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### **Man, what a run: Greenough's young star flies at The Meadows**

Popular trainer Kel Greenough looks to have unearthed another star after the classy Marbro Man sizzled around The Meadows in heat two of the Group 1 Silver Chief on Saturday night.

The son of Elite State and Simerema Lass jumped very well from box three, surging to the early lead, stopping the clock at 5.11 at the first split, slightly ahead of Vic Breeders winner Swanky Lee. However it was his second sectional that had tongues wagging, with the black chaser running an amazing 17.56, just .04 outside El Grand Senor's sectional record, set back in July this year. Getting weary after such an awesome turn of speed, Marbro Man held off the fast-finishing Swanky Lee by half a length in a Best of Night 29.95.

Young star Sir Prize continued the outstanding start to his career (nine wins from 10 starts), taking out the first heat in 29.98 over the impressive Ima Hologram, while the Graeme Bate-trained Stanford Bale (29.99) was the other heat winner to run under the 30-second barrier for the night.

Recent Group 3 Young Star Classic winner Kilty Lad (\$2) was another to qualify for next Saturday's semi finals, defeating the classy Salvador Bale by two and three-quarter lengths in 30.04. Other notable performances included Jeff Britton's Star Diamond, who ran slick splits of 5.01 and 17.58 before his 30.20 victory, while Vee Best Vane looks one of the leading chances in the series after leading all the way to score in 30.02.

Next Saturday night will see the running of four semi finals of the Group 1 Silver Chief, with first and second placegetters qualifying for the \$50,000-to-the-winner final, run on New Years Day.

For heat results of the Group 1 Silver Chief, click [here](#)

*Great dining packages are available throughout the Group 1 Silver Chief Classic at The Meadows. For more information, call 9355 5222 or go to [www.themeadows.org.au](http://www.themeadows.org.au)*

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