

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

CLUB: TASMANIAN TURF CLUB
DATE: WEDNESDAY 14 DECEMBER 2016
STEWARDS: A O'CONNELL (CHAIRMAN), S QUILL, F BATES, C BRYDON, K LAWRENCE, C ELLSON, J DOHERTY (CLERK OF SCALES)
VETERINARY SURGEON: DR C CORNES
TRACK: SOFT 5/UPGRADED AT 4.45PM GOOD 4/FURTHER UPGRADE GOOD 3 AT 6.26PM
RAIL: + 3M 1200M-WP & TRUE REMAINDER
WEATHER: FINE
PENETROMETER: 4.61

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
1	Alsa Doll	N Punch	T Baker	Unavailable
2	Col's Hero	S Thornton*	S Amano	Indisposed
3	Step The Pedal	S Thornton	B Thornton	Indisposed
4	Tremotino	S Thornton	B Thornton	Indisposed
5	Tiger Tarr	S Thornton	H McCarthy	Indisposed
7	Intriguingly	S Thornton	R Clark	Indisposed
8	All Bar Madison	N Punch	T Baker	Unavailable
8	Gotta Have Vibe	S Thornton	G Catania	Indisposed

*S Thornton was notified to produce a medical certificate prior to riding again.

RACE 1 – GREAT NORTHERN CUB BM 62 HCP – 2100 METRES

Squire – Prior to the race connections advised they would attempt to ride more forward, circumstances permitting. Ridden accordingly. Over raced in early stages then allowed to stride to the lead near 1700 metres.

Gold Librettist – Laid in in home straight.

Miss Choosey – Rider Ismail Toker explained that the mare which raced on the pace failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres and felt flat.

Sport Of Kings – Inconvenienced at start.

Remorse – Tendency to lay in from 400 metres until 100 metres. Rider S Amano will be reprimanded for use of whip 8 times prior to 100 metres.

RACE 2 – SAMIOS CLASS 2 HCP – 1400 METRES

Magnacash – Warning issued. Difficult to load.

Angel Of The Abyss – Warning issued. Difficult to load.

Kompressor – Jumped outwards at the start, inconveniencing **Sphero** and **Nissky**.

Passing the 1000 metres **Welcome Invader** which displayed a tendency to lay towards the running rail was tightened on to the running rail and checked due to **Col's Hero** which, when over racing, being restrained off the heels of **Gallow Gate** (D Ganderton) which shifted in when not clear. During this incident **Col's Hero** and **Welcome Invader** brushed, resulting in both horses becoming unbalanced. Shortly after, **Gallow Gate** continued to shift in slightly, resulting in **Welcome Invader** shifting in away from that gelding and contacting the running rail. After taking into account all the circumstances, Stewards reprimanded Daniel Ganderton and advised him that he must ensure he is sufficiently clear of other runners when shifting ground.

Col's Hero - tightened near 200 metres.

Nissky – taken out on jumping away resulting in the gelding being restrained off heels

Kompressor – Rider Ismail Toker notified to exercise care when shifting ground near the 200 metres and tightening Col's Hero.

RACE 3 – CHRISTMAS BUFFET 21ST DECEMBER BM 72 HCP – 1200 METRES

Fund Trader – Shortly after the start tightened between **Galeocerdo** and **Spihro** and then clipping the heels of that gelding and losing ground.

Step The Pedal – Tightened on two occasions near 500 metres when pace slackened.

Episodes – Briefly held up near 300 metres

Naadam – Restrained off heels near 500 metres when pace slackened.

Fund Trader – Laid in over last 200 metres.

Maccy Fields – Performed below expectations Rider H McCarthy reported mare felt awkward in its action. Vet examination subsequent to race revealed no apparent abnormality.

Approaching the 400 metres **Blaze Forth** (S Maher) which had been overracing improved into a tight run between **Bella Venus** and **Maccy Fields**. Shortly after **Blaze Forth** and **Maccy Fields** brushed resulting in **Maccy Fields** becoming slightly unbalanced. The tightening to **Maccy Fields** was aggravated due to **Bella Venus** taking **Blaze Forth** out slightly and **Seajam** (M Ulucinar) which was racing to the outside of **Maccy Fields** shifting in. M Ulucinar and S Maher were notified to exercise care when in similar circumstances

RACE 4 – LUXBET 3YO MAIDEN – 1100 METRES

Husson's Kiss – Raced greenly early and then hung in rounding the home turn and in home straight. Subsequent to the race, rider Troy Baker notified that his saddle had moved which placed him at a disadvantage.

