

## STEWARDS REPORT

<b>Club:</b>	TASMANIAN TURF CLUB
<b>Date:</b>	Friday 29th March 2024
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine
<b>Track Condition:</b>	SOFT 5 Upgraded to a GOOD 4 @ 12:38 pm.
<b>Penetrometer:</b>	4.6
<b>Rail Position:</b>	+4 metres entire circuit
<b>Stewards Panel:</b>	Bruce Free (Chair), Tony Harding (Panel), Gavin Griffin (Panel), Ebony Morice-Smith (Panel Assist), Brittany Hine (Front Yard), Allison Norgrove (Back Yard), Janet Ainscow (Swabs).
<b>Officials:</b>	Dr J Lenton and Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr I Collier & R Blackwell (Veterinarian); Carol Brydon (Clerk of Scales)

### Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
R1	MURPHY'S KNIGHT		L Annells	Explanation Accepted
R1	YOU BETTER RUN	T Baker	E Byrne Burke	Emergency Gained Start
R1	AUNTIE JAKE'S BAR		H Le Blanc	Explanation Accepted
R5	SUNSHINE MOSHE		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
R7	FIGHTING FLOYD		D Ganderton	Explanation Accepted

### **Comments / Explanations:**

#### **RACE 1 – WELCOME TO THE GOOD FRIDAY FAMILY FUN DAY MAIDEN - (1400 METRES)**

**CARNELIAN ROCK** – Bumped with YOU BETTER RUN at the start, becoming unbalanced momentarily. Raced three-wide in the middle stages. Shifted in under pressure at the 100 metres, tightening the running of SAVANNAH SLEW.

**JUST BE A QUEEN** – Difficult to load. Raced three-wide in the early and middle stages.

**KINGSLEY COCO** – Became fractious in the barriers. Commenced to over-race at about the 1200 metres. Apprentice C Van Munster was advised to exercise care when her mounts are improving especially when there are horses that are commencing to tire that are in front of her.

**LITTLE SAL** – Shifted out at the 100 metres, carrying SAVANNAH SLEW wider on the track.

**MISS PEBBLES** – Bumped with SAVANNAH SLEW at the start, becoming unbalanced momentarily.

**SAVANNAH SLEW** – Bumped with MISS PEBBLES at the start, becoming unbalanced momentarily. At about the 100 metres had to steady when CARNELIAN ROCKS shifted in, when not sufficiently clear. Rider S Carr reported the mare to be in mild respiratory distress. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**SIENA WOLF** – Rider D Ganderton reported he was disappointed with his mount as the mare failed to respond when placed under pressure.

**NIGHTCLUBBING** – Slow to muster early speed. Had a tendency to lay-out when placed under pressure over the concluding stages.

**THEM'S THE BREAKS** – Slow to muster early speed.

**YOU BETTER RUN** – Bumped with CARNELIAN ROCK at the start, becoming momentarily unbalanced.

### **RACE 2 – THE WIN NETWORK OLYMPIANS CLASS 2 HANDICAP - (1200 METRES)**

**CAPITAL CHEVAL** – Over-raced middle stages. Shifted in, brushing with MR FREEZE approaching the winning post.

**SUSHI EXPRESS** – Over-raced in the early stages.

**SANDUAL** – Over-raced in the early stages. Made the turn at the 800-metres awkwardly. Rider S Carr dropped her whip entering the home straight.

**MYOCARDIUM** – Reared on jumping, brushing with the barrier, and unbalancing the rider. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**MR FREEZE** – Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Brushed with CAPITAL CHEVAL approaching the winning post.

**UNIQUE GLOW** – Hung-in momentarily approaching the home turn.

**TRICKY MIKKI** – Raced three-wide throughout.

**PERKINS** – Raced three-wide throughout.

**FEISTY LION** – A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

### **RACE 3 – LADBROKES HUB MAIDEN - (1100 METRES)**

**NEED A GIGGLE** – Rider A Darmanin reported something amiss with the gelding and elected not to place his mount under pressure in the later stages of the race. Stewards to follow up with trainer A Fulton.

**LONTANO** – Raced three-wide throughout.

**NUMBERONESSTYLEGUY** – Jumped awkwardly, brushing the barrier and was slow to muster early speed.

**WICKHAM LIGHT** – Bounded out and brushed with the inside of the barrier. Rider C Jordan report her mount laid-in rounding the home turn and into the home straight.

**TULATI** – Jumped awkwardly.

#### **RACE 4 – THE WIN NEWS MASTERS MAIDEN/CLASS 1 – (1600 METRES)**

**SPEED ROCK** – Raced wide throughout.

**SURELY SPECIAL** – Fractious in the barrier. A pre-race veterinary examination was undertaken after the gelding got its leg up momentarily and was passed fit to run. A warning was placed on the gelding's loading manners. Had to steady at about the 400 metres off the heels of PUNTER.

**MILTON** – Raced three-wide early and middle stages.

**MYSTIC HOPE** – Bounded on jumping.

**MILES'N'MILES** – Fractious prior to being loaded into the barriers, dislodging rider C Van Munster. A warning was placed on the gelding's pre-race manners. Tightened shortly after the start.

