

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	TASMANIAN TURF CLUB
Date:	Friday, 13 January 2023
Weather:	Fine
Track Condition:	SOFT 5 Upgrade to GOOD 4 @ 2.00PM.
Penetrometer:	4.55
Rail Position:	1200m – WP +9m, Remainder 6 metres
Stewards Panel:	Bruce Free (Chair); Ross Neal (Panel), Tim North (Panel), Carol Brydon (Front Yard), A Norgrove (Back Yard), Gavin Griffin (Swabs), Ebony Morice-Smith (Cadet)
Officials:	Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr S Brill, Dr C Perry, Dr R Blackwell (Veterinarians); Jill Smith (Clerk of Scales)

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
R2	SQUAZEEMOTO		T DOYLE	Late Rider Declaration
R2	MONTEZULU		C BAKER	Explanation Accepted
R2	MISS PEBBLES		G CATANIA	Explanation Accepted
R2	MISS PRIVATE		S CARR	Explanation Accepted
R3	THE FINAL SEAL		C WELLS	Emergency Gained Start
R5	SUPER SWOOP		S CARR	Explanation Accepted
R5	RUSTIC CHARM		A DARMANIN	Late Rider Declaration
R5	JOHNS LAD		E BYRNE BURKE	Emergency Gained Start
R7	AND BEYOND		E BYRNE BURKE	Late Rider Declaration

Comments / Explanations:

Trainer R Hamer was fined \$50 for the late rider declaration under the provisions of LR13.3 for Race 2, SQUAZEEMOTO.

Trainers B & R Ryan were fined \$50 for the late rider declaration under the provisions of LR13.3 for Race 5, RUSTIC CHARM.

Trainer T Hanson & K Maskiell were fined \$50 for the late rider declaration under the provisions of LR13.3 for Race 7, AND BEYOND.

RACE 1 – LADBROKES LAUNCESTON CUP 22ND FEBRUARY CLASS 3 HCP (1420 Metres)

ASHMANIA – Performed below market expectations, rider B Muhcu advised that in his opinion the mare had come to the end of its preparation.

MAARKLE – Slow to begin, rounding the home turn bumped with ZEVA ROYALE.

STARION – Weakened from the 400m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have enlarged glands and poor post race recovery. Trainer J Luttrell was advised that a veterinary certificate would be required prior to racing again.

ZEVA ROYALE – Rider A Darmanin became unbalanced on jumping resulting in the mare being slow to begin. Rounding the home turn bumped with MAARKLE.

RACE 2 - GALLOPING GOURMET TOUR MAIDEN 3YO & UP - (1220 METRES)

ANGELIC AMOUR – Bumped on jumping.

LION ACADEMY – Began awkwardly. Apprentice B Hanham reported that the gelding raced greenly throughout.

SQUAZEEMOTO – Bounded on jumping.

MONTEZULU – Severely checked near the 800m.

LAKE MARGARET – Raced wide throughout. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination and no abnormalities were detected.

MISS NIC NAT – Began awkwardly and shortly after was buffeted between runners. Raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages. Checked near the 800m. Apprentice B Hanham (LION ACADEMY) in the presence of senior rider S Carr, pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding with the specifics being that near the 800m she permitted her mount to shift in when insufficiently clear of MISS NIC NAT who was checked and taken in across the running of MONTEZULU, which was severely checked. Apprentice B Hanham's licence to ride in races was suspended for a period of two Tasmanian race dates to commence midnight 13th January, 2023 until midnight 18th January, 2023.

STARCADIA – Tightened shortly after jumping.

**RACE 3 – KEVIN SHARKIE LAUNCESTON GUINEAS 27TH JANUARY MAIDEN 3YO & UP
– (1620 METRES)**

Trainer G White (JACKJACK) viewed the stewards patrol footage prior to the declaration of correct weight to ascertain if there were grounds for an objection. After viewing the official patrol footage trainer G White was satisfied and correct weight was declared on the judge's numbers.

GOOGA THE GOAT – Very slow to begin. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination and no abnormalities were detected.

JACKJACK – Hampered shortly after jumping, rounding the home became awkwardly placed on the heels of BLONDE SUSPECT and was steadied by its rider.

LONDIANI – Underwent a post-race veterinary examination and no abnormalities were detected.

ARAPTOR – Began very awkwardly and shifted out.

BERSERKER – Rounding the home was steadied and shifted out bumping with GRAND PEGASUS when awkwardly placed on the heels of RISIST CAPTURE.

GRAND PEGASUS – Rounding the home turn became unbalanced when contacted on the hindquarters by BERSERKER (B Muhcu) which shifted out when awkwardly placed on the heels of RESIST CAPTURE. Rider B Muhcu was advised that he should exercise more care in similar circumstances.

ZOU ZOU ZOU – Raced wide throughout.

ESPUR – Hampered on jumping. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination and was found to have a slow heart rate recovery.

PINDANI – Apprentice C Baker reported that the filly hung throughout.