Prior to correct weight Daniel Ganderton, rider of the second placegetter **Gee Gee Royal Miss**, viewed the film and then lodged a protest against **Happy Halloween** being declared the winner on the grounds of interference in the home straight. It was established that from the 300 metres **Happy Halloween** shifted out over a sustained distance resulting in **Gee Gee Royal Miss** being taken out off its course. As the Stewards were satisfied that the level of interference was greater than the margin between the two horses of a half head, the protest was upheld and correct weight declared on the amended placings of 5 1 7 4. Sigrid Carr, rider of **Happy Halloween**, was notified that she would be expected to straighten her mounts much sooner than on this occasion to avoid causing interference.

RACE 5 – LONGFORD CUP NEW YEARS DAY MAIDEN – 1200 METRES

Drinks at Rosie's – Jumped awkwardly and lost ground one length. Held up rounding home turn and again near 200 metres.

Kateland – Warning issued for being fractious in the barriers after being loaded.

Pura Vida – Raced wide throughout.

Catalyst Fire – Held up rounding the home turn.

Walling – Had difficulty obtaining a clear run in home straight.

Sigrid Carr, rider of **Tom Archie**, was reprimanded for use of the whip six times prior to the 100 metres.

RACE 6 – STEVE'S LIQUOR BM 82 HCP – 1400 METRES

Valiant Warrior – Knuckled on jumping away.

Silver Bolt – Restrained near 1200 metres.

Cheryl's Horse – Rider Georgie Catania notified to exercise care when shifting ground near 1200 metres.

Treasury Bond – Jumped away awkwardly and then over raced in early stages.

RACE 7 – LUXBET LAUNCESTON CUP IN FEBRUARY MAIDEN – 1400 METRES

George's Gambol – Over-raced early when racing wide. Shifted in abruptly under pressure near the 100 metres.

Sir Valentine – Held up in home straight.

Intriguingly – Jumped away awkwardly, lost ground (2L). Difficulty obtaining a clear run between 600 metres and 300 metres. Held up and unable to obtain a clear run 300 metres to finish line.

Gee Gee Rich Ruby – Rider Sigrid Carr reprimanded for use of whip six times prior to 100 metres.

RACE 8 – ACCESS HARDWARE CLASS 1 HCP – 1200 METRES

Can't Decide – Permission granted for rider Hayley Mccarthy to ride ½ kg over allotted weight.

Fragment – Slow in to stride.

Subsequent to the race after returning to the mounting yard the gelding became fractious resulting in the rider dismounting and the gelding making heavy contact with a gate. Examined by vet, no abnormality.

Leconte – Some difficulty obtaining a clear run in home straight.

Steel Dan – Jumped away awkwardly.

Gee Gee Spitfire – Tightened and brushed by **Can't Decide** on latter part of home turn resulting in the gelding racing awkwardly for a short distance. Inconvenienced near 200 metres. Rider explained that after suffering interference on home turn and near 200 metres, failed to respond to her riding.

Khatun – Slow in to stride. Tendency to lay in in home straight.

GENERAL

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Stewards inquired into the reasons for **Acronym** having to be steadied to avoid the heels of **Mulley's Idol** (R Clark) near the 300 metres. It was established that **Mulley's Idol** shifted at that stage of the race to improve in to a run when not clear of **Acronym**. Raquel Clark was notified to exercise more care when in similar circumstances so as to avoid causing interference to other runners.

SWAB SAMPLES

Pre-race samples:

R5 – Pura Vida, Tilmosa, Walling
R6 – Silver Bolt, Cheryl's Horse, Treasury Bond
R7 – George's Gambol, Sir Valentine, Lemilkey
R8 – Fragment, Leconte, Toorak Affair, Gee Gee Spitfire, Under Milkwood

Post-race samples:

R1 – Milson
R2 – Gallow Gate
R5 – Catalyst Fire
R6 – Valliant Warrior
R7 – Cheap Trick

RACEDAY SUMMARY

REPRIMANDS:

R2 – Daniel Ganderton – AR 137(a) – Careless riding

R5 – Sigi Carr – AR137A(5)(a)(ii) – Whip prior to 100 metres (6)

R7 – Sigi Carr – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) – Whip prior to 100 metres (6)

HORSE ACTIONS:

R2 – Magnacash – Warning – Difficult to load

R2 – Angel Of The Abyss – Warning – Difficult to load

R5 – Kateland – Warning – Fractious in the barrier