

# Bromac Lodge News

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## EXTREME FORM SEES SMUDGE WIN AGAIN

Extremely consistent is a good way to describe **Smudge Bromac**.

The four year old might have had a very late start to his season but he wracked up his fifth win from just 10 starts when he won at Cobram last week on a day that saw another **Bromac** in **Extreme Bromac** make his Australian debut.

**Smudge Bromac** went out the favourite in his event, just ... over recent kiwi import and tough guy **Rare Surprise**. The latter had the lead throughout with **Smudge** sitting in the death outside him until 400m out when he was asked to start getting a bit more serious.

The two of them were soon clear of the rest and turned for home head to head but in the end, the tenacity of little guy **Smudge Bromac** was just too much and he crossed the line first.

Apart from his five wins this season he has placed second in every other of his five starts, a feat few could match. He has a seasonal best of 1:56 flat.

At the other end of the scale **Extreme Bromac** had to wait until the last race of the day for his first Australian start and he made it a good one too.

Drawn three on the second row he was caught 3 wide for the first half of the 1,670m journey and then sat outside the leader during the last lap until surging to the lead and coming home 5 metres ahead of race favourite **Spiral Jet**.

**Extreme Bromac** covered the journey in a time of 2:03.6 with the mile rating 1:59.1 and the last quarter in a swift 27.7.

He also won in a short career in NZ when he won a mobile 2200m event at Invercargill in May in what turned out to be his final start in New Zealand. He finished in the first five in seven of his ten NZ starts.