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AGRA RUN OF THE MONTH AWARD MARCH 2016

“UNLAWFUL ENTRY”

The AGRA'S Run of the Month for March 2016 has been awarded to top class Victorian sprinter the very talented Unlawful Entry.



He won the award for his outstanding effort to record a new track record at Sandown Park on March 17. Unlawful Entry broke Bekim Bale's long standing track record in a dazzling display of speed at Sandown Park.

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Jumping from box 1, Unlawful Entry pinged to the front and was never challenged, extending his lead at every split and racing to an 8½ length win in 28.951 – 0.009 seconds under Bekim Bale’s previous record.

“Once he jumped I knew he’d run quick, and when I saw his second split I just thought ‘wow’,” said his elated trainer Kelly Bravo.

“I looked up at the clock when they crossed the line and I actually read the clock wrong – I thought he had run 29.35. I thought ‘oh well, he got home a little bit slow but a win’s a win.’ But then I heard the race caller Rob Testa say it’s the track record.

“He’s a fast little dog so it’s not surprising he ran that time, but it was surprising that he’d jumped that well.

Unlawful Entry’s rise to the country’s elite chasers has been remarkable given the modest start to his career. He had won three of his first 10 starts when Kelly’s husband Brett spotted Unlawful Entry advertised for sale online. Brett completed the deal, and then set Unlawful Entry for the group 2 Great Chase. He subsequently won his heat, semi-final and final, then went on to win the listed Cup Night Sprint and Group 1 Hobart Thousand, and has reached a further five group finals.

Since arriving in the Bravo kennels in September 2015, Unlawful Entry has won 11 of 22 starts and with his track record win, took his career prize money to \$218,915. Unlawful Entry is raced and trained by Brett Bravo at Lara he is a Brindle & White dog whelped December 2013 by Knocka Norris from She Ain’t Late (Late Late Show x Little Bit Shy).

As usual there were some outstanding runs recorded in March on various tracks around Australia. However given how rare it is to set a city track record against the best dogs in training, Unlawful Entry got the nod as the Run of the Month.

AGRA congratulates owners & trainers Brett & Kelly Bravo and Unlawful Entry after being judged the AGRA Run of the Month for March 2016. He joins last month’s winner Black Bear Lee, January winner Cash In Motion, December 2015 winner Lithgow Panther, November winner Bourbski Fever, October winner Blazin’ Bomber, September winner Brad Hill Billy, August winner Fantastic Dotty and July winner Lady Toy as the contenders for this year’s AGRA Run of the Year for 2015-16.

Checkout the AGRA Website for a replay of the run of the Month

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