

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	Devonport Racing Club
Date:	15 th September 2024
Weather:	Fine
Track Condition:	Synthetic
Penetrometer:	N/A
Rail Position:	True
Stewards Panel:	Bruce Free (Chair), Gavin Griffin (Panel), Dominic Tyson (Panel), Allison Norgrove (Back Yard), Ebony Morice-Smith (Front Yard), Janet Ainscow (Swabbing)
Officials:	Dr J Lenton and Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr J McKenna (Veterinarian); Carol Brydon (Clerk of Scales)

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
1	FAKE MAGIC		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
1	PHILOSOPHERS STONE		C Jordan	Explanation Accepted
2	MONTEZULU		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
2	SOUTHERN WIND		C Newitt	Explanation Accepted
2	PAGE		A Darmanin	Explanation Accepted
3	PRIVATE STORM		C Newitt	Explanation Accepted
3	GEE GEE SALTBUSH		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
4	LADY SARAH		K Sanderson	Explanation Accepted
4	MISS PEBBLES		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
4	MISS PRIVATE		A Malik	Explanation Accepted
5	GAZZA'S SPIRIT		L Annells	Explanation Accepted
5	ROSE LEE		C Van-Munster	Explanation Accepted
5	WILD NIGHTS		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
5	GEEGEE'S ROYAL DUKE	Chloe Wells	E Byrne-Burke	Emergency Gained Start
5	ALPINE TROUT		K Sanderson	Emergency Gained Start
6	CAPTAIN CAM		K Sanderson	Explanation Accepted
6	DISCLEVABOY		C Wells	Emergency Gained Start
7	STEEL CONNECTION		C Van Munster	Explanation Accepted
7	LAUNNIE NIGHTS		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
7	ROYAL SCOTCH		L Bingley	Explanation Accepted
8	EXTREME GEM		E Byrne-Burke	Explanation Accepted
8	CHAMPAGNE CINDERS		C Wells	Explanation Accepted
8	MR FREEZE		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
9	SUGOI LEGEND		J Radley	Explanation Accepted
9	ENCHANTED SPY		C Newitt	Explanation Accepted
9	O'REILLY MCLUKE		D Parish	Explanation Accepted

Comments / Explanations:

RACE 1 – LEAPING GOAT COFFEE BENCHMARK 76 HANDICAP – 1150M

FAKE MAGIC – Laid out over the concluding stages.

SHARMAS'S LAST – Bounded on jumping and slow into stride.

PHILOSOPHERS STONE – A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

BETTER THAN BANKSY – Over-raced in the early stages, carried wider over the last 100 metres by FAKE MAGIC shifting ground.

RACE 2 – TORQUE GEAR FOR GUYS BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP – 1880M

CLIFTON DANSEUR – Steadied passing the winning post on the first occasion when REWARD FOR ROSIE crossed to the rails.

SOUTHERN WIND – Bumped with NOBLE EXCEPTION at about the 600 metres.

PAGE – Stewards granted permission for rider A Darmanin to ride 1/2kg over the allotted weight. Began awkwardly and shifted outwards.

NOBLE EXCEPTION – Bumped with SOUTHERN WIND near the 600 metres.

RACE 3 – LADBROKES BLACKBOOK MAIDEN – 1009M

PRIVATE STORM – Caught wide in the early stages.

RED FOX – Shifted in when not fully clear of BEAU WARRIOR near the 800 metres. Rider C Jordan was reprimanded under the provisions of AR131(a) Careless riding for allowing her mount to shift in when not fully clear.

TERIKI SON – Slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a severe case of greasy heel. Trainer P Dargan has been advised that a veterinary clearance will be required prior to racing again.

THE BUTLER – Bounded on jumping and very slow to begin.

PURPLE MOON – Laid in entering the home straight and shifted out when being corrected.

SOULITA – Slow to begin.

BEAU WARRIOR – Shifted in on jumping unbalancing the rider. Had to be steadied near the 800 metres when RED FOX crossed when not quite clear.

TUSKEGEE – Steadied near the 800 metres when BEAU WARRIOR rolled in.

