

Tree Of Knowledge Cup Race Meeting Beaten Only by Birdsville in the CW

The Tree of Knowledge Cup Race meeting held on Saturday May 1 attracted the biggest crowd the meeting has ever experienced according to Barcaldine Racing Club President, Mr Gerry Fogarty.

Mr Fogarty said, the Tree of Knowledge Cup Race meeting is now the biggest in the Central West and only the Birdsville races are bigger.

”If we continue to promote the Tree of Knowledge Cup race meeting and obtain more sponsorship, this race meeting will be well established on the racing calendar as the biggest and the best in the west,” he said.

The feature race, The Tree of Knowledge Cup was run over 1600 meters and attracted a quality field of seven horses.

This year the Cup, sponsored by the Australian Workers Union, was worth \$13,000.00 with the winner collecting \$8,500.00.

Mr Fogarty thanked the AWU very much for their support to sponsor the race to the value of \$7,000.00.

“When you get support such as this it just makes the race meeting so much better with trainers and owners wanting to bring their horses to Barcy because of the increased prize money,” said Mr Fogarty

The winner of the Tree of Knowledge Cup was Ilfracombe’s Henry Foster trained Decerto ridden by Cheryl Rodgers from Roma.

The three bookies and tote were kept very busy with many punters joining the winning queue.

Many keen race goers also came along to see well known Australian jockey, Allan “Robbo” Robinson ride at the meeting.

Robbo had four rides in the five event program.

While Robbo didn’t ride a winner for visiting Rockhampton trainer, Neil Boyle he did ride a third place getter.

Local trainer, Todd Austin had a great day leading in three winners: Brom Star, Blitzkrieg and Red Sundown, all ridden by Todd’s stable jockey, Butch Mules.

The other winner on the day was Taim Won't Wait trained by Charlie Prow and ridden by David Rewald.

The other event on the day which attracted a lot of attention was the Fashions of the Fields for the ladies and gents.

Shannon Simpson won the ladies event and Andrew Ewan won the gents.

Race Meeting: Barcaldine RC Barcaldine 1/05/2010

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Race 1. 1000M BARCALDINE RETRAVISION Class B Handicap [\(return to top\)](#)

HORSE	Rider	Fin	SP
TAIM WON'T WAIT	DAVID REWALD	1st	\$2.25F
LA TOMATINA	CHERYL ROGERS	2nd	\$3.20
PRINCE RAINIER	CAMERON DIXON	3rd	\$3
MAGOG	ROY MULES	4th	\$5
BILLKAY	DAVID MONAGHAN	5th	\$5
SENRORINA	ALLAN ROBINSON	6th	\$6
TURN	DOT SLACK-SMITH	7th	\$15

BELLACIANO Scratched

Race 2. 1000M GLOBE HOTEL Maiden Plate [\(return to top\)](#)

HORSE	Rider	Fin	SP
RED	ROY	1st	\$3.50
SUNDOWN	MULES		
TERESA	CAMERON	2nd	\$2F
	DIXON		
WILD BLUE	CHERYL	3rd	\$3
LADY	ROGERS		
HAYIL	DAVID	4th	\$4
MOONIE	REWALD		
DOINGITTUFF	DOT	5th	\$10
	SLACK-		
	SMITH		

Race 3. 1200M BARCALDINE REGIONAL COUNCIL Class 5 Handicap [\(return to top\)](#)

HORSE	Rider	Fin	SP
BLITZKRIEG	ROY	1st	\$3
	MULES		
PALOLO	DAVID	2nd	\$5
DEEP	REWALD		
AVAGO	RHETT	3rd	\$12
DELBOY	BELLERT		
TIMELESS	ALLAN	4th	\$5
HONOUR	ROBINSON		
CAWDOR	CAMERON	5th	\$2F
TONY	DIXON		
REVOLVA	DAVID	6th	\$20
	MONAGHAN		

Race 4. 1600M ALLAN HANNAY MEMORIAL Class 3 Plate [\(return to top\)](#)

HORSE	Rider	Fin	SP
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BROM STAR	ROY	1st	\$1.80F
	MULES		
TWO	DAVID	2nd	\$4
GENERATIONS(NZ)	REWALD		
PALEFACE	ALLAN	3rd	\$12
WARRIOR	ROBINSON		
TARA FICUS	CAMERON	4th	\$5
	DIXON		
RUBELATION	DAVID	5th	\$25
	MONAGHAN		
CRAIGLEA	CHERYL	6th	\$5
TAMBO	ROGERS		
RANGE ROVER	DOT	7th	\$8
	SLACK-		
	SMITH		
CHALAMBAR	RHETT	8th	\$25
	BELLERT		

**Race 5. 1600M THE AUSTRALIAN WORKERS' UNION TREE
OF KNOWLEDGE CUP OPEN Hcp [\(return to top\)](#)**

HORSE	Rider	Fin	SP
DECERTO	CHERYL ROGERS	1st	\$4
EVADING	RHETT BELLERT	2nd	\$2F
EQUITANT	DAVID REWALD	3rd	\$5
FINAL DEMAND	ALLAN ROBINSON	4th	\$2.50
STUFF UP	DAVID MONAGHAN	5th	\$6
HATANGI	CAMERON DIXON	6th	\$8
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