

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

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| <u>CLUB:</u> | DEVONPORT RACING CLUB |
| <u>DATE:</u> | SUNDAY 16 JULY 2017 |
| <u>STEWARDS:</u> | S QUILL (CHAIRMAN), A HARDING, B FREE, C BRYDON, F BATES, A NORGROVE, K LAURENCE (CLERK OF SCALES) |
| <u>VETERINARY SURGEON:</u> | DR J MCKENNA |
| <u>TRACK:</u> | SYNTHETIC |
| <u>RAIL:</u> | TRUE |
| <u>WEATHER:</u> | OVERCAST |

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

| Race | Horse | Rider | Replaced by | Reason |
|-------------|---------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Magnasa | C Graham (a) | H McCarthy (a) | Suspended |
| 1 | Gallow Gate | H McCarthy (a) | S Carr | Stewards permission |
| 2 | I Am The Dude | C Graham (a) | S Carr | Suspended |
| 3 | Gwenville | C Graham (a) | S Barr (a) | Suspended |
| 4 | Black Hills | C Graham (a) | C Willis (a) | Suspended |
| 5 | Kyogle Son | D Pires | H McCarthy (a) | Stewards permission |
| 5 | Kihatun | C Graham (a) | D Pires | Suspended |
| 6 | Time Commands | C Graham (a) | H McCarthy (a) | Suspended |
| 7 | Steel Moon | C Graham (a) | C Willis (a) | Suspended |
| 7 | Underplay | | G Catania | Explanation accepted |
| 8 | Bidirectional | C Graham (a) | D Pires | Suspended |

RACE 1 – LUXBET BM72 HCP – 1350 METRES

Minute Repeater – Performed below expectations. Rider David Pires could offer no explanation other than he was disappointed with the gelding's performance after it travelled well in the run.

Gallow Gate – Over raced in the early and middle stages.

Cyclone Jess – Inclined to lay out under pressure in the home straight.

RACE 2 – TASRACING LIVE STREAMING MAIDEN – 1350 METRES

Hot Chisel – Performed below expectations. Rider David Pires stated that the gelding travelled well in the run but failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres and was inclined to lay out from that point. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have an elevated heart rate.

Purple Rider – Passing the 1000 metres was steadied when momentarily tightened for room by Sorturo (A Darmanin) which shifted in slightly. Anthony Darmanin was advised to exercise more care when shifting ground. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a small skin cut to the outside of the off side front pastern.

Dawn's Flag – Slow into stride (1L). Passing the 400 metres was disappointed for a run and checked between Trophy Legs and Hot Chisel, which layed out under pressure.

Sorturo – Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the race.

Gee Gees Saint Nik – Over raced in the early and middle stages. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the home straight.

RACE 3 – TASRACING OFF THE TRACK MAIDEN – 1000 METRES

Belrock Boy – Over raced in the early and middle stages. Near the 700 metres had to be steadied off the heels of Gwenville (Sherry Barr) which shifted in slightly. Sherry Barr was advised to exercise more care when shifting ground in future. Near the 600 metres layed out when over racing and had to be steadied off the heels of Gwenville.

Reggiano – Shortly after the start was taken out by Woohoo and bumped with Miss Tylly which in turn bumped with Little Suzie. Passing the 200 metres was inconvenienced by Bonjour Belle (Teagan Voorham), which shifted in. Teagan Voorham was advised to exercise care when allowing her mounts to shift ground.

Jayemara – Raced wide without cover throughout. Performed below expectations. Rider Sigrid Carr stated that the filly raced greenly throughout.

Koppar Beauty – Difficult to load, fractious in the barriers and uncompetitive throughout. Connections were advised that the filly must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards before racing again. Jumped awkwardly.

RACE 4 – D-SIGNS CLASS 2 HCP – 1150 METRES

Leconte – Approaching the 100 metres was disappointed for a run between Ty Dash and Black Hills (Chantal Willis) which shifted out slightly when under pressure. Chantal Willis was advised to exercise care when allowing her mounts to shift ground. Leconte was then unable to obtain a clear run for the remainder of the event. Leconte was accidentally struck across the nose by the whip of Chantal Willis (Black Hills) near the 100 metres.

Rougeau – Jumped awkwardly and tightened for room by Giselle's Girl which was taken inwards by Ariconte. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormality.

Bedrock Dreams – When leaving the mounting yard commenced to buck hitting its off side hind leg on the fence. After being examined by the veterinary surgeon behind the barriers, it was noted that the mare had a small amount of blood in her mouth but was passed fit to take her place in the field. Fractious in the barriers. Connections were advised that a warning has been placed on the mare.

