



Australian Greyhound
Racing Association

MEDIA RELEASE

8th July 2017

AGRA GREYHOUND OF THE MONTH JUNE 2017

“MISTER TWISTER”

AGRA's Greyhound of the Month for June is brilliant New South Wales sprinter Mister Twister following his outstanding win in the Group 1 Ladbrokes Peter Mosman Classic at Wentworth Park on June 17th.

Mister Twister, whose racetrack fortunes were transformed when he underwent a tonsillectomy earlier this year, lifted his earnings to more than \$250,000 when he led throughout in the Mosman Classic.



Mister Twister in action winning at Richmond (Pic Greyhound Recorder)

Mister Twister, jumped brilliantly from box five to defeat gallant Victorian and race favourite Up Hill Jill, who was contesting her sixth group final for the year, by three lengths.

“From box five he really needed to nail the start and he certainly did that,” Luke Murray, head of the Tiger Seven Syndicate which bought Mister Twister as a puppy at auction for \$21,000, said after the race.

Chasin' Crackers, also from Victoria, was third all the way, one-and-a-half lengths astern, with the winner covering the 520m in 29.71. That time equalled Bessy Boo's 2014 figures and bettered the 29.83 posted last year by Buck Forty, but was a long way short of Fernando Bale's race record of 29.27 set in 2015.

Continued Page 2...

The win extended Mister Twister's overall career record to 14 wins from 32 starts and comes less than a month after the greyhound won the lucrative \$100,000 Richmond Riches.

Mister Twister is a Black Dog whelped January 2015 by Collision from Double Twist (Where's Pedro x Tifi) he raced by the Tiger Seven Syndicate and trained by Jason Mackay from Richmond Vale in New South Wales. He has raced 34 times for 14 wins and 12 placings. His current stake earnings stand at \$254,885.

AGRA congratulates owners Tiger Seven Syndicate, trainer Jason Mackay and Mister Twister on being awarded the AGRA Greyhound of the Month for June 2017. She joins last month's winner Fanta Bale (2), Falcon's Fury and Lightning Frank as the AGRA Greyhound of the Month winners for 2017.

For more information please contact:

Neil Brown
AGRA Publicity Officer
Tel: 03 97691234
Mob: 0423 129 950
nbrown@agra.com.au