

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	Tasmanian Turf Club
Date:	30th October 2024
Weather:	Fine
Track Condition:	Soft 5, Upgraded to Good 4 @ 5.33pm.
Penetrometer:	4.62
Rail Position:	+3m Entire
Stewards Panel:	Bruce Free (Chair), Michael Castillo (Panel), Brittany Hine (Panel), Ebony Morice-Smith (Front Yard), Alison Norgrove (Back Yard), Janet Ainscow (Swabbing).
Officials:	Dr E Bates and Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr I Collier, Dr M. Fitzgerald (Veterinarians), Carol Brydon (Clerk of Scales) D Evans (Starter), D Bowman (Assistant Starter)

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
R1	GEEGEES TIGERLILLY		K Sanderson	Emergency Gained Start
R1	GEEGEE STRAWBERRY		K Boxall	Emergency Gained Start
R3	ALTAI RANGER		K Sanderson	Explanation Accepted
R3	STARS IN THE NIGHT		C Wells	Explanation Accepted
R3	COASTAL STRIKE		L Annells	Explanation Accepted
R7	GODDESS OF ROCK		C Jordan	Explanation Accepted

Comments / Explanations:

RACE 1 – LADBROKES OWN SPRING MAIDEN - (1100 METRES)

ARCADE BOY – Bumped with ZULU FIELDS shortly after the start, and as a result the gelding had a tendency to over race in the early and mid-stages. Stewards spoke to apprentice J Radley in relation to the race manners of ARCADE BOY at about the 800 metres. Mr Radley reported his mount was racing greenly at the time, and was reluctant to move forward into the position between NEED A GIGGLE and OCEAN EYES, causing the gelding to restrain off the heels of OCEAN EYES, and as a result shift out slightly.

GUBER – Stewards queried rider D Ganderton in relation to the below market expectations. Rider D Ganderton stated that his mount pulled hard in the early stages. And when placed his mount under

pressure entering the home straight it failed to respond to his riding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities. Stewards noted his explanation.

NEED A GIGGLE – Rider D Pires was reprimanded under the provisions of AR131(a) careless riding for allowing his mount to shift out on entering the home straight, inconveniencing OCEAN EYES (H LeBlanc) by causing it to shift in over heels at about the 200 metres, and further allowing his mount to then shift in, again causing OCEAN EYES to be restrained by its rider.

OCEAN EYES – Inconvenienced in the home straight when NEED A GIGGLE (D Pires) shifted out rounding the home turn, and again at around the 150 metres when NEED A GIGGLE shifted in.

UNCLE'S TIP – Held up for a clear run in the early stages.

UNIQUE EAGLE – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after becoming fractious behind the barriers and was passed fit to run. Difficult to load. A warning has been placed on the pre-race and loading manners of the mare.

ZULU FIELDS – Raced three wide from about the 800 metres.

GEEGEE STRAWBERRY – Slow to begin.

GEEGEES TIGERLILLY – Bounded on jumping and was very slow into stride.

RACE 2 – MEMBERS APPRECIATION RACE NIGHT FRIDAY NIGHT 1ST NOVEMBER CLASS 1 HANDICAP (1100 METRES)

RED FOX – Shifted in under pressure over the concluding stages.

RICH GLOW – Began awkwardly.

KENSINGTON DIVA – Shifted out on jumping and bumped with BLUFF POINT, and commenced to buck for some distance shortly after, taking no competitive part. Trainer S Carr was advised the mare would be required to trial to the satisfaction of stewards before racing again. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

CAPABELLE – Bumped with SWINGING IT on jumping.

GEEGEESCHASER– Raced three wide throughout. Rider K Boxall reported her mount hung out throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities however it was reported the mare was sweating and pawing post-race.

SWINGING IT – Bumped with CAPABELLE on jumping. Momentarily held up in the home straight.

BLUFF POINT– Bumped with KENSINGTON DIVA on jumping. Had a tendency to over race throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near fore. Trainer L Gaffney was advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to the mare racing again.

RACE 3 – JACKSON SECURITY TAS NEWMARKET & McB DEVELOPMENTS 3YO CUP 27TH NOVEMBER BM60 Hcp (1200 METRES)

ALTAI RANGER (NZ) – Jumped outwards at the start contacting the side of the barriers. Raced fiercely around the 800 metres.

NGAPALI BEACH – Inconvenienced at the start when ALTAI RANGER NZ shifted out, and STARNOTE shifted in on jumping and was slow into stride as a result. Had a tendency to over race in the early and middle stages.

BARMAID GIRL – Fractious in the barriers. Had a tendency to lay in, in the home straight.

