

Bendigo
Wednesday, 03 Jan 2024

Weather conditions: Overcast
Track condition: Good
Officials for Meeting
Steward in Charge: M. Bayliss
Stewards: L. Pearson, A. Gibbins & I. Taylor
Judges: T. Morrison
Lure Drivers: S. Baldwin
Starter: C. Blake
Kennel Supervisor: J. Hooke
Kennel Attendants: A. Blake, B. Harley, G. Moate & G. Truett.
Veterinarian: Dr. Nadun De Silva

<p style="text-align: center;">Race 1</p> <p>BENDIGO ADVERTISER (275+RANK)</p> <p>3:25 pm 425m Maiden</p>	<p>Golden Lady was quick to begin. Arctic Dash and Pablo's Call were slow to begin. Lancome Lass was very slow to begin (3 lengths).</p> <p>Lancome Lass (lost ground soon after the start and took no competitive part in this event), underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a right deltoid muscle injury and a right thigh muscle injury. A 7 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke to Mr. T. Boehmke regarding Lancome Lass's performance and racing manners throughout this event. After hearing submissions from Mr. Boehmke, viewing the available race footage and acting on their observations, Stewards deemed the performance of Lancome Lass unsatisfactory. Lancome Lass must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 129, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">Race 2</p> <p>SPORTSBET GREEN TICKS (275+RANK)</p> <p>3:47 pm 425m Maiden</p>	<p>Ritza Dale was quick to begin. Tornado Jack and Alpha Dash were slow to begin.</p> <p>Just Like Zuma (severely checked and lost ground approaching the home turn), underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was re-examined following race 6. Just Like Zuma was found to have a left carpal sprain and a right hamstrings muscle injury. A 7 day stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke to Mr. D. Petersen regarding Just Like Zuma's performance approaching the home turn. In accordance with GAR 122, the Stewards requested Mr. Petersen to report as soon as practicable anything that may have affected the running of Just Like Zuma in the event, which was not noted by Stewards during or immediately after the event.</p> <p>Ritza Dale (lost ground on the home turn), underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was re-examined following race 4, no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to Mr. M. Faulkner regarding the racing manners of Ritza Dale on the home turn. After hearing submissions from Mr. Faulkner, viewing the available race footage and having their own observations, the Stewards issued a warning to connections.</p> <p>Alpha Dash (turned it's head outwards and marred Tornado Jack in the home straight) and underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported. Stewards spoke to Mr. S. Millard regarding Alpha Dash's racing manners in the home straight. Acting under the provisions of GAR 123, Alpha Dash was charged with marring. Mr. Millard pleaded guilty to the charge. Alpha Dash is suspended for 28 days at all tracks 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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<p style="text-align: center;">Race 3</p> <p>HIP POCKET BENDIGO (275+RANK)</p> <p>4:04 pm 425m Grade 7</p>	<p>Cachi – Late scratching at 9:24am by Order of Stewards.</p> <p>A race day sample was taken from Firing Chief at the trainer's kennel earlier today.</p> <p>Firing Chief and Alfie Abalone were slow to begin.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">Race 4</p> <p>JARROD LARKIN CONCRETING (275+RANK)</p> <p>4:24 pm 425m Grade 7</p>	<p>Perfect Stranger was slow to begin and raced wide approaching the first turn.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">Race 5</p> <p>SPORTS VOTE COUNT (275+RANK)</p> <p>4:39 pm 425m</p>	<p>There were no reportable incidents in this event.</p>
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Grade 5

Race 6

AG TYRES & WHEELS (275+RANK)
4:59 pm
500m
Grade 5

Smooth Cruiser and Hagibis were quick to begin.
A post-race sample was taken from Coach Beard - the winner of the event.

Race 7

HANRAHAN PLUMBING (275+RANK)
5:22 pm
500m
Mixed 6/7

A pre-race sample was taken from Glasgow Magic.
Heavy Metal was quick to begin.
A post-race sample was taken from His Special - the winner of the event.

Race 8

GRAY'S BENDIGO (275+RANK)
5:37 pm
500m
Grade 5

Blue Tick Maya was quick to begin. Sacrificial and Fayetteville were slow to begin.

Race 9

CAMPBELL'S COMMENTS
(275+RANK)
6:00 pm
425m
Grade 6

Shae Shae Cabang was slow to begin.
Stewards spoke to Mrs. S. Trim regarding the racing manners of Alvin Delight in the home straight. After hearing submissions from Mrs. Trim, viewing the available race footage and having their own observations, Stewards took no further action.

Race 10

AVARD CIVIL (275+RANK)
6:22 pm
425m
Grade 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Kraken Freckles.
Wild Assassin was slow to begin.
Rosie Beach (lost ground approaching the winning post), underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a left monkey muscle injury and a left triangle muscle injury. A 14 day stand down period was imposed.

Race 11

SPORTSBET MAKE IT A MULTI
(275+RANK)
6:42 pm
425m
Grade 5

A pre-race sample was taken from Kid Luck.
Spellman was slow to begin.

Race 12

SHIMA SHINE AT STUD (275+RANK)
7:02 pm
425m
Grade 5

Spring Flame was quick to begin. Blue Bale was slow to begin.