

# OFFICE OF RACING INTEGRITY

## HARNESS RACING STEWARDS REPORT

**CLUB:** BURNIE HARNESS RACING CLUB

**DATE:** FRIDAY 17 DECEMBER 2021 **TRACK:** GOOD

**WEATHER:** FINE

**STEWARDS:** S SHINN (CHAIR)

R BROWN (PANEL)

B BAUDINETTE (PANEL)

C ELLSON (DATA)

D LUTTRELL (BIRDCAGE/INSPECTIONS)

M ROBINSON (SWABS)

**VETERINARY SURGEON:** DR L MURPHY

**STARTER:** G GRIFFIN

Trainers with multiple runners engaged in any race were questioned as to their intended driving tactics.

#### RACE 1 – STATEWIDE LINEMARKING (TAS) P/L – 2180 METRES SS

CELEBRITA – Galloped away - placed on its last chance in the draw in standing start races. Broke free of interference in the home straight with three laps to travel - Placed on its last chance to race truly.

BOOKER BAY – Galloped out taking no competitive part in the race - Placed out of the draw in standing start races.

BRIGHTON PRINCE – Gave ground over the concluding stages.

TAKE IN THE GOLD NZ – Tired over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 72 metres - Placed on its last chance to race competitively.

JAKES A JOY – Galloped out -Will continue to be placed out of the draw in standing start races.

ASHLEYS BLUE CHIP – Galloped out taking no competitive part in the race - placed on its last chance in the draw in stand start races.

#### RACE 2 – FRANK CRAWFORD MEMORIAL – 2180 METRES SS

MY ULTIMATE ROMEO – Withstood an early challenge for the lead.

LA TOISON DOR - Checked at the start. Failed to obtain a clear run to the finish - untested.

KEEP PLAYING -Mounted a short unsuccessful challenge for the lead.

ARTIFLASH – Placed back in the draw in standing start races.

BORDER CROSS – Fractious before the start then galloped out -Will continue to be placed out of the draw in standing start races.

IM QUITE AMERICAN – Galloped out - placed on its last chance in the draw in standing start races.

JOEY GIRL – Winner - held back for post-race blood samples to be taken.

SZABOLSKI LEIS – Held up for clear running until the early stages of the home straight. Finished strongly once clear.

THE DEAL – Held up for clear running until the early stages of the home straight - finished strongly once clear.

AITUTAKI- Galloped out. Will continue to be placed out of the draw in standing start races.

#### RACE 3 – NORTH WEST PLATE HEAT ONE – 2180 METRES SS

The starter declared a false start at the first attempt and subsequently, as a number of runners had completed half a lap of the course, all drivers were questioned by the starter and the veterinary surgeon as to whether they were satisfied with their runners to be restarted. All horses were passed fit to start. As a result of the delay this race started approximately five minutes behind the scheduled starting time.

COPPICE – Tired over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 70 metres. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary examination of COPPICE which failed to reveal any abnormalities. No action was taken against COPPICE regarding its beaten margin as it had contested for the lead for some distance prior to being pulled up as a result of the false start.

CAROLS JUDGE – Raced in a trailing position prior to being left leading the one wide line with two and a half laps to travel.

ULTIMATE ME NZ – Led then surrendered the lead with two and a half laps to travel. Gave ground over the concluding stages.

DEVIL OF TYNE – Broke shortly after the start was effected - Placed out of the draw in standing start races. Inconvenienced by a galloping runner with a lap and a half to travel.

JACKSON NEPTUNE Swung sideways as the start effected - Placed on its last chance in the draw in standing start races. Inconvenienced by a galloping runner leaving the back straight on the first occasion. Three wide two back from the 900 metres.

ONEOFTHELADS – Galloped away - Placed on its last chance in the draw in standing start races. Commenced a three-wide run from towards the rear of the field near the 900 metres.

PERFECT MACH – Worked forward from the position outside the leader to take over the lead with two and a half laps to travel. Gave ground over the concluding stages.

NO NUKES SKIPPER NZ – Three-wide one back from the 900 metres.

CHRIS BE QUICK – Broke free of interference in the back straight with two and a half laps to travel - Placed on its last chance to race truly.

AGOUDA RULER – Three wide three back from the 900 metres. Galloped away - placed out of the draw in standing start races.

#### RACE 4 -DOWLING MCCARTHY TYRES LIZA STORM - 2180 METRES MS

KERMADEC – Held up for clear running until the early stages of the home straight - finished strongly once clear.

BOLD CENTURIAN – Commenced a three-wide run from towards the rear of the field near the 750 metres.

NINEFORTWENTYTHREE – Three-wide one back from the 750 metres.

#### RACE 5 - NORTH WEST PLATE HEAT TWO - 2180 METRES SS

KRAFTY BOY – Galloped out - Placed on its last chance in the draw in standing start races. Withstood an early challenge for the lead.

