

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	TASMAINIAN TURF CLUB
Date:	Friday 21 st March 2025
Weather:	Overcast
Track Condition:	Soft 5
Penetrometer:	4.64
Rail Position:	True Position
Stewards Panel:	Michael Castillo (Chairman), Gavin Griffin (Panel/Yard), Ebony Morice-Smith (Panel), Tony Harding (Panel), Allison Norgrove (Yard), Emily Dunbabin (Swabbing)
Officials:	Dr E Bates and Medical Edge (Raceday medical providers), Dr. R Blackwell and Dr. I Collier (Veterinarians), Brittany Hine (Scales), Mr. D. Evans (Starter), Mr. A. Collins (Assistant Starter)

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
1	MAY WE ALL		L Bingley	Explanation Accepted
2	SYRUP		B Muchu	Explanation Accepted
2	EMMJAY		L Annells	Emergency Gained Start
8	APLINE KATE		J Johnstone	Trainer Fined

Comments / Explanations:

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

RACE 1 – 6.00PM – TASMANIAN HOSPITALITY ASSOCIATION MDN PLATE- 1200m

2 MAY WE ALL

Raced four-wide in from the 800 metres.

3 SMART ARTIE

A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

6 NO ARGUMENT

Raced fiercely between the 1000m and the 800 meters.

7 SMASH'N GRAB

Bumped by another runner upon jumping.

Rider K Boxall reported post race that the mare may have been stepping a bit short in her action after crossing the finish line. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no obvious abnormalities.

9. VANSITTART

It was a late scratching at 2.58pm when the mare showed signs of suffering from colic. Trainer was advised that a veterinary certificate will need to be tendered before the mare is nominated to race again.

11. BILLIE THE GREAT

Restrained off heels of another runner at the 800 meters. A post race swab sample was taken from this winner of the event.

12. DUBAI AFFAIR

Jumped out at the start, bumping with SMASH'N GRAB. Over-race early and middle stages. Shifted wider at the 600 meters to obtain clear running.

RACE 2 – 6:30PM –PIZZA, PARMIGIANO & CURRY NIGHT 4TH APRIL HCP- (1400 METRES)**2 WILLINGLY**

Bumped by another runner upon jumping.

A post race swab sample was taken from this winner.

Rider A Darmanin pleaded guilty to a charge under provisions of rule AR132(7)(a)(i) for using his whip in consecutive strides. Stewards fined jockey Mr. A Darmanin a sum of \$100 fine and took his good record into consideration when deliberating on penalty.

3 SHE'S SLICK

Bumped by another runner upon jumping.

5 DIESEL'S SUNSHINE

Inconvenienced upon jumping and forced inwards.

6 LAST TREMBLE

Jumped in at the start, carrying DIESEL SUNSHINE, inwards onto CARNELIAN ROCK who in turn bumped with SHE'S SLICK. Also Raced wide throughout the event.

8 CARNELIAN ROCK

Bumped by another runner upon jumping.

9 GIE IT LALDY

Stood flat footed and missed the start by a considerable distance. Trainer M Dalco was advised the mare would be required to complete one satisfactory trial prior to its next race start. Stewards considered the mares previous record when determining a penalty.

- 10 IKIGAI KATSUMI** Over-raced in the early stages of the event.
- 12 VALIANT KHAN** Raced four wide with cover in the middle stages.
- 13 ENCOUNTER SPHERE** Stewards granted permission for jockey J Beriman to ride 1 kg over the allotted minimum weight. Stewards reminded Miss Beriman of her obligations to only accept rides that she can make the weight.in future.
- 14 SYRUP** Raced four-wide middle stages with cover.

RACE 3 – 7.00PM –LADBROKES FORM GENIUS HCP- (1600 METRES)

- 1 HARTFELT** Steward's spoke to rider J Beriman in relation to the geldings below market expectation. Miss. Beriman stated that HARTFELT tended to lay out throughout the run and failed to respond to her riding when placed under pressure over the concluding stages. Stewards spoke to trainer Mr. A Trinder regarding the below market performance. Mr. Trinder was unable to provide any explanation.and stated that he would monitor the gelding on returning to his stable. Stewards noted their comments for future reference.
- 2 LONTANO** Restrained after the start to take a position closer to the rail. Shifted in and brushed with another runner around the 50 meters. A post race swab sample was taken from this winner.
- 5 HUBUBBAJAHN** Over-raced throughout the event. Stewards questioned rider A Darmanin over the mares below market expectations. Mr. Darmanin stated that his mount over-raced for the entirety of the race and was unable to restrain back to a trailing position to try and settle the mare. He further stated that he placed the mare under pressure, and it failed to respond to his riding over the concluding stages. Mr. Darmanin advised that he believed the mare would benefit from a spell. Stewards questioned trainer B McShane regarding the disappointing performance of the mare. Mr. McShane stated that he was at a loss to explain the performance and, based on the performance, he would be speaking to all connections before deciding whether the mare will be spelled. Stewards noted their comments for future reference.
- 6 THE TAZWEGIAN** Bumped with TOSEN FAME at the start.

