

The Inside Rail

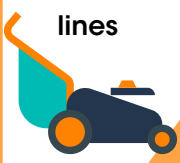


SSSSSSome tips to avoid snakes

With warm and dry conditions expected this summer, it is important to remember that snakes are more likely to be on the move seeking food, water and shelter.

There are some simple steps you can take to protect your greyhounds.

Mow lawns and keep grass away from fence lines



Regularly check wire fencing



Remove rubbish and debris



Securely store food sources



Health alert: Parvo virus

Cases of parvo virus have been reported in the Hunter and Central Coast regions. Parvo virus is highly contagious and life-threatening, so it's important to check your greyhounds are up to date with vaccinations. If your greyhound appears unwell, seek vet advice.

CAUTION

Pressing paws for the festive period

The Christmas-New Year ho-ho-holidays are fast approaching, so now is the time to ensure that everything is in order and your greyhounds are ready to race over the festive period!

Vaccinations, transfers, registrations, renewals, naming - are they on your shopping list?

Simply use eTrac to get your notifications to us so they can be processed before the GWIC office closure period from noon Friday, 22 December 2023 until 8.30am on Monday, 8 January 2024.



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Signing up for eTrac is easy!

- 1) Head to the GWIC website and click on the create eTrac account button
- 2) Click 'register here'
- 3) Enter your details and click 'next'
- 4) You will be sent an email with your username and a link to create your password.

From the Stewards' box

SCAN AND PLAN: A reminder that Anabolic Androgenic Steroids are permanently banned substances and should never be in a greyhound's system.

Using injectable testosterone for the action of oestrus suppression in racing females can result in a positive swab.

If seeking advice on medications to control oestrus in female racing greyhounds, simply scan here:



SCAN ME! >>>



Code of practice

Part 2: Food glorious food

DELICIOUS AND NUTRIOUS: All

greyhounds must be fed at least once daily. Food must be provided in sufficient quantity and nutritional quality. It must be canine-appropriate and meet daily requirements for the greyhound's age, size, condition and level of activity. Food must not contain raw offal.

