

## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

**CLUB:** TASMANIAN RACING CLUB  
**DATE:** SUNDAY, 07 MAY 2017  
**STEWARDS:** S QUILL (CHAIRMAN), B FREE, A HARDING  
C BRYDON, K LAURENCE, F BATES  
J DOHERTY (Clerk of Scales)  
**VETERINARY SURGEON:** Dr M BUCKERFIELD  
**TRACK:** SOFT (5)  
**RAIL:** Out 2.5 metres from the 650m to the 300m - True the Remainder  
**WEATHER:** FINE  
**PENOTROMETER:** 4.96

### *Riding Changes / Jockey Information*

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced	Reason
1	Hawthorn		H McCarthy (a)	Explanation accepted
1	Zipponet	D Ganderton	S Thornton (a)	Indisposed
1	Our Little Swamp	S Maher (a)	C Graham (a)	Indisposed
5	Mulley's Idol	D Ganderton	B McCoull	Indisposed
5	Please Dance (NZ)	S Maher (a)		Indisposed
6	Boss Cat	D Ganderton	H McCarthy (a)	Indisposed
7	Gee Gee Spitfire	M Ulucinar	I Toker	Explanation accepted
7	Zatacia	D Ganderton	S Amano	Indisposed
9	Ruby's Wu	S Maher (a)	C Graham (a)	Indisposed

*Apprentice Shiralee Maher was advised that she must submit a medical certificate and undergo a concussion test prior to riding in trackwork, trials or races.*

*Jockey Daniel Ganderton was advised that he must submit a medical certificate prior to riding in trackwork, trials or races.*

### RACE 1 – HAZEL BROS PLATE – MAIDEN - 2YO SET WEIGHTS – DIVISION 1 - 1600 METRES

**Cloudy Bay** – Inclined to lay in under pressure in the home straight.

**Hawthorn** – Connections advised that they will instruct the jockey to ride the gelding with cover today. The gelding was ridden accordingly.

**Zipponet** – On jumping away, had to be momentarily steadied when tightened for room between **Cloudy Bay** and **Cincha**. Rider Stephanie Thornton was reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) for using her whip six (6) times prior to the 100 metres.

**Courte Choux (NZ)** – Momentarily held up approaching the 400 metres.

### RACE 2 – PFD PLATE – SET WEIGHTS - 2YO MAIDEN - DIVISION 2 - 1600 METRES

**Country Way (NZ)** – Rider Stephanie Thornton was reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) for using her whip six (6) times prior to the 100 metres.

**Epidexios** – When questioned on the tactics adopted on the gelding today, Rider B Muhcu explained that it was not his intention to be positioned as far forward as he was, however, due to the lack of early pace to his inside he was left with no other option.

**Son of Nia** – Slow into stride. Rider D Pires explained that the gelding failed to stretch out in the run. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to be lame in its near foreleg. Connections were advised that they must submit a veterinary certificate of soundness before **Son of Nia's** next race start.

**Fancy Danz** – Approaching the 1400 metres, had to be restrained when tightened for room between **Miss Che Che** which was taken wider by **Super Leane** which in turn was carried slightly wider by **Country Way (NZ)** (Stephanie Thornton (a)) and **Lovely Lady** which was taken in slightly by **Totally Wicked** which shifted in away from **Bailee's Moshe**. As a result **Fancy Danz** clipped the heels of **Miss Che Che** which was then pulled out of the race by its rider. As Stewards could hold no one rider responsible, no further action was taken other than to advise Apprentice Stephanie Thornton that she must exercise more care when shifting ground in the future. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

**Miss Che Che** - Eased down by its rider passing the 1400 metres. Rider A Darmanin explained that he thought the mare had sustained a serious injury and elected to pull up. A post-race veterinary inspection initially revealed the mare to have a non-weight bearing near hind leg before then improving rapidly and trotting back normally. Further examination revealed a small superficial cut on the medial area of the lower cannon with minimal bleeding and no further signs of lameness. Subsequent to the race meeting Trainer A Watling advised that the mare had pulled up well and would continue on with its preparation.

### **RACE 3 – SPENDTHRIFT CLASS 1 HANDICAP – 1200 METRES**

**Goodbye Lonesome** – Laid in in the home straight and had to be straightened by its rider. Rider T Baker was reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip six (6) times prior to the 100 metres

**Glistening Star** – Slow into stride (1L). Approaching the 400 metres when attempting to take a run to the outside of **Give Us a Winner**, the mare became unbalanced when bumped on several occasions by **Goodbye Lonesome**.

