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POSTPONED AUCTION SERIES NOW CANCELLED

It is with great disappointment that due to significantly low number of nominations the deferred Ready 2 Race auction series that was to be held in March has now been cancelled.

With the 2020 auction forced to be postponed from its traditional date of November due to Covid19 restrictions, the BGR was keen to see the event take place and rescheduled the auction series to align the with the annual Gold Rush Carnival.

“Its unfortunate to not get the numbers we require and in fact we fell a long way short for the deferred auction. We were looking forward to testing the waters for two auctions per year and obviously the end result is not what we had hoped but its not the end of the world” said Harley.

“Whether the uncertainty around Covid played a role, a shortage of available dogs, the different timing or other factors I am not certain but one thing I do know is that the BGR will be working on doing all it can to ensure the November auction is as successful as it has been in the past in its traditional time period” added Harley.

Harley concluded “We thank those who did nominate for their support and the host of potential buyers that enquired about catalogues and look forward to seeing a big turnout later in the year”.

While the Ready 2 Race auction will not be held in March the BGR has plenty to focus on with the annual Gold Rush Carnival commencing March 25 and the last of seven race meetings in eleven days set down for Easter Sunday April 4.