STARS IN THE NIGHT – Bounded on jumping, bumped with COASTAL STRIKE shortly after the start.

COASTAL STRIKE – Bumped with STARS IN THE NIGHT shortly after the start.

Riders C Wells and C Jordan expressed concerns with the start of the race, in particular a delay with the barriers opening. After reviewing the official patrol films, stewards were satisfied the start wasn't affected, and correct weight was given on the judge's numbers.

RACE 4 – BOOK YOUR CHRISTMAS FUNCTION NOW CLASS 3 HANDICAP (1400 METRES)

ASVA (NZ) – Held up early in the home straight.

CONUNDRUM – Raced three wide throughout.

NIGHT ACTION – Jumped awkwardly and was slow into stride.

CHICANE – Fractious in the barriers.

The start of this race was momentarily delayed due to the crossover noseband on MONTE FLEUR becoming undone and was required to be replaced.

RACE 5 – SALTERS HIRE MAIDEN/CLASS 1 (2100 METRES)

BULBUK (GB) – Over raced early. Rider D Pires reported the gelding laid in throughout. In his opinion, the addition of blinkers for the first time may have been the cause. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the gelding to have a small laceration to the inside of the left hind fetlock.

SPRING BEAN – Had a tendency to over race in the middle stages.

PINANDI – Stood flat footed and as a result was slow to begin.

TIDEFORD (NZ) – Fractious in the barriers.

UNNERVING – Bounded on jumping.

FIRE UP RUBY – Began awkwardly. Restrained off the heels of PINANDI at about the 1500 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the mare to have bled both nostrils, as well as having a high heart rate, and slow post-race recovery. Trainer Mr R Hamer was advised that FIRE UP RUBY, would be stood down from racing under AR79 (4) for a period of 3 months, must not, without the permission of the Stewards, be trained, exercised or galloped on a racecourse, recognised training track, private training establishment for a period of 2 months, and must not start in any race for a period of 3 months, and then only after: (i) a gallop of at least 1000 metres; or (ii) an official trial or jump-out; in the presence, and to the satisfaction of a Steward. Trainer R Hamer advised stewards the mare would now be retired.

Stewards inquired into an incident just past the winning post on the first occasion where TIDEFORD NZ (K Sanderson), appears to be momentarily tightened by PUMA (J Radley), which had been

pressured by PINANDI (L Bingley). After taking submissions from all riders, as well as senior rider D Ganderton (representing L Bingley), stewards were of the opinion that the slow tempo of the race did not assist and as such no rider could be held responsible and the matter was reported as a racing incident.

Stewards spoke to riders J Radley (PUMA) and K Sanderson (TIDEFORD NZ) in relation to an incident at about the 1500 metres, in where it appeared apprentice J Radley had crossed K Sanderson with insufficient room. After taking submissions from riders, and reviewing the official films, stewards were of the opinion that the slow tempo of the race had played a major part of the incident, as well as the addition of MISS VIVACE (E Byrne Burke) slightly laying in.

RACE 6 – BOOK, WIN & DRIVE A BRAND NEW CAR COURTESY BUCKBY MOTORS BM68 Hcp (1100 METRES)

QUEENBOROUGH FLYER – Slow to begin, held up momentarily rounding the home turn.

RACE 7 – LADBROKES LAUNCESTON CUP 26TH FEBRUARY 2025 BM60 Hcp (1600 METRES)

FAST THINKER – Bumped with MIHOKO TAKEO on jumping. Had a tendency to over race throughout the early and middle stages.

MIHOKO TAKEO – Bumped with FAST THINKER on jumping. Tired over the concluding stages.

SUMMARY	
Pre-race Blood Samples:	R1 – OCEAN EYES R2 – SWINGING IT R3 – STARNOTE R4 – MONTE FLEUR R5 – ALPINE TROUT R6 – QUEENBOROUGH FLYER R7 – IMAGINE HOWE
Post-race Samples:	R1 – UNIQUE EAGLE R2 – DANCING WOLF R3 – ALTAI RANGER NZ R4 – ASVA NZ R5 – SPRING BEAN R6 – GEEGEE JET BY R7 – FAST THINKER
Suspensions:	NIL
Fines:	NIL
Reprimands:	R1 - D Pires – AR131(a) Careless riding – shifting ground outwards when not fully clear home straight.
Horse Warnings:	NIL
Required to Trial:	R5 – FIRE UP RUBY – AR79(4) Bled both nostrils
Adjourned Inquiries:	NIL
Follow-up required: Vet Certificate	NIL
Tactics Notified:	NIL

GENERAL

ADDENDUM

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