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CEO'S REPORT
by Peter Ali

Participants are advised that the 10 Member Clubs will meet with the GRSA Board on Friday, 27 February, as part of their quarterly meeting to share information.

Also on that day the Members of the Company have requested a Special Meeting to address the GRSA Constitution.

Following the above-mentioned meetings, the GRSA Board will hold their monthly meeting.

OPERATION MANAGER'S REPORT
by Peter Smith

AUSTRALIAN CUP HEATS ON SATURDAY

We can look forward to another great night of racing at The Meadows on Saturday night, with the running of eight heats of the MTD Australian Cup. El Galo will be looking to continue his great form after he beat kennelmate Fedex in The Temlee last week.

Scull Murphy finished sixth in The Temlee, but won't have lost too many admirers. He has drawn box four in the first heat and we know he is capable of making next week's final, with a little early luck.

Quinton Bale will also fly the flag for South Australia in heat seven, although he also drew the "visitors" alley of box four. He is a winner at the Meadows and he was placed behind El Galo in the Adelaide Cup. He hasn't drawn too bad a heat, but he will need to jump. Shaun Matcott is also taking Regatta Bale and Everlong Bale with him and they are engaged in a mixed 4/5.

There is plenty of class throughout the eight heats along with two heats of the Sky Channel Australian Stayers Series. The meeting has full Sky Channel and SA TAB coverage for local fans. Racing commences at 6.44pm SA time; "The Scull" goes around at 7.08pm and Quinton's race is timed for 9.57pm.

BREEDERS 2009 PRELUDE (1) FINAL

Tonight we have the first Prelude Final for Breeders 2009, following four heats last week. Breeders 2009 is for greyhounds that were whelped from November 2006 to the end of April 2007 and is the third Futurity Series run to date.

I think it would be fair to say that Manhattan Angel for Laurie Cahalan would be a warm favourite for tonight's race. He is building a nice record already, having past \$10,000 in stakes and already having won the John Gray Memorial.

It is interesting to note the quality of the brood bitches that are represented in the finalists. Four of them have won 20 races or more each, in Cabernet Angel (27 wins), Dancing Olivia (32), Springvale Jinx (27) and Villify (20). While the other two, Satanic Vixen and Wee Vintage were also race winners. This is a very good sign for the quality of SA Bred greyhounds I would suggest.

Tonight's final will carry a total purse of \$3,500, which includes \$500 to go to the breeder of the winner. There will also be a trophy for the winner presented on track.

Races to follow in Breeders 2009 are Prelude (2) on April 1st & 9th and the SA Breeders Plate on April 9th, May 7th & 14th.

ANGLE PARK POWER OUT THIS WEEKEND

As advised over the last couple of week's Angle Park's power will be out this Saturday, due to an upgrade of the Main Distribution Board at the complex. It is expected that the power will be out from early morning and should be restored later in the day. However we have allowed the extra day (Sunday) should there be any problems.

Trainers are reminded that there will be no Angle Park morning trials on Saturday 21st February as a result.

Trainers wishing to fax nominations should do so on Friday afternoon and Monday morning if possible. If you do have to fax on Sunday (or Saturday), please contact us first thing on Monday to ensure that the fax was received. There is a chance that it may show as being sent at your end, but it may not be received at our end. We have had this problem in the past.

The website and on-line nominations shouldn't be affected as they are now off-site.

McQueens Tavern should not be affected by the power outage.

FINISH-ON LURE TRIALS

We have now had two weeks of trials with the finish-on lure and most seem to be quite positive about results so far.

Next Wednesday (25th February) we will again trial after the race meeting and trainers are invite to run behind the new lure free of charge.

After that we will start having the finish-on lure for Saturday morning trials from February 28th. This will mean there will be no Specials or grab trials on Saturday mornings until further notice as all trials will be on the finish-on lure. At this stage the normal lure will remain on Tuesday nights.

ST LEGER HEATS NEXT WEDNESDAY

The SA St Leger kicks off at Angle Park next Wednesday, with the heats of the Classic Event. This series is usually one of the highlights of the racing series. It is for the Derby/Oaks aged greyhounds (born on or after 1st July) and on the whole these greyhounds are now more experienced than at Derby time. The heats are on Wednesday 25th February, so the **nominations close tomorrow (Friday 20th February) with GRSA at 9.00am.**

The semi-finals will be run on Thursday 5th March. While the \$12,000 SA St Leger Final will be held the following Thursday 12th March.

ST PATRICK'S DAY SPRINT SPONSOR

GRSA is pleased to have a new sponsor for the St Patrick's Day Sprint. Jardine Lloyd Thompson will sponsor this year's event. The \$6,000 feature sprint event will be run on Thursday 12th March on what will be a great night of racing that includes the St Leger.

We are pleased to have Jardine Lloyd Thompson on board for the Sprint. They have been good supporters of GRSA and racing at Angle Park.

***Nominations for the Jardine Lloyd Thompson St Patricks Day Sprint close on Friday 6th March at 9.00am with GRSA.**

NEXT VETERANS RACE

A reminder to trainers that the next Thursday night Veterans Race is next week 26th February. The race is for veteran greyhounds over the age of 4 years at the time of nomination (must have raced in the previous three months). It is a non-penalty event, which replaces the Grade 5 non-penalty for this meeting. Nominations close on Monday 23rd February at 9.00am with GRSA.

