

## STEWARDS REPORT

<b>Club:</b>	Tasmanian Trotting Club
<b>Date:</b>	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> August 2023
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine
<b>Track Condition:</b>	Good
<b>Stewards Panel:</b>	R Brown (Chair), J Gleeson, N Finnigan, T Canham and E Dunbabin
<b>Officials:</b>	Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr J Buckerfield (Veterinarian); A Emery (Starter)

### RACE 1 – CAVALOR EQUICARE 2YO COLTS AND GELDINGS SWEEPSTAKES HEAT TWO. – 1609m Mobile

No racing incidents.

### RACE 2 – TASMANIAN HORSE TRANSPORT PACE – 2090m Mobile

A false start was declared at the first attempt when **ON MY OATH** hung in and contacted **AH MACH NZ** who then checked **THE DUDE NZ** which galloped. **ON MY OATH** has been placed out of the draw in future mobile events.

**THE DUDE NZ** was checked and broke during the initial score-up.

**AH MACH NZ** was checked during the initial score-up before being caught wide early and restraining to the rear of the field at the second attempt. The mare then hung in and contacted a marker peg. A warning was issued.

**SNEAKY PEAK** broke free of interference when working around the field and has been placed on its last chance to race truly.

**AH MACH NZ** was held up and inconvenienced behind a tiring runner in the back straight.

**GOING GREAT GUNS** raced outside the leader before tiring to be beaten in excess of 77 metres. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to be slightly lame in the off hind leg. The gelding has been stood down for a period of 10 days.

**ON MY OATH** underwent a post-race veterinary after tiring to be beaten in excess of 80 metres which revealed a laceration to the tongue and was stood down for a period of 10 days.

**RACE 3 – CAVALOR EQUICARE 2YO FILLIES SWEEPSTAKES HEAT TWO – 1609m Mobile**

**MACKEON** underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after throwing itself to the track and was passed suitable to start.

**BARBETTE** was restrained to the rear of the field and hung in around the last turn.

**HALEP LEIS** was restrained to the rear of the field.

**RACE 4 – MORE CONFIDENCE CONSULTING PACE – 2090m Mobile**

**THEUGLYSISTER** was caught wide early before restraining to the rear of the field.

**ART HUNTSMAN** was restrained after the start.

A warning was issued to **MISSUS DISASTER** which hung in and contacted a marker peg.

**RACE 5 – LADBROKE IT PACE – 2090m Mobile**

**SHARKBITE ALTO** broke early in the score-up and was out of position at the start. The gelding will continue to be out of the draw in future mobile events.

**AUNTY BESSY** hung in during the score-up.

**STEPPING STONES** was caught wide early before restraining to the rear of the field.

**SHARKBITE ALTO** worked around the field three wide to race outside the leader.

**LOOBY LOMBO** utilised the sprint lane to win the event.

**HELANSIN** underwent a post-race veterinary examination after tiring to be beaten 77 metres. No abnormalities were detected and the gelding has been stood down until the completion of a satisfactory trial.

Driver D Ford, (**JIMI SANZ**) was fined the sum of \$100 under AHRR162(1)(y) after failing to run the required sectional times.

**RACE 6 – NUTRIEN SPRINTLANE PACE – 2090m Mobile**

**IDEN BLACK PRINCE** raced outside the leader early before obtaining a trail in the middle stages.

**FEELS LIKA BOSS** was caught wide early before working three wide to race outside the leader.

**MISTER MCLINTOCK NZ** gave ground over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 41 metres.

**NERO STRIDE** gave ground over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 40 metres.

### **RACE 7 – PRYDES EASIFEED PACE – 2090m Mobile**

Prior to the all-clear being given, driver M Yole, (**CC JONES**) asked to view the films of the concluding stages and after doing so, elected to lodge a protest against the 4<sup>th</sup> placegetter **MAJOR SEASCAPE NZ**, (P Ford), alleging interference around the home turn the final time. After hearing submissions from both drivers, viewing the official race replays and based on their own observations Stewards upheld the protest. Stewards deemed that **MAJOR SEASCAPE NZ** had shifted out and momentarily presented **CC JONES** with an inside run before shifting back to the rails causing **CC JONES** to be checked and contact marker pegs.

All clear was then given on the amended numbers.

Stewards believed that neither driver was fully responsible for the incident however advised both drivers to take more care in future similar situations.

**EUROKING** was caught wide early before restraining to the rear of the field.

**BLACKJACK JIM** was caught wide early before restraining to the rear of the field.

A warning was issued to **RAMBUNCTIOUS** which hung out under pressure around the home turn and in the home straight.

After beginning satisfactorily, **GRAPHITE STRIDE** has been reinstated in the mobile draw.

### **RACE 8 – LADBROKE HUB PACE – 1609m Mobile**

**HES APPLES** broke in score-up on the first occasion checking runners off the second row causing a false start to be called. The gelding has been placed out of the draw in future mobile events.

A second false start was called when several runners were out of position nearing dispatch point.

**PLEASE SHUDDUP NZ** underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was declared a late scratching after becoming worked up by the two false starts and treading on his off fore heel. Acting on veterinary advice no stand down period was imposed.

**DAPPER NZ** showed gate speed to lead the event before surrendering that position.

**FIVE STAR SHARK** worked forward in the middle stages to lead the event.

**HES APPLES** was caught wide early before working forward to race outside the leader.

### **RACE 9 – PHOENIX BASKETBALL CLUB PACE – 2090m Mobile**

The start of this race was delayed by 3 minutes due to the two false starts in the previous race.

**STYLISH TREND NZ** showed gate speed to lead but was unable to hold that position when challenged by **SMILE LYLE**.

**POP PENNIES** was caught wide early before restraining to the rear of the field.

**STALEY** was caught wide early before restraining to the rear of the field.

**ROCK ON PLAYBOY** worked forward in the middle stages to race outside the leader.

**VIVID STRIDE** underwent a post-race veterinary examination after giving ground over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 46 metres.

**JEDI MIND** underwent a post-race veterinary examination after giving ground over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 42 metres.

### RACE MEETING SUMMARY

<b>Suspensions:</b>	NIL
<b>Fines:</b>	R5 – D Ford – AHRR162(1)(y) - \$100 – Slow Sectionals
<b>Reprimands:</b>	NIL
<b>Horse Action:</b>	R2 – ON MY OATH – ODM – SD10 Days R2 – GOING GREAT GUNS – SD10 Days R5 – SHARKBITE ALTO – CODM R5 – HELANSIN - SD1T R8 – HES APPLES - ODM R7 – GRAPHITE STRIDE - BMD
<b>Pre-race Swabs</b>	R2 – THE DUDE NZ R4 – CEE TEE CHELSEA R5 – LOOBY LOMBO – AUNTY BESSY R6 – SLINGSHOT R7 – RAMBUNCTIOUS R8 – DAPPER NZ R9 – TEE JAY CEE
<b>Post-race Swabs:</b>	ALL WINNERS
<b>Adjourned/Pending Inquiries:</b>	NIL