

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

CLUB: TASMANIAN RACING CLUB
DATE: SUNDAY, 11 FEBRUARY 2018
STEWARDS: J ZUCAL (Chairman), S QUILL, A HARDING
B FREE, F BATES, D McMASTER, C BRYDON
J DOHERTY (Clerk of Scales)
MEDICAL OFFICER: DR MURUGES NIDYANADA
VETERINARY SURGEON: Dr A FULLER, DR M BUCKERFIELD and DR J BUCKERFIELD
TRACK: GOOD (4)
RAIL: +3 ENTIRE CIRCUIT
WEATHER: FINE
PENOTROMETER: 4.75

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	Negreanu	B Muhcu	D Pires	*Late notification
2	Hot Chisel		T Baker	Emergency gained a start
2	The Grey Crusader		S Amano	Emergency gained a start
6	Matiano		L Currie	Explanation accepted
8	Pretty Punk	C Williams	B Allen (a)	Suspended

**Trainer Scott Brunton was fined \$50 under LR 13.3 for the late notification of a rider on Negreanu in Race 1*

RACE 1 – TASMANIAN HORSE TRANSPORT MAIDEN – 3YO & UPWARDS – SET WEIGHTS - 1200 METRES

King of Saigon (C Newitt) – Raced wide in the back straight and then raced three wide without cover for the remainder. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to have an elevated heart rate and a slow recovery. Trainer Cameron Thompson undertook to monitor the recovery of the gelding and advise Stewards accordingly.

Negreanu (D Pires) – Made the turn into the straight wide.

Seize Them All (M Ulucinar) – Brushed shortly after the start. Had difficulty obtaining clear running between the 500 metres and the 400 metres.

Speedy Illusion (D Ganderton) – Slow into stride. Rider Daniel Ganderton stated that he could offer no explanation for the disappointing performance today other than the gelding may not have been suited to the tempo of the race.

The last Godfather (B Avdulla) – Commenced awkwardly and lost ground.

Zipponet (J Maskiell) – Commenced awkwardly.

Levissi (N Beriman) – Unable to obtain clear running from the 500 metres until the 300 metres. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the mare to have a laceration to its near-side hind leg which was treated on-course.

RACE 2 – TASSIE INSTANT MARQUEES MAIDEN / CLASS 1 – SET WEIGHTS - 1600 METRES

Paterangi (T Voorham (a)) – Rider Teagan Voorham pleaded guilty and was fined the sum of \$200 under the provisions of AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres.

Sudden Shock (J Maskiell) – Slow into stride.

Westwood (B Mertens) – Slow into stride .

Kathonious (B Avdulla) – When questioned, Rider Brenton Avdulla advised that the gelding had commenced well and he was content to race in a forward position. However, when placed under pressure passing the 600 metres the gelding failed to run on and had been disappointing. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to have a superficial laceration on its near hind leg.

Onnanoko (D Pires) – Underwent a pre-race veterinary inspection which revealed the filly to have a sub-mandibular abscess which had been lanced yesterday. **Onnanoko** was subsequently cleared to race.

Fancy Danz (A Ismadi (a)) - Slow into stride.

The Grey Crusader (S Amano) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Raced three wide without cover throughout. When questioned, Rider Shuji Amano explained that the gelding failed to respond to his riding when placed under pressure.

RACE 3 – GREAT NORTHERN SUPER CRISP BM62 HANDICAP – 2100 METRES

King Manu (NZ) – When questioned regarding the gelding racing forward today, Trainer Tegan Keys advised that she had placed blinkers on the gelding and expected **King Manu (NZ)** to race mid-field. However, as the circumstances of the race evolved, **King Manu (NZ)** was positioned further forward than intended.

Volcan de Fuego (NZ) (D Pires) – When questioned regarding today's apparent improved performance, Trainer Scott Brunton advised Stewards that he had been disappointed with its first run in Tasmania as he had expected a forward showing. He had consequently changed its race bridle as in this opinion the gelding had not settled well with it at its first appearance. However leading into today's race, the gelding had worked extremely well.

Savrajette (S Barr (a)) – Slow into stride. Had difficulty obtaining clear running over the final 200 metres.

Kalalo (J Robertson) – Raced wide without cover from the 800 metres. Near the 300 metres, lay in and brushed with **Northern Soul**.

Lovely Lady (A Ismadi (a)) – Fractious and reared in the barriers prior to the start. Over-raced in the early and middle stages and had to be restrained off heels leaving the home straight.