ANGLE PARK 515M BOX FEEDBACK

Some time ago a request was made to see if the rear doors on the Steriline boxes could be adjusted to ensure greyhounds couldn't lift them once placed away. Our discussions with Steriline lead to an initial option, which wasn't really suitable and not trialled.

Steriline have now completed work on the 515m boxes with another simpler option. They have adjusted the door so that two of the rollers sit in a slot when the door is closed. It should make the doors a little harder to lift up, without making it too hard. The theory is that a greyhound is likely to push back on the door and by doing this will push the roller further back into the slot, making it harder to open.

This procedure was done a few weeks back and we would like any feedback from handlers regarding the change. Please speak with myself or the stewards on this. If it is felt that this has helped, we will have the doors on the other boxes changed.

INDUSTRY CONSULTATIVE GROUP MEETING

The Industry Consultative Group (ICG) met earlier this month and below is a short summary of the items discussed:

- Angle Park Track

There was discussion on injuries and stones on the track at Angle Park, also the preparation for Saturday mornings. The issue of salt on the track was reported on, we were able to advise that we are having less trouble in this area.

- Starting Boxes

The changes to the rear doors on the 515m boxes was reported above. Progress on the changes to the grilles was also reported on. Changes to the grilles would be undertaken shortly, with the new height to be at 422mm from the bottom of the grille to the highest point.

- Racing Plan Sub Committee

A report to go to the Board. As part of this process a survey had been sent out with a number of issues and that this was to be reported back to the Board.

- Finish on Lure

The Chairman of Stewards reported that the finish on lure had been approved by the GRSA Board and staff were in the process of finishing the new lure. Regular trials to start after initial testing for staff and handlers. Other tracks are to be looked at once Angle Park has been organised.

There was discussion on a number of areas ie Brisbane lure and experience to date; Sky Channel vision; NSW experience to date; how far they would run (distance to pulling-up); Acidosis and disease transfer. The meeting did support the introduction.

- Kennels Behind Catching Pen

The OM advised that in making preparations to make adjustments to the kennels on the catching pen the staff had come up with a different idea whereas the kennels could be moved underneath the shelter using the old storeroom which was not used for anything these days. It was agreed to show the members the likely changes after the meeting. This was subsequently done - all members did show support for the move. Work has begun on this.

- Microchipping

The meeting was advised that Greyhounds Australasia has delayed introduction and that NSW has begun a trial.

- Separate Grading

The meeting was advised of arrangements for the Separate Grading at Angle Park, which we have already included in Kennel Capers. There was also discussion on the handling of Graduations and Juveniles as well as opportunities for SA Bred greyhounds.

- First Split Timer

The meeting was advised that repairs had been made to this. I also spoke on the new sectional times that will be available because of the new finish camera in the back straight. At this stage there were some problems because extra lighting was required and that at night the back straight split was not available. We are working on an upgrade of the lighting.

- New Bet Type

Vaun Gray put forward a submission on a new bet type allowing punters to bet on the leader at the winning post the first time. It was agreed to pursue this option further.

- Breeders Registration

Bosko Stamenkovic queried the introduction of another cost for Breeders Registration. That the \$25 registration was meant to be a nominal fee. A recommendation is to go to the Board that money raised from this fee be included in the Futurity prize pool. It was noted the breeders registration was part of Greyhounds Australasia's breeding recommendations.

The need to have people that are breeding litters as per the Code of Practice was discussed and that if we did not take action in this area that it may become a bigger issue in the future.

- Unregistered Persons Buying Greyhounds & Pups

Bosko Stamenkovic queried how do we keep track of people who buy pups that aren't registered. It was noted that we can't really stop people from owning a greyhound, however, to race that greyhound they have to be registered. GA had discussed, as part of the national basis, the need to start tracking all greyhounds from birth. It was suggested that breeders do need to be careful who they are selling to and it's important that if they want their breed to be successful that they are selling to reputable people.

- Morning Trial Sessions at Race Tracks During Hot Weather

Bosko Stamenkovic commented on the situation last week where trials were cancelled that it could be a possibility to help Trainers that had greyhounds due to race that day, if they could be allowed to trial on the morning of the race instead.

It was agreed the issue of allowing some trials, should a situation as such that happened last week occur again, could be considered for the future.

- ICG Review

The CEO noted that details of the ICG and Members would be included on the website. GRSA are looking to have some specific ICG email addresses that would allow people to send emails to the members as part of this process

- ICG 2009 Dates

The ICG 2009 dates:

Wednesday, 6 May

Wednesday, 5 August

Wednesday, 4 November

ANGLE PARK SEPARATE GRADING

Last year it was announced that following an ICG recommendation the GRSA Board had approved the separation on Monday night and Thursday night grading at Angle Park. We have been steadily working towards a start and are hopeful of starting in the next few weeks.

