLF CLUB 11:20 am 450m Grade 5 T3 There were no reportable incidents in this event.

### Race 8

SHEPP CITY FENCING 11:37 am 450m Grade 5 T3 A pre race sample was taken from Destini Rebel.

#### Race 9

MMS ACCESS 11:55 am 450m Tier 3 - Grade 7 Intercept Queen was quick to begin.

#### Race 10

gvshelving.com.au 12:12 pm 390m Tier 3 - Grade 7 All On Merrett – New declared weight of 36.1kg, last raced at 34.1kg.

Aileen's Lad, All On Merrett and Lektra Sam were slow to begin.

All On Merrett underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have suffered a seizure. A 28 day stand down period was imposed. Acting under the provisions of GAR 42, All On Merrett is prohibited from competing in an event until such time as both a veterinary clearance is provided to the satisfaction of Stewards and a Satisfactory Trial is completed pursuant to GAR 132. Further, under the provisions of GAR 42(3), All On Merrett is suspended from racing for 28 days at all tracks.

Kraken Rock (turned head outwards soon after the start) underwent a post–race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.

Stewards spoke to Representative Mr K.Eyles regarding Kraken Rock's racing manners soon after the start. Acting under the provisions of GAR 124, Kraken Rock was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment. Mr Eyles pleaded [guilty / not guilty] to the charge. Kraken Rock was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Shepparton and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

# Race 11

SHEPPARTON NEWS 12:29 pm 390m Tier 3 - Grade 6 A pre race sample was taken from Let's Play Tip.

Slingshot Roxy – Proved difficult to box and will be boxed first in future events in accordance with GAR 106

Lord Stanley and Our Boy Billy were slow to begin.

#### Race 12

SPORTSBET MAKE IT A MULTI 12:47 pm 390m Grade 5 T3 A sample was taken from Redleg Bull Ant upon arrival at the course.

Whistling – New declared weight of 28.1kg, last raced at 29.6kg.

Simply Awesome was quick to begin. Senna Forever was slow to begin.

Meeting Comments:

The Stewards were advised that the track was lightly harrowed on 20 February 2024.