

Bromac Lodge News

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CAPTAIN BROMAC TOO STRONG IN FORBURY WIN

Too big and too strong was an apt summation of **Captain Bromac**'s win at Forbury Park last night (June 11).

The **Falcon Seelster** 4YO shared tote favouritism with **Uroc M'Lady** but while he bought home the goods to his supporters, hers with not so lucky with a last place finish in the twelve horse field.

Captain Bromac drew 13 over the mobile 2200m and had a tough run for the first lap. Hunted out he was briefly second in the three wide line in the initial settling of the field but then raced in the open three wide for almost half a lap after his "cover" **Camsplace Dexter** took the death seat outside the leader.

Driver Paul Court wasn't going to stay stuck in no-man's land though and continued to push **Captain Bromac** forward to momentarily sit in the death outside **Seafield Cullen**.

By the time they had completed the first lap **Captain Bromac** had then been urged into the lead, thus having had no chance of a breather in the half of the race.

As they rounded the home turn **Captain Bromac** could have been forgiven for starting to battle, instead he pulled clear by a couple of lengths and never looked like being beaten ... to the degree that Court only raised the persuader to him twice and more as a safeguard than a necessity.

It was the 4YO's fourth win, taking his earnings over \$27,000 and even more importantly gaining winning black type by covering the 2300m in a mile rate of 1:59.9. He had subsequently placed in better than that but now has a stand alone sub-2:00 record of his own.

The overall time for the event was 2:44 flat with the last half in 58.2 and the final quarter in 27.8.

He is the fifth 2:00 performer of his dam, the all American bred **Classic Blue Jeans** and a full brother to NZ's former fastest pacer ever **Attorney General** (p, 1:48.8US \$323,098) and a half brother to promising West Australian 3YO **Crown Bromac** (p3, 1:57.7).

Further information on Captain Bromac's pedigree can be attained by accessing either his dam Classic Blue Jeans or half sister Crown Defender.