We are now just waiting on database work being completed by the GRV IT Department and are expecting to go ahead shortly. The Grading Review Panel met and has agreed to the following aspects of the new system. These are:

- A new grade will be introduced, APM which will be for all Monday night meetings or meetings deemed as Monday graded fixtures. This grade will be considered a City meeting for the purposes of the Order of Preference.
- The APK grade will continue to cover the Thursday night meetings as well as the historical results, i.e. all previous Monday results will continue to be listed under the APK grade. There will be no change to the APD grading, which remains a Provincial Class meeting.
- Downgrades for all Angle Park meetings will apply after two unplaced runs (it is currently three runs).
- The Beat the Grader system will remain, however there will be only the odd occasion when it may apply, i.e. a greyhound won't be able to "Beat the Grader" from an APM to an APK.
- For purposes of the Graduation Rule, Angle Park APK, APM & APD will be considered as "different tracks". This means greyhounds will be able to win two Graduations at Angle Park, which was previously allowed if one was "Beat the Grader".

REPLACEMENT RACES

As mentioned last week, we have been looking at ways of replacing the lost meetings over the recent weeks.

I can now confirm that we have Sky Channel approval to run an extra race on Thursday nights for a three month period. We will commence the twelve race programs on Thursday 5th March and this will go through until the end of May, subject to nominations. The meetings will commence at around 6.25pm and finish at the normal time.

We are still looking at some options for other replacement dates with Sky Channel, which we should confirm shortly. The replacements will mean that budgeted prizemoney will be paid to participants and we will hopefully replace lost local turnover from the abandoned meetings.

DISTANCE RACE PRIZEMONEY INCREASES

Following discussion at the Grading Review Panel changes have been made to prizemoney paid for distance races (731m only) at Angle Park. We have increased Monday & Thursday night prizemoney until the end of the racing year, with the extra stake to be paid to the placegetters, not the winner.

The breakdowns will be:

Mondays (Grade 5's or Mixed 4/5's)

Current Level: \$1,200 (already \$150 above 515m Grade 5)

New Level: \$1,300

Breakdown: \$830 - \$290 - \$150 - \$30

Thursday's (Open Grade)

Current Level: \$2,575

New Level: \$2,775

Breakdown: \$1770 - \$615 - \$320 - \$70

We will trial this to see if trainers are more encouraged to place their greyhounds in the distance races. It will take effect immediately.

TAB SPORTSBET FIXED PRICED GREYHOUND EVENTS

Nil

ANGLE PARK ANY2 JACKPOT

Race 7 tonight the Breeders Plate Prelude Final will carry an extra bonus for punters, it will include an Any2 Jackpot of \$1,661.08.

FIRST 4 JACKPOT AT ALBION PARK

Race 8 tonight the Best 8 at Albion Park will carry an extra bonus for punters, it will include a First 4 Jackpot of \$7,565.99.

QUADRELLA JACKPOT AT ALBION PARK

Races 5, 6, 7 & 8 tonight at Albion Park will carry an extra bonus for punters, it will include a Quadrella Jackpot of \$30,142.63.

MARKETING MATTERS by Melina Thomas

THE DATE WITH 12 GREYHOUND BUNNIES

If you are coming along to Chasers Restaurant at Angle Park TONIGHT, keep an eye out for the winner of the date with 12 Greyhound Bunnies, Eugene Fisher. He will be dining here tonight with the 12 Greyhound Bunnies, who will be handing out some Bunnie Gifts to patrons. Our all-you-can-eat buffet is only \$27.50 per person - Book now to reserve the best seat in the house. Bookings Essential - Phone 8243 7155.

MCQUEENS FEBRUARY CLIPSAL 500 TICKETS GIVEAWAY!

Visit McQueens Tavern Gaming Lounge during February & you could win two 4 day reserved pit entry grandstand seats. Tickets valued at \$380! To enter, simply purchase \$10 or more in pokie change & fill in an entry form. Conditions apply, see in McQueens for details. For more information, please phone 8243 7143.

THURSDAY 12TH MARCH 2009 - ST PATRICK'S DAY AT CHASERS

Come along to Chasers Restaurant to celebrate St Patrick's Day! You'll be blessed like the Irish with:

- An Irish themed 'all-you-can-eat' buffet menu
- Lucky draws & giveaways
- Irish entertainment and much much more!

All this for only \$27.50 per head. \$13.75 for children under 13, under 5's FREE. Book early to avoid disappointment. Bookings Essential - Phone 8243 7155.

FUNDRAISING DATES NOW AVAILABLE FOR 2009

Looking to raise funds for new equipment or the end of season trip? Spend a night at the dogs & you can raise up to \$4000 ... Its fun, simple & successful! Join the dozens of satisfied sporting clubs & other organisations that get involved annually. Fundraising dates are now available for 2009 – Get in quick, these dates will sell out fast. Call Melina on 8243 7155 & ask for a complimentary fundraising pack.

TELLING THE "TAIL" by "The Shadow"



SUPER WIN

Last Monday night the Matthew Payne trained Super Conquest treated his rivals with contempt. Beginning well from box 3 the Hallucinate/Glossy sprinter led throughout to win by 4.5L in the BON 30.01.

