



*Cristy Godfrey with Cici's Girl, Robbie Welch with Kea Kaha, and Denis Godfrey with Rusty Lass.*

## *Robbie just loves speedy pooch*

**THERE is no prouder dog man in the Cairns area than Robbie Welch. The source of his pride is a veteran galloper called Kea Kaha (Point Two-Malawi Fox) who has become more than a pet for Robbie and the dog's owner-trainer Denis Godfrey.**

**Robbie has been part of the Godfrey family almost all his life and has reveled in fact Kea Kaha is back in top form and winning races again since returning to Cairns.**

**Kea Kaha gave Robbie and Denis' daughter Cristy reason to celebrate when he won the Christmas Cup recently.**

**Denis admits Kea Kaha came home to retire when he returned from a successful campaign in Brisbane where he was an Albion Park winner among his nine wins in the south-east.**

**But Kea Kaha's form slipped and Godfrey made the decision his dog could return home for a life as a house pet on the family property at Cardwell midway between Cairns and Townsville.**

**Godfrey admits that his daughter Cristy and Robbie took over the care of Kea Kaha who almost immediately responded.**

**Godfrey, who has been at Cardwell for the past seven years since moving from Beaudesert, decided to let the pair put Kea Kaha back into training.**

**"The pair of them have adopted this dog," said Denis.**

**"Robbie idolizes this dog and the way he went in the Christmas Cup final, it looks as though he has plenty of racing in him yet."**