**Pop a Lefty** – When questioned, Rider B Muhcu stated that the gelding was one paced and laid in under pressure in the home straight. Mr Muhcu further added that he was instructed not to use the whip on the mare today. Stewards intend to speak with trainer C Thompson relating to these instructions.

**Gee Gees Cool Gal** – Slightly difficult to load. Slow into stride (1L). Rider A Darmanin explained that after beginning slowly the mare got further back than intended and did not appreciate the kick-back. Mr Darmanin added that the mare then ran on well in the home straight.

**Schillie Billie** – Passing the 600 metres, momentarily tightened for room by **Acronym** which shifted in slightly.

**What an Option** – Laid in in the home straight and had to be straightened by its rider. Rider C Graham was severely reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip seven (7) times prior to the 100 metres

**Gee Gees Supreme** – Inclined to lay out in the home straight. Rider S Carr was reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) for using her whip six (6) times prior to the 100 metres

**Sunset Streaker** - Connections advised that they will instruct the jockey to ride the gelding further back today if circumstances permit. The filly was ridden accordingly. Connections advised will now be sent for a spell.

### **RACE 4 – RAINE & HORNE AUTUMN QUALITY HANDICAP – NO CLAIMS – 1200 METRES**

**Issawi** – Knuckled on jumping away. Rider I Toker reported that on pulling up he felt there may have been something amiss with the gelding. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

**My Paige Three** – Approaching the 100 metres switched inwards across the heels of **Issawi** to obtain a clear run.

When questioned in relation to the scratching of Lord Da Vinci trainer Scott Brunton explained that it was his intention to run the gelding in preparation for an interstate campaign, however he elected to

scratch so as not to jeopardise these plans after he was not fully satisfied with the gelding after a minor leg knock. Subsequent to the race meeting Stewards attended the stables of Mr Brunton and were able to confirm that Lord Da Vinci was in full work, Mr Brunton advised that it was still connections intention for an interstate campaign.

Trainer Scott Brunton pleaded guilty to a charge of misconduct under AR 175(q) in that he swore and used inappropriate language in the scales area. Mr Brunton was subsequently fined the sum of \$200.

Trainer John Luttrell was advised that he must ensure that he conduct himself in a professional manner at all times.

### **RACE 5 – TRC 100 CLUB CLASS 3 HANDICAP – 1400 METRES**

**Please Dance** was a late scratching at 12.50pm as there was no available rider for the gelding.

**Mulley's Idol** – Rider B McCoull stated that the gelding travelled well throughout the run however it failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

**Col's Hero** – Passing the 1200 metres bumped with **Mulley's Idol** and then had to be restrained away from the heels of **Kelly's Diva**.

**Ronaldo's Goal** – Had to be re-saddled behind the barriers. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to be lame in its near fore leg. Connections were advised that they must submit a veterinary certificate of soundness before **Ronaldo's Goal's** next race start.

**Tough Missile** – Had to be re-saddled behind the barriers.

**A Choice Scotch** – Slow into stride (1L). Rider D Pires explained that after being slow into stride, the mare raced flat.

**Life's Quest** – Slow into stride (1L).

**Dalehill** – Performed below expectations. Rider C Graham explained that the mare travelled well in the run, however, it failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres. C Graham further added that in his opinion the mare may not have backed up from its run at Devonport.

### **RACE 6 – CANTEEN 2YO AUTUMN SPRINT – SET WEIGHTS – NO CLAIMS – 1200 METRES**

**Geegee Rock'n'run** – Performed below expectations. Rider A Darmanin could offer no explanation other than the gelding failed to respond to his riding from the 600 metres.

**Uber Ed** – Laid in under pressure in the home straight. Rider D Pires explained that the gelding began slowly and then after being ridden forward commenced to race keenly with the addition of blinkers for the first time. Mr Pires further stated that he ended up further in front than he had anticipated. The connections were advised that a warning has been placed on the gelding due to it being difficult to load into its barrier stall.

**Bosporus** – Rider B Muhcu accidently dropped his whip near the 300 metres.

**Egalitarian** – Momentarily held up passing the 400 metres.

**Gee Gees Boy** – Shifted in abruptly after jumping, severely unbalancing the rider (R Clark).

**Pennstock** – Passing the 1000 metres, steadied when tightened for room between **Geegee Rock'n'run** which was taken out slightly by **Foreeva** and **Gee Gees Can Tell** which was taken in slightly by **Gasnier** (C Graham) which was inclined to lay in. Apprentice C Graham was advised to exercise more care when allowing his mounts to shift ground. The connections were advised that a warning has been placed on the gelding due to it being difficult to load into its barrier stall.

