

Stewards' Report

Meeting held at Cannington on Wednesday, 1 February 2023

WEATHER: Fine TRACK: Good KENNEL TEMPERATURE: 18 degrees

TIME KENNELS CLOSED: 5.35pm

Stewards: Mr B. Paterson, Mr G. O'Dea, 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 3 WEST ON GECKO (1/2)

Stewards Permission: Trial 1 STEP BACK THREE (1/2), Trial 2 RED SHELL (1/2) - 0 days

STEWARDS ADVICE: 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 the completion of Race 2.

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

Race 1 - Qualifying Trial/Provincial/380 (1) - Qualifying Trial - 5:45 PM

(380M): BRONWYN KEEPING began quickly. ROGUE RUNNER began slowly. BRONWYN KEEPING crossed to the inside soon after the start.

Race 2 - Qualifying Trial/Provincial/380 (2) - Qualifying Trial - 5:55 PM

(380M): TORNADO STAR & PROM QUEEN FUN collided on the first turn. PROM QUEEN FUN checked off the heels of TORNADO STAR on the first turn. TORNADO STAR shifted out and raced wide on the first turn and in the back straight.

Race 3 - Qualifying Trial/City/520 - Qualifying Trial - 6:05 PM

(520M): INCREDIBLE SOLO began quickly. INCREDIBLE SOLO & NAVY BLUE BUZZ collided on the first turn and several times at the catching pen. INCREDIBLE SOLO checked off the heels of NAVY BLUE BUZZ on the third turn.

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