

## STEWARDS REPORT

<b>CLUB</b>	<b>LAUNCESTON PACING CLUB</b>
<b>DATE</b>	<b>SUNDAY 28 JULY 2024</b>
<b>WEATHER</b>	<b>FINE</b>
<b>TRACK</b>	<b>GOOD</b>
<b>STEWARDS PANEL CHAIRMAN</b>	Michael Castillo
<b>PANEL</b>	Gavin Griffin Carolyn Ellson - (Data) Eli O'Sign - (Cadet)
<b>INSPECTIONS</b>	David Luttrell
<b>SWAB</b>	Margie Robinson
<b>STARTER</b>	Adam Emery
<b>VETERNARIAN</b>	Dr M Fitzgerald
<b>MEDCAL PROVIDER</b>	Medical Edge

### **RACE 1 – LADBROKES ODDS SURGE PACE – 2200m Mobile**

**SHARMEY**- Showed gate speed to lead the event. Tended to pull hard at various stages of the event. Driver fined for being outside the confines of the sulky.

**MACH ANGELO**-Showed gate speed and sat outside the leader.

### **RACE 2 – LAUNCESTON BELMONT – 1680m Mobile**

**TERESA DILLON**- Broke after the start and will be placed out of the draw. Broke free of interference racing towards the front straight on the final occasion. Trainer advised that the filly must trial to the steward's satisfaction on 1 occasion prior to its next race start.

**GRIMSHAW BAY-** Showed gate speed to lead the event and tended to pull hard while leading.

**ITSMENOTU-** Left a trailing position at the 800m to race at the lead of the three wide line.

**ARK MELODY-** Raced roughly in the score up and showed gate speed to secure the position outside the leader.

**TULLAH GIRL-** Caught racing wide in the early stages and had to be restrained to the rear.

**PIROTIC-** Out of position at the start. Driver reprimanded, given his good record. Raced three wide in the latter stages. Trainer advised stewards that the filly will go for a spell.

**MYSTICAL MOLLY-**Raced roughly in the score up and as a result was out of position at the start.

### **RACE 3 – FIND US ON FACEBOOK PACE – 2200m Mobile**

**MADDIS TIGER NZ-** Showed gate speed to lead the event.

**SWIMINTHERIVER NZ-** Showed gate speed and unsuccessfully challenged for the lead and restrained to the position outside the leader.

**JUSTIFY-** Commenced to tire leaving the 800m and was distanced. Trainer was advised that the gelding will be stood down until the completion of two consecutive satisfactory trials prior to its next nomination to race. Post race veterinarian examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**MAGIC JOE -** Out of position at the start the driver was reprimanded given his good previous record under this rule. Broke free of interference at the 400m and given the horses previous record was placed on its last chance to race truly.

### **RACE 4 – NUTRIEN AG SUPPLIES STAKES – 2200m Mobile**

The announcement of all clear was delayed as the stewards wished to view the official patrol to see if Kayleb Williams (RACKETEERS BOY NZ) had obtained an unfair advantage making ground up while racing inside a few marker pegs in the front straight on the final occasion. After viewing the Patrol films in the presence of the trainer, driver and junior driver advocate Neville Webberley, Stewards were satisfied that insufficient ground was made up at this point given the margin to the other place getters. The announcement of all clear were given on the judge's numbers.

Driver Kaleb Williams was fined \$100.00 under provisions of Rule 163 (1) (c) (i) for allowing his horse to shift inside marker pegs.

**HIGHWAY TO HEAVEN NZ-** After showing gait speed secured the position behind the leader. Hung in making the home turn and contacted a marker peg. Held up for a clear run in the early part of the home straight.

**KUZMA-** Showed gate speed to lead the event throughout.

**RACKETEERS BOY NZ-** Tended to hang outwards in the early part of the score up. Raced slightly inside several marker pegs entering the home turn. Driver was fined. Held up for a clear run in the concluding stages of the event.

**JEREMY WELLS NZ-** Pulled hard while in a trailing position.

**ROYAL APPOINTMENT-** Went forward in the early stages to sit outside the leader. Tended to pull hard while outside the leader position.

Stewards questioned trainer Michael Laughler in relation to the unplaced performance of the gelding ROYAL APPOINTMENT as it was well fancied in the betting. Trainer advised that he was not disappointed with the run as its normal pattern is to get back in its races and when the gelding secured the position outside the leader it failed to settle and pulled hard for the remainder. The trainer further explained that it was a rise in class tonight, in quality company and he further said given the fast sectional times run in the event and sitting outside the leader and pulling hard did not suite the gelding. A post race veterinarian examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Stewards accepted and noted the trainer's comments for future reference.

### **RACE 5 – STACEY LEAR PHOTOGRAPHY STAKES – 2200m Mobile**

**FEELINKINDALUCKY-** After showing gate speed obtained a trailing position in the early stages. Tired over the latter stages of the event, and given the beaten margin and previous record was stood down to the completion of a satisfactory trial.

**NORBET-** Showed gate speed and hung inwards throughout. It was noted that the offside hind bandage had come undone in the run to the finish. The trainer was reminded of his obligations. A post race veterinarian examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. A warning was issued for hanging.

