

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	TASMANIAN TURF CLUB
Date:	Wednesday 18 th October 2023
Weather:	Fine
Track Condition:	SOFT 5
Penetrometer:	4.68
Rail Position:	+4m Entire Circuit
Stewards Panel:	Bruce Free (Chair), Gavin Griffin (Panel), Tim North (Panel), Dominic Tyson (Panel Assist), Alison Norgrove (Back Yard), Ebony Morice-Smith (Front Yard), Janet Ainscow (Swabs), Eli O'Sign (Swab Assist).
Officials:	Dr S Geale - Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr I Collier & Dr R Blackwell (Veterinarian); Carol Brydon (Clerk of Scales).

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
8	REWARD FOR ROSIE	T Stalker (a)	L Annells (a)	Failed to arrive on course

Comments / Explanations:

Stewards will inquire into the reasons for Apprentice T Stalker failing to fulfil her riding engagement in Race 8.

RACE 1 – LADBROKES SPORTS BAR MAIDEN – 1200 METRES

Manual start was activated for this race

BAVARIAN FLYER – Raced wide and without cover in the middle stages. Approaching the 200m had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of PASS US BY (M Ulucinar) which shifted out. M Ulucinar was advised to exercise more care in similar circumstances.

FOREIGN LEGION – Apprentice L Annells reported that the gelding hung out throughout.

GEEGEE'S CITY BOY – Began awkwardly and shifted out.

ZULU ESPRIT – Stood flat footed and missed the start. Hampered shortly after.

LOVIN' BEV – Bumped on jumping.

LULULAND – Raced greenly.

GRETAL – Hampered on jumping. Over raced in the middle stages.

SPIETH MAGIC – Bumped on jumping and stumbled shortly after resulting in its rider becoming unbalanced.

RACE 2 – FLINDERS ISLAND CUP MEETING OCTOBER 27TH MAIDEN - 1400 METRES

CRAFTY BOSS – Began awkwardly.

GEEGEE'S ROYAL DUKE – Began awkwardly, contacting the offside barrier partition. Held up over the concluding stages and was unable to improve.

NO SURPRISES – Slow to begin.

WHIZ BY – Rider T Baker reported that the gelding hung out over the concluding stages.

BATTLE AWARD – Over raced in the early and middle stages. Near the 200m had to be steadied and shifted out across the heels of CRAFTY BOSS.

GOES LIKE THE WIND – Raced wide and without cover.

MINDFUL – Held up and unable to obtain from the early part of the home straight until near the 100m.

STONE COLD STUNNER – Held up rounding the home turn.

TURF PUZZLE – Rider G Catania reported that the mare hung out rounding the home turn.

RACE 3 – MELBOURNE CUP LUNCHEON @ LADBROKES RACING CENTRE CLASS 1 HANDICAP – 1400 METRES

BORN A WINNER – Raced fiercely throughout.

GEE GEES CHORIS – Raced wide and without cover.

ARCUCCI – Stumbled on jumping.

WHEELKNOT – Began awkwardly.

MIHOKO TAKEO – Began awkwardly and was slow into stride thereafter. Apprentice E Byrne-Burke was reminded of her obligations under AR132(6)(b) to ensure that her arm during her whip action does not raise above shoulder height.

LI'L HAIL MARY – Declared a late scratching at 8:20am by order of stewards.

RACE 4 – LADBROKE IT! CLASS 2 HANDICAP – 1200 METRES

MR FREEZE – Held up in the early part of the home straight. Near the 200m was obliged to shift out to obtain clear running.

NEEDS REMEMBERING – Hampered on jumping.

BOGAN BILL – Slow to begin. Raced wide and without cover. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have bled from both nostrils for the first time. Trainer M O'Grady was advised of the provisions of AR79(8). He further advised that the gelding will be retired.

POWERFUL PEBBLES – Bounded on jumping.

TERRACOTTA (NZ) – Slow to begin and was hampered shortly after.

VENTUS – Began awkwardly and was bumped shortly after.

FIGHTING STYX – Raced wide and without cover.

RACE 5 – FIELD FAMILY HANDICAP – (1200 METRES)

BELLO BEAU – Over the concluding stages shifted out under riding.

SIRENE STRYKER – Stewards granted permission for rider D Ganderton to ride 1kg over the allotted minimum weight of 54kg. Shifted out when placed under pressure in the home straight.