BE GOOD BENNY – Issued an unsuccessful challenge for the lead from outside the leader over the first 200 metres prior to being restrained to the position behind the leader.

SLINGSHOT – Held up and checked behind a tiring runner in the back straight on the final occasion.

ARTYBOY GLENWOOD – Commenced a three-wide run from towards the rear of the field near the 800 metres.

KARALTA KRUISE – Issued a three wide unsuccessful challenge for the lead over the first 300 metres eventually taking over the position leading the one wide line. Mounted a three-wide challenge for the lead in the early stages. Obliged to lead the one wide line thereafter. Gave ground over the concluding stages to be beaten in excess of 60 metres – placed on its last chance to race competively.

TOP HANOVER – Broke in the latter stages of the back straight on the final occasion.

GORDIEVSKY LEIS – Three-wide two back from the 800 metres.

TARLETON RILEY – Held up and checked behind a tiring runner in the back straight on the final occasion.

KIAVINO STRIDE – Severely checked by a galloping runner in the back straight on the final occasion.

KARALTA DAZZLER -Three wide one back from the 800 metres.

#### General

The Stewards intend to open an enquiry into the circumstances which led to TOP HANOVER breaking stride leaving the back straight on the final occasion.

#### RACE 6 – LADBROKES STAKES – 2500 METRES SS

THE BLACK ASSASSIN – Swung sideways at the start - placed out of the draw in standing start races.

JANJUC – Galloped out, placed out of the draw in standing start races. Pulled hard throughout the middle stages of the race.

ROCKANDAHARDPLACE – Checked shortly after the start was effected. Led the one wide line until obtaining a one out one back trail near the 2000 metres and then shifted out and progressed forward three-wide to take over the position leading the one wide line near the 1700 metres.

LETS SAVE THE DAY NZ – Raced in a peg line trailing position until shifting out to lead the one wide line near the 2000 metres. Obtained a one out one back trail the 1700 metres.

ARDEN ROANOKE NZ – Galloped out - will continue to be placed out of the draw in standing start races. Pulled hard throughout the middle stages of the race.

DEADLY ASSASSIN – Commenced a three-wide run from midfield with a lap to travel. Pulled hard throughout the middle stages of the race.

#### RACE 7 – WYNYARD VETERINARY CLINIC – 2180 METRES MS

YELLOW TAXI NZ - Pulled hard throughout the middle stages.

JO DINA – Led the one wide line until obtaining a one out one back trail near the 1700 metres. Commenced a three-wide run from midfield near the 800 metres.

TRIPLE AITCH FELLA – Raced three-wide and worked forward three-wide to take over the position leading the one wide line near the 1700 metres. Obtained a one out one out back trail near the 1100 metres.

DEAL BREAKER – Hung in and contacted the marker pegs on the final turn - A warning was issued.

RAFFAS ACE – Three-wide one back from the 800 metres.

COVEFFE HUSTLER – Pulled hard throughout the middle stages. Three-wide two back from the 800 metres.

LITTLEBITOFMAGIC – Refused to score up, then ran off the track into the in-field. Assisted by Clerk of the Course to rejoin the score up. Having considered the gelding's recent mobile barrier starting record the Stewards ordered that LITTLEBITOFMAGIC be stood down from mobile barrier races until the completion of two consecutive satisfactory mobile barrier trials. Commenced a three-wide run from the rear of the field near the 1350 metres to take over the position leading the one wide line near the 1100 metres.

SUMMARY	
REPRIMANDS	NIL
FINES	NIL
SUSPENSIONS	NIL
HORSE ACTIONS	R1 BOOKER BAY ODS
	R2 ARTIFLASH BSD
	R3 DEVIL OF TYNE ODS
	R3 AGOUDA RULER ODS
	R6 JANJUC ODS
	R6 THE BLACK ASSASSIN ODS
	R7 LITTLEBITOFMAGIC SD2MT
LICENSED PERSONS ACTIONS	NIL

PRE-RACE SWAB SUMMARY	
Race 1	CELEBRITA
	STYLISH TREND NZ

Race 2	KEEP PLAYING
Race 3	ULTIMATE ME
Race 4	KERMADEC
Race 5	TOP HANOVER
Race 6	LETS SAVE THE DAY
Race 7	RAFFAS ACE

POST-RACE SWAB SUMMARY	
Race 1	STYLISH TREND NZ
Race 2	JOEY GIRL
Race 3	JACKSON NEPTUNE
Race 4	MISS BARTY
Race 5	KRAFTY BOY
Race 6	CASTOR TROY
Race 7	JO DINA

### **CHAIR**

S SHINN

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<a href="http://www.racing.tas.gov.au/harness\_racing/policies\_and\_rules">http://www.racing.tas.gov.au/harness\_racing/policies\_and\_rules</a> - ORI Integrity Policy Manual