Strathalbyn (C Newitt) – Over-raced in the early stages. Performed below market expectations. When questioned, Rider Craig Newitt could offer no explanation other than he was disappointed with its performance today and the gelding failed to respond to his riding when placed under pressure.

Centafloral (A Darmanin) – Slow into stride.

Fearless Filou (NZ) (B Muhcu) – Over-raced in the early stages.

RACE 4 – KEVIN SHARKIE OPEN HANDICAP – 1100 METRES

Gee Gee Red Prince - A post-race veterinary inspection revealed no abnormalities. Trainer Stuart Gandy undertook to monitor the recovery of the gelding and advise Stewards accordingly.

Issawi (D Pires) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Super Fun (A Darmanin) – Knuckled on jumping away, unbalancing its rider. Momentarily held up upon entering the home straight.

Apriano (T Voorham (a)) – Shifted out on jumping away and bumped with **Naadam** and **Super Fun**. When questioned, Apprentice Teagan Voorham advised that she had been instructed to race forward and after commencing well, the gelding had raced keenly and was placed four wide on the track. Miss Voorham further added that she had considered attempting to settle behind **Issawi**, however, she was unable to do this as **Apriano** was racing keenly and consequently raced wide throughout.

RACE 5 – SKY RACING ELWICK STAKES – 2YO - SET WEIGHTS – NO CLAIMS – LISTED – 1100 METRES

Gee Gee Secondover (C Newitt) – Shifted out on jumping away and bumped with **Gee Gee Wynett**. Lay in for the majority of the event.

Gee Gee Pengala (B McCoull) – Fractious in the barriers prior to the start. Shifted out on jumping away and bumped with **Mystic Journey**.

Gee Gee Wynett (D Ganderton) – Proved difficult to load, delaying the start. As the filly had no prior history for this behaviour, Stewards issued the connections with a warning on the filly.

Gee Gee Queen Bee (S Carr) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Passing the 700 metres when over-racing, shifted out abruptly bumping with **Gee Gee Wynett**.

Exclusively Ours (N Beriman (a)) – Commenced awkwardly and lost ground.

RACE 6 – MAGIC MILLIONS THOMAS LYONS – WEIGHT FOR AGE – NO CLAIMS – LISTED – 1400 METRES

Correct weight was delayed when Jockey Sigrid Carr (**Gee Gee Top Notch**) asked to view the official film. After doing so Jockey Carr was satisfied and correct weight was declared.

Hellova Street (J Maskiell) – Rider Jason Maskiell was warned in relation to gesturing before the Winning Post.

Count Da Vinci (NZ) (C Newitt) – Rider Craig Newitt reported that the gelding was dower and would be better suited with a step up in distance.

Geeges Doublejay (A Ismadi (a)) – Slow into stride. Raced wide in the early stages before being allowed to stride forward from the 1200 metres to take up a position outside the lead near the 800 metres.

RACE 7 – ROSEVEARS HOTEL STRUTT STAKES – 3YO FILLIES – SET WEIGHTS – NO CLAIMS – LISTED - 2100 METRES

Pateena Arena (L Currie) – Lay inwards in the home straight.

Gee Gees Queenie – Apprentice Amirul Ismadi was reprimanded for careless riding under the provisions of AR 137(a) for allowing his mount to shift in when not clear of **Maheera** causing that horse to restrain.

Pleasuring (D Lane) – Inclined to lay in in the home straight.

Maheera (NZ) (B Allen (a)) – Restrained when tightened for room when passing the Winning Post on the first occasion. On leaving the front straight on the first occasion, inconvenienced and appeared to clip the heels of **Casa de Lago** which had shifted out. Lay out under pressure in the home straight.

Fiveandfurther (B Muhcu) – Over-raced in the early stages and had to be restrained off heels. Weakened from the 600 metres.

RACE 8 - SKY RACING HOBART CUP – NO CLAIMS – GROUP 3 - 2400 METRES

Correct weight was delayed when Jockey D Lane (Andrea Mantegna (USA)) asked to view the official film. After doing so Jockey Lane was satisfied and correct weight was declared.

Dee I Cee (C Brown) – Jockey Corey Brown reported that the gelding had raced “flat” throughout and failed to respond when placed under pressure from the 700 metres. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any obvious abnormalities.

Pretty Punk (B Allen (a)) – Bumped at the start.

Geeges Goldengirl (S Carr) – Near the 800 metres, commenced to over-race when the pace eased. Rider Sigrid Carr then allowed the mare to stride forward to take up the lead.