REWARD ACHIEVER – Raced wide and without cover.

GEE GEE QUEEN BEE – Raced keenly in the middle stages.

ETHICAL DILEMMA – Stewards granted permission for rider D Pires to ride 1kg over the allotted minimum weight of 54kg.

RACE 6 – LADBROKES LAUNCESTON CUP 28TH FEBRUARY MAIDEN/CLASS 1 – 2100 METRES

Manual start was activated for the start of this race.

A LITTLE DECEIT – Contacted the running rail near the 1400m.

AURUM MAN (NZ) – Slow to begin.

KING KURT – Began awkwardly. Over raced in the middle stages.

LILY LUELLA – Kicked by another runner whilst behind the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed suitable to start. Performed below expectations. Rider C Jordan explained that in her opinion the mare did not handle the step up in distance tonight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

PENNINE – Disappointed for clear running entering the home straight. Near the 200m was disappointed for clear running before shifting out.

FERRANS LOCH – Stewards permitted rider H McCarthy to ride the mare ½ kg over the declared weight of 55kgs.

KNOT DANCING – Slow to begin. Raced wide from the 1000m.

WANING WEASEL – Raced wide in the middle stages before obtaining cover near the 1200m.

RACE 7 – BOOK YOUR XMAS FUNCTION WITH US BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP – 2100 METRES

MACS RELAXED – Performed below market expectations. Rider K Sanderson explained that the gelding never travelled and was very disappointing. He further added that he was at a loss as to the performance however he indicated that the gelding was making respiratory sounds upon returning to scale. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities. Stewards will follow up with trainer M Trinder.

BLUSHED – Performed below market expectations. Rider A Darmanin explained that the mare was disappointing and failed to respond to respond when placed under pressure. A Darmanin explained that in his opinion the mare may have not handled the rise in distance and the track conditions tonight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

MAINCOURT – Raced keenly throughout.

A WEE NIP – Stewards granted permission for rider D Pires to ride 1kg over the allotted minimum weight of 54kg.

INDIGO GIRLS – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination at the request of its rider and was passed suitable to start.

RACE 8 – SIP & GRAZE FRIDAY NIGHT 27TH OCTOBER CLASS 2 HANDICAP – (1600 METRES)

RUSTIC CHARM – Slow to begin (3L). Over raced in the middle stages.

ALPINE ASSAULT – Raced wide and without cover.

FURTHER NORTH – Passing the 200m had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of RUSTIC CHARM (D Pires) which shifted out when not clear. D Pires was advised to exercise more care in similar circumstances. Unable to be tested over the concluding stages when awkwardly placed on heels.

GENERAL

SWAB SAMPLES	
Pre-race blood samples:	R1 – CONUMDRUM R2 – BATTLE AWARD R4 – BOGAN BILL R5 – GEE GEE QUEEN BEE R6 – FERRANS LOCH R7 – PERUN (NZ)
Post-race samples:	R1 – CONUMDRUM R2 – STONE COLD STUNNER R3 – ARUMA R4 – VENTUS R5 – BELLO BEAU R6 – KNOT DANCING R7 – VINTAGE DIESEL (NZ) R8 – GEE GEE SILENTNITE
Suspensions:	NIL
Fines:	TTC 23/7/23 – Apprentice T Johnstone AR115(1)(a) \$400 with \$200 wholly suspended for twelve months.
Reprimands:	NIL
Horse Warnings:	NIL
Required to Trial:	NIL
Barred:	R4 BOGAN BILL – Bled both nostrils 1 st time – 3 months & 1000m gallop
Follow up required: Vet Certificate	NIL
Tactics Notified:	NIL
Adjourned Inquiry:	R8 – Apprentice T Stalker, failed to fulfil engagement

ADDENDUM

The Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment.

TASMANIAN TURF CLUB – 23RD JULY 2023

Apprentice T Johnstone pled guilty to a charge under the provisions of AR115(1)(a) Misconduct, the particulars being that at the TTC Meeting on the 23rd July, 2023 after being advised of her penalty made comments stewards deemed disrespectful in swearing when penalty was delivered. Stewards fined rider T Johnstone \$400 with \$200 wholly suspended that she not re-offend under this rule over a 12-month period. In delivering penalty stewards took into account her guilty plea, her record under this rule and that it was her first offence.