Favourite in the race, Farouk, was a handy 2nd with Painted Mykala 7L off the winner, running 3rd. Monday night's programme turned out to be a punters nightmare with the favourites failing to salute the judge in the first 8 races. You had to wait until the non penalty event in race 9 for Cottina Bale to break the drought for Lisa Rasmussen. Michelle McCool followed up in the tenth when winning at her 2nd SA run for Petar Jovanovic. Then the rot set back in when Hillmark Bale, a 12/1 winner got up in the last.

GOOD LUCK

A special good luck wish to our two representatives in Melbourne on Saturday night. Scull Murphy and Quinton Bale could only be separated by one vote in the 2008 SA Greyhound of the Year. Wouldn't it be great to see them both in the Australian Cup Final; all the best to both Bob Isaacson and Shaun Matcott.

KISS OF DEATH



I definitely put the jinx on the Rob Harnas kennel last Thursday. (I owe you a drink Rob), so it's time to break back into the winner's circle tonight.

Cadman Bale for Kim Johnstone will bounce back tonight in Race 5. This dog walks early but is very strong and should win.

Manhattan Angel looks a class above them in the Breeder's Prelude in race 7. Trained by Laurie Cahalan he hasn't put a paw wrong in recent months and he should win his ninth race at headquarters.

Best eachway – back all of Rob Harnas runners, he is bound to have a better night as I have jumped off his charges. (p.s Red Demon is a special in the 4th).

Trifecta - box up 1-2-3-7 Race 1
 2-4-6-8 Race 3
 2-3-4-7 Race 4

Best roughie – Race 11 Token Ned

JOKE OF THE WEEK

Two classmates were chatting in their lunch break...

"I know how to get money real quick" says one," how?"

"go to your dad and say, "I know the truth" and he'll give you money"

So the young boy went home and said "dad, I know the truth" and

his dad gave him ten dollars and told him not to tell anyone 'the truth'.

He then went to his mother, " Mom, I know the truth" he said.

"Please don't tell your dad" she said and gave him twenty dollars.

Content with thirty dollars he went outside to go to the arcade and saw the milkman. "I know the truth," he shouted out.

The milkman replied "Well come and hug your real father then"

BRAIN TEASER

What are freeways called in Germany?
(turn to the back of Kennel Capers for the answer)

HOT DOGS FOR BREAKFAST

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Proudly sponsored by GRSA, My Ani-mall Pet Food & Accessories and Adelaide Furniture & Electrical. This week on Hot Dogs for Breakfast on 1197 5RPH (every Wednesday morning at 8.00am with Peter Smith and Vaun Gray):

Vaun Gray spoke to Matthew Doherty about his first starter for one win Bone Breaker who has now had 3 starts for 2 wins and one second.

Peter Smith spoke to the 2009 Bunnie of the Year, Melissa Fleming.

Run of the Week: \$20 Peter Damarell betting voucher goes to Super Conquest trained by Matthew Payne ran a p.b. of 30.01, 4.49, 17.11. Congratulations Matthew!!

MAN FROM THE TOWER

Gawler Last Week

Best of the night was Flying Mandy trained by Eddie Holland who went with a strong run of 31.28 – take on trust.

Bob Isaacson trialled two pups, a black & white bitch who went 31.34 and a black dog who went 31.42 – this is a handy litter.

Handslips – A dark brindle dog trained by Lisa Rasmussen went 14.2. Troy Murray trialled a black dog who also went 14.2.

Angle Park Last Night

Best of the night was 30.26 run by a black bitch trained by Petar Jovanovic in an early single. He also trialled a dark brindle dog who won by one length in 30.30, 17.26 and a run home of 13.00.

Todd Kelly trialled Uncle Remus in a special who went 4.62, 17.26, 30.26 and ran home in 13 dead.

Over the 300s - A fawn dog trained by Matthew Payne went 16.11.

Handslips – From the proper spot there were a few who went 15.2, very even and too many too mention.

Specials – All of Todd Kelly's dogs went okay.

Best bet: Tonight:

Race 4 number 4 Red Demon - trained by Rob Harnas, never missed a place over this distance, 7 starts for 3 wins, 2 seconds, 2 thirds.

STEWARDS REPORT by Paul Marks

HEAT POLICY

35 Degrees+ ALL MEETINGS- Meetings cancelled unless a Vet is in attendance.

40 Degrees+ NON TAB MEETINGS- Day and Twilight Meetings cancelled.

TAB MEETINGS and NIGHT

MEETINGS- At the discretion of the Stewards and Vet. Consideration will be given to change TAB day meetings to an earlier start or to a night meeting.

MEETINGS TO BE CANCELLED

Greyhound Racing SA will announce any cancellation or reprogramming at scratching time. Radio TAB will be advised of any alterations. The temperature will be sourced and based on the following.

Angle Park	Metropolitan
Gawler	Elizabeth
Strathalbyn	Strathalbyn
Port Pirie	Port Pirie
Port Augusta	Port Augusta
Whyalla	Whyalla
Kulpara	Maitland
Barmera	Renmark
Mount Gambier	Mount Gambier
Virginia	Metropolitan

RACING

- 1) Kennels to open earlier.
- 2) Greyhounds to spend minimum time outside Kennels.
- 3) Parade directly to starting boxes
- 4) Greyhounds to remain in Kennel House for at least 20 minutes after their event
- 5) Club to provide adequate drinking facilities for Greyhound

NOMINATION DETAILS

Nomination details for meetings from 17th February to 23rd February.

