

**Ballarat**  
**Sunday, 14 Apr 2024**

**Weather conditions:** Overcast

**Track condition:** Good

**Officials for Meeting**

**Steward in Charge:** S. Sutton

**Stewards:** J. Durrant, C. Hon & D. Makohon

**Judges:** N. Hutchinson

**Lure Drivers:** J. Haigh

**Starter:** D. Robertson

**Kennel Supervisor:** C. Hopkins

**Kennel Attendants:** S.Bull, M. Mckenna, P. Haley, H. White.

**Veterinarian:** Dr. Sarah Doornbusch

<p><b>Race 1</b> SPORTSBET WE LET THE DOGS OUT 11:09 am 390m Maiden</p>	<p>The Stewards were advised that the track was medium harrowed on 11th April 2024. Released, Sam's Girl and Blackpool Trip were quick to begin. Tuff Toby was slow to begin. Released - Severely checked and fell on turning off the back straight, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a fractured right scapula. A 60 day stand down period was imposed.</p>
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<p><b>Race 2</b> NATIONAL GREYHOUND ADOPTION MONTH 11:34 am 390m Grade 5</p>	<p>Vinny Dewalt and Jolene Bale were quick to begin. Kraken Ace was slow to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 3</b> SJC CONCRETING 11:51 am 390m Grade 5</p>	<p>Press Start was quick to begin. Aston Indy and Thai Butterfly were slow to begin. A post-race sample was taken from Our Girl Roxy – the winner of the event</p>
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<p><b>Race 4</b> SOUTHERN SHEETMETAL 12:07 pm 390m Grade 4</p>	<p>Power Out and My Boy Robert were quick to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 5</b> EUREKA CONCRETE 12:27 pm 450m Grade 5</p>	<p>Jarrold's Boy and Strike A Night were quick to begin. Rapidfire Denzel was slow to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 6</b> SWEET NETTY'S CATERING 12:47 pm 450m Grade 5</p>	<p>The running of this event was reshcheduled to 12.57pm due to track maintenance. Prior to the running of this event, Stewards inspected the track and were satisfied it was suitable for racing. A pre-race sample was taken from Pat Ability. Fast Love was quick to begin. Aston Angelo was slow to begin.</p>
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<p><b>Race 7</b></p>	<p>Mr. Clint Capuano requested an early race endorsement for Jame's Entity. Stewards approved the request</p>
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**TOWN & COUNTRY LINE MARKING**

1:07 pm

450m

Grade 5

after an examination prior to racing by the on-track veterinarian. Jame's Entity will compete in early races until further notice.

The running of this event was rescheduled to 1.12pm.

Nizhoni was quick to begin. Lala Rapid was slow to begin.

**Race 8**

PAUA OF BUDDY AT STUD

1:27 pm

450m

Mixed 4/5

The running of this event was rescheduled to 1.37pm.

Blistered Earth – Late scratching at 13:26 when Mr. Joe Borg requested to withdraw the greyhound from this event. As the reasoning for the application to withdraw did not fall specifically under the provisions of GAR 76, Stewards opened an inquiry into the withdrawal. Pending the decision or outcome of this inquiry, Stewards direct that Blistered Earth shall not be permitted to compete in or be nominated for any further event in accordance with GAR 169(5). The matter has been referred to the Chief Steward.

Awesome Avenger – Late scratching at 13:27 when Mr. Joe Borg requested to withdraw the greyhound from this event. As the reasoning for the application to withdraw did not fall specifically under the provisions of GAR 76, Stewards opened an inquiry into the withdrawal. Pending the decision or outcome of this inquiry, Stewards direct that Awesome Avenger shall not be permitted to compete in or be nominated for any further event in accordance with GAR 169(5). The matter has been referred to the Chief Steward.

Looks Like Magic, Breakdown and Quebec Bale were quick to begin. Reiko Slater was slow to begin.

**Race 9**

A1 SIGNAGE

1:49 pm

450m

Mixed 6/7

The running of this event was rescheduled to 1.54pm.

A pre-race sample was taken from Hustle Nina.

Rapid Layla, Gold Benz and George Jetson were quick to begin. Oryx was slow to begin.

Reiko Walter - Fell in the catching pen, underwent a post-race veterinary examination – no apparent injury was reported.

George Jetson underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have abrasions to the left and right distal limbs. A zero day stand down period was imposed. Stewards spoke to representative Ms Kelleigh Smith regarding George Jetson's racing manners in the home straight and approaching the winning post. Acting under the provisions of GAR 125, George Jetson was charged with failing to pursue the lure with due commitment (by reason of injury). Ms Smith pleaded guilty to the charge. George Jetson must perform a Satisfactory Trial in accordance with GAR 125, and pursuant to GAR 132, before any future nomination will be accepted.

A post-race sample was taken from George Jetson – the winner of the event.

**Race 10**

TUDOR ELECTRICAL (1-4 WINS)

DAMSELS DASH

2:07 pm

450m

Restricted Win

The running of this event was rescheduled to 2.12pm.

A pre-race sample was taken from Shock And Awe.

**Race 11**

BALLARAT FUNCTION CENTRE

2:27 pm

390m

Grade 5

Westar Commander, Valkyrie and All Power were quick to begin. Black Noise was slow to begin.

**Race 12**

SPORTSBET SET A DEPOSIT LIMIT

2:47 pm

390m

Grade 5

Napier Bale was slow to begin.

Borough Cook - Contacted rail on the first turn, underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a laceration to the left foreleg. A 14 day stand down period was imposed.