

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	Tasmanian Trotting Club										
Date:	Sunday 10 th October 2023										
Weather:	Fine										
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RACE 1 – PRYDES EASIFEED PACE – 1609m Mobile

No racing incidents

RACE 2 – TASMANIAN HORSE TRANSPORT PACE – 2090m Mobile

No racing incidents

RACE 3 – MORE CONFIDENCE CONSULTING PACE – 2090m Mobile

NANCYS HOPE – Led comfortably, however was under pressure leaving the 400metres, performing under what may have been expected. Subjected to a post-race Veterinary Inspection. On inspection no obvious abnormalities were detected other than a slightly elevated post-race heart rate. Connections believed NANCYS HOPE had come into season, which may help to explain the performance.

DYNASTY STRIDE – When racing in a forward trailing position, approaching the 1200metres, dropped back quickly, appearing to ‘drop the bit’. However, on entering the home straight with one lap remaining, DYNASTY STRIDE then worked forward, when joined

to its outside by another runner. Trainer B Yole explained that he believed an alteration to the gear would help alleviate this problem. The evidence was noted.

General: Stewards delayed the 'all-clear' to ascertain whether IMHOOKED gained an advantage when it shifted to the inside of NANCYS HOPE in the later stages of the final turn and early in the home straight. On reviewing the official race footage, although acknowledging IMHOOKED contacted markers on the turn and raced inside others on straightening, Stewards were not convinced to the required standard that any advantage had been gained to the point it would have effected the placings. At a subsequent inquiry driver D Ford was fined \$100 for allowing IMHOOKED to shift in on the latter stages of the final turn resulting in his sulky striking markers. With regard to shifting inside markers early in the home straight, Stewards were of the opinion that movement forward of IMHOOKED had some bearing on this incident. Nonetheless, driver Ford was reminded of his obligations regarding his responsibilities when racing inside markers [AHR Rule 163(1)(c)(ii)].

RACE 4 – CAVALOR EQUICARE PACE – 2090m Mobile

No racing incidents

RACE 5 – MAGPIES ARE PREMIERS 2023 PACE – 1609m Mobile

TIGERLICIOUS – Hung in shortly after the start was effected resulting in its sulky wheel striking a marker.

MODERN JIVE – Shifted in marginally near the 1200metres, tightening the racing room of MISSIN ROCK.

MISSIN ROCK – Tightened for racing room near the 1200metres, resulting in its sulky wheel striking markers.

RACE 6 – LADBROKE IT PACE – 2090m Mobile

JUSTIFY – Will be excluded from the barrier draw in races conducted under mobile start conditions after breaking gait as the start was effected. Gave ground over the concluding stages beaten in excess of 60 metres, for which a warning was issued. Stewards in assessing, were mindful that JUSTIFY was having its first start for the stable.

RESUME NZ – Will be excluded from the barrier draw in races conducted under mobile start conditions after breaking gait, free of interference, within the first 100 metres after the start. Placed on its last chance to race competitively after dropping out over the concluding stages. Beaten in excess of 90 metres. Stewards in assessing, were mindful that RESUME NZ was having its first start for the stable and had galloped after the start.

MAGIC JOE – Subjected to a pre-race Veterinary examination after blood was detected in the horse's mouth during its preliminary. On inspection Dr M Buckerfield found a minor laceration to MAGIC JOE's tongue and was subsequently passed fit to race.

CHASIN FRANKIE – Tired badly over the final 500 metres to be beaten in excess of 80 metres. As CHASIN FRANKIE had been placed on its last chance to race competitively at its most recent start, Stewards stood the filly down from racing until it satisfactorily completes one requalifying trial.

RACE 7 – YOUNG GROUP PACE – 2090m Mobile

SPORTS ILLUSTRATOR – Disappointed for clear running until well into the home straight in the run not the finish.

AHA REACTION NZ – Placed on its last chance to race competitively after once again over-racing and pulling hard, contributing to the gelding fading, to be beaten in excess of 80 metres.

RACE 8 – NUTRIEN SPRINTLANE PACE – 2090m Mobile

FIRECRACKER NOLA – Momentarily tightened for racing room racing into the first turn and raced rough.

STAROFREMEMBERENCE – Worked forward from the start, tightened for racing room when CC JONES NZ hung in racing into the first turn, resulting in a locking wheels.

CC JONES NZ – Hangs in racing into the first turn, locking wheels with STAROFREMEMBERENCE. Placed on its last chance to race competitively after tiring out badly over the concluding stages. Beaten in excess of 70 metres.

OUR RUBY ROSE – Broke gait when full of running and in restricted room. Stewards in assessing this incident were mindful that a number of runners, both adjacent and forward of OUR RUBY ROSE, were changing lines at the time. The incident was noted.

SLINGSHOT – Checked when CC JONES NZ dropped back sharply through the field, a marker was struck due to this incident.

WYATTFLYNN – Checked when CC JONES NZ dropped back sharply through the field.

RACE 9 – LADBROKE HUB PACE – 2090m Mobile

LOOBY LOMBO – Momentarily blundered on the final turn near the 300metres.

RACE 10 – THE DYNAMO 10TH NOVEMBER PACE – 2090m Mobile

SHAUN TO THE MAX – Tightened for racing room leaving the 900metres, shifted in and tightened the racing room of DAPPER NZ.

HOT EMBERS – Hung in leaving the 900metres, shifted in and tightened the racing room of SHAUN TO THE MAX and DAPPER NZ.

DAPPER NZ – Tightened for racing room leaving the 900metres resulting in markers being struck.

RAMBUNCTIOUS – Will now be drawn on the extreme outside in mobile start events after once again failing to fill its allotted barrier position at the start. Failed to settle in a rearward position, over-racing. Race wide around the field to lead the one-out line approaching leaving the 1100metres. Hung in leaving the home straight, approaching the 900metres, momentarily tightening BLACKJACK JIM. Under pressure from the 500metres, shifting out on the final turn. On questioning driver P Ford could offer no tangible excuse for the performance of RAMBUNCTIOUS stating the gelding is a work in progress, however acknowledged it needs to improve his tractability quickly. Connections will continue to work on RAMBUNCTIOUS's idiosyncrasies in an attempt to have him race in a more acceptable manner. Stewards after considering the evidence tendered placed RAMBUNCTIOUS on its last chance to race truly.

Supplementary: Subsequent to its disappointing performance on September 24th 2023, the connections of RACKEMUP TIGERPIE informed Stewards that blood assessment had been carried out on the gelding which failed to shed any light to help explain the cause for the lacklustre performance. In addition, connections informed Stewards that some Veterinary work had been carried out on RACKEMUP TIGERPIE, which the gelding has appeared to have benefited from, resulting in RACKEMUP TIGERPIE returning to full work.

RACE MEETING SUMMARY

Suspensions:	Nil
Fines:	R3: D Ford, \$100 – Contact Markers – AHR Rule 163(1)(c)(ii)
Reprimands:	Nil
Horse Action:	R6: JUSTIFY – ODM R6: RESUME NZ – ODM R6: CHASIN FRANKIE – Stood Down 1 Trial R10: RAMBUNCTIOUS – RODM
Pre-race Swabs	R2: IDEN BLACK PRINCE R3: NANCYS HOPE R4: WHEY BETTER R6: JUSTIFY R7: VILLACCI R10: BLACKJACK JIM
Post-race Swabs:	ALL WINNERS
Adjourned or Pending Inquiries:	Nil