Tuesday 17 th February Gawler	81
Wednesday 18 th February Angle Park	66
Thursday 19 th February Angle Park	97
Saturday 21 st February Pt Augusta	72
Sunday 22 nd February Strathalbyn	79
Monday 23 rd February Angle Park	Ext.

ANGLE PARK TRIALS

ANGLE PARK QUALIFYING TRIALS

Run on Wednesday mornings.

Wednesday 4th March

Wednesday 1st April

Wednesday 6th May

(Graduation and Graded trials only, does not include Maiden heats)

Nominations close with GRSA at 4.00pm on the Tuesday prior.

GAP NEWS

Normal Office Days/Hours

Monday and Thursdays 2pm – 10pm

Wednesdays and Fridays avail by mobile

11am – 6pm 0437527633

*Any paperwork or suggestions/comments can now be left for GAP in the new mail slot that has recently been placed in the GAP office door.

* All GAP merchandise, calendars, Kytons Bakery fundraising forms, Wintergreen Jams are available.

The Gap 2009 Wall and Desk top calendars are available at last years prices of \$15 and \$10 respectively.

BREEDING NEWS

1st January 2009 – 17th February 2009

Leading Stud Dog

Big Daddy Cool	31
Elite State	19
Where's Pedro	18
Collision	13
Hallucinate	13
Kiowa Sweet Trey	12
Elgrando	12
Primo Uno	12

SA BRED WEEKLY UPDATE

ANGLE PARK SA BRED

Thursday 12th February

Cool Keepsake	Owner	K Corby
	Breeder	K Corby

Monday 16th February

Emerley Dancer	Owner	P Hurley
	Breeder	J Hurley
Clean Sheet	Owner	Y King
	Breeder	I Chapman

GAWLER SA BRED

Tuesday 17th February

Flying Mandy	Owner	Eagles Bar (Syn)
	Breeder	Eagles Bar (Syn)
Bone Breaker	Owner	M Doherty
	Breeder	M Doherty
Cashed Up Bogan	Owner	K Bearpark
	Breeder	J Katakasi

These winners all receive a \$100 base payment divided equally between the Owner & Breeder. Then a monthly payment to the Owner will be determined by the number of SA Bred wins at Angle Park (Monday & Thursday) & Gawler for the month.

Monthly Payment Predictor:

Angle Park:

SA Bred Pool: **\$6,000**

February Wins To Date: **8 (5 meetings)**

Meeting Average: **1.6**

Monthly Payment Prediction (**13 wins x 8 meetings**): **\$361.60 per win**

Total Payment per win Prediction for February: **\$461.60**

Gawler:

SA Bred Pool: **\$2,500**

February Wins To Date: **10 (3 meetings)**

Meeting Average: **3.33**

Monthly Payment Prediction (**13 wins x 4 meetings**): **\$92.30 per win**

Total Payment per win Prediction for February: **\$192.30**

These predictions are purely a guide based on the current wins for the month, and will increase or decrease dependent on the remaining winners for the month.

GROUP RACING CALENDAR

Ipswich GRC

Highland Smash Repairs Vince Curry Memorial
(Group 3) First Prize \$25,000
520m. February 7, 18, 25. March 4

MGRA The Meadows

Australian Cup
(Group 1) First Prize \$150,000
525m. February 14, 21, 28

SGRC Sandown Cup

DDC Launching Pad
(Group 3) First Prize \$25,000
515m. February 19, 26.
Contact Club 03 9546 9511

Dapto GRC

Wollongong City Council Cup
(Group 3) First Prize \$15,000
520m. February 19, 26.

Richmond GRC

World 4 Pets Richmond Derby
(Group 2) First Prize \$25,000
535m. February 20, 27

MGRA The Meadows

Australian Stayers Trophy
(Group 1) First Prize \$50,000
725m. February 21, 28

Shoalhaven GRC

Nowra Summer Puppy Classic
(Group 3) First Prize \$15,000
520m. February 23, March 2, 9

Horsham GRC

Westside Tabaret Horsham Cup
(Group 2) First Prize \$28,000
480m. March 4, 8

GWA Cannington

Swan Draught Stayers Challenge
(Group 3) First Prize \$22,500
715m. March 7

GWA Cannington

Swan Draught Sprint Challenge
(Group 3) First Prize \$22,500
530m. March 7

BGRC Albion Park

Bogie Leigh Queensland Futurity
(Group 2) First Prize \$25,000
520m. March 12, 19

SA BREEDING NEWS

1st January 2009 – 17th February 2009

Leading SA Stud Dog

Fortified Speed	3
Silver Saul	3
Lion Hearted	2

Leading Brood Bitch

Corrumbene Lass	5
Jungle Beauty	4
Cabernet Angel	4
Call Kate	3
Squatters Corner	3
Bonnie Colonial	3
Datz A Smile	2
Nirimba Pearl	2
Wedding	2
Our Blue Angel	2
Wedding Kiss	2
Satanic Vixen	2
Dancing Olivia	2

