

OFFICE OF RACING INTEGRITY

HARNESS RACING STEWARDS REPORT

CLUB: LAUNCESTON PACING CLUB

DATE: 01 JULY 2022

TRACK: GOOD **WEATHER:** FINE

STEWARDS:

R BROWN (CHAIRMAN) B BAUDINETTE (PANEL) C ELLSON (PANEL/DATA) D LUTTRELL (INSPECTIONS) A INGLESE (SWABS/INSPECTIONS) J AINSCOW (SWABS)

VETERINARY SURGEON:	DR I COLLIER
STARTER	A EMERY

Trainers with multiple runners engaged in any race were questioned as to their intended driving tactics.

SUPPLEMENTARY: All races were put back one timeslot due to a car accident causing traffic disruptions in the Launceston area.

RACE 1 – CARLTON DRAUGHT BREWERY FRESH STAKES – 2200 METRES

WILL AND ANDY was slightly out of position at the start.

KARALTA DAZZLER was out of position at the start. No action was taken due to the preceding runner being slightly out of position.

DON HESTON hung out under pressure in the home straight and has been placed on its last chance to race truly.

TO THE LOOKOUT obtained an inside run in the home straight.

WILL AND ANDY was restrained after the start; underwent a post-race veterinary examination after tiring to be beaten in excess of 50 metres. No abnormalities were detected however driver T Rattray suspected that the gelding had choked down. WILL AND ANDY has been stood down until the completion of a satisfactory Stewards trial.

MONDOOLEY MACH underwent a post-race veterinary examination after tiring to be beaten in excess of 51 metres. MONDOOLEY MACH was found to be lame in the left hind leg and has been stood down pending a veterinary clearance.

RACE 2 – DAKIN REFRIGERATION PACE – 2200 METRES

DAPPER NZ galloped out and has been placed on its last chance in the standing start draw.

ULTIMATE ME NZ galloped out and has been placed on its last chance in the standing start draw.

WHATTA GOOD REASON galloped out and has been placed on its last chance in the standing start draw.

KENYA NZ galloped out and has been placed out of the draw in standing start events.

GUIDO DA SIENA NZ pulled hard during the event.

LETS HUSTLE NZ galloped out and has been placed on its last chance in the standing start draw.

NINE DIAMONDS was checked after the start and locked wheels with DAPPER NZ and took no competitive part in the event.

SPOT ON NZ was caught wide early before being restrained.

NO NUKES SKIPPER NZ was held up early before gaining clear running in the home straight.

PICKLE IT tired to be beaten in excess of 67 metres and has been placed on his last chance to race competitively.

LETS HUSTLE NZ tired to be beaten in excess of 60 metres and has been placed on its last chance to race competitively.

Driver N Ford, (SUNROSE MASTER) was fined \$100 after being found guilty of a charge under AHRR168(1)(a) careless driving. Particulars were that when pursuing a three wide run in the back straight the last time he allowed his horse to contact the wheel of the preceding runner causing his horse to race roughly.

RACE 3 – ELDERS INSURANCE LAUNCESTON STAKES – 2200 METRES

DONT WRITE ME OFF NZ hung in and dislodged a marker peg and has been placed on its last chance to race truly.

SOMEDAN pulled hard during the event.

DONT WRITE ME OFF NZ was held up and unable to be fully tested.

REDS GOOD TO GO was held up early before gaining clear running in the home straight.

RACE 4 – TRAINERS ENCOURAGEMENT PACE – 1680 METRES

AUSSIE ROCK was caught wide early before working forward to race outside the leader.

PRINCESS LUNA hung in and contacted a marker peg. A warning was issued.

HIS DREAM LIVES ON was held up early before gaining clear running in the home straight.

NORTHVIEW DAVE NZ was held up early before gaining clear running in the home straight.

SOMEHOWSOMEWAY gave ground over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 35 metres.

RACE 5 – CHARTLEY ESTATE STAKES – 2200 METRES

PINK PONDER was caught wide early before restraining to the rear of the field and then was held up and unable to be fully tested.

TEE JAY CEE had a tendency to hang in around the final turn.

LIFEOFBRIAN NZ was held up early before gaining clear running in the home straight.

PROFICIENT NZ was held up and unable to be fully tested.

CLASSIE AMERICAN NZ was held up and unable to be fully tested.

RACE 6 – 6TY PACE – 2200 METRES

BACCARAT jibbed in the score-up and was out of position at the start and was placed on its last chance in the mobile draw.

SEAMARK NZ obtained an inside run in the home straight.

RAFFAS ACE hung out under pressure in the home straight affording SEAMARK NZ an inside run. A warning was placed on the gelding's racing manners.

KEEP PLAYING was held up and unable to be fully tested.

Driver L Dakin, (SOFTLY SOFTLY) was suspended for three race dates after pleading guilty to a charge under AHRR163(1)(a)(iii) - causing interference. Particulars were that approaching the first turn Mr Dakin allowed his horse to shift down when insufficiently clear of the front legs of LAURENS RUNNER obliging that mare to contact marker pegs before eventually breaking. Stewards took Mr Dakin's early guilty plea and good record into account when determining penalty.

RACE 7 – ELDERSLIE HORSE CARE PACE – 2200 METRES

JAMES DEAN NZ broke in the score -up and was out of position at the start and has been placed out of the draw in future mobile events

JAMES DEAN NZ broke in the back straight the first time before eventually being retired from the event. The gelding has been stood down until the completion of a satisfactory Stewards trial.

ENDEAVOUR STRIDE pulled hard during the event.

Driver C Castles, (PARDOE PLUGGA) was fined \$200 after pleading guilty to a charge under AHRR156(4)(a) for using his whip in a continuous action in the home straight.

SUMMARY	
REPRIMANDS	NIL
FINES	R2 - N FORD – AHRR168(1)(a) - \$100 – Careless driving R7 - C CASTLES – AHRR156(4)(a) - \$200 – Continuous whip
SUSPENSIONS	R6 - L DAKIN – AHRR163(1)(a)(iii) – Causing interference
HORSE ACTIONS	R1 - MONDOOLEY MACH – SDVC R1 - WILL AND ANDY – SD1T R2 - KENYA NZ – ODS R7 - JAMES DEAN NZ – ODM – SD1T
LICENSED PERSONS ACTIONS	NIL

PRE-RACE SWAB SUMMARY	
Race 1	TO THE LOOKOUT
111100 1	WILL AND ANDY
Race 2	DAPPER NZ
	SPORTS CANDY
Race 3	WITH REVENGE NZ
Race 4	IFBUTZANDMAYBES
	ARTYBOY GLENWOOD
Race 5	FURY DAN
	WANDARY MUSCAT
Race 6	LAURENS RUNNER
Race 7	CAPTAIN COSMONAUT

POST-RACE SWAB SUMMARY	
Race 1	VELOCITY STRIDE
Race 2	GUIDO DA SIENA NZ
Race 3	BOSTON BUSKER
Race 4	HIS DREAM LIVES ON
Race 5	LIFEOFBRIAN NZ
Race 6	SOFTLY SOFTLY
Race 7	DEADLY ASSASSIN

CHAIR:

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