

STEWARDS' REPORT

Date: 8/01/24

Track condition: Good

Meeting: Maitland

Stewards: Sam Woolaston, Shane O'Shea, Louise Warren

On Track Veterinarian: Dr. Matthew Webber

Weather: Overcast/showers

LATE SCRATCHINGS

TRIALS

Clearance Trial - Race 13 – 400m

Rug No	Greyhound		Weight	PASS / FAIL - Comment	
1	Brenton Barnacle		30.5	Passed - Began awkwardly and lost ground. 23.20	
3	Tony Pepperoni		29.2	Passed - Trialling to clear an endorsement under GAR 124 failing to pursue the lure (1st offence) issued at Wentworth Park on 23rd December 2023. Trialled satisfactorily. Cleared to race at all tracks and distances except Wentworth Park. 23.03	
5	Redeem Our Cash		27.5	Passed - 22.85	
Complete run on	5 - 3 - 1	Margins	2 3/4 X 2 1/2	Time	22.85 [5.43] [16.11]

RACE COMMENTARY

RACE 1	
WELCOME TO MAITLAND MAIDEN, 400m	
3 Second Hand News	Shortly after the start was bumped heavily by another runner that shifted in abruptly resulting in the greyhound being turned outwards and losing considerable ground. Was again bumped in the back straight and was then reluctant to stretch out in the early stages. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed no apparent injury. Trainer Trent Anderson highlighted the greyhound's relative inexperience and explained that he has been unable to field trial leading into tonight's race.
4 One More Beer	Turned its head in slightly over the concluding stages when reaching the lead. After viewing all available footage including the head-on and after taking into account the submissions tendered by trainer Gary Stewart, the minor nature of the incident and the winning margin of the greyhound, Stewards were comfortably satisfied that a breach under the rules did not occur, however, advised Mr. Stewart that its future performances would be closely monitored.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/1/welcome-to-maitland-maiden	

RACE 2	
LADBROKES HUB 0-3 WIN, 565m	
3 Pit Lane	A post-race swab sample was obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/2/ladbrokes-hub-0-3-win	

RACE 3	
GARTELMANN WINES PATHWAYS, 400m	
3 First Sent	Became awkward in its action shortly after the start and finished a distant last. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed an offside calf muscle tear. 21-day incapacitation period issued.
4 All About Me	A post-race swab sample was obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/3/gartelmann-wines-pathways	

RACE 4	
LADBROKE IT! 1 WIN, 450m	
1 He's First Class	A post-race swab sample was obtained.
8 Blazing Barry	Was galloped on by another runner and lost significant ground rounding the first turn. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed no apparent injury.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/4/ladbroke-it!-1-win	

RACE 5	
J&H COMMERCIAL SERVICES 1 WIN, 450m	
6 Canya Inferno	A post-race swab sample was obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/5/j&h-commercial-services-1-win	

RACE 6	
LADBROKES RACING CLUB, 450m	
4 Blind Ambition	A post-race swab sample was obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/6/ladbrokes-racing-club	

RACE 7	
HUNTER CONCRETE GROUP, 450m	
1 Colonial Custard	Displaced its muzzle entering the first turn. A post-race swab sample was obtained.
5 Elite Chevy	Was galloped on by another runner and lost ground rounding the first turn. Pulled up prior to entering the catching pen. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed no apparent injury.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/7/hunter-concrete-group	

RACE 8	
RANVET K-MAX, 450m	
4 Bella's Rocket	A post-race swab sample was obtained.
7 Give Him Time	Became awkward in its action in the back straight and finished a distant last. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed a nearside back muscle tear. 42-day incapacitation period issued.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/8/ranvet-k-max	

RACE 9	
THE SIGN PLACE, 450m	
1 Suaalii	A post-race swab sample was obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/9/the-sign-place	

RACE 10	
HUSQVARNA, 400m	
5 Dark Necessities	Was galloped on by another runner and lost considerable ground rounding the first turn.
8 Golden Zesta	Came together with another runner and lost significant ground rounding the first turn then tailed off in the home straight. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed a nearside hip support tear. 28-day incapacitation period issued.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/10/husqvarna	

RACE 11	
BUNGA RAYA CHINESE @ EASTS, 400m	
1 Book Of Feuds	Short priced favourite. Came together with another runner and lost ground rounding the first turn. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed no apparent injury.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/11/bunga-aya-chinese-@-easts	

RACE 12	
RED TV, 400m	
1 Kyza Nismo	Checked off heels and lost considerable ground rounding the first turn. A post-race veterinary examination of the greyhound revealed no apparent injury.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/maitland/2024-01-08/12/red-tv	

RACE DAY SUMMARY

VETERINARY REPORT – Injuries				
Name	Race	Injury Category*	Injury	Stand down days
First Sent	RACE 3	Category C	Offside calf muscle tear	21
Give Him Time	RACE 8	Category D	Nearside back muscle tear	42
Golden Zesta	RACE 10	Category D	Nearside hip support tear	28
* GA Race Injury Categories				

VETERINARY REPORT – No Apparent Injuries		
RACE 1	Second Hand News	No Apparent Injury
RACE 4	Blazing Barry	No Apparent Injury
RACE 7	Elite Chevy	No Apparent Injury
RACE 11	Book Of Feuds	No Apparent Injury
RACE 12	Kyza Nismo	No Apparent Injury

STEWARD SUMMARY	
Swabs taken on	Race 2 Pit Lane Race 3 All About Me Race 4 He's First Class Race 5 Canya Inferno Race 6 Blind Ambition Race 7 Colonial Custard Race 8 Bella's Rocket Race 9 Suaalii
Suspensions	
Participant Penalties	
Other Matters	Due to an issue with the 450m trip start, all races from that distance were manually started. Trainer Peter Midson was advised to provide a veterinary certificate to verify the scratching reason for COME ON BLOCKER in race 3.

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The injury and incapacitation information in this report was reviewed by the Veterinarian present at the meeting and confirmed prior to publication.