LEADING TRAINER

1st January 2009 – 17th February 2009

Leading Trainer – TAB

Shaun Matcott	37
Lisa Rasmussen	17
Kim Johnstone	15
Trevor Hendry	12
Mike Giniotis	11
Dale Martin	11
Ken McAuley	9
Troy Murray	7
Rob Harnas	6
Con Haagmans	6
Laurie Cahalan	6
Chris Cotton	6
Yvonne King	6

Leading Trainer – NON TAB

Stephen Bartholomew	6
Shaun Matcott	5
Marion Lanyon	3
Ralph Patzel	3
Robert Jones	3

GAWLER NEWS

GAWLER TRIAL NIGHTS - DRINKS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

After several requests, the Gawler Club has now purchased a fridge and with the cooperation of GRSA, will sell a small range of soft drinks and chocolate bars from the office on trial nights. In addition, milk will be available when not sold out on Tuesdays. To make it simple for everyone, all items will be \$2. If you have any suggestions or comments, please advise GGRC as the trial office are only selling what is supplied.

GGRC - GRSA Track Star Award



(1st January 2009 to 17th February 2009)

Leading 1st 2nd 3rd

Greyhound

Cashed Up Bogan	2	1	-
Georgia Rules	2	-	-
Bitta Faith	1	2	-
Sunshine Magoo	1	2	-
Triple Distilled	1	1	2
Kalden Phantom	1	1	-
Amerigo Country	1	1	-
Bullswool	1	1	-
Daddy's Muffin	1	1	-
Little Bitta	1	1	-

(* - meeting conducted by another club – placings removed)

PORT PIRIE NEWS

NEW RACES ADDED TO PORT PIRIE RACING CALENDAR

The new race is to be called "Midway Tavern Summer Cup" over the 516m for grade 5 greyhounds

Heats will be run at our Twilight TAB meeting on the 1st March 2009.

The final also a Twilight TAB meeting will be run on the 15th March 2009 and have total prize money of \$950 plus trophy.

Nominations close on 24th February 2009.

Another new race is to be called the "Silver Eagle Cool Champions".

The Heats will be run at our meeting on March 15th 2009 for grade 5 greyhounds over the 516m and 412m

The final will be run at our Twilight TAB meeting on the 5th April 2009 normal prize money for the final's \$650 all up, with a "Silver Eagle Cool Champions Evaporative Cooling Vest" to both final winners.

MOUNT GAMBIER NEWS

NEW RACE IN CALENDAR

Saturday February 28th

Heats of the Andrew McFarlane Memorial Grade 5 Feature

Saturday March 14th

Final of the Andrew McFarlane Memorial

Heats normal graded prize money, but for the final there is \$100 extra onto winners prize money with place getters as normal.

MT GAMBIER 14TH FEBRUARY REVIEW

Training honours went to the Steve Bartholomew Kennel with a winning treble. The first of Steve's winners was Playford Pacer winning the Glenburnie Bakery / Bread Bin Open Maiden Stake in 31.56 2nd Meering Eagle 3rd Miss Bomb. The next winner for Steve was Just Once winning The Trackside Meats Open Maiden in the best of the day 30.36 2nd Happy Bowler 3rd Lucy Wilds. The last leg of Steve's Treble was Miss Twisted owned By Craig and Deb Hicks and a litter sister to Steve's first winner Playford Pacer she won the S&J Electrical Graduation in 31.01 2nd Claretown Flash 3rd Balmoral Barney. Remo Riot won the first heat of the Barry's Door Service Feature in 30.61 for Ray Keating 2nd Call Me Tilly 3rd Black Jacko. The second heat of the Barry's Door Service Feature was won by Sweeter for Alfonse Couldrey in 30.88 2nd Unique Diva 3rd Remo Cryptic. Sea View Remo for Peter Jones won the Wandillo Meats Open in 16.47 for the 277 metres this is three wins in a row for Sea View Remo who is also leading the Greyhound of the Year at Tara Raceway 2nd Ted's Assassin 3rd Puzzle Pieces. Swarming won The Produce Store Open in 30.53 for Cassandra Billington 2nd Drone 3rd Our Rule, Swarming and Drone are both litter brothers from the strong Kiowa Sweet Trey x Beekeeper litter. Next meeting is February 28th with the final of the Barry's Door Service Feature.

PORT AUGUSTA NEWS

PORT AUGUSTA TRANSFER

Port Augusta has requested to move its Saturday March 21st race meeting, due to a Cricket Final. This meeting will now be run on Sunday 22nd March as a twilight fixture. Nominations will remain as closing on Monday 16th March.

30 YEAR REUNION POSTPONED

The 30 Year Reunion meeting has been postponed until our first day meeting, Anzac Day, 28th April 2009.

BARMERA NEWS

QUALIFYING TRIALS

Following is a list of the qualifying dates for 2009.

22nd March 2009

5th April 2009

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

It was another week of multiple winners yet again with Dale Martin having 4 winners at Port Pirie on Sunday, Steve Bartholomew had 3 winners at Mt Gambier on Saturday and 5 of the 11 races on Monday night at Angle Park were taken out by Murray Bridge trainers with Lisa Rasmussen and Shaun Matcott a double along with Yvonne King.

