

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	TASMAINIAN TURF CLUB
Date:	Friday 14 th March 2025
Weather:	Fine
Track Condition:	Soft 5 Upgraded to a Good 4 at 6:10PM
Penetrometer:	4.64
Rail Position:	+9 metres from the 1200 metres to the winning post; +7 metres remainder
Stewards Panel:	Michael Castillo (Chairman), Gavin Griffin (Panel/Yard), Ebony Morice-Smith (Panel), Tony Harding (Panel), Allison Norgrove (Yard), Andrew McDermott (Swabbing)
Officials:	Dr E Bates and Medical Edge (Raceday medical providers), Dr. R Blackwell and Dr. I Collier (Veterinarians), Brittany Hine (Scales), Mr. J. Evans (Starter), Mr. A. Collins (Assistant Starter)

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
2	Prince Marionette		Kelvin Sanderson	Explanation Accepted
4	Wild Nights		Chelsea Baker	Explanation Accepted
4	Our Indulgence		Bulent Muchu	Explanation Accepted
7	Bold Instinct		Chelsea Baker	Explanation Accepted
8	Sweet Lucifer	Chelsea Baker	Chloe Wells	Late Rider Declaration
8	McSweyn		Chelsea Baker	Explanation Accepted

Comments / Explanations:

Trainer J Keys was fined \$50 under the provisions of LR13.3 3 for the late rider declaration of SWEET LUCIFER in Race 8.

RACE 1 – 5:20PM – Armidale Stud 2YO Maiden - (1100 METRES)

- 1 LAWRENNY BOYS** Jumped outwards at the start, bumping with TAROONA.
- 2 OJOS DEL SALADO** Bumped with A QUEENS BUZZ on jumping.
- 3 PRINCE MARIONETTE** Tended to Lay out in the early stages, forcing the rider straighten the gelding. A post race swab sample was taken from the winner.

4 A QUEENS BUZZ	Bumped with OJOS DEL SALADOS on jumping.
5 BRIGHT NIGHT	Raced four-wide throughout.
6 CAN'T CATCH CHILLI	Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Was forced to steady off the heels of A QUEENS BUZZ approaching the 600 metres.
7 CELESTIAL GLOW	Tended to shift out under pressure over the concluding stages.
8 TAROONA	Bumped with LAWRENNY BOYS on jumping. Slow to muster early speed. Momentarily held up for a clear run in the home straight behind the heels of CELESTIAL GLOW and shifted inwards to gain a clear run. Tended to hang outwards over the concluding stages.

RACE 2 – 6:00PM – Good Friday Racing Maiden - (1400 METRES)

1 ALPINE EDWARD	Slow to muster early speed. Over raced in the early stages.
2 CHRISTOPHER ROBIN	Over-raced in the middle stages. Held up for a clear run in the early stages of the home straight, shifting in to obtain a clear run over the concluding stages.
6 VOSTOK STATION	Jumped awkwardly and collided with the inside barrier upright on jumping, resulting in the rider having to straighten her mount.
7 DIAMOND SUNRISE	Slow to muster early speed. Raced four-wide without cover in the middle and later stages.
8 MISS PRIVATE	Race wide in the early stages. A post race swab sample was taken from the winner.
9 PROSPEROUS MISS	Raced three-wide without cover in the early stages. Approaching the 600 metres, shifts inwards abruptly obliging the rider to straighten his mount. Stewards inquired into the reasons why apprentice rider J Radley failed to ride his mount out fully to the line. Mr. Radley explained that his mount was tiring and when placed under pressure at the 100m it failed to respond to his riding. Apprentice J Radley further explained the mare today was ridden more forward and in his opinion the mare failed to finish off due to the tactics adopted and would be more suited to being ridden further back in the field in the future race starts. Stewards noted Apprentice J. Radley's comments for future reference, however reminded him of his obligations to ensure his mounts are ridden at least hands and heels fully to the line.

11 ROLLING IN IT

Fractious in the gates prior to the start. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary examination as the mare raced below market expectations. The examinations revealed the mare to be lame in the off Foreleg. Trainer B McShane was advised he would need to provide a veterinary certificate of fitness prior to its next trial or race start. When questioned, trainer B McShane advised stewards the mare would be going for an immediate spell.

RACE 3 – 6:30PM – Jackson Security BM60 Hcp - (1400 METRES)

1 LORD WHITEGATE

Caught wide in the early stages of the event. Racing to the 900meters shifted inwards. Rider suspended. A post race swab sample was taken from the winner.

2 SANDUAL

Bounded on jumping. Tightened and taken inwards at the 900meters.

3 LONDANI

Raced three-wide in the early stages. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary examination as the gelding performed below the steward's expectations and was heavily supported in the market. A post race examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Stewards questioned trainer S Cotton in relation to the geldings' disappointing performance. Trainer Cotton suggested that the market for today's event did not reflect the ability of the horse but was very disappointing with its performance. Trainer Cotton stated she will be assessing his racing future within her stable with connections. Stewards noted trainer Ms. S Cotton's comments for future reference.