- 7 TOSEN FAME** Jumped awkwardly, bumping with THE TAZWEGIAN.
Raced three-wide throughout the event.
- 10 LOVE NEST** Held up for a clear run from the home turn until the 100 metres.
- 11 WHOLESOME** Caught racing three-wide rounding the 1200 metre turn. Brushed with LONTANO at about the 50 meters.

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

- 1 KAGISO** Bumped with another runner upon jumping.
- 3 NUMBERONESTYLEGUY** Stewards ordered a post race veterinary examination of the gelding which revealed no obvious abnormalities at the time of inspection.
- 4 SON GUKU** Upon straightening, shifted out over the heels of FLORENCE GLASS to get a clear run resulting in MANHATTAN NIGHTS being taken outwards and DIAMOND SUNRISE having to restrain off heels. Stewards reminded rider L Annells of her obligations in future she must be sufficiently clear when shifting ground Stewards took Jockey L Annells’ good record in consideration in this incident.
- 5 MANHATTEN NIGHTS** Bumped and carried outwards upon jumping. Carried outwards rounding the home turn.
- 6 MERLIN BEACH** Shifts outwards upon jumping bumping another runner.
- 7 DIAMOND SUNRISE** Raced three-wide with cover in the middle and later stages. Restrained off heels shortly after rounding the home turn.
- 8 FLORENCE GLASS** Caught racing three-wide rounding the 1200 meters turn and continued to race three-wide throughout the event.
A post race swab sample was taken from this winner of the event.

RACE 5 – 7:35PM – RACING ON GOOD FRIDAY (BM68)- (1400 METRES)

- 2 CARNEROS** Held up in the early stages of the home straight. A post race swab sample was taken from this winner.
- 3 MUSCLE UP** Shifts in on jumping, bumping with RIGOLETTO. Raced three-wide throughout.

4 DAYAN STAR

Stood flat footed and missed the start by four lengths. Disappointed for run for the entirety of the home straight. Stewards questioned rider A Darmanin regarding the riding tactics that were adopted in this event. Mr. Darmanin stated that after the gelding jumped poorly, he was unable to gain a forward position and had to ride for luck. He further stated that on entering the home straight he was unable to gain a clear run, and a gap never eventuated despite his attempts. Stewards, after viewing the official patrol films and acting on their own observations and taking into consideration the evidence tendered at the inquiry stewards noted Mr. Darmanin's comments for further reference and will monitor the geldings future race starts.

6 LORD WHITEGATE

Over-raced middle stages.

8 RIGOLETTO

Bumped with MUSCLE UP on jumping.

RACE 6 -8.30PM - KEVIN SHARKIE HCP (3) - 1200m**1 GLORY MISSION**

On straightening, was disappointed for the run between GEE GEES ME BOY and LADY GALADRIEL, when GEE GEES ME BOY shifted ground inwards restricting the racing room. Was held up for a clear run over the vital stages of the event before only gaining a clear run over the final 50m and ran home strongly.

2 LADY GALADRIEL

Over-raced early stages of the event.

3 GEE GEES ME BOY

Fractious in the barriers prior to the start. Bumped with CHEROKEE DANCER at the start. Raced three-wide throughout the event. Shifted inwards over the concluding stages, inconveniencing another runner.

5 CHEROKEE DANCER

Shifts outwards on jumping, bumping with GEE GEES ME BOY. Apprentice J Radley reported that he accidentally dropped his whip at the 200 meters.

6. DANCING WOLF

A post race swab sample was taken from this winner.

8 CAPABELLE

Stewards questioned rider L Annells as to the tactics adopted particularly in the run to the finish. Miss L Annells stated that she was momentarily held up behind DANCING WOLF entering the home straight and was reluctant to take a run to the inside of that filly when it presented, because she believed there was insufficient racing room. Ms. L Annells further stated that she eventually took a tight run to the inside of DANCING WOLF in

the straight and that her mount brushed the rail on several occasions in the run to the finish. Stewards noted Miss. Annells comments for future reference.

