

STEWARDS' REPORT

Date: 3/01/24

Track condition: Good

Meeting: Richmond

Stewards: Emma Mackenzie, Jason Hodder and David Patman

On Track Veterinarian: Dr Meg Brownlow

Weather: Fine

LATE SCRATCHINGS

RACE 8	Two Mates	Mark Williams	Trainer presented the greyhound at 5:10pm to the stewards with concerns that the greyhound was on season. A subsequent veterinary exam by the OTV confirmed the greyhound was in season. The greyhound was subsequently scratched under GAR77(4) and a 28 day incapacitation period has been applied.
RACE 11	Let's Trot Fox	Dale Wright	Scratched at 6:10pm under GAR101(1) for a weight variation of 1.6kg. Last presented at 31.0kg and presented today at 32.6kg. A 10 day incapacitation period of 10 days has been applied under GAR101(3)(a) and Mr Dale Wright has been reprimanded under GAR101(3)(b) and reminded of his obligations. When considering penalty, stewards noted Mr Wright's good behaviour and lack of similar offences in the last 12 months.

TRIALS

RACE COMMENTARY

RACE 1	
LADBROKE IT! MAIDEN HEAT 1 Maiden Series H, 520m	
1 Despicable Larry	Slow away. Looked awkward in its action entering the turn into the back straight and entering the home straight. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing no apparent injury.
8 Not Without	Began best and led throughout. A post race urine sample was collected.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/1/ladbroke-it!-maiden-heat-1-maiden-series-h	

RACE 2	
BISTRO OPEN FOR DINNER MAIDEN HEAT 2 Maiden Series, 520m	
4 Reggae Peyton	Galloped awkwardly and went amiss exiting the first turn. The greyhound failed to finish the event. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing an offside tibia fracture. A 90 day incapacitation period has been applied.
7 Quake One	Moderate away. Raced wide exiting the first turn. Stewards noted the greyhounds status as short price in the event. In reviewing the race footage and taking into consideration that tonight is the greyhounds first start, stewards were comfortably satisfied with the greyhounds performance tonight. Stewards spoke to trainer, Ms Helen Rylands, regarding the heavy wagering support on the greyhound tonight. She stated she is unsure of where the support came from tonight. She further stated that the greyhound ran to her expectations tonight.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/2/bistro-open-for-dinner-maiden-heat-2-maiden-series	

RACE 3	
KIDS MEALS \$10 1-3 WIN HEAT 1 1-3 Wins H, 520m	
3 Armatree Storm	Began best and led throughout. A post race urine sample was collected.
6 Zipping Griswold	Stumbled shortly after the start and trailed the field into the first turn. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing no apparent injury.
8 Crockett's Flyer	Lost momentum through the first turn when it collected heels with another runner. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing no apparent injury.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/3/kids-meals-\$10-1-3-win-heat-1-1-3-wins-h	

RACE 4	
STEELINE RIVERSTONE 1-3 WIN HEAT 2 1-3 Wins H, 520m	
2 Cabramatta Jack	A post race urine sample was collected.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/4/steeline-riverstone-1-3-win-heat-2-1-3-wins-h	

RACE 5	
LADBROKES COMMUNITIES 1-3 WIN HEAT 3 1-3 Wins H, 520m	
4 Wallacia Mist	Began best and led throughout. A post race urine sample was collected. Stewards spoke to trainer, Mr Luke Brown, regarding the greyhounds performance tonight. He stated he was surprised with the greyhounds performance tonight and was expecting a run tonight around 29.80 based off previous form at Gosford. He did not support the greyhound tonight.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/5/ladbrokes-communities-1-3-win-heat-3-1-3-wins-h	

RACE 6	
FLYING RICCIARDO AT STUD 1-3 WIN HEAT 4 1-3 Wins H, 520m	
6 Ghost Of Time	Came together with another runner exiting the first turn and lost momentum. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing no apparent injury.
7 Au Contraire	Began best and led throughout. A post race urine sample was collected.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/6/flying-ricciardo-at-stud-1-3-win-heat-4-1-3-wins-h	

RACE 7	
GRNSW MIDDLE DISTANCE SERIES 1-4 WIN, 622m	
2 Secret Emgrand	Began well and led into the turn into the home straight. In the latter stages of the event, the greyhound began to lose momentum. The greyhound underwent a post race veterinary examination which revealed no apparent injury. Stewards spoke to trainer, Mr Andrew Bell, in regards to the greyhounds performance tonight and loss of momentum in the final stages. Mr Bell stated that tonight was the greyhounds first start over this distance and the greyhound began to tire in the final stages. Stewards noted his comments and decided not to take any formal action tonight. Future performances will be monitored.
6 Binalong Time	A post race urine sample was collected.
7 Sahara Castle	Came together with another runner in the run into the first turn. Raced wide entering the turn into the home straight and came together with another runner. Came together with another runner numerous times in the home straight. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing offside shoulder and chest soreness. A 28 day incapacitation period has been applied. Stewards had concerns in how seriously the greyhound was pursuing the lure in the home straight. After taking into consideration the submissions made by trainer, Mr John Chapman and the veterinary findings, stewards decided to not take any formal action tonight. An official warning has been placed on the greyhound stating that a similar performance will incur disciplinary action.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/7/grnsw-middle-distance-series-1-4-win	