RACE 4 – GOODSTONE GROUP MAIDEN – 1650M

FOREIGN LEGION – Slow to begin and shifted out bumping with EXTRA DEVINE.

SUN HALO – Bumped with EXTRA DEVINE at the start.

EXTRA DEVINE – Jumped awkwardly, then bumped on jumping with SUN HALO and over-raced in the early stages. Rider T Baker reported that he felt his mount had shied at the barriers on the inside of the track at this point. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

FIRE UP RUBY – Over-raced in the early stages.

LADY SARAH – Stewards granted permission for rider K Sanderson to ride 1/2kg over the allotted weight.

LYCO RECO – Stewards granted permission for rider C Newitt to ride 1kg over the allotted minimum weight. Over-raced in the early stages.

RACE 5 – THE STABLES AT SPREYTON MAIDEN – 1350M

GAZZA'S SPIRIT – Raced three wide raced three wide.

ROMANI LASS – Slow to begin.

CAPTAIN WHITESNOUT – Shifted out on jumping and bumped with GEEGEE'S ROYAL DUKE. Raced greenly throughout.

GEEGEE'S ROYAL DUKE – Tightened between runners at the start.

ALPINE TROUT – Laid in throughout.

ONE STAR DREAM – Laid in throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed an old laceration to the near hind coronet that was bleeding. A veterinary certificate of soundness will be required prior to trialling or racing again.

Rider E Byrne-Burke (GEEGEE'S ROYAL DUKE) pleaded guilty under the provisions of AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on 9 occasions prior to the 100 metres, four more than permitted. Taking into account her record under this rule and her plea, stewards fined rider E Byrne-Burke \$300.

RACE 6 – THAI IMPERIAL BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP – 1350M

ETHICAL DILEMMA – Re-saddled behind barriers prior to the start.

THE SPIRIT OF ZERO – Raced three wide throughout, bumped with CHICANE near the 350 metres.

CAPTAIN CAM – Held up from the 100 metres.

CHICANE – Bumped with SPIRIT OF ZERO near the 350 metres.

DISCLEVABOY – Hung out throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

EASTCOAST MISS – Raced wide throughout with cover.

RACE 7 – KEVIN SHARKIE CLASS 1 HANDICAP – 1350M

TIMMY TWO SOX – Raced wide throughout and tailed the field. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have greasy heel.

WHO CAN IT BE NOW – Bumped by STEEL CONNECTION at the start and was carried in onto SYRUP.

TURF PUZZLE – Tightened between Dynamic Deal and Syrup approaching the winning post.

STEEL CONNECTION – Jumped in at the start and bumped with WHO CAN IT BE NOW. Soon after bumped with LAUNNIE NIGHTS. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any obvious abnormalities.

LAUNNIE NIGHTS – Bumped with STEEL CONNECTION shortly after the start. Over-raced early and middle stages.

SYRUP – Bumped with WHO CAN IT BE at the start, raced three wide throughout.

Rider J Radley (LAUNNIE NIGHTS) assisted by senior rider C Newitt, pleaded guilty under the provisions of AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on 10 occasions prior to the 100 metres, five more than permitted. Taking into account his record under this rule and his plea, stewards fined rider J Radley \$200.

RACE 8 – TASMANIAN HORSE TRANSPORT BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP – 1009M

NEEDS SUGAR – Fractious in the barriers and removed from the gates and underwent a pre-race veterinary examination, passed fit to compete. Slow to begin.

CHAMPAGNE CINDERS – Declared a late scratching at 4.18pm after refusing to load into the barriers. Stewards advised trainer J Blacker that the mare must complete a satisfactory trial prior to racing again. On the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered that all monies invested on CHAMPAGNE CINDERS be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to successful wagers placed prior to 4.18pm.