4 NGAPALI BEACH

Over-raced in the early stages.

6 BELPINE MISS

Shifted in on jumping, causing the rider to become unbalanced. Tightened for racing room at the 900m. When rounding the home turn, the rider was forced to steady her mount when LONDANI racing in front began to tire and give ground. When questioned, apprentice C Baker stated that her mount rolled in on the point of the turn, causing her to become unbalanced. Stewards noted Apprentice C. Baker's comments.

7 NINJA STAR

Slow to muster early speed.

9 OPALSON

Slow to muster early stages.

10 DESIGNER DREAMER

Fractious in the barriers prior to the start. Rider lost her cap cover over the concluding stages.

12 SWOOPING EAGLE

Tended to over-race at various stages of the event in particular between the 1200m to the 900m.

Stewards questioned riders C Jordan (LORD WHITEGATE), Apprentice J Radley (SANDUAL) and Apprentice C Baker (BELPINE MISS) in the presence of Jockeys delegate Mr. K Ring into an incident racing to the 900m. Stewards after considering all the evidence tendered at the inquiry, viewing the official patrol films and taking into account their own observations issued a charge to Jockey C Jordan. Rider Cody Jordan pleaded guilty to the charge of careless riding under the provisions of AR131(a), The particulars were that near the 900 meters, she permitted her mount to shift in when insufficiently clear of SANDUAL (J Radley), which was carried in onto BELPINE MISS (C Baker) who had to check her mount.

Steward after hearing submissions from jockey Cody Jordan on penalty suspended her jockeys license for one Tasmanian race date to commence at midnight 21-03-2025 and expire midnight 23-03-2025. Stewards considered the level of interference which was in the low range and her excellent record under this rule along with her guilty plea. Rider C Jordan was advised of her right of appeal.

RACE 4 – 7:05PM – Tasbred Racenight 11th April Class 1 Hcp - (1200 METRES)

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| 1 SHY GUY | Shifted inwards under pressure over the concluding stages. |
| 3 PEAK A BOOM | Stood flat footed and missed the start of the event by two lengths. Over-raced in the early stages. |
| 4 UNCLE'S TIP | Shifted ground outwards under pressure over the concluding stages. Stewards spoke to apprentice J Johnstone in relation to ensuring he keeps his mount straight when riding out his mount to the line. A post race swab sample was taken from the winner. |
| 5 WILD NIGHTS | Over-raced in the early stages. Returned post race missing its off fore shoe. |
| 8 ZUNI | Resaddled behind the barriers prior to the start. Shifted outwards under pressure over the concluding stages. |
| 9 GIE IT LALDY | Stood flat footed and missed the start of the event by four lengths. Stewards advised trainer M Dalco that the gelding would have a warning placed on its barrier manners. |
| 10 SKY EAGLE | Tightened for room when SHY GUY shifted in and ZUNI shifted outwards over the concluding stages. |
| 11 OUR INDULGENCE | Returned post race missing its Near Hind shoe. |
| 12 ART HEIST | Raced three-wide through without cover until the home turn. |

RACE 5 – 7:35PM – Vale Helen Hanson BM76 Hcp - (1400 METRES)

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| 2 SAILOR | Caught wide early and elected to race three-wide for the remainder. |
| 3 ROMARY | Withstood a protest. A post race swab sample was taken from the winner. |
| 4 STONE COLD STUNNER | Shifted out and bumped with SAILOR at about the 400 metres. |

- 5 ARUMA** Shifted in around the 900 metres, forcing STONE COLD STUNNER onto PREOLA.
- 6 CARNEROS** Slow away. Raced three-wide from the 400 metres.
- 7 PEROLA** Over-raced throughout.

The announcement of correct weight was delayed by allowing Apprentice J Radley, rider of the second placegetter PEROLA, with the trainer and its connections, to view the patrol footage to ascertain if there were grounds to lodge a protest against the winner ROMARY. After viewing the patrol films, apprentice J Radley and trainer J Blacker proceeded with lodging a protest against the winner ROMARY for alleged interference at the 800 metres and again over the final 200 meters.

Evidence was taken from Jockey A Darmanin, the rider of ROMARY and the trainer of that mare, Mr. Vivian-Smith, as well as apprentice J Radley and trainer Mr. J Blacker. It was established that the material extent of the alleged interference between the two runners was insufficient taking into consideration the head margin between the two runners at the end of the race. The Stewards dismissed the protest and declared the correct weight on the judge's numbers.

Apprentice Cloe Wells (ARUMA), in the presence of jockey advocate Mr. K. Ring, pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under the provisions of AR131(a), in that near the 800 meters, she permitted her mount to shift in when insufficiently clear of STONE COLD STUNNER (C Jordan), which was carried in onto PEROLA (J Radley) resulting in that rider having to check his mount. After taking evidence from all riders and viewing the official patrol footage, and stewards acting on their own observations, apprentice Cloe Wells was suspended for one Tasmanian race date to commence at midnight Friday and expire midnight Sunday 23rd of March 2025. Stewards considered the level of interference which was in the low range, her very good record under this rule and her guilty plea. Apprentice Cloe Wells was advised of her right of appeal.