**DIDYALOUSAROOSTA-** Showed gate speed to lead the event throughout.

**MORE THAN THIS-** Caught racing wide in the early stages. Raced roughly making the first turn and progressed forward and sat outside the leader.

**KELLYS DELIGHT-** Raced roughly after the start.

**KOSYGIN LEIS-** Left a trailing position at the 900m to lead the three wide line.

**THUNDER SANZ-** Raced three wide in a trailing position from the 800m.

### **RACE 6 – BECOME AN LPC MEMBER PACE – 2200m Mobile**

**HAVAHH NICE DAY-** Showed gate speed to lead the event. Shifted out under pressure in the run to the finish. Driver fined.

**HORRIE OTARA-** Showed gate speed and obtained an inside run in the home straight for the run to the finish.

**SWEET AMOUR-** Caught wide in the early stages and had to restrain to the rear. Left a trailing position at the 800m to lead the three wide line. It was noted that the mare dropped a knee boot in the running of the event.

**SIR ROMAN-** After showing gate speed gained the position outside the leader.

**LALIBELA NZ-** Raced three wide in a trailing position.

### **RACE 7 – LADBROKES BET TICKER STAKES – 2200m Mobile**

**JUST FOLLOW ME-** Obtained an inside run in the run to the finish.

**GYPSY AMOUR-** Showed gate speed to lead the event. Shifted out under pressure in the home straight. Driver fined.

**BOTANY BAY WARRIOR-** Showed gate speed and sat outside the leader.

**MOST PERFECT MAJOR-** Caught wide in the early stages and was restrained to the rear.

**LAID BACK KENNY-** Raced at the lead of the three wide line from the 800m.

**GOBSMACKED-** Raced wide early and had to restrain to the rear. Gave ground over the concluding stages. Was placed on its last chance to race competitively given its previous record.

**KENYA NZ-** Underwent a pre-race veterinarian examination as it competed Friday night in Hobart and was passed fit to take its place in the field. Driver fined for the manner in which he used his whip in the home straight.

### **RACE 8 – LADBROKES COMMUNITIES PACE – 1680m Mobile**

**ART HUNTSMAN-** Showed gate speed.

**CRACK THE VAULT-**Showed gate speed.

**WILL HE PIKE-**Showed gate speed and sat outside the leader.

**BETTER EXCLUSIVE NZ-**Showed gate speed to lead the event.

**PUNTARNO STRIDE NZ-**Restrained at the start.

**MAJOR DAVVIN-**Raced wide in the early stages and gained the position outside the leader.

#### **General:**

Stewards today inquired into the reasons why NORBET which competed in the LADBOKES SAME RACE MULTI PACE race 6 on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024 was fitted with a burr to the near side gaiting strap which could inflict suffering to the gelding. Stewards on the night ordered the veterinarian to inspect the gelding and it was reported that there were significant rub marks from the burr. After taking evidence from trainer Brian Mackrill and taking into consideration the report from the veterinarian, stewards issued Mr Mackrill with a charge under provisions of AHRR213(a). – *A person shall not by use of harness, gear, equipment, device, substance or any other thing inflict suffering on a horse.*

Trainer Brian Mackrill pleaded guilty to the charge. Stewards considered Mr Mackrill’s excellent record over 50 years in the industry and was fined a sum of \$750.00. Stewards suspended \$500.00 for a period of 24 months. Mr Mackrill was reminded of his appeal rights.

	RACE	DETAILS	
<b>SUSPENSIONS:</b>		NIL	
<b>FINES:</b>	N/A	Brian Mackrill - \$750 (\$500 suspended for a period of 24 months) – AHRR213(a)	
	1	Nathan Ford - \$200.00- Body protruding beyond the sulky. – AHRR170(2)	
	2.	Olivia Weidenbach - \$50.00- Leading a horse with no rearing bit - AHRR 220	
	4	Kaleb Williams- \$100.00- Shift inside marker post – AHRR163(1)(c)(i)	
	6	Rohan Hillier- \$100.00 – Shifted ground outwards advantaging another runner – AHRR 162(www)(c) Nathan	
	7	Ford- \$200.00 – Whip use. – AHRR162(www)(c)	

	7.	Brodie Davis- \$200.00- Shifted ground outwards advantaging another runner- AHRR162(www)(e)	
<b>REPRIMANDS:</b>	2.	Todd Rattray- Out of position at the start – AHRR162(1)(j)	
	3.	Lachlan Dakin – Out of position at the start - AHRR162(1)(j)	
<b>HORSE ACTIONS:</b>	2	TERESA DILLON- Broke after the start - ODM	
	2	TERESA DILLON- Broke in running – SD1T	
	3.	JUSTIFY- Poor Performance – SD2T	
	5.	FEELINKINDALUCKY- Poor performance. – SD1T	
<b>PRE-RACE SWABS:</b>			
	2.	ITSMEOTU	
	3.	JUSTIFY	
	4.	KIVIK	
	5.	NORBET	
	6.	HORRIE OTARA	
	7.	MY ULTIMATE HERO	
	8.	CRACK THE VAULT	
<b>POST RACE SWABS:</b>		ALL WINNERS	
<b>POST RACE TCO2:</b>	1	SHARMEY	
<b>ADJOURNED/PENDING INQUIRIES:</b>	7.	Brodie Davis – GYPSY AMOUR & Nathan Ford – KENYA NZ - Home straight.	