**GODDESS OF ROCK** – A pre-race veterinary examination cleared the filly to race, after the near-fore plate was replaced on-course. Slow to muster early speed. Steward's questioned rider C Newitt regarding the below market expectations of the filly. Rider C Newitt stated that after placing the filly under pressure in the early stages and failing to respond to his riding that the filly may have chocked down over the concluding stages after hearing unusual respiratory noises. He stated that he believed the filly may benefit from a tongue tie at its next start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**KASIHKU** – Jumped outwards on jumping.

**EMMJAY (NZ)** – Over-raced in the early stages.

**ROYAL SCOTCH** – post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

#### **RACE 5 – HAPPY EASTER FROM THE TAS TURF CLUB BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP (1100 METRES)**

**O'REILLY MCLUKE (NZ)** – Raced wide in the early and middle stages.

**SISTINE** – Jumped out at the start, tightening GREY WHISPER.

**SUNSHINE MOSHE** – Rider J Radley reported that he dropped his whip at about the 200 metres.

**CHEROKEE DANCER** – Jumped in at the start, tightening GREY WHISPER.

**GREY WHISPER (NZ)** – Tightened at the start when CHEROKEE DANCER jumped out and SISTINE jumped in.

**CHAMPAGNE CINDERS** – Over-raced in the early stages. Tightened at about the 800 metres when WHEELING (H Le Blanc), crossed when not fully clear, causing rider C Baker to take hold.

**WHEELING** – Rider H Le Blanc was severely reprimanded under AR 131(a) careless riding in that she allowed her mount to cross CHAMPAGNE CINDERS, when not sufficiently clear, causing rider C Baker to take hold.

## **RACE 6 – TED AND ARTHUR COX MEMORIAL – (1200 METRES)**

**JAGUAR STONE** – Over-raced early stages.

**FAKE MAGIC** – Raced wide throughout.

**ROMARY** – Apprentice C Baker was harmlessly dislodged enroute to the barrier and was passed fit by medical edge.

**AZARA** – Over-raced early stages.

**INTISAR** – Jumped awkwardly, contacting the inside of the barrier gates and was slow to muster early speed. Over-raced early stages.

## **RACE 7 – THANK YOU JOHN MCKENNA BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - (1400 METRES)**

**FREAK ON A LEAD** – Bumped with RIGOLETTO (NZ) at the start.

**FIGHTING FLOYD** – Jumped awkwardly and was slow to muster early speed. Carried HELLOT wider rounding the home turn. At the 150 metres, shifted out abruptly and bumped heavily with HELLOT, causing rider L Bingley to become unbalanced. Rider D Ganderton reported his mount hung out heavily rounding the home turn. Rider D Ganderton was reprimanded under AR 131(a) careless riding in that he allowed his mount to shift out abruptly into HELLOT.

**WARDELL** – Raced wide in the middle stages.

**HELLOT** – Wide throughout. Was carried wider by FIGHTING FLOYD (D Ganderton) rounding the home turn. At the 150 metres was bumped heavily by FIGHTING FLOYD, causing apprentice L Bingley to become unbalanced.

**RIGOLETTO (NZ)** – Bumped with FREAK ON A LEAD at the start. Raced wide in the early stages.

## **RACE 8 – TASBREEDERS RACE NIGHT 5<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 0 - 62 – (1400 METRES)**

**HAVLICEK** – Raced wide throughout.

**WELDBOROUGH** – was tightened in the concluding stages when LIL' HAIL MARY shifted out and MARTINI BLUE shifted in, causing the horses to buffer for several strides.

**LIL' HAIL MARY** – Was carried wider up the track by SHIM onto WELDBOROUGH and buffered for several strides.

**KEEPER'S TOUCH** – Held up for a clear run over the concluding stages.

**MARTINI BLUE** – Shifted in over the concluding stages, causing WELDBOROUGH to become tightened. Rider S Carr report her mount laid-in over the concluding stages.

**SHIM** – Shifted wider over the concluding stages onto LIL' HAIL MARY and buffered for several strides.

**SHARE THE GOLD** – Checked off the heels of HAVLICEK and shifted out to obtain a clear run.

Stewards inquired into an incident in the home straight, where WELDBOROUGH (K Sanderson), LIL HAIL MARY (C Newitt), MARTINI BLUE (S Carr) and SHIM (E Byrne Burke) raced tightly for several strides. After speaking to all parties, stewards declared this as a racing incident and reminded all riders of their obligation to exercise care when racing tightly.

<b>SWAB SAMPLES</b>	
<b>Pre-race blood samples:</b>	R4 – AUSSIE WARRIOR, HEWIE R5 – THUNBERG, O'REILLY MCLUKE
<b>Post-race samples:</b>	R1 – THEM'S THE BREAKS R2 – SUSHI EXPRESS R3 – BANKROLLBENNY R4 – MYSTIC HOPE R5 – BETTER THAN BANKSY R6 – JAGUAR STONE R7 – FREAK ON A LEAD R8 – SHARE THE GOLD
<b>Suspensions:</b>	NIL
<b>Fines:</b>	NIL
<b>Reprimands:</b>	R5 – H Le Blanc - AR131(a) Careless Riding R7 – D Ganderton - AR131(a) Careless Riding
<b>Horse Warnings:</b>	R4 – MILES 'N' MILES – Pre-race manners R4 – SURELY SPECIAL – Fractious in barriers and loading manners.
<b>Required to Trial:</b>	NIL
<b>Adjourned Inquiries:</b>	NIL
<b>Follow-up required: Vet Certificate</b>	NIL
<b>Tactics Notified:</b>	NIL

## GENERAL

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