THE FINAL SIREN – Apprentice C Wells explained that the gelding hung out, and near the 700 metres was concerned with its action and eased the gelding down. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Trainer A Fulton was advised that a veterinary certificate would be required prior to the gelding racing again.

RACE 4 – LADBROKE IT! CLASS 1 HCP – (1620 METRES)

DID YOU DECIDE – Dislodged apprentice T Johnstone in the preliminary and trotted a short distance riderless. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed suitable to start. Apprentice T Johnstone was passed suitable to ride by the oncourse ambulance attendants. Began awkwardly.

WHEELKNOT – Began awkwardly, raced ungenerously in the early stages.

LAGO APPROACH – Hampered on jumping.

LAUNNIE NIGHTS – Steadied when placed in restricted room rounding the home turn.

BAHEERA – Raced wide throughout.

RACE 5 – MUDBAR COCKTAIL ENCLOSURE CUP DAY BM68 HCP – (2150 METRES)

STEEL SKIES – Stewards queried the tactics adopted. Rider C Atkinson explained that his instructions were to ride the gelding in a forward position and make a move into the race from the 1000 metres. He further explained that in accordance with his instructions he commenced to ride forward to a position to the outside of RODRICK'S SECRET. He further added that the gelding then commenced to lay in. Rider C Atkinson was advised that despite riding to instructions that he should be mindful as to ensure that his mounts are afforded every chance of finishing in the best position.

RUSTIC CHARM – Very slow to begin.

CAPTAIN MORGAN – Crowded shortly after the start.

RODRICK'S SECRET – Tactics queried. Rider M Ulucinar explained that his instructions were to ride the gelding in a forward position. M Ulucinar explained that when STEEL SKIES commenced to race forward near the 1000 metres, he intended to allow STEEL SKIES to obtain the lead however that runner commenced to lay in on his mount. He further added that when STEEL SKIES laid in, he was unable to relinquish the position as he was concerned that if he relinquished the position, he would be awkwardly placed on the heels of STEEL SKIES. Rider M Ulucinar was advised that whilst stewards accepted his explanation, he should, where safe to do so, not place his mount under unnecessary pressure which may have a detrimental effect on its finishing position.

JOHN'S LAD – A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off-fore. Trainer J Luttrell was advised that a veterinary certificate would be required prior to racing again.

RACE 6 – FASHIONS FOR FILLIES BM62 HCP – (1220 METRES)

GEE GEE LANETT – Bumped on jumping.

TASPINARO – Bumped on jumping, raced wide throughout.

UNDER HIS EYE – Began awkwardly, rider T Baker advised that the gelding over raced throughout.

WOLF REIN – Bumped on jumping.

SALLY SUNSHINE – Bumped on jumping. Performed below market expectations. Rider S Carr explained that the mare was not overly disappointing however in her opinion the mare would be suited by going down in grade.

GEE GEE RHYTHM – Held up for clear running from the 200 metres until obtaining clear running near the 100 metres.

RACE 7 EXAMINER FASHIONS ON THE FIELD CUP DAY BM72 HCP – (1120 METRES)

AND BEYOND – Bounded on jumping.

PEACE BE UPON HIM – Slow to begin.

RACE 8 – CUP BARRIER DRAW & MILLINERY PARADE @ SPORTIES BM62 HCP – (1420 METRES)

MELITON – Began awkwardly, over raced early stages.

MILITARY LAW – Tightened on jumping.

MARIPOSA – Jumped out at the start.

RENASCENCE – Stewards granted permission for rider B Neto to ride 1kg over allotted minimum weight. Jumped in at the start.

SWAB SAMPLES	
Pre-race blood samples:	R1 – ZEVA ROYALE R3 – JACKJACK R4 – FANCIFUL FLYING R6 – WOLF REIN R8 – MARIPOSA
Pre-race urine samples:	Nil.
Post-race samples:	R1 – ZEVA ROYALE R2 – EGAO R3 – BERSERKER R4 – DID YOU DECIDE R5 – SUPER SWOOP R6 – WOLF REIN R7 – PEACE BE UPON HIM R8 – MALEVOLENT
Suspensions:	R2 – B HANHAM, AR131(a) Careless Riding Two Tasmanian Race dates – Commencing midnight 13 th January 2023 and ending midnight 18 th January 2023.
Fines:	R2 – R HAMER – Fine \$50 LR13.3 Late Rider R5 – B & R RYAN – Fine \$50 LR13.3 Late Rider R7 – T HANSON & K MASKIELL LR13.3 Late Rider
Reprimands:	Nil.

Horse Warnings:	Nil.
Required to Trial:	Nil.
Barred:	Nil.
Follow up required: Vet Certificate	R1 - STARION – enlarged glands, poor recovery; vet certificate required. R3 - THE FINAL SEAL – lame off fore; vet certificate required. R5 - JOHN'S LAD – lame off fore; vet certificate required.
Tactics Notified:	Nil.

CHAIRMAN B FREE

ADDENDUM - The Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment.

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