

Ballarat
Wednesday, 08 May 2024

Weather conditions: Fine
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting
Steward in Charge: A. Blackmore
Stewards: C. Hon & A. Fewell
Judges: N. Hutchinson
Lure Drivers: J. Haigh
Starter: D. Robertson, S. Boag & R. Thomas
Kennel Supervisor: C. Hopkins
Kennel Attendants: M. Hunter, S. Bull & R. Thomas
Veterinarian: Dr Nadun DeSilva

<p>Race 1 SPORTSBET EVERY DOG HAS ITS DAY 6:58 pm 450m Mixed 6/7</p>	<p>A race day sample was taken from Rie Bale at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>Majestic George was quick to begin. Reschedule and Demon Davey were slow to begin.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from He Shines – the winner of the event.</p> <p>He Shines – Trainer Mr David Kerr was queried as significant betting fluctuations were observed by Stewards. The comments of Mr. Kerr were noted and a sample was taken for analysis.</p>
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<p>Race 2 PAUA OF BUDDY AT STUD 7:18 pm 450m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>A race day sample was taken from Tiggerlong Gas at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>Bumpy Gold was quick to begin. Dinner's On was slow to begin.</p> <p>On The Green and Tiggerlong Gas raced wide in the home straight.</p>
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<p>Race 3 EUREKA CONCRETE 7:38 pm 545m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>A race day sample was taken from Osprey Athena at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>Aston Michigan, Dimora Cruz and Zipping Osti were slow to begin.</p>
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<p>Race 4 A1 SIGNAGE GDR 7:58 pm 660m Special Event</p>	<p>This event was hand-started due to a malfunction with the automatic trip.</p> <p>A race day sample was taken from Pass Mark at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>Bye Georgie, Pass Mark and Ernie The Brute were quick to begin.</p> <p>Bye Georgie raced wide in the home straight.</p>
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<p>Race 5 WESTERN DISTRICTS DERBY HT1 8:18 pm 450m S/E Heat</p>	<p>Vincent Bale was slow to begin.</p> <p>Supplementary Advice - Western Districts Derby Final - FastTrack conducted a ballot between Vincent Bale and Mile A Minute who dead heated for second place in Heat 1 and ultimately were equally qualified in 8th position for the Final. Vincent Bale was the winner of the ballot and was drawn into the field (8th position), with Mile A Minute being the first reserve (9th position).</p>
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<p>Race 6 WESTERN DISTRICTS DERBY HT2 8:37 pm 450m S/E Heat</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Bruce's Shout.</p> <p>Peaky Joe was quick to begin. Xisco Bale, Leo Bale and Ducati Roy was slow to begin.</p> <p>Leo Bale (turned it's head outwards and marred Xisco Bale in the home straight) underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.</p> <p>Stewards spoke to representative Mr Ron Rudd regarding Leo Bale's racing manners in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 123, Leo Bale was charged with marring. Mr Rudd pleaded guilty to the charge. Leo Bale was suspended for 28 days at Ballarat and must perform a Satisfactory Trial/s in accordance with GAR 127, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.</p>
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<p>Race 7 WESTERN DISTRICTS DERBY HT3 8:58 pm 450m S/E Heat</p>	<p>A race day sample was taken from Departed at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>Matt Loch was quick to begin. Varsity Bale and Mock Fish were slow to begin.</p>
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<p>Race 8 WESTERN DISTRICTS DERBY HT4 9:23 pm 450m S/E Heat</p>	<p>A race day sample was taken from Tanner Bale at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>A pre-race sample was taken from Steeple.</p> <p>Tanner Bale and Nangar Jim were quick to begin.</p> <p>Shima Stripe (fell turning into the home straight), underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a cervico-thoracic injury. A 5 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
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<p>Race 9 WESTERN DISTRICTS DERBY HT5 9:45 pm 450m S/E Heat</p>	<p>A race day sample was taken from Genesis Bale at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>Kingsley Bale was quick to begin. Genesis Bale was slow to begin.</p>
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<p>Race 10 SWEET NETTY'S CATERING 10:04 pm 450m Grade 5</p>	<p>A race day sample was taken from Leoni Bale at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Especial Pip was quick to begin.</p>
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<p>Race 11 TOWN & COUNTRY LINE MARKING 10:23 pm 390m Mixed 4/5</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Paltrow Bale.</p> <p>The start was delayed by approximately 3 1/2 minutes due to operational issues.</p> <p>Blackpool Monaro and Aston Cornes raced wide in the home straight.</p>
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<p>Race 12 SPORTSBET SAME RACE MULTI 10:47 pm 390m Grade 5</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>Ricky Bobby Riot – Late scratching at 22:37 on the advice of the On-Track Veterinarian (GAR 92) due to an injury to the mouth. A 7 day stand down period was imposed.</p> <p>Go Stripey Go, Aston Western and Speedy Riot were quick to begin.</p> <p>Zipping Phoenix raced wide in the home straight.</p>
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