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Stars draw well for Group 2 City of Hume Cup final

Fastest heat winners McDoom and Lektra Jay have drawn side by side in boxes two and three in Monday-week's Group 2 City of Hume Cup final over 600 metres at The Meadows.

Both greyhounds won their respective heats in a flying 34.36 and clearly look the greyhounds to beat in the \$40,000-to-the-winner final.

McDoom, who made the semi finals of the recent Group 1 Paws Of Thunder series, sped to the early lead in his heat, giving nothing else a chance (splits of 9.08 and 22.02), and looks suited in box two. Lektra Jay – trained by Andrea Dailly, who has two runners in the final – recorded faster splits of 8.90 and 21.90, highlighting the importance of a clean getaway over the 600-metre journey.

Their main dangers appear to be the classy Premier Baloney (box one), who has failed to miss a place in five attempts over the journey, and Graeme Bate's chaser Stack 'Em Flat, who boasts an amazing 34.20PB at the track and a withering finishing burst.

The Group 2 City of Hume Cup – set down for Melbourne Cup eve (October 31) – is one of the premier nights on the racing calendar at The Meadows, and a favourite among families. The night will also see the running of the Sport 927 Silver Bullet over 525 metres, worth \$15,000 to the winner.

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Box	Greyhound	Trainer	PB
	Premier Baloney	Kelly Bravo	34.47
	McDoom	Jason Thompson	34.36
	Lektra Jay	Andrea Dailly	34.36
	Shintaro Samurai	Rodney Clark	34.88
	Stack 'Em Flat	Graeme Bate	34.20
	Stetson Lily	Peter Dundon	34.77
	Dyna Max	Andrea Dailly	34.75
	Karanji	Angela Langton	NBT
	Barrique	Robert Britton	34.59
	Dyna Digger	Andrea Dailly	35.16

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