# Office of Racing Integrity

Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania



## STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	TASMANIAN RACING CLUB	
Date:	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	
Weather:	Fine	
Track Condition:	SOFT 5 upgraded to GOOD 4 @ 12.10pm	
Penetrometer:	4.57	
Rail Position:	True Position Entire Circuit	
Stewards Panel:	Bruce Free (Chair), Tony Harding (Panel), Dominic Tyson (Panel), Gavin Griffin (Front Yard), Michael Castillo (Back Yard), Tracy Canham (Swabbing Assist), Emily Dunbabin (Swabbing).	
Officials:	Dr Charles Rose; Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr Mark Buckerfield & Dr Janet Buckerfield (Veterinarian); Carol Brydon (Clerk of Scales).	

# Riding Changes / Jockey Information

NIL

# Comments / Explanations:

# RACE 1 - W L SHIELDS MAIDEN - (1100 Metres)

MISTER MANIHI - Bounded on jumping and laid in over the concluding stages.

**NEED A GIGGLE –** Slow to muster early speed.

**BUNKER BOB** –Steadied off heels and over raced in the early stages and again approaching the 600 metres. Carried in approaching the 100 metres and checked when BATCHY BULLET shifted in when insufficiently clear.

**IN THE OCEAN –** Bounded on jumping.

**MANDATE** – Declared a late scratching at 2.39pm on veterinary advice after kicking out in the barrier stall on a number of occasions. Trainer A Brakey was advised that the gelding must complete a satisfactory trial before racing again. On the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered that all monies invested on MANDATE be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to all successful wagers placed prior to 2.39pm. Stewards ordered that the following deductions would apply:

1st - HYPERCUBE6c Win 7c Place2nd - BATCHY BULLET7c place3rd - IN THE OCEAN5c place

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

**ROSE LEE –** Laid in after the start and again in the home straight placing Apprentice C Wells at a disadvantage in being unable to ride her mount out.

**AKIARA** – Slow to muster early speed.

**BATCHY BULLET –** Jumped awkwardly, commenced to over race near the 600 metres. Laid in under pressure approaching the 100 metres and shifted in when not clear of BUNKER BOB which had to be checked and contacted MISTER MANAHI. At a subsequent inquiry stewards found A Darmanin guilty of Careless Riding under the provisions of AR 131(a) for allowing his mount to shift in when not clear of BUNKER BOB which was severely checked and lost its position. After taking submissions on penalty including his good record his licence to ride in races was suspended for 1 Tasmanian race date to commence midnight the 11<sup>th</sup> of February 2024 and expire midnight 18<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

**NIGHTCLUBBING** – Raced wide throughout.

#### RACE 2 –AVISO TAS INSURANCE BROKERS CLASS 1 HANDICAP (1200 Metres)

**LORDOSIS –** Carried wider near the 700 metres

**ROCKIERRO** – Commenced to over-race when being steadied approaching the 600 metres and then had to be checked off heels.

**SPINHOF** – Raced wide throughout, carried wider near the 700 metres.

**MIRA FLORES** – Tightened near the 1000 metres and had to be steadied momentarily. Checked off the heels of WHIZ BY near the 600 metres and compounded in the home straight. Rider L Annells advised stewards that her mount hung out throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**TRICKY MIKKI** – Blundered on jumping. Raced three wide throughout. Rolled out when steadying off the heels of SWINGING IT when over racing near the 700 metres carrying LORDODIS and SPINHOFF wider.

**VOLKANOVSKI** – Shifted in when not quite clear of ROCKIERRO near the 600 metres.

# RACE 3 - WINNING EDGE PRESENTATIONS BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - (1600 METRES)

**DANTES (NZ)** – Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Held up for a clear run entering the home straight until the 200 metres behind EXALTED CROWN which had rolled out and AMANCAYA which laid in to its outside.

**EXALTED CROWN** – Shifted out marginally entering the home straight and galloped on when DANTES was held up behind it. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration above the off-hind fetlock.

**MARTINI BLUE** – Held up for a clear run approaching the 100 metres to the inside of EXALTED CROWN before shifting out to obtain clear running. When questioned C Newitt explained that after seeing the movement from the outside, he had elected to shift out but in hindsight his run to the inside had not been taken and he could have persisted in that position, Stewards noted his comments.

**AMANCAYA** – Slow to begin and raced three wide throughout.

# RACE 4 – LADBROKE IT! BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - (1100 METRES)

**BETTER THAN BANKSY** – Bumped on jumping after beginning awkwardly by CHEROKEE DANCER shifting in. Carried wider from the 500 metres by NO ACCESS shifting out. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**NO ACCESS** – Over raced approaching the 600 metres. Stewards queried Apprentice J Radley on his tactics passing the 600 metres when he restrained his mount to the rear of the field and then commenced to shift wider on the track. He explained that his instructions were to commence a wide run at this point. Stewards noted his explanation.

