

Inquiries

**CURRENT INQUIRIES -**

**WALKER, Rodney** – official racing laboratories' reported the detection of *arsenic* above the threshold level in a sample taken from the greyhound *Enfield Ellen* at Hobart on 25 May 2017. *Inquiry date to be set.*

**JOHNSON, Michael** – official racing laboratories' reported the detection of *arsenic* and *cobalt* above the threshold level in a sample taken from the greyhound *Felicity Smoak* at Devonport on 23 May 2017. *Inquiry date to be set.*

**COMPLETED INQUIRES -**

**BRUNTON, Scott** – official racing laboratories' reported the detection of *arsenic* above the threshold level in a sample taken from the horse *Tiger Jack* at Hobart on 12 July 2015. *Inquiry held 28 August 2017. No penalty was imposed on Mr Brunton. Tiger Jack was disqualified from its winning performance.*

**BRUNTON, Scott** – official racing laboratories' reported the detection of *arsenic* above the threshold level in a sample taken from the horse *Vigilante* at Devonport on 29 August 2015. *Inquiry held 28 August 2017. No penalty was imposed on Mr Brunton. Vigilante was disqualified from its winning performance.*

**BRUNTON, Scott** – official racing laboratories' reported the detection of *arsenic* above the threshold level in a sample taken from the horse *By Order* at Launceston on 12 June 2016. *Inquiry held 28 August 2017. A fine of \$5000 was imposed. By Order was disqualified from its unplaced performance.*

**AUSTIN, James** – official racing laboratories' reported the detection of *d* amphetamine and *d* methamphetamine from a urine sample taken at Hobart on 21 July 2017. *Inquiry held 13 September 2017. A disqualification period of 12 months was imposed – Commencing 3 August 2017 and to expire 3 August 2018.*

**DENNY, Kevin** – official racing laboratories' reported the detection of *Altrenogest* taken from the horse *Bobby Joe* at Hobart (trial) on 26 June 2017. *Inquiry held 13 September 2017. A fine of \$2000 was imposed with a further fine of \$200 for failing to adequately maintain a log book of treatments. Bobby Joe was disqualified from its performance.*

**TOULMIN, Keith** – Stewards have opened an inquiry into animal welfare matters on 22 August 2016. *Inquiry held 11 September 2017. Mr Toulmin was disqualified for a period of 7 years – Commencing 29 August 2017 and to expire 29 August 2024.*

**EVANS, Terrence – SHAW, Stephen - GUTHRIE, Michael** – Inquiry held 6 September 2017 relating to the posting of comments by licensed persons on the social media outlet Facebook on 24 July 2017. *Each were fined \$500, wholly suspended for a period of 12 months.*

Appeals Update

**CURRENT**

**HEENAN, Bianca** – against the decision of Stewards on 27 June 2017 from St Mary's Pacing Club meeting on 15 April 2017 to impose fines of \$750.00 under AHRR87(1); \$1,000.00 (\$500 wholly suspended for two years) under AHRR187(2). [Appeal hearing date to be set.](#)

**YOLE, Mark** – against the decision of Stewards to suspend his licence for 2 race dates, TPC 3 March 2017 (inquiry held TPC 6 August 2017). [Appeal hearing date to be set. \(stay granted\).](#)

**FORD, Dylan** – against the decision of Stewards to suspend his licence for 3 race dates, LPC 13 August 2017. [Appeal hearing date to be set. \(stay granted\).](#)

**GANDERTON, Mark** – against the decision of Stewards to impose a fine of \$500 under AR.80E.(1). [Appeal hearing date to be set.](#)

**BARBER, Graeme** – against the decision of Stewards to stand down 'Enfield Pete for 28 days, LGRC 11 September 2017. [Appeal hearing date to be set.](#)

**YOLE, Tim** – against the decision of Stewards to suspend his licence for 12 race dates, LPC 10 September 2017 (inquiry held 22 September 2017). [Appeal hearing date to be set. \(stay granted\)](#)

**FINALISED**



### Thoroughbred Update

1. **ROACH, Andrew** – Fine \$200, DRC 3 September 2017 (unlicensed employee) (\$200 wholly suspended for 12 months).
2. **MASKIELL, Jason** – Fine \$250, DRC 3 September 2017 (whip use prior to 100m).
3. **BRUNTON, Scott** – Fine \$200, DRC 20 August 2017 (fail to declare late scratching)(wholly suspended for 12 months).
4. **BRUNTON, David** – Suspended 3 months (misconduct). Commencing 24 July 2017 and to expire midnight 24 December 2017.
5. **BRUNTON, David** – Fine \$500, (misconduct) (reactivated fine suspension from 9 April 2017).
6. **NEWITT, Craig** – Fine \$200, TRC 24 September 2017 (whip use prior to 100m).
7. **MASKIELL, Jason** – Fine \$250, TRC 24 September 2017 (whip use prior to 100m).



### Harness Update

1. **NICHOLSON, Rhys** – Fine \$200, LPC 27 August 2017(use whip in an unapproved manner).
2. **ASHWOOD, Paul** – Fine \$200, LPC 10 September 2017 (whip freehand prior to final 200m).
3. **COLLINS, Adrian** – Suspended 2 race dates, LPC 10 September 2017 (cause interference). Commencing midnight 15 September 2017 and to expire midnight 1 October 2017.
4. **ASHWOOD, Rodney** – Suspended 3 race dates, TPC 15 September 2017 (cause interference). Commencing midnight 15 September 2017 and to expire midnight 8 October 2017.
5. **COOPER, Matthew** – Suspended 6 race dates, TPC 15 September 2017 (cause interference). Commencing midnight 15 September 2017 and to expire 22 October 2017.
6. **SALTER, Christian** – Fine \$200, LPC 24 September 2017 (excessive whip use).



### Greyhound Update

1. **BULLOCK, Anthony** – Fine \$50, NWGRC 22 August 2017 (weight variation).
2. **BULLOCK, Anthony** – Fine \$100, NWGRC 29 August 2017 (weight variation).
3. **BULLOCK, Anthony** – Fine \$100, LGRC 1 September 2017 (weight variation).
4. **MACE, Gerald** – Fine \$100, NWGRC 5 September 2017(negligent act – failing to remove collar of *Droopy's Jacket* prior to running in Race 7).
5. **WRIGHT, Joshua** – Fine \$50, NWGRC 12 September 2017 (weight variation).
6. **ELPHINSTONE, Arnold** – Fine \$50, LGRC 18 September 2017 (weight variation).