RACE 7 – 9.00PM – LADBROKES PUNTER ASSIST HCP (60) - (1200 METRES)

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| 1 SPEED ROCK | Over-raced early stages. Momentarily tightened for room at the 900m. Raced four-wide in the middle stages in the event. |
| 2 I'M KEEFE | Caught three-wide early. |
| 3 NO ACCESS | Slow into stride and muster early speed. A post race swab sample was taken from this winner. |
| 4 SWINGING IT | Brushed with GEEGEES MISTY shortly after the start. Over-raced early stages of the event. Tended to shift outwards slightly at the 1000 meters. |
| 6 GEEGEES MISTY | Brushed with SWINGING IT shortly after the start. Shifted inwards around 1000 meters, tightening SPEED ROCK in onto MISS TANZENITE. Continued to lay inwards at the 900meters. |
| 7 POWER MAGNUM | Shifted inwards marginally at 1000m
Rider fined for his whip use in the home straight. |
| 8 MISS TANZANITE | Bounded on jumping. |

Stewards questioned riders D Pires (SPEED ROCK), Apprentice J Radley (POWER MAGNUM), B Muchu (GEEGEES MISTY) and Apprentice J Johnston (SWINGING IT) into an incident racing to the 1100 metres where Mr. B Muchu and Mr. D Pires were tightened for room and had to restrain their mounts. Stewards, after considering all the evidence tendered at the inquiry, viewing the official patrol films and considering their own observations, could not attribute the incident to any one rider. Stewards considered the racing manners of SWINGING IT and POWER MAGNUM who were over racing at the time despite efforts from the riders to restrain and as such stewards deemed this a racing incident and no action was taken against rider or horse..

Stewards questioned apprentice J Radley, in the presence of Master J Blacker into his whip use in the home straight on POWER MAGNUM. Apprentice J Radley pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii), where he used his whip nine times prior to the 100 meters, and a further 10 times before the finish. Stewards after taking into consideration submissions on penalty from trainer and jockey and taking into consideration his previous record issued apprentice J. Radley a \$400 fine.

Apprentice J Radley, in the presence of Master J Blacker pleaded guilty to a further charge under AR132(7)(a)(i), where he used his whip on consecutive strides on several occasions over the concluding stages of the event. Stewards considered his previous record under this rule and issued Apprentice J. Radley a \$200 fine.

Stewards adjourned an inquiry into an incident at 900m where riders had to ease their mounts. The riders required are S Clarke (I'm Keefe), Apprentice J Johnson (swinging it), B Muchu (Gee Gees Misty), D Pirez (Speed Rock) and apprentice J Radley (Power Magnum). This inquiry will continue at a date to be fixed.

RACE 8 – 9:33PM – SALTERS HIRE- (BM60 Hcp) - (2100 METRES)

3 MATEUS

Over-raced in the early stages of the event.

5 ALPINE KATE

Over-raced early stages of the event. Raced three-wide throughout the event with no cover.

6 DOONICAN

Stewards questioned trainer J Blacker as to the improved performance of the gelding in tonight's event given the gelding's previous average form. Trainer J Blacker could not offer any real explanation and was surprised with tonight's winning result. Mr. Blacker further advised that his apprentice J Radley rode the gelding with a well timed run and further stated the gelding galloped well during the week which could be a contributing factor in today's improved performance. Stewards noted Mr. J Blacker's comments for future reference and will be monitoring it next race starts. A post race swab sample was taken from this winner.

SUMMARY	
Pre-race Blood Samples:	R8 GOLDEN PROPHET, OZ TURK, MATEUS, MONTE FLEUR, ALPINE KATE, DOONICAN, POP A HONDA
Pre-race Urine Sample	Nil
Post-race Samples:	R1 BILLIE THE GREAT R2 WILLINGLY R3 LONTANO R4 FLORENCE GLASS R5 CARNEROS R6 DANCING WOLF R7 NO ACCESS R8 DOONICAN
Suspensions:	Nil
Fines:	R2 A Darmanin AR132(a)(i) - Whip Use -\$100 R7 J Radley AR132 (a)(i)- Whip Use - \$200 R7 J Radley AR132(a)(ii)- Whip Use -\$400 R8 J Keys LR13.3 – Late Rider declaration- \$50.00
Reprimands:	Nil
Horse Warnings:	R5 STAR
Required to Trial:	R2 GIE IT LALDY (1 Trial)
Adjourned Inquiries:	Nil
Follow-up required: Vet Certificate	R1 VANSITTART- Late Scratching. Vet certificate required.
Tactics Notified:	Nil

GENERAL ADDENDUM

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

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