

STEWARDS' REPORT

Date: 16/01/24

Track condition: Good

Meeting: Richmond Straight

Stewards: Paul Van Gestel, Emma Mackenzie, Jaye Bettridge

On Track Veterinarian: Dr Meg Brownlow

Weather: Overcast

LATE SCRATCHINGS

RACE 6	Wookey	Lindsay Davis	<p>Withdrawn during kennelling under R76(2). Trainer reported greyhound injured with a nearside hock injury. 10 day incapacitation period issued and trainer Ms Lindsay Davis has been directed to provide a veterinary certificate to confirm the injury.</p> <p>A veterinary certificate was provided to Stewards confirming a Left Hock injury with a recommended incapacitation period of 21 days as of 19/1/24</p>
RACE 6	Bald Head Sally	Brett Richardson	<p>Withdrawn at 1.25pm with stewards permission R72(2) with no stand down period imposed due to the change in lure system.</p>
RACE 9	Cleary	Andrew Hunter	<p>Withdrawn at 1.25pm with stewards permission R72(2) with no stand down period imposed due to the change in lure system.</p>
RACE 10	All Time High	Christopher Carl	<p>Withdrawn at 2pm with stewards permission R72(2) with no stand down period imposed due to the change in lure system.</p>
RACE 12	Heart Of Garth	Keith Pedrana	<p>Withdrawn during kennelling under R101(1) weight variation. Greyhound last raced 9/1/24 at 33.6kg and today presented at 32.3kg. 10 day incapacitation period issued and trainer Mr Keith Pedrana was reprimanded under R101(3)</p>
RACE 12	Shinkansen	Mackayla Clarke	<p>Withdrawn at 1.25pm with stewards permission R72(2) with no stand down period imposed due to the change in lure system.</p>

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TRIALS

Exhibition Trial - Race 13 – 324m

Rug No	Greyhound		Weight	PASS / FAIL - Comment	
4	Daytona		36.6	Passed -	
Complete run on	4	Margins	Solo	Time	17.82 [7.19]

Exhibition trail Race 14 – 324m

Rug No	Greyhound		Weight	PASS / FAIL - Comment	
4	Aston Scorchers		34.9	Passed - Began awkwardly.	
Complete run on	4	Margins	Solo	Time	18.29 [7.52]

RACE COMMENTARY

RACE 1

LADBROKE IT! MAIDEN SERIES HEAT 1 Maiden Series H, 324m

2 Robust Ethics	Came together with another runner shortly after the start causing the greyhound to lose momentum.
3 Taken Heart	Came together with another runner shortly after the start causing the greyhound to lose momentum.
6 Hard Head Red	Post race swab obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/1/ladbroke-it!-maiden-series-heat-1-maiden-series-h	

RACE 2	
DELTA RENT A CAR MAIDEN SERIES HEAT 2 Maiden Serie, 324m	
2 Badger's Beast	Post race swab obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/2/delta-rent-a-car-maiden-series-heat-2-maiden-serie	

RACE 3	
LADBROKES HUB MAIDEN SERIES HEAT 3 Maiden Series H, 324m	
3 Boom Boom Tommy	<p>Shifted out shortly after the start before coming together with another runner and looking outwardly causing the greyhound to lose momentum. Underwent a post race veterinary examination revealing no apparent injury.</p> <p>After considering submissions from kennel representative Mr Richard Edwards, Steward's determined to issue an endorsement for failing to pursue the lure first offence under R124, and under R127(a) is now suspended from racing at Richmond Straight for a period of 28 days and until the completion of a satisfactory steward's trial under R132.</p>
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/3/ladbrokes-hub-maiden-series-heat-3-maiden-series-h	

RACE 4

WICK RACING MAIDEN SERIES HEAT 4 Maiden Series H, 324m

The incorrect numbers were initially semaphored prior to being corrected.

2 Midnight Opal	Came together with another runner shortly after the start and again shortly after.
4 Rosie's Retreat	Came together with another runner shortly after the start and again shortly after.
7 Kamari Girl	Shifted out shortly after the start coming together with another runner causing the greyhound to stumble and lose momentum.
8 See You Again	Came together with another runner shortly after the start causing the greyhound to lose momentum.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/4/wick-racing-maiden-series-heat-4-maiden-series-h	

RACE 5

FREE ENTRY AT RICHMOND RACE CLUB, 324m

Race 5 was delayed by 7 minutes due to remedial works being carried out on the lure system.