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CLUB NEWS

ANGLE PARK

Wednesday 25th February

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\$600 Heats SA St Leger - 515m (For greyhounds whelped on or after 1.7.06. Unraced greyhounds are ineligible. Classic Event - No penalties or awards apply. Semis - 5.3.09, Final 12.3.09)

Noms close 9-00am Friday 20th February

Thursday 26th February

\$1,000 Veterans Stake - Non Penalty - 515m (For greyhounds 4yrs old or over at time of nomination - must have raced in the previous 3 months)

\$1,800 SA Bred Grade 5-515m

\$2,575 Best 8 - 515m

2,775 Best 8 - 731m

Noms close 9-00am Monday 23rd February

Monday 2nd March

\$950 Rapidvite February Juvenile Final - 515m (Heats Monday 23.2.09)

\$1,000 SA Bred Graduation - 515m

\$1,050 Grade 4/5 - 600m

\$1,300 Grade 5 - 731m

Noms close 9-00am Wednesday 25th February

GAWLER

Tuesday 3rd March

\$675 Juvenile - 531m

\$800 SA Bred Grade 5 - 531m

\$950 Free For All - Non Penalty - 643m

Normal Graded Events - 531m

Noms close 9-00am Thursday 26th February

PORT AUGUSTA

Sunday 22nd March Twilight

\$700 Ian's Chicken Hut Feature Maiden - 447m

\$650 SA Bred Grade 5 - 503m

Normal Graded Events

Noms close 9-00am Monday 16th March

STRATHALBYN

Sunday 8th March (Day)

\$550 SA Bred - Grade 5 - 536m

\$550 Open - 762m

Noms close 9-00am Tuesday 3rd March

MT GAMBIER

Saturday 28th February

\$700 "The Barry Door Services" Grade 5 Final - 512m (Heats 14.2.09)

Heats Andrew McFarlane Memorial Grade 5 - 512m (Final 14.3.09)

\$550 SA Bred Grade 5 - 512m

Normal Graded Events

Noms close 9-00am Monday 23rd February

PORT PIRIE

Sunday 1st March (Twilight -TAB)

\$650 Maiden Heats - 412m (Final 15.3.09)

\$650 Midway Tavern Summer Cup Heats - Grade 5 - 516m (Final 15.3.09)

\$700 Free For All - 516m (Grade 5 greyhounds must nominate for this event)

Noms close 9-00am Tuesday 24th February

BARMERA

Saturday 28th March

\$560 Heats Riverland Cup Open - 512m (Final 11.4.09)

Normal Graded Events

Noms close 9-00am Tuesday 24th March

COUNTRY RESULTS

MOUNT GAMBIER 14 FEB 2009

M, 277 m - (3.20) **BANGA BANJO** (Pure Octane x Mystical Jane), 1; (2.30) Meering Cyclone, 2; (2.50) Staralise, 3. Others (in finishing order) - Yabbie's A Camo, Coal Fired, Call Me Wayne, Tiger's A Camo, Kelvin Magic. 5, 3, 2. 2.50 x 1.25. 17.04. **N. A. Stanley.**

M, 512 m - (2.10) **PLAYFORD PACER** (Kings Cadet x Demi Lou), 1; (4.00) Meering Eagle, 2; (2.40) Miss Bomb, 3. Others - Unique Irish, Leer Deano, Manami Princess, Texas Star, Typhoon Bomber. 2, 3, 5. 2.75 x 1.50. 31.56. **S. I. Bartholomew.**

M, 512 m - (6.00) **RIPIN' RAINBOW** (Silver Saul x Rainbow Tulip), 1; (6.00) Leer Eddio, 2; (3.60) Lisa's Rule, 3. Others - Smashing Red, Gentle Solo, Camo's Sparkle, Cape Trick, Typhoon Sue. 4, 1, 2. 6.00 x 0.5hd. 30.99. **B. M. Rogers.**

M, 512 m - (3.10) **JUST ONCE** (Primo Uno x Killarney Magic), 1; (2.00) Happy Bowler, 2; (4.00) Lucy Wilds, 3. Others - Flow's Escape, Elite Keysy, Typhoon Edwina, Camo's Lizzy. 7, 2, 4. 8.75 x 0.75. 30.36. **S. I. Bartholomew.**

G, 512 m - (8.00) **MISS TWISTED** (Kings Cadet x Demi Lou), 1; (4.20) Claretown Flash, 2; (8.00) Balmoral Barney, 3. Others - Our Keeper, Shiraz Ruler, Lila Mackenzie, Camo's Pirate, Jack Wilds. 8, 4, 6. 2.00 x 4.50. 31.01. **S. I. Bartholomew.**

O, 277 m - (1.90) **SEA VIEW REMO** (Hotline Hero x Tanner Queen), 1; (3.70) Ted's Assassin, 2; (3.80) Puzzle Pieces, 3. Others - Magic Elite, Missing Pieces, Caleb Cool, Brooke's Record, Loveless Girl. 8, 3, 6. 1.00 x 1.00. 16.47. **R. P. Jones.**