Rider Sigrid Carr pleaded guilty under the provisions of AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres. Rider S Carr was issued with a two meeting suspension beginning at midnight tonight and to expire at midnight on 18 February 2018. In arriving at this penalty, Stewards took into account the circumstances of this offence and Miss Carr's record.

Fastnet Dragon (B Avdulla) – Commenced awkwardly before shifting out and bumping with **Pretty Punk**. Raced in restricted room over the final 200 metres.

Brilliant Jet (A Darmanin) – Raced three wide without cover in the early stages.

Eastender (C Newitt) – Shifted outwards near the 1200 metres to race wide and then shortly after commenced to over-race. Rider Craig Newitt stated that the gelding was not suited by the slow tempo of the race.

Settler's Stone (B Mertens) – On leaving the front straight on the first occasion, got its head up.

Speed Force (L Currie) – Over-raced in the early stages. Had to be restrained to avoid heels when the pace slackened passing the 1000 metres

RACE 9 – SOUTHERN CROSS TELEVISION CLASS 3 HANDICAP – 1200 METRES

Western Haze (B Muhcu) – Raced on the outside fence in the back straight.

Kuusela (S Thornton (a)) – Apprentice Stephanie Thornton stated that the mare failed to respond to her riding when placed under pressure from the 500 metres and she was disappointed with the mare's performance.

Son of a Fling (N Beriman) – Commenced awkwardly then shifted in and bumped with **Kuusela**. Rider Nikita Beriman was reprimanded under AR 137(a) for careless riding in that she allowed her mount to shift in passing the 200 metres causing **Il Regalo** to steady and change direction.

Toorak Affair (B Mertens) – Held up for clear racing room rounding the home turn and had to be restrained.

Il Regalo (S Carr) – Passing the 200 metres, had to be steadied and change direction outwards.

Kelly's Diva (A Ismadi (a)) – Raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

GENERAL

TRC – WEDNESDAY, 17 JANUARY 2018 – RACE 6 – RAY TRINDER MEMORIAL MAIDEN/CLASS 1 – 2130 METRES

Trainer Mr Royston Carr pleaded guilty to a charge of misconduct under AR 175(q) in the Stewards Room at Launceston at 17 January 2018. Mr Carr was subsequently fined the sum of \$500 with \$250 suspended for twelve months provided he does not re-offend under this Rule.

SWAB SAMPLES

Pre-race samples:

R1 – Negreanu (blood other), Speedy Illusion (blood other)
R2 – Sudden Shock (blood other), Kalakhani (blood other)
Kathonious (blood other)
R3 – Kalalo (blood other), Strathalbyn (blood other), Mponeng (blood other)
R4 – Issawi (blood other), Naadam (blood other)
R5 – Gee Gee Wynett (blood other), Madam St Clair (blood other)
R6 – Count da Vinci (NZ) (blood other), Blaze Forth (blood other)
Matiano (blood other)
R7 – Pateena Arena, Pleasuring (blood other), Heaven's Delight (blood other),
Gone Girl, Voices (blood other), Fiveandfurther (blood other)
R8 – Dee I Cee (NZ), Pretty Punk, Geegees Goldengirl, Fastnet Dragon,
Up Cups, Brilliant Jet, Andrea Mantegna (USA), Eastender,
Settler's Stone, Speed Force, Earl da Vinci (NZ)
R9 – Son of a Fling (blood other)

Post-race samples:

R2 - Paterangi
R3 – Volcan de Fuego (NZ)
R5 – Mystic Journey
R6 – Hellova Street
R7 – Pleasuring
R8 – Pretty Punk (winner)
R8 – Andrea Mantegna (second placegetter)
R9 – Christopher Mac

RACEDAY SUMMARY

REPRIMANDS:

R7 – Apprentice Amirul Ismadi – AR 137(a) careless riding
R9 – Jockey Nikita Beriman – AR 137(a) careless riding

FINES:

TTC 17/01/2018 – Trainer Royston Carr \$500, \$250 suspended - AR 175(q) misconduct
R1 – Trainer Scott Brunton - \$50 – LR 13.3 late notification of rider
R2 – T Voorham (a) - \$200 – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres
R8 – S Carr – AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres (12)

SUSPENSIONS:

R9 – Jockey Sigrid Carr - AR 137A(5)(a)(ii) whip prior to 100 metres
Two race meetings to begin midnight 11 February 2018 and to expire at midnight on 18 February 2018

HORSE ACTIONS:

R5 – Gee Gee Wynett – warning – barrier manners – difficult to load

J ZUCAL

CHAIRMAN OF STEWARDS