1 Ventricle	Eased slightly in its action approaching the finish line. Underwent a post race veterinary examination revealing offside whip muscle soreness. 7 day incapacitation period issued. Stewards had concerns with the greyhounds actions just prior to the finishing line. Stewards sought submissions from trainer Ms Kayla Coleman who stated the greyhound is returning from injury therefore had not started for 16 days and will benefit from todays run. After taking into consideration the veterinary outcome and Ms Colemans submissions stewards took no further action but to notify Ms Coleman future performances will be monitored.
3 Despicable Ace	Slow away. Underwent a post race veterinary examination revealing no apparent injury.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/5/free-entry-at-richmond-race-club	

RACE 6

LADBROKES RACING CLUB, 324m

After stir up it was noted the lure cable had broken requiring remedial work. All greyhounds underwent a veterinary examination prior to racing and all trainers were given the opportunity to withdraw their greyhounds from the event penalty free. Trainer Mr Brett Richardson (BALD HEAD SALLY) chose to do so and was withdrawn at 1.25pm. The starting boxes failed to open at the first attempt and the greyhounds were removed from the starting boxes and underwent a further veterinary examination and passed fit to start. All trainers engaged were given the opportunity to withdraw their greyhounds but no trainer exercised that option. The race commenced at 1.37pm via a manual start.

<https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/6/ladbrokes-racing-club>

RACE 7

LADBROKES MATES MODE, 324m

1 Mighty Legend	Came together with another runner at the 150m mark causing the greyhound to lose momentum.
2 Despicable Power	Came together with another runner at the 250m mark. Came together with another runner at the 150m mark.
3 Deadly Girl	Came together shortly after the start and again shortly after. Shifted out at the 250m mark coming together with another runner causing the greyhound to stumble and lose momentum. Underwent a post race veterinary examination revealing offside shoulder, whip muscle and hip support soreness. 21 day incapacitation period issued.
4 Range Key	Began awkwardly. Underwent a post race veterinary examination revealing no apparent injury.
6 What's Thy Name	Post race swab obtained.
7 Wiggle With It	Came together at the 250m mark causing the greyhound to stumble and lose momentum.

<https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/7/ladbrokes-mates-mode>

RACE 8	
LADBROKES ODDS SURGE, 324m	
No incidents of concern to stewards	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/8/ladbrokes-odds-surge	

RACE 9	
STEELINE RIVERSTONE, 324m	
1 Mighty Kong	Came together with another runner shortly after the start before checking off the heels of that runner and shifting out.
2 Big Frank Banner	Shifted in shortly after the start coming together with another runner.
5 Clint Keeping	Post race swab obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/9/steeline-riverstone	

RACE 10	
RACE SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE, 324m	
1 Stop It	Post race swab obtained.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/10/race-sponsorships-available	

RACE 11	
LADBROKES BET TICKER, 324m	
4 Unacceptable Bro	<p>Greyhound turned in the starting boxes after being loaded causing the greyhound to be slow away. Stewards reviewed the video replay before declaring the greyhound was entitled to a fair start before declaring it a runner and giving all clear. Underwent a post race veterinary examination revealing no apparent injury.</p> <p>Following consideration of kennel representative Mr Nick Kilner submissions, stewards determined to issue an endorsement for turning in the boxes 106(1). The greyhound is now subject of a satisfactory trial under R132 before being eligible to race.</p>
7 Magnum Key Eye	<p>Appeared awkward in its stride approaching the finish line. Underwent a post race veterinary examination revealing no apparent injury.</p>
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/11/ladbrokes-bet-ticker	

RACE 12	
FLYING RICCIARDO AT STUD, 324m	
No incidents of concern to stewards	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond-straight/2024-01-16/12/flying-ricciardo-at-stud	

RACE DAY SUMMARY

VETERINARY REPORT – Injuries				
Name	Race	Injury Category*	Injury	Stand down days
Ventricle	RACE 5	Category B	Offside whip muscle soreness	7
Deadly Girl	RACE 7	Category C	Offside shoulder, whip muscle and hip support soreness	21
* GA Race Injury Categories				

VETERINARY REPORT – No Apparent Injuries		
RACE 3	Boom Boom Tommy	No Apparent Injury
RACE 5	Despicable Ace	No Apparent Injury
RACE 7	Range Key	No Apparent Injury
RACE 11	Magnum Key Eye	No Apparent Injury

STEWARD SUMMARY	
Swabs taken on	Race 1 Hard Head Red Race 2 Badger's Beast Race 5 Rosie's Shine Race 7 What's Thy Name Race 9 Clint Keeping Race 10 Stop It
Suspensions	Race 3 Boom Boom Tommy, (GH) Failing To Pursue (1st Offence) Race 11 Unacceptable Bro, (GH) Turned In Boxes
Participant Penalties	Keith Thomas Pedrana – 101(3)(b)
Other Matters	<p>After the stir up for race 6 it was noted the lure cable had broken and remedial works commenced with an indefinite delay announced. After the failure of the remedial works the remainder of the race meeting was conducted under the safe chase lure system. All trainers were given the opportunity to withdraw their greyhounds penalty free. Trainers mentioned at the top of the report exercised this option. On course broadcast, sky Channel and wagering agencies were notified of the change. All races were delayed two time slots with race 11 rescheduled for 3.08pm and race 12 rescheduled for 3.23pm.</p> <p>The automatic trips were retested following the running of race 6 after rectifying the issue. The remainder of the meeting was conducted via the automatic start.</p> <p>All trainers engaged in races 11 and 12 were given the opportunity to remove and empty their greyhounds in accordance of rule LR86B.</p>

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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.