

Stewards' Report

Meeting held at Cannington on Wednesday, 4 January 2023

WEATHER: Fine TRACK: Good KENNEL TEMPERATURE: 18 degrees

TIME KENNELS CLOSED: 6.35pm

Stewards: Mr K Howes, Mr S Jones, Mr M Pascoe

Veterinary Surgeons: Dr S Wu

Veterinary Assistant: Ms R McSweeney

Lure Driver: Mr M Frampton

SCRATCHINGS: Under R76, the following greyhounds will stand down for a period of 10 days through:

Injury: Trial 1 WHAT A MOTTO (4/1)

STEWARDS ADVICE: All trials tonight were a normal catching pen finish.

The Heat Policy was applied to tonight's race meeting. Several measures were taken to limit and moderate all greyhounds' exposure to these conditions. These included but were not limited to, greyhounds went straight to the starting boxes for all races (no parading), greyhounds did not return to the dais after racing, greyhounds were held in the air-conditioned kennels for at least 20 minutes after competing; under the observation of the O.T.V, greyhounds were not loaded into their transport vehicles until leaving immediately thereafter, barking muzzles are fully prohibited in greyhound racing and ample hydration and cooling practises were implemented both at kennelling time and during the race meeting. No cases of Heat Stress were reported to Stewards or signs of distress, due to the heat, were observed by the O.T.V. The heat policy was lifted at 8.15pm.

As a result of the heat policy being applied, no pre-race sampling was carried out.

Race 1 - Qualifying Trial/Provincial/380 - Qualifying Trial - 6:45 PM

(380M): DAUGHTER OF FUN began quickly. DAUGHTER OF FUN & ALWAYS LURKING collided on the first turn. FIX YOU galloped on the heels of DAUGHTER OF FUN approaching the home turn.

Race 2 - Qualifying Trial/City/520 - Qualifying Trial - 6:55 PM

(520M): QUEEN MAZE began quickly. EDDIE RAIDER checked off the heels of WEST ON BLOSSOM soon after the start. QUEEN MAZE checked off the heels of WEST ON BLOSSOM on the second turn. EDDIE RAIDER & QUEEN MAZE collided on the home turn and in the home straight.

QUEEN MAZE was examined by the course Veterinary Surgeon and no apparent injury was reported.

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