

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

CLUB: TASMANIAN RACING CLUB
DATE: SUNDAY, 22 JULY 2018
STEWARDS: S QUILL (Chairman), P MAHER, A HARDING,
D COOPER, F BATES, D McMASTER, K LAURENCE (Clerk of Scales)
MEDICAL OFFICER: DR R HEMM
VETERINARY SURGEON: DR M BUCKERFIELD
TRACK: HEAVY (8)
RAIL: TRUE ENTIRE CIRCUIT
WEATHER: FINE
PENOTROMETER: 5.58

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	Scrutineer	H McCarthy	C Newitt	Illness
3	The Auditor		S Amano	Explanation accepted
3	Jayemara	H McCarthy	*B Smith (a)	Illness
6	Bunker Star	H McCarthy	S Amano	Illness
7	French Dandy	H McCarthy	I Toker	Illness

Jockey Hayley McCarthy was advised that she must submit a medical clearance prior to racing again.

**Stewards permitted Apprentice Breanna Smith to replaced Hayley McCartney in Race 3 as there was no suitable senior rider available.*

RACE 1 – CARLTON DRAUGHT – BENCHMARK 84 HANDICAP - 1600 METRES

Punta Norte (I Toker) – Trainer Scott Brunton was fined \$100 under LR 7.5 for the late gear notification to race without blinkers.

Red Spyder (D Schmitt) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

Agree To (B Muhcu) - Rider Bulent Muhcu was reminded of his obligations to ensure that when using his whip, he does not raise his arm above shoulder height.

Demons Run – (T Baker) - Over-raced in the early stages. Rider Troy Baker reported that he felt something may have been amiss with the gelding's action after it commenced to give ground from the 500 metres. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

RACE 2 – TRC MEMBERS BENCHMARK 70 HANDICAP - 1400 METRES

Savs Finale (I Toker) - When questioned, Rider Ismail Toker explained that he was instructed to either lead or race in a handy position. After **Bosporus** began better than his gelding and had taken up the lead, he elected to race in a handy position. Ismail Toker added that the gelding travelled well in the run and upon straightening, he had headed the initial leader **Bosporus** with little effort. When he looked over his shoulder on a number of occasions to ensure no other runners were making ground, he was of the opinion that he had **Bosporus** contained. However, from the 200 metres when he placed the gelding under pressure, **Savs Finale** failed to quicken and did not respond to his riding over the concluding stages.

Bosporus (B Muhcu) – Rider Bulent Muhcu stated that the gelding changed stride when passing the 400 metres which resulted in him having to balance up the gelding when making the home turn.

Into The Night (T Baker) - Near the 400 metres, taken outward by Scrutineer which shifted out to obtain clear running.

Scrutineer (C Newitt) – Inconvenienced on jumping away by **Savs Finale** which shifted in. Over-raced in the middle stages. Held up rounding the home turn. Laid in near the 100 metres and had to be straightened.

Wyuna (S Carr) – Near the 400 metres, steadied away from **Into the Night** which was taken wider by **Scrutineer** (Craig Newitt) which shifted out to obtain clear running. C Newitt was advised to exercise care.

RACE 3 – trc.hobart.com.au MAIDEN – 1100 METRES

I Am The Dude (C Newitt) - Commenced awkwardly and was then hampered by **Off the Show** which shifted in. Performed below expectations. Rider Craig Newitt could offer no explanation for the gelding's disappointing performance today other than it may not have handled today's heavy track conditions and in his opinion should derive benefit from the run as it had not raced since October 2017.

Master Onslow (D Schmitt) – Slow into stride.

Jayemara (B Smith (a)) – Passing the 200 metres, Rider Breaanna Smith fumbled with her whip when attempting to switch to a forehand manner. As a result the filly shifted in and had to be straightened.

Off the Show (G Catania) – Difficult to load delaying the start. Warning was issued. Commenced awkwardly and then shifted in shortly after the start, throwing its head in the air before racing ungenerously for some distance. Raced three wide without cover throughout. Laid in in the home straight. Rider Georgie Catania stated that the gelding raced greenly.

RACE 4 – SCHWEPES BENCHMARK 76 HANDICAP – 1200 METRES

Step the Pedal (T Voorham (a)) – Allowed to stride forward three wide from the 800 metres and take up the lead near the 600 metres after the pace eased. When questioned, Rider Teagan Voorham stated that she was given no firm instructions for the mare other than to ride it where comfortable. Miss Voorham added that when the pace slackened from the 800 metres, she elected to allow the mare to stride forward as she was having some difficulty restraining the mare and she felt that with the slow tempo, the mare may have been left flat-footed when the pace quickened. Teagan Voorham further added that the mare may not have been suited by the large impost on today's heavy track.

Angel of the Abyss (I Toker) – Commenced awkwardly. Rider Ismail Toker reported that he felt there may have been something amiss with the mare's action and he elected to ease down over the final 100 metres. When questioned, Rider Ismail Toker explained that the mare travelled well in the early and middle stages when able to dictate the pace, however, was inclined to lay out rounding the home turn and he felt there may have been something amiss with the mare's near foreleg. A post-race veterinary inspection of **Angel of the Abyss** failed to reveal any abnormalities.

RACE 5 – ELWICK FUNCTIONS & EVENTS 2YO MAIDEN – 1200 METRES

Gee Gee Rockstar (B Muhcu) – Inconvenienced on jumping away by **Gee Gee Caughtya** which shifted out.