RACE 6 – 8:05PM – Finance Brokers Tasmania St Leger - (2400 METRES)

The start of this race was delayed two minutes due to the protest in the previous race.

- 2 TRAVELLING GIGGOLO** Raced three-wide over the middle stages.
- 3 ZULU ANGEL** A post race swab sample was taken from the winner.
- 4 DANTES** Over-raced in the early stages.
- 5 VINTAGE DIESEL** Raced four-wide from the 800 meters.
- 6 SWOOP THERE IT IS** Withdrawn by order of stewards at 4:40PM. Stewards ordered that all monies invested on SWOOP THERE IT IS prior to 4.40pm to be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to all successful wagers placed prior to the late scratching time
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| 1st | 3 ZULU ANGEL | 9c Win | 7c Place |
| 2nd | 4 DANTES | | 8c Place |
| 3rd | 9 LINDRUM | | 11c Place |

All monies bet after the withdrawal to be paid at face value of the tickets.

- 7 MONTEZULU** Stewards granted permission for rider A Darmanin to ride ½ kg over the allotted minimum weight. Over-raced over the early stages.
- 8 MILES 'N' MILES** Slow away.
- 9 LINDRUM** Over-raced in the early stages and got its head up when being restrained back upon jumping.

RACE 7 – 8:40PM – Thank You Ladbrokes From the TTC Open Hcp - (1100 METRES)

- 1 AND BEYOND** Shifted out, bumping with TONY NICCONI. Raced three wide with cover in the early stages. Steadied off heels on the home turn.
- 2 TURK WARRIOR** Bumped by another runner on the home turn. A post race swab sample was taken from the winner.
- 3 BELLO BEAU** Raced three-wide in the middle stages.
- 4 GALENUS** Shifted in bumping with TONY NICCONI approaching the 800 meters causing the tightening of TURK WARRIOR (App. J Johnstone), who was forced slightly inwards onto GEEGEE JET BY (J Beriman), causing Ms. J Beriman to momentarily ease her mount. Apprentice J Radley was severely reprimanded pursuant to AR131(a) for careless riding in this incident and reminded of his obligations in similar circumstances.
- 5 TONY NICCONI** Tightened for room upon jumping, between GALENUS and AND BEYOND who both shifted ground. Raced keenly while leading in the early stages.
- 6 GEEGEE JET BY** Shifted out to obtain clear running at the home turn, bumping with TURK WARRIOR, resulting in AND BEYOND who was following having to steady off heels.

RACE 8 – 9:20PM – Vale Mary Ryan BM68 Hcp - (1200 METRES)

- 2 MAKE A DECISION** Slow away. Race three-wide in the early and middle stages.
- 4 TURK BOY** A post race swab sample was taken from the winner.
- 5 CAPTAIN CAM** Raced keenly while racing outside the leader. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be showing signs of heat stress. The gelding was monitored and returned to a normal temperature shortly after.

RACE 9 – 9:55PM – Ladbrokes Form Genius BM60 Hcp - (1600 METRES)

- 4 KABOOM KABOOM** Jumps inwards, bumping with STEELE MY SUNSHINE. Had to be steadied off another runner at the 1200 meters.

5 HURRICANE KETUT	Slow away. Raced four-wide from the 800 meters. A post race swab sample was taken from the winner.
6 STEELE MY SUNSHINE	Fractious in the barriers prior to the start. Jumps awkwardly, bumping with KABOOM KABOOM. Slow to muster early speed and got its head up and raced ungenerously.
8 MARTINI BLUE	Slow away. Raced three-wide until 1200 meters.
9 ROMANESCO FRESCO	Over-raced in the early stages.

SUMMARY	
Pre-race Blood Samples:	R6 – ASHY BOY R6 – TRAVELLING GIGGOLO R6 – VINTAGE DIESEL R6 – LINDRUM
Pre-race Urine Sample	R6 – SWOOP THERE IT IS
Post-race Samples:	R1 – PRINCE MARIONETTE R2 – MISS PRIVATE R3 – LORD WHITEGATE R4 – UNCLE’S TIP R5 – ROMARY R6 – ZULU ANGEL R7 – TURK WARRIOR R8 – TURK BOY R9 – HURRICANE KETUT
Suspensions:	R3 – Codi Jordan – AR 131(a) – Careless Riding R5 – Chloe Wells – AR 131(a) – Careless Riding
Fines:	R8 – J Keys – LR13.3 – \$50- Late rider declaration
Reprimands:	R7 – J Radley – AR 131(a) – Careless Riding
Horse Warnings:	R4 – GIE IT LALDY
Required to Trial:	NIL
Adjourned Inquiries:	NIL
Follow-up required: Vet Certificate	R2 – ROLLING IN IT
Tactics Notified:	NIL

GENERAL

ADDENDUM

Steward's report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment.

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