

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

CLUB: TASMANIAN RACING CLUB
DATE: SUNDAY, 31 DECEMBER 2017
STEWARDS: S QUILL (Chairman), D TYSON, P MAHER
A HARDING, D McMASTER,
B FREE (Clerk of Scales)
VETERINARY SURGEON: Dr M BUCKERFIELD
MEDICAL OFFICER: Dr MURU
TRACK: GOOD (4)
RAIL: TRUE POSITION - ENTIRE CIRCUIT
WEATHER: FINE
PENOTROMETER: 4.72

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	Paion		S Catania	Explanation accepted
6	Alsa Doll		T Voorham (a)	Late notification

Stewards accepted Trainer Gary White's explanation for the late notification of a rider for his runner in Race 3.

Trainer Scott Brunton was fined \$50 under LR 13.3 for the late notification of a rider on Alsa Doll in Race 6.

RACE 1 – ROSEVEARS HOTEL ALEXANDRA PLATE – 2YO SET WEIGHTS – NO CLAIMS – 1000 METRES

Gee Gee Secondover – Jumped awkwardly and was then hampered by **Gee Gee Runaway** which shifted out. Rider Craig Newitt explained that after beginning awkwardly, he then had to work hard in the early stages to obtain a forward position. However, he was satisfied with the gelding's performance.

Gee Gee Runaway – Fractious before the start.

Gee Gee Caughtya – Bumped on jumping.

Magic Waler – Bumped shortly after jumping.

Bonduel Lily – Raced three wide throughout.

Mystic Journey – Shifted out abruptly shortly after the start, bumping with **Magic Waler**.

Secret Gold – On jumping, shifted in bumping with **Gee Gee Caughtya**.

RACE 2 – HOBART CUP - FEB 11 - MAIDEN 3YO & UPWARDS – SET WEIGHTS – 1200 METRES

Pingu – Jumped awkwardly then shifted in and bumped with **Miss Smith**.

Lyonesse – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Miss Eleanor – Performed below expectations. Rider Daniel Ganderton explained that after beginning from a wide barrier, he allowed the mare to roll forward so as not to be caught wide which left him further forward than anticipated. Daniel Ganderton added that the mare failed to respond to his riding when placed under pressure in the home straight and in his opinion may have come to the end of its preparation.

Somerset – Slow into stride (1L).

Miss Smith – Bumped on jumping away. Raced keenly in the early stages. Rider Anthony Darmanin was reminded of his obligations when allowing his mounts to shift ground after the Winning Post.

RACE 3 – DERBY DAY – FEB 9 - MAIDEN 3YO & UPWARDS – SET WEIGHTS – 1400 METRES

Go For It – Had difficulty obtained clear running rounding the home turn.

Aquietword – Passing the 900 metres was bumped and carried in by **Elwick Eddie** (Ismail Toker) which shifted in. Ismail Toker was reprimanded under AR 137 (a) careless riding and notified that he must straighten his mounts quicker than he had done on this occasion.

Elwick Eddie – Caught wide in the early stages then shifted in near the 900 metres. Rider Ismail Toker stated that the gelding laid in through the run.

Gratius – Bumped near the 100 metres with **Paion**.

Paion – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Bumped near the 100 metres with **Gratius**.

Fearless Filou – Held up for a clear run from the 250 metres before shifting out and bumping with **Zipponet**.

Lion Speed – Passing the 200 metres, inconvenienced by **Elwick Eddie** (Ismail Toker) which shifted in. Ismail Toker was issued with a severe reprimand under AR 137 (a) careless riding and notified that he must straighten his mounts quicker than he had done on this occasion.

Abbie – Slow into stride (1L).

Lucille – Slow into stride (1L).

RACE 4 – trchobart.com.au MAIDEN / CLASS 1 – SET WEIGHTS – 2100 METRES

The start of this race was delayed approximately five minutes due to Daniel Ganderton being dislodged and undergoing an on-course medical examination.

