

**Traralgon**  
**Monday, 18 Dec 2023**

**Weather conditions:** Overcast  
**Track condition:** Slow  
**Officials for Meeting**  
**Steward in Charge:** C. Berkhout  
**Stewards:** H. Harvey, I. Kennedy & R. Berkhout  
**Judges:** J. Alsop  
**Lure Drivers:** T. Adamson  
**Starter:** G. Dalton  
**Kennel Supervisor:** S. Nachorny  
**Kennel Attendants:** J. Dixon & R Bjorkten  
**Veterinarian:** Dr. Nadun DeSilva

<p><b>Race 1</b> HOOKED ON SCOTCH @ STUD (275+ RANK) 2:49 pm 350m Maiden</p>	<p>The Stewards were advised that the track was deeply harrowed on 12/12/2023.</p> <p>Bandari – New declared weight of 29.8 kg, last raced at 28.4 kg.</p> <p>Bandari and Belushi were quick to begin. Ranger's Girl was slow to begin.</p> <p>Bandari – Mr. Ben Joske was queried as significant betting fluctuations were observed by Stewards. The comments of Mr Joske were noted. A post-race urine and blood sample was taken for analysis.</p>
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<p><b>Race 2</b> LV FORKLIFTS (275+ RANK) 3:09 pm 395m Maiden</p>	<p>After Burner – New declared weight of 34.3 kg, last raced at 32.8 kg.</p> <p>House Elf was quick to begin. Jessica Gem was slow to begin.</p> <p>House Elf underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.</p>
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<p><b>Race 3</b> CATCH THE THIEF @ STUD (275+ RANK) 3:27 pm 350m Mixed 6/7</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Village Rose.</p> <p>Mr. Holiday was quick to begin.</p> <p>Mr. Holiday fell after the finish, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have right hip injury. A 5 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
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<p><b>Race 4</b> SPORTSBET BET WITH MATES (275+ RANK) 3:47 pm 395m Mixed 6/7</p>	<p>Asia and Rolling Coal were slow to begin.</p> <p>Asia lost ground first turn and underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.</p>
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<p><b>Race 5</b> FENECH CURTAINS AND BLINDS (275+ RANK) 4:02 pm 500m Grade 7</p>	<p>Swanky Ryker and Unchained were quick to begin.</p> <p>A post-race sample was taken from Rock The Marjen - the winner of the event.</p>
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<p><b>Race 6</b> SURFACE CO (275+ RANK) 4:22 pm 450m Grade 5</p>	<p>Knicked Off and Zipping James were quick to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 7</b> SPORTSBET MAKE IT LOOK EASY (275+ RANK) 4:42 pm 450m Mixed 6/7</p>	<p>Smooth Ranger and Dr. United were quick to begin, Money Mustang was slow to begin.</p>
<p><b>Race 8</b> ZAK MONELLI @ STUD (275+ RANK) 5:02 pm 500m Grade 5</p>	<p>A pre-race sample was taken from Never Sweet. Sweaty Hand and Jenna were quick to begin. Dr. Brooklynn and Never Sweet were slow to begin. Never Sweet lost ground in the back straight, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a left back muscle and right triangle injury. A 10 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
<p><b>Race 9</b> NAK SIGNS (275+ RANK) 5:22 pm 395m Grade 5</p>	<p>Jayville Zoe was quick to begin. Why Not Emily was slow to begin. Jayville Zoe checked and faltered approaching the first turn, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have right back muscle injury. A 60 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
<p><b>Race 10</b> MR AUDACIOUS @ STUD (275+ RANK) 5:42 pm 395m Grade 5</p>	<p>An out of competition sample was taken from Miss Haylee on 12/12/2023 pursuant to GAR 139. Plenty Of Value was quick to begin. A post-race sample was taken from Washington Blue - the winner of the event.</p>
<p><b>Race 11</b> HARD STYLE RICO AT STUD (275+ RANK) 6:02 pm 350m Grade 5</p>	<p>Style Key – Late scratching at 8:53 am when Mr Michael Gibbons reported the greyhound to have Illness-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. A pre-race sample was taken from Miss Angel Di. Exiled was quick to begin. Miss Angel Di was slow to begin. Fly Pelican underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right ear laceration. A 0 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
<p><b>Race 12</b> MCMAHON BUILDERS (275+ RANK) 6:20 pm 350m Grade 5</p>	<p>The start of this event was aborted and deemed a false start due to delay of boxing Finlaystone. All greyhounds were removed from the starting boxes, vetted by the on-track Veterinarian and passed fit to race in accordance with GAR 110 (7). The race was delayed by approximately 5 minutes whilst this occurred. Inter Cyborg, Hurricane Gypsy and She's Roses were quick to begin Stewards spoke to Caiden Wilson regarding the unnecessary delay in boxing Finlaystone in this event. A warning was issued to Mr Wilson pursuant to GAR 105 (9). A post-race blood sample was taken from Inter Cyborg - the winner of the event. Satisfactory Trial 1: Rio Sam – 6 month– Solo, Distance 350m, Weight 34.0kg, Box 4, Time Run 20.227 – Comment: Cleared All Tracks. To watch this Satisfactory Trial, copy TRAMON 18 DEC 23 ST1 into the search engine of YouTube. Satisfactory Trial 2: On The Coin – Fail to chase &amp; Right blinker on – Field of 4, Distance 350m, Weight 35.2kg, Box 1, Placed 2nd, Time Run 20.796 – Comment: Cleared All Tracks except Warragul. To watch this Satisfactory Trial, copy TRAMON 18 DEC 23 ST2 into the search engine of YouTube. General: Stewards opened and closed an inquiry with Mr Ian Dann regarding the welfare of Sir Les. After it came to our attention that the greyhound was left in a vehicle for a period of 20 minutes with the windows closed and no ventilation. Stewards issued a charge under GAR 165 (a) Conduct which is in any way detrimental or prejudicial to the interest, welfare, image, control, or promotion of greyhound racing. Mr Dann pleaded not guilty to the charge. Mr Dann was found guilty and charged \$250.00.</p>