RACE 8

GRNSW MIDDLE DISTANCE SERIES FINAL 5th Grade Serie, 622m

2 Nangar Luna	<p>Tightened for room in the run into the first turn and squeezed out of position. A post race urine sample was collected.</p> <p>Stewards noted the greyhounds status as the short price favourite in the event. Upon reviewing the race footage, stewards noted the heavy interference suffered by the greyhound in the early stages of the event. Stewards were comfortably satisfied with the greyhounds performance tonight.</p>
6 Mister O'Brien	<p>A post race urine sample was collected.</p>
7 Lady Exit	<p>Began best and led throughout.</p> <p>A post race urine sample was collected.</p>

<https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/8/grnsw-middle-distance-series-final-5th-grade-serie>

RACE 9

LADBROKES LIVE BETTING, 520m

1 Flash As Joe	<p>Tailed off early in the event and continued the event at a distant last. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing no apparent injury.</p> <p>Stewards spoke to trainer, Mr Jihad Estephan, regarding the greyhounds poor performance tonight. He made submissions to the stewards that the greyhound has been unwell and has been suffering from an infection of intestinal worms. Stewards questioned Mr Estephan as to why the greyhound was not scratched from today's event and he stated he wasn't aware he had to scratch the greyhound. Stewards came to the decision to reprimand Mr Estephan under GAR87 and explained to him his obligations in presenting a greyhound in a fit condition for racing.</p> <p>In regards to the greyhounds performance tonight, stewards invoked GAR129 for the greyhounds poor performance, deeming tonight's performance as unsatisfactory. The greyhound is now suspended from racing until a satisfactory trial performance is met under GAR132.</p>
3 Farmor Order	<p>A post race urine sample was collected.</p>

<https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/9/ladbrokes-live-betting>

RACE 10	
LADBROKES ODDS SURGE, 520m	
4 Big Thunder	A post race urine sample was collected.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/10/ladbrokes-odds-surge	

RACE 11	
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2 Exclusive Wave	<p>Tightened for room in the first turn and was galloped on the heels by another runner. Came together with another runner entering the turn into the back straight. Approaching the finishing post, the greyhound shifted and turned its head inwardly and marred another runner. A post race veterinary examination was carried out revealing nearside hind paw abrasions. No incapacitation period has been applied.</p> <p>Stewards reviewed the race footage and interviewed trainer, Mr Victor Sultana, in regards to the greyhounds performance tonight.</p> <p>After taking into consideration the race footage, Mr Sultana's submissions and the veterinary findings, stewards invoked GAR123 and endorsed the greyhound for Marring (1st Offence). The greyhound is subsequently suspended from Richmond for 28 days and a satisfactory stewards trial under GAR132 is required before the greyhound can nominate.</p>
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/11/buy-wick-coffee-at-wickcoffee.com-today	

RACE 12	
LADBROKES PATHWAYS, 520m	
8 Fool Around	A post race urine sample was collected.
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/richmond/2024-01-03/12/ladbrokes-pathways	

RACE DAY SUMMARY

VETERINARY REPORT – Injuries				
Name	Race	Injury Category*	Injury	Stand down days
Reggae Peyton	RACE 2	Category D	Offside hind tibia multiple fractures	90
Sahara Castle	RACE 7	Category D	offside shoulder and chest	28
Exclusive Wave	RACE 11	Category A	Abrasion nearside hind paw	0
* GA Race Injury Categories				

VETERINARY REPORT – No Apparent Injuries		
RACE 1	Despicable Larry	No Apparent Injury
RACE 3	Ziping Griswold	No Apparent Injury
RACE 3	Crockett's Flyer	No Apparent Injury
RACE 6	Ghost Of Time	No Apparent Injury
RACE 7	Secret Emgrand	No Apparent Injury
RACE 9	Flash As Joe	No Apparent Injury

STEWARD SUMMARY	
Swabs taken on	Race 1 Not Without Race 3 Armatree Storm Race 4 Cabramatta Jack Race 5 Wallacia Mist Race 6 Au Contraire Race 7 Binalong Time Race 8 Nangar Luna Race 8 Mister O'Brien Race 8 Lady Exit Race 9 Farmor Order Race 10 Big Thunder Race 11 Both Bowers Ace Race 12 Fool Around
Suspensions	Race 9 Flash As Joe, (GH) Unsatisfactory Performance Race 11 Exclusive Wave, (GH) Marring (1st Offence)

Participant Penalties	Jihad Nehmetallah Estephan – 87 Dale Gregory Wright – 101(3)(b)
Other Matters	

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