G5, 512 m - (2.70) **REMO RIOT** (Big Daddy Cool x Super Rocket), 1; (3.00) Call Me Tilly, 2; (8.00) Black Jacko, 3. Others - Carry On Bond, Salty Sal, Collosti, Madison's Gift, Nicky's Tess. 7, 4, 8. 6.00 x 2.75. 30.61. **R. J. Keating.**

G5, 512 m - (5.00) **SWEETER** (Zed Three x Infinite Dreams), 1; (2.50) Unique Diva, 2; (2.50) Remo Cryptic, 3. Others - Diamond Safari, Leer Col, Devil Moon, Flying Piranha, Kori Jet. 8, 6, 7. 7.00 x 3.75. 30.88. **A. Couldrey.**

O, 512 m - (3.00) **SWARMING** (Kiowa Sweet Trey x Beekeeper), 1; (2.10) Drone, 2; (7.00) Our Rule, 3. Others - Max's Wish, Tickets Please, Levarg Fury, Maiko Warrior, Cool Senna. 1, 7, 4. 1.75 x 2.75. 30.53. **C. Billington.**

G5, 277 m - (2.10) **STEALTHY LEE** (Droopy's Puzzle x Christy Lee), 1; (5.00) Street Star, 2; (3.00) Sea View Moon, 3. Others - Pozieres, Kiss Bang Bang, Raymond Kwok, Bourne Ambition, Rhycoo. 7, 3, 6. 4.00 x 0.5hd. 16.86. **D. G. Blake.**

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M, 516 m - (3.00) **CYRIL** (Kiowa Sweet Trey x Couлта Sandy), 1; (9.00) Impromptu, 2; (6.00) Windyalla, 3. Others (in finishing order) - Bitta Beer, Kakadu Girl, Contrary Mary. 7, 8, 2. 3.75 x 8.25. 30.97. **D. L. Martin.**

M, 412 m - (4.80) **SO SAUCY** (Just The Best x Bahloo Flyer), 1; (5.50) Old Royale, 2; (13.00) Unique Justice, 3. Others - Kansas Waltz, Not So Ugly, Angry Frog, Rekka. 1, 4, 3. 9.00 x 7.75. 24.82. **D. L. Martin.**

M, 412 m - (3.00) **FUNNY STUFF** (Kiowa Sweet Trey x Couлта Sandy), 1; (4.80) Phaeton Image, 2; (1.90) Expert Eyes, 3. Others - Speedy Pause, Modern Marsha, Stately Lad. 8, 7, 1. 4.25 x 4.50. 25.35. **D. L. Martin.**

G, 412 m - (3.60) **JUJU MAGOO** (History Lesson x Precious Magoo), 1; (2.50) Shady Lizard, 2; (4.20) Kinky Boots, 3. Others - Anton Bale, Mobhi Mac, Seven Year Itch, Two Buck Chuck, Raven Lady. 6, 3, 2. 5.75 x 1.50. 24.45. **A. R. Digance.**

G5, 412 m - (4.60) **CHITIMACHA** (Gable Lafourche x Toni's Currency), 1; (2.50) Nicko Bale, 2; (10.00) Scully Bale, 3. Others - Bonnie Cool, Derwent Bale, Volcom Bale, Diamond Line. 2, 1, 3. 3.00 x 2.75. 24.19. **G. C. Rawlings.**

G5, 412 m - (4.60) **BONNIE COLLIDE** (Collide x Bonnie Colonial), 1; (4.00) Isle Aska, 2; (6.00) Essay Star, 3. Others - Sculpted, Aquanita Bale, Black Nick, My Shenanigans, Resena Bale. 1, 2, 3. 2.00 x 5.25. 24.49. **G. K. Luland.**

FFA, 412 m - (3.60) **GRUMPY SNAPPA** (Hallucinate x Looks Awesome), 1; (4.00) Piccalo Bale, 2; (3.20) Dad's Gamble, 3. Others - Iconic Ruler, Divorcee, Uno Which Oak. 4, 8, 2. 2.50 x 1.25. 24.29. **Y. B. Maxwell.**

G, 516 m - (3.40) **TARA BALE** (Primo Uno x Arivada Bale), 1; (10.00) Lone Country, 2; (3.50) Sledge, 3. Others - One Step Closer, Tabu Soro, Lizzie Slugwell, Grotty Greenbag, Isa Shady. 3, 1, 4. 7.75 x 1.25. 30.76. **S. D. Matcott.**

G5 NP, 516 m - (6.00) **SPRING MIST** (Pure Octane x Percentage), 1; (2.40) Big Momma Choda, 2; (6.00) Benny Cash, 3. Others - Secret Kisses, Abby's Token, Major Money, Emerley Shine. 5, 2, 7. 2.25 x 5.50. 30.90. **T. R. Hendry.**

X4/5, 516 m - (3.80) **IRINKA MARLEY** (Hallucinate x Irinka Natalie), 1; (1.90) Fortified Call, 2; (5.00) Blitzem Ryght, 3. Others - Rainbow Shoes, Conner's Angel, Barely There, Kelvin John, Angel Falls. 1, 4, 3. 1.50 x 5.25. 30.70. **D. L. Martin.**

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