Stewards ordered that the following deductions would apply:

1st - 8	FEAR THE STING	9 cents win, 13 cents place.
2nd - 11	MR FREEZE	11 cents place.
3rd - 5	GUNSHIP	11 cents place

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

BLUFF POINT – Trainer L Gaffney was fined the sum of \$100 under the provisions of AR106 for a late gear change to remove Blinkers. A course announcement was made advising that the mare would not be wearing blinkers. Over-raced in the early stages and middle stages, carried wider entering the home straight by ELMAJAY and then laid in and had to be restrained away from its heels.

GUNSHIP – Began awkwardly.

ELMAJAY – Shifted out entering the home straight carrying Bluff Point wider.

MR FREEZE – Began awkwardly and slow into stride.

RACE 9 – LEIGH JORDAN ONE AGENCY COLLINS REAL ESTATE 0-62 – 1650M

RING OF HONOUR – Raced three wide throughout.

BANCA GLEE – Stewards queried rider D Pires in relation to the below market expectations in this event. Rider D Pires stated that his mount had mount hung out throughout and he was disappointed with the performance but was at a loss to explain. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities. Stewards spoke with trainer J Keys in relation to the mare’s performance. Trainer J Keys stated that he would be assessing the mares current racing future.

FIORANTE DE LEGEND – Shifted out on jumping and bumped with O’REILLY MCLUKE.

OPALSON – Jumped awkwardly and threw its head in the air and lost ground.

ENCHANTED SPY Shifted in on jumping and buffeted with RING OF HONOUR. Steadied passing the winning post when SUGOI LEGEND crossed to the rail.

SWAB SAMPLES	
Pre-race blood samples:	R1 – SHARMA’S LAST R3 – RED FOX R4 – SUN HALO R5 – ROSE LEE R7 – ROYAL SCOTCH R9 – MIHOKO TAKEO
Post-race samples:	R1 – SHARMA’S LAST R2 – NOBLE EXCEPTION R3 – RED FOX R4 – SUN HALO R5 – GEE GEES MOONLITE R6 – THE SPIRIT OF ZERO R7 – WHO CAN IT BE NOW R8 – FEAR THE STING R9 – MIHOKO TAKEO
Suspensions:	NIL
Fines:	R5 – E Byrne Burke – AR132(7)(a)(ii) – Whip used on 9 occasions prior to the 100 metres. Fine \$300 R7 – J Radley – AR132(7)(a)(ii) – Whip used on 10 occasions prior to the 100 metres. Fine \$200 R8 – L Gaffney – AR106(2) – Fine \$100 Late Gear Change.
Reprimands:	R3 – C Jordan – AR131(a) - Reprimand - Careless Riding Spreyton Training Centre – 26 th July 2024 – H Vandongen – Reprimand - AR232(b) – Failed to obey track rules.
Horse Warnings:	
Required to Trial:	R8 - Champagne Cinders – Late Scratching unable to load
Adjourned Inquiries:	NIL
Follow-up required: Vet Certificate	R3 – TERIKI SON – Vet clearance prior to racing R5 – ONE STAR DREAM – Vet Cert Required
Tactics Notified:	

ADDENDUM

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

SPREYTON TRAINING FACILITY 26th July, 2024

Stable hand H Vandongen was reprimanded under the provisions of AR232(b) for failing to obey track rules at the Spreyton Training complex when a rider had been dislodged during trackwork.

TASMANIAN RACING CLUB 1st SEPTEMBER, 2024

Race 1 – LADBROKES OWNERS INCENTIVE MAIDEN 1100 Metres

Stewards inquired into an incident at about the 200 metres where OCEAN EYES (K Sanderson) was tightened for racing room and shortly after BELLE PROTORIA (A Darmanin) was restrained off heels. In taking evidence K Sanderson stated that he was already steading due to the tightening from his inside from BELLE PRETORIA. Rider A Darmanin (BELLE PRETORIA) in his evidence stated that his mount was racing greenly at this stage and had shifted out marginally. Rider A Darmanin also stated that he had started to read the play and had momentarily stopped riding when BAYBOUGG (J Radley) had shifted wider to improve.

Stewards were unable to attribute the interference to any one rider. However, rider J Radley assisted by Senior rider C Newitt was reminded of his obligations to ensure he is fully clear before shifting ground to improve.

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