

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

CLUB: TASMANIAN TURF CLUB
DATE: SATURDAY 9TH MARCH 2019
STEWARDS: S QUILL (Chairman), P MAHER, T HARDING, B PLUNKETT, C BRYDON, F BATES, D McMASTER, J SMITH (Clerk Of Scales)
VETERINARY SURGEON: DR C CORNES
MEDICAL OFFICER: DR M ALEXANDER
TRACK: SOFT 5 – GOOD 4 @ 1:40PM
RAIL: +6 METRES
WEATHER: FINE
PENETROMETER: 4.54

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
2	Encosta Fiorente	G Catania	M Julius	Illness
3	Gee Gee Spitfire	G Catania	S Carr	Illness
3	Barjeel			Emergency gained start
4	Stinka	S Colgate	A Lindsay	Misunderstanding
4	Voluntas		S Colgate	Emergency gained start

Comments / Explanations:

G Catania did not attend tonight's race meeting due to illness and must submit a medical clearance prior to riding again.

RACE 1 – ALES PATIS MAIDEN– 1400 METRES

Needs A Scotch (T Voorham) – After undergoing a veterinary examination at the barrier, was declared a late scratching at 5.55 PM on veterinary advice. Prior to the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered all monies invested on Needs A Scotch to be refunded in full. All successful wagers made prior to 5.55 PM were to be played less 8 cents in the dollar of the face value of the win ticket and 9 cents in the dollar in the face value of the place ticket.

Race the Wind (I Toker) -

Real Acclaim (T Germaine) – Knuckled severely on jumping away. Lost ground.

Stormont (M Julius) – Bumped at the start with Lava Lass. When questioned in relation to her riding rounding the home turn, M Julius explained that, she was briefly tightened for room by Gee Gees Keylargo which was shifting ground and was also aware that Race The Wind which was in advance of her may have been weakening. As not to be held up and tightened for room or held up, she elected to shift wider upon entering the home straight. M Julius conceded that she may have been better served remaining where she was and taking the run to the inside of Gee Gees Keylargo which eventuated. Stewards noted M Julius explanation.

Diesel Dan (B Muhcu) – Approaching the 100 metres, shifted out abruptly. Rider B Muhcu stated that the gelding raced greenly in the home straight and shied away from the big screen in the infield. B Muhcu added that it had not been his intention to lead but after beginning moderately he then rode his mount along before it commenced to race keenly when being challenged by Pira Noona. B Muhcu added that the gelding may be better suited ridden with cover. A warning has been placed on the gelding.

Gee Gee Caughtya (N Fazackerley) – Rider N Fazackerley accidentally dropped his whip near the 800 metres.

Gee Gees Magic Man (S Carr) – Commenced awkwardly. Rider S Carr reported that the gelding lay in.

Buzzered (J Benbow) – Performed below expectations. Rider J Benbow stated that after being caught wide in the early stages he restrained to obtain cover which left him further back than

intended, and from the 600 metres the filly failed to respond to his riding and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed superficial grazes to the near hind leg.

Lava Lass (A Patis) – Shortly after the start, steadied off the heels of Gee Gee Caughtya after bumping with Stormont.

Buzzambo (G Lo) – As the pace eased slightly near the 800 metres, restrained when improved up onto the heels of Gee Gee Flicker.

RACE 2 – MOTHERS DAY LUNCHEON 12TH MAY 2YO HCP– 1200 METRES

Heaven's Bonus (B Muhcu) – Underwent a veterinary examination at the barrier and was passed suitable to race.

Strike Celebration (T Baker) – After rearing over at the barrier, underwent a veterinary examination and was declared a late scratching at 6.34 PM acting on veterinary advice. This delayed the start. Prior to the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered all monies invested on Strike Celebration to be refunded in full. All successful wagers made prior to 6.34 PM were to be played less 13 cents in the dollar of the face value of the win ticket and 12 cents in the dollar in the face value of the place ticket.

Audrey (N Fazackerley) – Slow into stride.

Encosta Fiorente (M Julius) – Raced greenly.

Gee Gee Ali (G Lo) – Near the 200 metres, momentarily tightened for room by Stefanidi, which shifted in.

Stefanidi (E Kacmaz) – Slightly fractious in the barrier prior to the start.

Little River Miss (A Patis) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Raced greenly.

Gee Gee Double Hot (S Carr) – Over raced in the early and middle stages. Performed below expectations. Rider S Carr explained that the filly failed to finish off after over racing, which was similar to its first race start on 17 November 2018.

RACE 3 – SIMON KOK BENCHMARK 72 HCP– 1200 METRES

Weekend Whisky (A Patis) – Performed below expectations. Rider A Patis could offer no explanation for the disappointing performance. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.

The Master Speed (E Kacmaz) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Cranbrook (B McCoull) – Momentarily held up rounding the home turn. Performed below expectations. Rider B McCoull stated that after being briefly held up for clear running on the home turn, the gelding failed to respond and was disappointing in the home straight. B McCoull added that the gelding may be better suited to an uninterrupted run. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Scouting Around (I Toker) – Slow into stride.

Geegee Trendsetter (J Benbow) – Near the 400 metres, Steadied away from the heels of Gee Gees Queenie, (T Voorham), which shifted out to obtain clear running. T Voorham was advised to exercise care when shifting ground.

RACE 4 – CHRIS GRAHAM MDN/CL1– 1600 METRES

Nidoking (G Lo) – Slow into stride. Trainer G White reported that the gelding made an unusual respiratory noise following the race. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Stinka (A Lindsay) – Held up rounding the home turn.

