



The Owners' Monthly

Newsletter

Sussex Cup & Regency Finals

After being delayed several months, The Regency final winner of 2020 was Zascandil!

With the Sussex Cup Final winning spot being bagged by Bocko's Doomie.

A huge congratulations to all connections involved!



A Quick Update

We are excited to announce that we are officially opening our doors to our owners and patrons once again, starting from Thursday 10th & Saturday 12th September, albeit with a few changes to ensure we can open safely whilst following all government guidelines, some of these changes will include tables being 2 metres apart (as discussed in the last update) and another major change is that all tables will have to be booked in advance and receive table service to enter the stadium (regardless of the day).

As such, we will not be able to accept walk-ins on the day.

We understand that this may be an inconvenience to some, but we thank you for your patience and understanding.

We hope as many of you book in as you can!

Craft Fair

The response to our crafts fair for Sunday 29th November has had such an incredible response that we have decided to expand the stall area to upstairs!

Thank you to everyone who has already booked a stall, recommended to a friend, or simply shared our post on social media.

The Retired Greyhound Trust has booked a stall and we would love to see as many of our owners and trainers there as we can!

If you want to book a stall, it's not too late! Please email Kelly at:

kelly.jolly@gvcgroup.com.

Hall of Fame

We have included a long overdue addition to our Hall of Fame board in Gunner Smith...

GUNNER SMITH

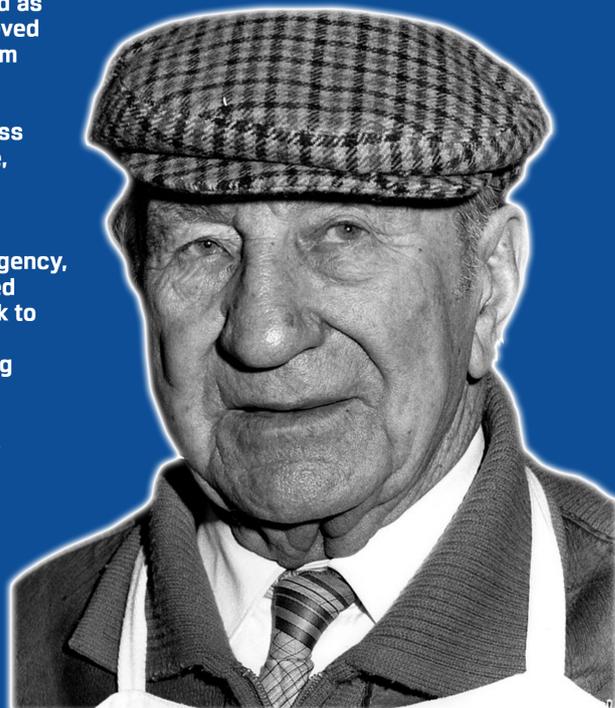
GUNNER SMITH, of a similar stature to George Curtis, was heralded as one of the greatest trainers of the post-war era and he still achieved big-race finalists as an octogenarian just prior to his farewell from Hove at the end of 1991.

Albourne was the base for the handler who handled such top-class performers as Luxury Liner, Bellini, Jingling Star, Westlands Steve, Seagulls (late Glen Eagle), Laugh Lines, Westlands Bridge, Macs Jeannie, Lulus Hero, House Hunter and Sambuca.

Gunner Smith's Bunny Hoard won the inaugural running of the Regency, which was initially a Produce Stakes and later became an all-aged stayers' feature in 1966, and the perpetual trophy was taken back to Albourne by Smith on six other occasions - by Box Hedge (1954), Barnaby Rudge (1956), Mr Watt (1960), Luxury Liner (1961), Jingling Star (1979) and Macs Jeanie (1984).

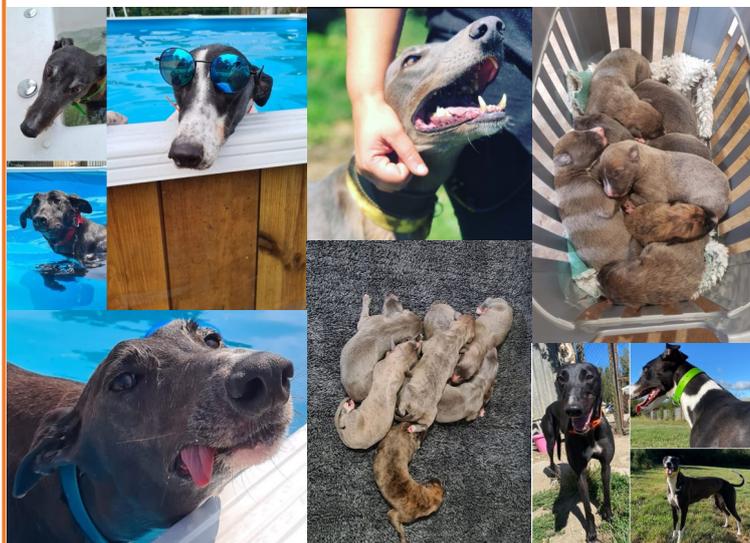
In the twilight of his career his best greyhound was Young Jaime, who won the 1991 Racing Post Bags Championship final at Hove, the E Coomes Challenge at Hove as well as finishing third to Shanavulin Bingo in the Olympic and second to Lyons Monks in the Sussex Cup.

Owners including Jimmy 'Mr Hove' Jupp, John Joicey, Stan Banks, Bernie Pierce, Colin Barnett, Brian Reeves, Sue Bunn, Peter Horne, Alec Kovats, David Humphreys, Tony Noble and Robert Delacour all had particularly fond memories with the kennel and Doreen Barwick, Smith's head girl, took over from the retiring Gunner Smith in January, 1992.



Your Pictures

We would again like to thank everyone who has sent in pictures of their fur babies to us and would love to receive even more to update our social medias with! We absolutely love to see what our little friends are getting up to!



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Brighton & Hove Greyhound Stadium

QUIZ NIGHT

Gather Your Teams!

We're hosting a quiz night in order to raise money for the Retired Greyhound Trust.

We'd love to have you here to enjoy a night of quality quizzing for a great cause!

FRIDAY 20TH NOVEMBER

18:30 - 21:30

**£3pp ADMISSION ONLY, OR
£6pp WITH A PLATTER TO SHARE
TEAMS OF UP TO 6**

Contact Kelly at kelly.jolly@gvcgroup.com
or give us a call on 01273 013334
to book your team in!



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