

**Ballarat**  
**Wednesday, 15 May 2024**

**Weather conditions:** Fine  
**Track condition:** Good  
**Officials for Meeting**  
**Steward in Charge:** J. Rea  
**Stewards:** L. Fahry, R. Berkhout, A. Fewell & C. Hon  
**Judges:** K. McGrath  
**Lure Drivers:** J. Haigh  
**Starter:** D. Robertson  
**Kennel Supervisor:** C. Hopkins  
**Kennel Attendants:** G. White, S Bull, M Wilson  
**Veterinarian:** Dr. Sarah Doornbusch

<p><b>Race 1</b> SPORTSBET EVERY DOG HAS ITS DAY 6:58 pm 390m Maiden</p>	<p>Meek – Late scratching at 6.45pm by Order of Stewards - No stand down period was imposed. Meek underwent a veterinary examination and found to have a right eye condition. Acting under the provisions of GAR42(4)(b), Meek must perform a Satisfactory Trial to certify that the greyhound's vision is adequate to allow the greyhound to see the lure. Stewards spoke to Representative - Mr. Chris Stanton in relation to the matter. Mr. Stanton supplied an independent veterinary certificate attesting that there were no obvious abnormalities to Meek's left eye.</p> <p>Temper Tantrum was quick to begin.</p> <p>Paw Vince and Moraine Gloria were slow to begin.ss</p> <p>Pursuant to GAR 75(6), startet Donna Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.</p>
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<p><b>Race 2</b> SWEET NETTY'S CATERING 7:17 pm 450m Maiden</p>	<p>Rooftop Shout and Akela Martial were quick to begin. Paw Helion was slow to begin.</p> <p>Akela Ninjutsu (checked and lost ground on the first turn), underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have right back muscle injury and a right groin injury. A 14 day stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Akela Martial – the winner of the event.</p> <p>An incorrect number magnet was placed on box three.</p>
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<p><b>Race 3</b> TOWN &amp; COUNTRY LINE MARKING 7:38 pm 390m Grade 5</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Wild Reputation.</p> <p>Inter Star Fire and Huggy Wuggy were quick to begin. Hail Zeus and Zipping Phoenix were slow to begin.</p> <p>Tilly Tornado, Federal Command and Zipping Phoenix raced wide in the home straight.</p> <p>Mr. Stefano Cassar was issued with a warning pursuant to GAR 156(f)(ii) for negligence, in that the incorrect race rug was placed on Huggy Wuggy.</p>
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<p><b>Race 4</b> EUREKA CONCRETE 7:58 pm 450m Grade 5</p>	<p>Crackerjack Rob and Sit And Steer were slow to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 5</b> SOUTHERN SHEETMETAL 8:18 pm 545m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Ponting.</p> <p>Dimora Cruz and Let Fly were slow to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 6</b> LIL DICKIE OAKS FINAL 8:37 pm</p>	<p>Bumpy Gold was quick to begin. Rev Rose was slow to begin.</p> <p>Bun Storm (catching pen), underwent a post-race veterinary examination. It was reported that the greyhound was found to have a spike wound to the left-fore radius. A 3 day stand down period was</p>
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<p>450m Special Event</p>	<p>imposed. Post-race urine and blood samples were taken from Pat Ability – the winner of the event.</p>
<p><b>Race 7</b> PAUA OF BUDDY AT STUD 8:59 pm 450m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>Tinker Norm and Dinner's On were slow to begin. Creator and Tinker Norm raced wide in the home straight.</p>
<p><b>Race 8</b> WESTERN DISTRICTS DERBY FINAL 9:20 pm 450m Group Listed</p>	<p>Kingsley Bale was quick to begin. Yogen Bale was slow to begin. Post-race blood and urine samples were taken from Matt Loch – the winner of the event. A post-race sample was taken from Vincent Bale – placed second in the event.</p>
<p><b>Race 9</b> TUDOR ELECTRICAL 9:38 pm 390m Mixed 6/7</p>	<p>Harajuka Lass – Late scratching at 6.36pm on the advice of the On- Track Veterinarian (GAR 92) due to a cough/wheeze. A 10 day stand down period was imposed. A pre-race sample was taken from No Right Turns. Joey Two Times and Mala Angel were quick to begin. No Right Turns and Bonnie Brann were slow to begin. Bonnie Brann (severely checked on the turn off the back straight), underwent a post-race veterinary examination. It was reported that the greyhound was found to have a spike wound to the right fore. A 7 day stand down period was imposed. Xisco Bale (marred Joey Two Times approaching the finishing line), underwent a post-race veterinary examination. It was reported that the greyhound was found to have minor abrasions to the right metatarsal. No stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke to Representative - Mr. Jake Loverso regarding the racing manners of Xisco Bale approaching the winning post. Acting under the provisions of GAR 123, Xisco Bale was charged with marring. Mr. Loverso pleaded guilty to the charge. Xisco Bale was found guilty and suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted. It was noted that the muzzle on No Right Turns was partially dislodged during the running of the event.</p>
<p><b>Race 10</b> A1 SIGNAGE 9:59 pm 450m Grade 5</p>	<p>Tinker Conall as quick to begin. Pursuant to GAR 75(6), startet Donna Robertson did not act in any official capacity that may have in any way affected the outcome of this event.</p>
<p><b>Race 11</b> BALLARAT FUNCTION CENTRE 10:21 pm 390m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>Tinker Mav – Late scratching at 18:30 due to weight variation (GAR 101). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer, Mr Craig Burns was fined \$100. Instinctively – New declared weight of 31.9kgs, last raced at 33.6kgs. Mr. Blue Sky - Late scratching at 10:12pm after the on-course Veterinarian reported the greyhound to have a toe injury. A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Maximum Shanae and Explosive Debt were quick to begin. Instinctively was slow to begin. Maximum Shanae (lost ground on the turn off the back straight and lost ground), underwent a post-race veterinary examination. It was reported that the greyhound was found to have a left toe injury. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
<p><b>Race 12</b> SPORTSBET SET A DEPOSIT LIMIT 10:37 pm 390m Grade 5</p>	<p>Take A Shine – Late scratching at 18:29 due to weight variation (GAR 101). A 10 day stand down period was imposed. Trainer, Mr Jayden Cassar was fined \$100. Man Of Courage was quick to begin. Where's Walter was slow to begin.</p>