The Last Godfather (C Graham) – Rider C Graham pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on eight occasions prior to 100 meters which is three more than permitted. C Graham was subsequently fined the sum of \$500. In determining penalty, Stewards took into consideration the totality of C Grahams whip use and his record.

Our Declaration (T Voorham) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Our Rossa (J Philpot) – Trainer S Gandy was fined \$50 for the late addition of winkers on the filly. Proved difficult to load, delaying the start. The filly must now trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing again.

RACE 5 – PFD FOOD SERVICES 3YO CLASSIC– 1200 METRES

Gee Gee Secondover (B McCoull) – Slow into stride.

Maroch (T Baker) – Rider T Baker stated that the gelding failed to quicken when placed under pressure at the 400 metres.

Clever Charlotte (A Patis) – Slow into stride. Rider A Patits stated that the filly lay in throughout the run.

RACE 6 – NATIONAL APPRENTICE RACE SERIES CLASS 1– 1200 METRES

Alinjer (M Julius) – Near the 400 metres was steadied when held up for clear running.

Kathonious (J Philpot) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

The Hussler (S Colgate) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Our Artie (A Patis) – Near the 1000 metres, steadied off the heels of Geegees Cashcow (M Claridge), which shifted in when not fully clear. M Claridge was advised to exercise care when shifting ground.

Tennessee Sky (A Lindsay) – Apprentice A Lindsay was granted permission to claim only 1.5 kg of her 3kg allowance in this race. Slightly fractious in the barrier at the start.

Geegees Cash Cow (M Claridge) – Slightly fractious in the barrier. Near the 600 metres, lay inwards and brushed the running rail. Over the concluding stages raced tightly to the inside of Alinjer.

Pontypaul (G Lo) – Shortly after the start was restrained when tightened for room between Our Artie and Geegees Cashcow.

Knitting (N Fazackerley) - Apprentice N Fazackerley was granted permission to claim only 1.5 kg of his 3kg allowance in this race.

Miss Iso (D Morgan) - Apprentice D Morgan was granted permission to claim only 1 kg of his 3kg allowance in this race.

Gee Gee Musicmaker (T Voorham) – Held up rounding the home turn. Near the 200 metres was disappointed for a run to the inside of Knitting, before shifting to the outside of that mares heels. Rider T Voorham explained that after being held up approaching the 200 metres, she had elected to shift wider on the track and when doing so a run had presented back on her inside, however she had already committed to the outside of the heels of Knitting.

RACE 7 – TASMANIAN TURF CLUB TASMANIAN ST. LEDGER– 2600 METRES

Bidirectional (C Graham) – Stood flat footed and was slow into stride 3 lengths. Over raced in the early and middle stages.

Sentry Duty (S Carr) – Rider S Carr reported that the gelding inclined to lay in in the home straight.

Perun (NZ) (E Kacmaz) – Over raced in the early and middle stages.

Uncovered (I Toker) – Stood flat footed and was slow into stride 2 lengths.

RACE 8 – TEAGAN VOORHA, F & M – 1600 METRES

Speedonova (B McCoull) – Rider B McCoull reported that the mare lay in in the home straight.

Tycoon's Daughter (J Benbow) – Trainer K Milne was fined \$50 for presenting the mare late into the mounting yard, pursuant to AR194.

SWAB SAMPLES

Pre-race blood samples: R1 – Pira Noona
R2 – Fitzwilliam
R3 – Nielson
R4 – Boss Cat, Deer Poacher
R5 – Lady Pluck, Maroch, Little River Boy
R6 – Kathonius
R7 - Sentry Duty, Monmouth, Uncovered
R8 – Speedonova, Gone Girl

Post-race samples: R1 – Diesel Dan
R2 – Heaven's Bonus
R3 – Apriano
R4 – Tale Of The Fox
R5 – Lady Pluck
R6 - Pontypaul
R7 – Speed Force
R8 - Pelagia

RACEDAY SUMMARY

LATE SCRATCHINGS: R1 – Needs A Scotch – veterinary advice
R2 – Strike Celebration – veterinary advice

REPRIMANDS: 30/1/19 – E Kacmaz – Careless riding
30/1/19 – B McCoull – Careless riding

FINES: R4 – S Gandy - \$50 – LR7.5 – Late gear notification
R4 – C Graham - \$500 – Whip prior to 100m
R8 – K Milne – \$50 - Late into parade ring
27/2/19 – S Brunton - \$400 – Unlicensed stable hand
27/2/19 – S Brunton - \$200 – Late rider notification

HORSE ACTIONS: R1 – Diesel Dan

LICENSED PERSONS ACTIONS: G Catania – Medical certificate

GENERAL

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Trainer S Brunton was fined the sum of \$400 under LR 15.17 for having an unlicensed stable hand.

Trainer S Brunton was fined the sum of \$200 for the late rider notification on I Remember you in race 9.

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RACE 2 – CRESSY CRICKET CLUB MAIDEN– 1400 METRES

Starbration (C Graham) – In the early part of the home straight, restrained and shifted out slightly when tightened for room between Gratus (B McCoull) which shifted out slightly and Portrait Painting (E Kacmaz) which lay inwards, as a result clipped the heel of Portrait Painting and blundered unbalancing rider C Graham who was dislodged. On the evidence Stewards were of the view that both B McCoull and E Kacmaz contributed the tightening and were severely reprimanded.