# STEWARDS' REPORT



**Date:** 8/03/24

Track condition: Good

Meeting: Goulburn

Stewards: Ben Boyce-Mortlock, Adam Bartle and Jaye Bettridge

On Track Veterinarian: Dr. Meg Brownlow

Weather: Fine

## **LATE SCRATCHINGS**

## **TRIALS**



## **RACE COMMENTARY**

RACE 1		
LADBROKES HUB MAIDEN, 440m		
1 Marshall Kade	Began the race as a well-supported favourite. After obtaining the lead in the early and middle stages of the race, midway between the turn out of the back straight and the turn into the front straight came together with another runner when tightened for room and was obliged to shift off heels losing momentum.	
7 Black Jack Kade	Immediately after box rise, the greyhound turned its head and abruptly shifted inwardly coming together with another runner before straightening up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no apparent injury. Stewards interviewed kennel representative Mr Anothony Lord expressing concerns with the greyhound's mannerisms shortly after the start, whereby Mr Lord stated in his opinion the greyhound was looking inwardly for the lure. His comments were noted. After reviewing all available video footage, considering submissions made by Mr Lord and the veterinary findings, Stewards could not be comfortably satisfied the greyhound had breach any racing rules. Notwithstanding this, Mr Lord was advised an official warning would be placed on the greyhound's record with a repetition of today's incident may result in further action taken. When deciding if a penalty was applicable, Stewards were mindful of the greyhound's inexperience, with today being its first official start under race conditions.	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racin	g/goulburn/2024-03-08/1/ladbrokes-hub-maiden	



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8 Be Stupid	Slow to begin. Making the first turn eased within its action and yielded ground before a short distance later when rounding the home turn eased again significantly before pulling up just prior to entering the turn into the home straight and ran back in the opposite direction. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no apparent injury. Stewards interview trainer Mrs Lisa Worthy regarding the performance of the greyhound, specifically in the manner where the greyhound eased, pulled up and ran back in the opposite direction. After reviewing all available video footage, taking into consideration the submissions made by Mrs Worthy and the veterinary findings, Stewards issued an endorsement for Failing to Pursue in accordance with GAR124. The greyhound is now suspended from racing at Goulburn for a period of 28 days and until the completion of a satisfactory Steward's trial in accordance with GAR132.

RACE 3		
WOW AT STUD MAIDEN, 350m		
	When being retrieved from its kennel prior to the commencement of the race, it	
1 Mad Jack Julius	was observed the greyhound had diarrhoea. As a result, the greyhound underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable for racing with no concerns raised by trainer David Smart. Making the first turn was obliged to check off heels when tightened for room before coming together with another runner and lost ground.	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/3/wow-at-stud-maiden		



RACE 4		
LADBROKES COMMUNITIES MASTERS, 350m		
4 Angry Firestorm	Making the first turn came together with another runner. Rounding the home turn came together with another runner before stumbling and lost ground, finishing at the rear of the field. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no apparent injury.	
5 Falcon Fly	A pre-race urine sample was obtained.	
7 Venom Soldier	A post-race urine sample was obtained.	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/4/ladbrokes-communities-masters		

RACE 5		
LADBROKE IT! 1-2 WIN, 350m		
3 Karen Bonkers	After obtaining a forward position in the early stages of the race, making the first turn came in contact with the running rail when tightened for room and lost ground. A post-race veterinary examination revealed nearside shoulder and fan muscle soreness. A 10-day incapacitation period was issued.	
5 Nordic Vision	Making the first turn came together with another runner before a short distance later was galloped on from behind and was obliged to check off heels when tightened for room and lost ground.	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/5/ladbroke-it!-1-2-win		



RACE 6		
RED TV 1-2 WIN, 350m		
1 Sutton Bolt	A post-race veterinary examination revealed no apparent injury after the greyhound came in contact with the running rail when tightened for room was obliged to check off heels making the first turn and lost momentum.	
6 Cawbourne Chad	Stewards had concerns with the greyhound's mannerisms at the winning post whereby it appeared to ease within its stride. After reviewing all available video footage, Stewards could not be comfortably satisfied the greyhound had breached any racing rules. No further action was taken.	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/6/red-tv-1-2-win		

RACE 7	
LADBROKES SAME RACE MULTI, 440m	
Nil significant racing incidents to report.	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/7/ladbrokes-same-race-multi	

RACE 8		
LADBROKES ODDS SURGE, 440m		
The original numbers which were semaphored were 4, 2, 7 which were incorrect due to a technical error with the semaphore board, before being rectified to 4, 8, 2 and 7. Prior to the 'all clear' given, Stewards		
reviewed the photo finish in consultation with the judge and were satisfied the correct placings were semaphored. The 'all clear' was then given.		
8 Lagoon Clissold	A pre-race urine sample was obtained.	
https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/8/ladbrokes-odds-surge		



#### RACE 9

### LADBROKES RACING CLUB, 350m

The original numbers which were semaphored were 3, 8, 2 and 4 which were incorrect due to a technical error with the semaphore board, before being rectified to 3, 5, 8, 2. Prior to the 'all clear' given, Stewards reviewed the photo finish in consultation with the judge and were satisfied the correct placings were semaphored. The 'all clear' was then given.

#### 2 Yori Bale

When being retrieved from its kennel prior to the commencement of the race, it was observed the greyhound had blood present within its kennel. As a result, the greyhound underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable for racing with no concerns raised by trainer Gordon Herbet.

https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/9/ladbrokes-racing-club

### **RACE 10**

## GOULBURN GREYHOUNDS AS PETS, 350m

#### 2 Pepper Kade

When questioned regarding the apparent improved performance, trainer Mr Andrew Rowe was pleasantly surprised by today's performance as the greyhound is a new kennel acquisition. He added the greyhound has had a number of minor injuries recently and in his opinion, the greyhound has only just overcome these. He further added the greyhound has recently trialled at Goulburn in an impressive time, adding it was aided by today's box draw being drawn closer to the rail. Stewards noted his comments. A post-race urine sample was obtained.

https://www.thedogs.com.au/racing/goulburn/2024-03-08/10/goulburn-greyhounds-as-pets



## **RACE DAY SUMMARY**

VETERINARY REPORT – Injuries				
Name	Event	Injury Category*	Injury	Stand down days
Karen Bonkers	Race 5	Category B	Nearside shoulder and fan muscle soreness	10

<sup>\*</sup>GA Race Injury Categories

VETERINARY REPORT – No Apparent Injuries			
Race 1	Black Jack Kade	No Apparent Injury	
Race 2	Be Stupid	No Apparent Injury	
Race 4	Angry Firestorm	No Apparent Injury	
Race 6	Sutton Bolt	No Apparent Injury	
Race 9	Yori Bale	No Apparent Injury	

STEWARD SUMMARY		
Swabs taken on	Race 2 Double Dealings Race 4 Falcon Fly <b>Pre race</b> Race 4 Venom Soldier Race 8 Lagoon Clissold <b>Pre race</b> Race 10 Pepper Kade	
Suspensions	Race 2 Be Stupid, (GH) Failing To Pursue (1st Offence)	
Participant Penalties		
Other Matters	Race 1: Black Jack Kade (7) trainer Jodie Lord - warning for mannerisms immediately after box rise.	

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

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