**PERIWINKLE –** Shifted in on jumping bumping with VOKES.

**VOKES** – Tightened on jumping between PERIWINKLE and THUNBERG both of whom shifted ground.

CHEROKEE DANCER - Shifted in at the start bumping with BETTER THAN BANKSY

**GREY WHISPER (NZ)** – Laid out under pressure in the home straight.

#### RACE 5 – KEVIN SHARKIE ELWICK STAKES – (1100 METRES)

**BOLD SOUL (NZ) –** Bumped by GOLD WOLF

**MOTORACE** – Jumped inwards at the start and bumped with GOLD WOLF.

**JOHNNIE PINCH –** Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Carried inwards entering the home straight by GOLD WOLF shifting in.

**GOLD WOLF (NZ)** – Bumped with MOTORACE at the start. Laid in entering the home straight and then when corrected laid out and bumped with BOLD SOUL(NZ) and shortly afterwards

rider Neil Farley lost his whip when it was struck accidentally from his hand by rider J Noonan's whip.

**THONATUS** – A post-race veterinary examination revealed a poor recovery rate and lameness in the near hind leg. A veterinary certificate will be required before the gelding trials or races again.

Prior to the declaration of correct weight, J Fry (STARDEALT) viewed the patrol footage to ascertain if he had grounds to lodge an objection. After viewing the patrol footage, J Fry was satisfied, and correct weight was declared.

#### RACE 6 - CARBINE CLUB PLATE - (1200 Metres)

**ARUMA** – Laid in under pressure in the home straight.

**RED SPHERE** – Bumped on jumping when PEROLA shifted out, raced wide throughout.

**NEEDS SUGAR –** Slow to begin.

**BINE** – Had to be steadied near the 800 metres when ANYWAYS ROXIE commenced to over-race and rolled out.

**POPILITA** – A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near fore. A veterinary certificate will be required prior to trialling or racing again.

**STRATOJACK** – Slow to muster early speed. Rider S Carr reported that there was something amiss with the gelding's racing manners throughout the race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Trainer T Mollross advised the gelding may have come to the end of its preparation and would now be spelled.

**ANYWAYS ROXIE –** Over-raced near the 800 metres and rolled outward inconveniencing RFD SPHERE.

**PEROLA –** Jumped outwards at the start and bumped with RED SPHERE.

#### RACE 7 – KEVIN SHARKIE MYSTIC JOURNEY STAKES – (1200 METRES)

**MEGAMEA** – Jumped awkwardly and then checked at the start when GIVE GIGGLES shifted out.

**JAJA CHABOOGIE –** Raced three wide throughout.

**JAGUAR STONE –** Held up for a clear run entering the home straight.

**SIRENE STRYKER –** Held up for clear running from the 400 metres until the 200 metres.

**VIVILICI** – Disappointed for a run near the 100 metres when IT'S KIND OF MAGIC rolled in marginally.

**EMILY –** Crowded on jumping between IT'S KIND OF MAGIC and VIVILLICI.

**CABACA** – Raced wide throughout.

**EXTREME GEM –** A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

## RACE 8 - MINGARI & CO BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - (1390 METRES)

**SHARMA'S LAST –** Raced three wide in the early stages.

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY –** Compounded in the home straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor cut to the outside of the off-hind pastern.

**LONDIANI** – Compounded in the home straight, a post-race veterinary inspection revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**RUBBLEONTHEDOUBLE –** Held up on the home turn.

**STEEL MIST –** Slow to begin.

**HAMOGANY –** Crowded on jumping between SHARMA'S LAST and GENERAL ASSEMBLY both of which shifted ground.

**NEV'S BOY –** Raced three wide throughout.

SWAB SAMPLES	
Pre-race blood samples:	R2 – FASHION FOX R3 – EXALTED CROWN R5 – BOLD SOUL (NZ), MOTORACE, MACY MOON, JOHNNIE PINCH, GOLD WOLF (NZ), STARDEALT, THONATUS. R7 – JAGUAR STONE, SIRENE STRYKER, VIVILICI, EMILY.
Pre-race urine samples:	R7 – JAGUAR STONE
Post-race samples:	R1 – HYPERCUBE R2 – LORDOSIS R3 – HELLOT R4 – ETOSHA R5 – BOLD SOUL(NZ) GOLD WOLF(NZ) R6 – PEROLA R7 – YELLOW SAM ALVARINHO R8 – KALIUWAA FALLS(NZ)
Suspensions:	R1 A Darmanin – AR131(a) Careless Riding 1 Tasmanian race date commencing midnight 11/2/2024 and expiring midnight 18/2/2024.
Fines:	NIL
Reprimands:	NIL
Horse Warnings:	NIL

Required to Trial:	R1 – MANDATE - Fractious in barriers – Late Scr
Barred:	NIL
Follow up required:	R7 – POPILITA - Vet Cert Required
Vet Certificate	·
Adjourned Inquiry	NIL
Tactics Notified:	NIL

## **ADDENDUM**

Stewards inquired into the reasons saddles were incorrectly placed on two horses in races 1 and 5. It was ascertained that the clerk of scales inadvertently sent the wrong saddles out due to not knowing who the mainland riders were. The clerk of scales was advised she must seek names when weighing out riders that she doesn't recognise.

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