**Foreeva** – Performed below expectations. Rider T Baker could offer no real explanation other than, in his opinion, the filly may have come to the end of its preparation.

**Rodessa** - The connections were advised that a warning has been placed on the gelding due to it being difficult to load into its barrier stall.

#### **RACE 7 – TASSIE INSTANT MARQUEES 3YO AUTUMN SPRINT – NO CLAIMS – 1200 METRES**

**Gee Gee Double Dee** – Near the 800 metres the filly had to be restrained and tightened for room by **Chillout** (B McCoull), B McCoull was advised to exercise more care when allowing his mounts to shift ground which shifted in. Approaching the 600 metres, had to be restrained off the heels of **Chillout**. After passing the 400 metres, bumped with **Zatacla**. Rider S Carr stated that she was slightly disappointed with the way the filly finished off the race and in her opinion **Gee Gee Double Dee** may have come to the end of its preparation. Subsequent to the race meeting Co Trainer Leon Wells stated the filly will now be spelled.

**Barjeel** – Inconvenienced after the start between **Happy Halloween** and **Count Montagu** which shifted out.

**Gee Gee Spitfire** – Slow into stride.

**Happy Halloween** – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**Zatacla** – Slow into stride.

**Frog in a Pond** – Slow into stride.

**Weekend Whisky** – Slow into stride.

#### **RACE 8 – AUSTRALIAN RACING TOURS HANDICAP – NO CLAIMS - 2100 METRES**

**Accounted Four** – Performed below expectations. Rider A Darmanin explained that the gelding travelled well however failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres. A Darmanin added that the gelding would derive benefit from the run.

**Demons Run** – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

#### **RACE 9 – CORAL SEA BM68 HANDICAP – 1600 METRES**

**This Cat Rocks** – Performed below expectations. Rider D Pires stated that the gelding was inclined to lay in throughout and failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

**Follow My Dust** – Approaching the 100 metres, tightened for room between Reann's Diamond which was inclined to lay out and Matiano which laid in.

**Matiano** – Momentarily held up for clear racing room passing the 400 metres. Laid in in the home straight.

**Reann's Diamond** – Rider S Amano was reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip six (6) times prior to the 100 metres.

**Geegees Lillybet** – Approaching the 200 metres, held up for clear racing room before switching back to the inside of **Island Tiger**.

#### **GENERAL**

#### **30 April 2017 - Devonport Racing Club – Race 3 – Alpine Eagle @ Armidale Stud Maiden – 1350 Maiden**

Stewards issued Trainer Tegan Keys with a severe reprimand under LR 14(1) for failing to scratch **Tipperary Mary** (3<sup>rd</sup> emergency) by the prescribed time.

#### **SWAB SAMPLES**

**Pre-race samples:** R2 – Totally Wicked, Costly Affair

R4 – Step the Pedal  
R5 – Life's Quest  
R7 – Barjeel  
R8 – Geegees Goldengirl, Cheryl's Horse, Son of Faith  
R9 – Dangerpet, Follow My Dust, Speckie, Reann's Diamond

**Post-race samples:**

R2 – Super Leane  
R5 – Ronaldo's Goal  
R6 – Gee Gee Lanett  
R7 – Chillout  
R8 – Cheryl's Horse

**RACEDAY SUMMARY**

**LATE SCRATCHINGS:**

R5 – Please Dance (NZ) - 12.50pm – no rider available

**REPRIMANDS:**

30/04/2017 – DRC – Trainer Tegan Keys – LR 14(1) failing to scratch within prescribed time (severe)  
R1 – S Thornton – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (6)  
R2 – S Thornton – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (6) (severe)  
R3 – C Graham – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (7) (severe)  
R3 – S Carr – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (6)  
R3 – T Baker – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (6)  
R9 – S Amano – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (6)

**FINES:**

Trainer Scott Brunton – \$200 - AR 175(q) misconduct

**HORSE ACTIONS:**

R2 – Son of Nia – lame near foreleg – veterinary certificate  
R6 – Uber Ed – warning due to being difficult to load  
R6 – Pennstock – warning due to being difficult to load  
R6 – Rodessa – warning due to being difficult to load  
R5 - Ronaldo's Goal – lame near foreleg – veterinary certificate

**CHANGE OF TACTICS:**

R1 – Hawthorn – ridden with cover  
R3 – Sunset Streaker – ridden further back

**LICENSED PERSONS  
ACTIONS:**

Apprentice Shiralee Maher – medical certificate and concussion test  
Jockey Daniel Ganderton – medical certificate

**SCOTT QUILL  
CHAIRMAN OF STEWARDS**