Geegee Blackprince – Tactics Queried, raced more forward. Rider Ismail Toker explained that due to the slow tempo and lack of early pace of runners to his inside, he was left further forward than anticipated. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the colt had bled from both nostrils. Connections were advised of the provisions of AR 53A (Part 4) in that **Geegee Blackprince** may not be trained, exercised or galloped on any race-course for a period of two (2) months and it may not start in any race for a period of three months effective today after which **Geegee Blackprince** is to satisfactorily trial over at least 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward.

Centafloral – A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the mare to have a small puncture in the near fore cannon with no treatment required.

Chief Navigator – Caught wide in the early stages.

Miss Artorius – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Performed below expectations. Rider Chris Graham explained that it was not his intention to take up the lead. However, after being caught wide he allowed the mare to roll forward so as not to be caught wide without cover. Chris Graham further added that when placed under pressure upon entering the home straight, the mare failed to respond to his riding.

Heaven's Delight – Rider Craig Newitt stated that the filly raced greenly and in his opinion would benefit from removal of the blinkers.

Kandahar - Contacted the outside rail en-route to the barriers and broke through into the mounting yard dislodging rider Daniel Ganderton. Daniel Ganderton was examined by the on-course paramedics and passed fit to fulfil his riding engagements. **Kandahar** was inspected by the Club's veterinary surgeon and passed fit to take its place with the field. Passing the 1200 metres, Kandahar which was inclined to race keenly due to the slow tempo, was allowed to stride forward from a mid-field position to sit behind the leaders. Laid in the home straight. When questioned, Rider Daniel Ganderton explained that after being fractious in its preliminary, the gelding raced flat and with the slow tempo in the early and middle stages he elected to make a forward move in an attempt to get the gelding to switch on as he was positioned further back than intended and the gelding had raced well at its most recent start when further forward. After moving forward three wide, Daniel Ganderton added that it was his intention to take up the lead, however, the leaders then quickened and the gelding failed to respond to his riding so he elected to restrain and obtain

cover. Daniel Ganderton further explained that the gelding was inclined to lay in throughout the run and in his opinion its pre-race behaviour may have been detrimental to its performance today.

Crystal's Pass – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Rodessa – Jumped awkwardly and was then tightened between **Kandahar** which shifted out and **Centafloral** which shifted in.

RACE 5 – SALAMANCA INN CLASS 1 HANDICAP – DIVISION 1 - 1400 METRES

The Greatness – On jumping away, had to be restrained when tightened for room between **Christopher Mac** and **Perez** when both horses shifted ground.

Christopher Mac – A veterinary clearance was tended declaring the gelding fit to race today. Laid out under pressure in the home straight. Jason Maskiell pleaded guilty and was fined the sum of \$300 under the provisions of AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on seven occasions prior to the 100 metres which is two more than the permitted number under this Rule. In determining penalty Stewards took into account Jason Makiell's guilty plea, his record, the totality of his whip use and that he won the race.

Manilenya – Rider David Pires stated that the mare travelled well in the run, however, failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres.

Perez – Tactics Queried, raced more forward. Rider Sherry Barr explained that due to the lack of pace from runners to her inside, she was left slightly more forward than anticipated.

RACE 6 – ELWICK FUNCTIONS & EVENTS – BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1600 METRES

Sentry Duty – Rider Craig Newitt explained that the gelding has had a short lay up and he had been instructed to ride the gelding where comfortable. Craig Newitt added that after beginning only moderately from a wide barrier, he elected to restrain the gelding to obtain cover. Craig Newitt further added that the gelding should derive benefit from the run and would be better suited ridden further forward.

Zatacla – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

RACE 7 – WINZENBERG QUALITY – 1100 METRES

Geeges Doublejay – Slow to begin (2L).

West on Broadway – Jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 8 – AUSTRALIAN RACING TOURS BENCHMARK 82 HANDICAP– 1400 METRES

Fastnet Dragon – Rider Brendon McCoull accidentally dropped his whip near the 100 metres.

Royal Island – Jumped away awkwardly.

Silver Bolt – Jumped away awkwardly. Bumped passing the 50 metres.

Valiant Warrior – Hampered at the start when **Silver Bolt** shifted in. Laid in over the final 100 metres. Near the 50 metres, laid in and bumped with **Silver Bolt**.

Fragment – Held up for clear racing room from the 400 metres until passing the 100 metres.

