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## **Youngsters rushing for Gold**

After eighteen outstanding heats and four keenly contested semi finals eight exciting youngsters are set to battle it out for the \$10,000 first prize in Sunday evening's 2015 K9 Racers Syndication Gold Rush Maiden Final.

Kialla trainer Michael Carter has qualified two littermates for the rich final with Detroit Tiger likely to start favourite after drawing box two in the final despite being defeated albeit by the narrowest of margins in his semi final.

After an explosive 23.65 heat win from box two on Friday, Detroit Tiger missed the start from box eight this afternoon and had to work hard around the pack in the run to the first turn and just missed catching Uptown Funk on the line with a nose separating the pair in 23.91.

The ideal draw on Sunday for the son of Bit Chilli and Activity will no doubt see him the punters elect in early markets while undefeated litter mate Same Day, a 23.88 heat winner and 24.08 semi final victor has drawn awkwardly in box six.

While Detroit Tiger's heat time of 23.65 is the fastest of the series to date it was only marginally faster than the semi finals effort of Zoltina's Legacy who clocked 23.68 despite being poorly away and this pair look exciting sprinters for the future.

Zoltina's Legacy impressed in an emphatic heat victory clocking 23.83 on an extremely windy day last Thursday that was not conducive to fast times and that effort was franked today with an outstanding win.

The son of former top Bendigo sprinter Sir Prize and Zoltina Jay has explosive pace but now has to contend with box seven after saluting twice to date from box three.

With little separating the remainder of the field the 11th running of the Gold Rush Maiden is sure to be a cracking contest on what is set to be an outstanding card of greyhound racing action on Easter Sunday with no less than six feature race finals on the twelve race program.

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