Hatrick Hero (S Carr) – Slightly difficult to load. A warning will continue on the colt. Shifted in on jumping away and bumped with **Red Katniss**. Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

Oh So Needy (C Newitt) – Late scratching at 2.02 pm on veterinary advice after being fractious and becoming cast in its barrier stall. Prior to the announcement of correct weight, Stewards ordered all monies invested on **Oh So Needy** to be refunded in full. All bets made prior to 2.02 pm were to be paid less nineteen (19) cents in the dollar on the face value of the win ticket and less twenty (20) cents in the dollar on the face value of the place ticket. The filly must now trial to Stewards' satisfaction before racing again.

Red Katniss (G Catania) – Bumped on jumping away by **Hatrick Hero**.

RACE 6 – UNIQUE DOORS & WINDOWS BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP – 1200 METRES

Qui Samer (B McCoull) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

Calavera (B Smith (a)) – Performed below expectations. Rider Breaana Smith explained that the gelding changed stride on a number of occasions and in her opinion would benefit from today's run as the gelding was first up since November 2017. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to have a slow heart rate recovery.

Red Pearl (T Baker) – Performed below expectations. Rider Troy Baker could offer no explanation for today's disappointing performance other than the mare was not as relaxed today. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the mare to have a slow heart rate recovery.

Remigny (D Schmitt) – Rider Daniel Schmitt was fined \$100 under AR 145 for weighing back in in excess of half a kilo over the filly's allotted weight.

RACE 7 – CANTEEN VASE CLASS 2 HANDICAP – 1400 METRES

West On Broadway (B Smith (a)) – After being slightly slow to begin was then inconvenienced by **French Dandy** which was taken inwards by **The Grey Crusader**.

The Grey Crusader (S Amano) – Rider S Amano was fined the sum of \$200 under AR 174(k) negligence for weighing out without his stirrups. Shifted in on jumping away. Performed below expectations. Rider Shuji Amano explained that the gelding may not have been suited by the drop back in distance today of 700 metres.

Jack's Choice (T Voorham (a)) – Near the 1200 metres, shifted in over the heels of **Son of a Fling** which was shifting wider on the track.

French Dandy (I Toker) – Bumped and carried inwards on jumping.

Kalakhani (T Baker) – Near the 1200 metres restrained away from **Jack's Choice** (T Voorham) which shifted in over the heels of **Son of a Fling** (G Catania). T Voorham and G Catania were advised to exercise care when shifting ground.

RACE 8 – GREAT NORTHERN SUPER CRISP MAIDEN/CLASS 1 – 1600 METRES

Cascade City (T Baker) – Laid in passing the 200 metres and had to be restrained by its rider.

Country Way (NZ) (S Carr) – Sigrid Carr pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using her whip on 9 occasions prior to the 100 metres which is four more than permitted under this Rule. Miss Carr was subsequently suspended for two Tasmanian race meetings to commence at midnight on 29 July 2018 and to expire at midnight on 12 August 2018. In determining penalty Stewards took into account Miss Carr's record in relation to this rule and her guilty plea.

Kandahar (S Amano) – Laid in in the home straight. Performed below expectations. Rider Shuji Amano could offer no explanation for the gelding's performance today other than the gelding laid in. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Angora Princess (I Toker) - Near the 200 metres, momentarily restrained off the heels of **Ramaadi Bullet** (B Muhcu) which shifted out. Bulent Muhcu was advised to exercise care when shifting ground.

Foreeva (B Smith (a)) – Laid in rounding the home turn. Rider B Smith explained that after laying out slightly rounding the home turn she had received calls from her inside and was mindful of not causing interference to that runner.

Oceania Hope – Late scratching at 4.10 pm due to no available rider.

Pinkeyes Pride (A Patis (a)) - Slow into stride. Over-raced in the early stages.

SWAB SAMPLES

Pre-race samples

R1 – Agree To
R2 – Scrutineer, Wyuna
R3 – Gee Gees Roughie, Off the Show
R4 – Angel of the Abyss
R5 – Oh So Needy
R6 – Calavera, Pontypaul
R7 – Son of a Fling
R8 – Lady Wynette, Reggiano

Post-race samples:

R3 - Lady Pluck
R4 – Boart

R5 – Hatrick Hero
R6 – Qui Samer
R7 – Pelagia
R8 – Cascade City

RACEDAY SUMMARY

LATE SCRATCHINGS:

R5 – Oh So Needy – 2.02 pm – veterinary advice
R8 – Oceania Hope – 4.10 pm – no available rider

FINES:

R1 – Trainer Scott Brunton - \$100 - LR.7.5 late gear notification
R6 – Jockey Daniel Schmitt - \$100 – AR 145 weighing in in excess of
1/2 kg over allotted weight
R7 – Jockey Shuji Amano - \$200 – AR 175(k) weighed out without stirrups

SUSPENSIONS:

R9 – Jockey Sigrid Carr – AR137A(5)(a)(ii) whip in excess of 5 times prior
to 100 metres – two race meetings to commence at midnight
29 July 2018 and expire midnight 12 August 2018

HORSE ACTIONS:

R3 – Off the Show – warning – difficult to load
R5 – Oh So Needy – satisfactory trial – fractious in barrier

**LICENSED PERSONS
ACTION:**

Hayley McCarthy medical clearance