Lady Jane – Permission was granted for Jockey David Pires to ride the mare one kilogram over its allotted weight of 54kg. Rider David Pires stated that, in his opinion, the mare was not suited to the step-up in grade today.

Tough Missile – Late scratching at 4.03 pm due to transport difficulties.

RACE 9 – CROWN LAGER BAR BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP – 1200 METRES

Turtles Nest – Bumped after the start.

Mariah's Magic – Near the 200 metres, momentarily restrained away from the heels of **Boart** (Craig Luttrell) which shifted out. Craig Luttrell was advised to exercise care when shifting ground. Rider Daniel Ganderton stated that the mare was reluctant to stretch out in the home straight. A post-race veterinary inspection of the mare failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Boart – Shifted in on jumping, bumping with **Ponzi**. Raced four wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

Odessa Lad – Crowded for room shortly after the start.

Mon Londo – Jason Maskiell pleaded guilty and was fined the sum of \$400 under the provisions of AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on seven occasions prior to the 100 metres which is two more than the permitted number under this Rule. In determining penalty Stewards took into account Jason Makiell's guilty plea, his record, the totality of his whip use and that he won the race.

Remigny – Raced three wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

Ponzi – Crowded for room and bumped shortly after the start.

RACE 10 – HAPPY NEW YEAR CLASS 1 HANDICAP – DIVISION 2 - 1400 METRES

Frog in a Pond – Rider David Pires stated that with the addition of blinkers again, the gelding raced further forward. He added that the gelding travelled well during the run but failed to respond to his riding from the 400 metres.

Country Way – Raced three wide without cover in the early stages.

Our Artie – Jumped outwards at the start, bumping with **Global Squire** which was carried outwards.

Toricain – Slow to begin and then checked off heels. Rider Daniel Ganderton explained that after receiving interference early, the gelding was placed further back than intended. Daniel Ganderton further added that the gelding raced greenly.

Voices – Fractious in the barriers before the start.

Lady Wynette – Passing the 200 metres, had difficulty obtaining clear running. Rider Craig Luttrell pleaded guilty to a charge under the provisions of AR 137A(5)(a)(i) in that he used his whip in consecutive strides on six occasions prior to the 100 metres. Craig Luttrell was fined the sum of \$250. In determining penalty Stewards took into account Craig Luttrell's guilty plea, his good record and the number of consecutive strikes.

Global Squire – Bumped at the start and carried out on to **Toricain**. Caught wide in the early stages.

GENERAL

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The following pre-race stable inspections were carried out today:

Trainer Gary White
Trainer John Luttrell
Trainer Leon Wells
Trainer Stuart Gandy
Trainer Terry Evans
Trainer Tammy Mollross
Trainer Rodney Seymour
Trainer Adrian Duggan
Trainer Christie Burt
Trainer Julie Richards
Trainer Ray Worbey
Trainer Scott Brunton
Trainer Rhonda Mangan

SWAB SAMPLES

Pre-race samples:

R3 – Storm Press
R4 – Balestrand (NZ), Miss Artorius
R5 – Clean Acheeva
R6 – Hyperbole, Earl da Vince (NZ)
R7 – Gee Gee Double Dee, Teriki, West on Broadway
R8 – Fastnet Dragon
R9 – Apriano

Post-race samples

R1 – Mystric Journey
R2 – Somerset
R3 – Paion
R5 – Christopher Mac
R6 - Weekend Whisky
R7 – Gee Gee Double Dee
R8 – Valiant Warrior
R9 – Mon Londo

RACEDAY SUMMARY

LATE SCRATCHINGS:

R8 – Tough Missile – 4.03 pm – float break-down

REPRIMANDS:

R3 – Jockey Ismail Toker – AR 137(a) careless riding
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FINES:

R6 – Trainer Scott Brunton - \$50 – LR 13.3 late notification of rider
R6 – Jason Maskiell - \$300 – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (7)
R9 – Jason Maskiell - \$400 – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (7)
R10 – Craig Luttrell – \$250 - AR 137A(5)(a)(i) whip consecutive strides (6)

HORSE ACTIONS:

R4 - Geegee Blackprince - AR 53A (Part 4) – bled both nostrils