Into The Night – Approaching the 200 metres was momentarily inconvenienced by Black Hills which shifted in despite the efforts of the rider.

Ariconte – Trainer Adam Trinder was fined \$50 under AR 140A(2) for saddling with the incorrect saddle cloth number. In determining penalty Stewards took into account that this was rectified prior to the gelding leaving its stall.

Giselle's Girl – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Please Dance – Jumped awkwardly. Over the final 50 metres was held up for clear racing room to the inside of Anyways Rosie. Rider Rhonda Mangan was advised to exercise more care when attempting to take runs where there is insufficient room.

RACE 5 – BIRDCAGE TAVERN CLASS 1 HCP – 1150 METRES

Pistol Jack – Slow into stride (1L). Over the concluding stages had difficulty obtaining a clear run between Khatun which layed in and Gee Gee Royal Miss.

Husson's Kiss – Performed below expectations. Rider Sigrid Carr stated that the filly travelled well early but failed to respond to her riding from the 400 metres.

Khatun – Layed in under pressure in the home straight.

Gee Gee Rich Ruby – On jumping away bumped with Khatun and had to be restrained off that filly's heels.

Ain't The Whisky – Approaching the 600 metres was momentarily restrained off the heels of Gee Gee Royal Miss which layed in. Following the event it was reported that the mare cast an off side front shoe in running.

Kirribilli Kid – Jumped away awkwardly unbalancing rider Sherry Barr.

RACE 6 – AUGUST WINTER SERIES CLASS 4 HCP – 1350 METRES

Trusted Warrior – Performed below expectations. Rider B McCoull stated that the gelding was not suited to today's track.

Zatacla – Slow into stride (1L). Performed below expectations. Rider D Ganderton stated that the gelding was not suited to today's track.

Time Commands – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Jacques – Slow into stride (1L). Over raced in the middle stages. Rider Ismail Toker was reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on 6 occasions prior to the 100 metres. Stewards took into account Ismail Toker's overall whip use and record under this rule.

Tambro's Game – Over raced in the middle stages. Layed in over the final 150 metres resulting in rider Sigrid Carr having to stop riding and straighten on a number of occasions.

RACE 7 – SIMONS DESIGN CENTRE BM82 HCP – 1150 METRES

Vandermeer – Fractious in the barriers. Slow into stride (1L).

My Paige Three – Passing the 800 metres brushed with Wanaea.

Erin's Element – Fractious in the barriers. Performed below expectations. Rider Sigrid Carr could offer no explanation for the performance other than the mare seemed to race flat today. When questioned Miss Carr explained that passing the 400 metres she elected to switch to the outside of My Paige Three as she felt that the run to the inside was closing and did not want to be held up for clear racing room. Miss Carr conceded that she may have been better suited to continuing with the inside run as that run actually eventuated and was taken up by Merrick's Beauty.

Killin Falls – Passing the 400 metres momentarily held up for clear racing room.

Le Bel Opera – Fractious and reared on several occasions in the barriers prior to the start. Connections were advised that the gelding must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing again.

Wanaea – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Underplay - Rider Georgie Catania was reprimanded under AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on 6 occasions prior to the 100 metres. Stewards took into account Georgie Catania's overall whip use and record under this rule.

RACE 8 – LUXBET BM68 HCP – 1650 METRES

Geeges Classicboy – Near the 50 metres momentarily inconvenienced when carried wider by Spihro (Teagan Voorham). Stewards intend to speak to Apprentice Voorham regarding allowing her mounts to shift ground.

Bidirectional – Near the 300 metres layed in and had to be restrained away from the heels of Geeges Classicboy.

SWAB SAMPLES

Pre-race blood samples: R1 – Magnasa, Ultimate Doom
R6 – Time Commands, Jacques
R8 – Spihro, Geeges Classicboy, Bidirectional, Mulley's Idol, Dalehill

Post race samples: R1 – Cyclone Jess
R2 – Fought For
R4 – Happy Halloween
R5 – Kyogle Son
R6 – The Master Speed
R7 – Underplay
R8 – Kool Kash

RACEDAY SUMMARY

REPRIMANDS: R6 – Ismail Toker – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip use
R7 – Georgie Catania – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip use

FINES: R4 – Adam Trinder - \$50 – AR 140A(2) incorrect saddle cloth

HORSE ACTIONS: R3 – Koppar Beauty – Satisfactory trial
R4 – Bedrock Dreams - Warning
R7 – Le Bel Opera – Satisfactory trial

Scott Quill
CHAIRMAN OF STEWARDS

