# Office of Racing Integrity

Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania



#### STEWARDS REPORT

| Club:            | TASMANIAN TURF CLUB   |
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| Date:            | Friday 27 January 2023  |
| Weather:         | Fine  |
| Track Condition: | SOFT 5 UPGRADE TO GOOD 4 @ 3.15PM   |
| Penetrometer:    | 4.58  |
| Rail Position:   | + 4.5 METRES ENTIRE CIRCUIT   |
| Stewards Panel:  | Bruce Free (Chair), Dominic Tyson (Panel), Tim North (Panel),<br>Anoushka Ingelese (Front Yard), Allison Norgrove (Back Yard),<br>Janet Ainscow (Swabs), Carol Brydon (Scales Assistant), Ebony<br>Morice-Smith (Cadet) |
| Officials:       | Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr C Perry & Dr M Fitzgerald (Veterinarian); Jill Smith (Clerk of Scales)   |

## **Riding Changes / Jockey Information**

| Race | Horse              | Rider       | Replaced  | Reason     |
|------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|------------|
|      |                    |             | by        |            |
| R3   | KATZENJAMMER       | T JOHNSTONE | B McCOULL | Indisposed |
| R7   | GEE GEE SECONDOVER | T JOHNSTONE | B MUCHU   | Indisposed |
| R9   | MAARKLE            | T JOHNSTONE | C WELLS   | Indisposed |

#### Comments / Explanations:

Rider T Johnstone was indisposed for this meeting due to a trackwork incident at the Brighton Training complex. Rider T Johnstone will be required to provide a medical clearance prior to riding again.

# RACE 1 – LADBROKES LAUNCESTON CUP 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY MAIDEN 3YO & UP - (1200 METRES)

**BARATO** – Near the 400 metres had to be steadied and then checked when placed in restricted room to the inside of LAKE MARGARET which was crowded and taken in by NOXIOUS (I Toker) which laid in whilst under riding. Rider I Toker was found guilty of a charge

under AR131(a) careless riding with the particulars being that near the 400 metres he permitted his mount to shift in whilst under riding resulting in LAKE MARGARET being crowded and taken in across the running of BARATO, which had to be steadied and then was ultimately checked due to the tightening. Rider I Toker was suspended for a period of 1 Tasmanian Race meeting to commence at midnight 5 February 2023 and to expire at midnight 10 February 2023. In assessing penalty Stewards took into account his plea, his riding record in relation to this rule and that the carelessness was in the mid-range.

**FLYING BILLIE –** Slow to begin, over raced in the early stages.

**MUSCLE UP -** Steadied off the heels of PRINCESS MATOAKA near the 300 metres and shifted out.

**PENNINE** – Proved difficult to load, slow to begin and shortly after was tightened. Trainer S Carr was advised that a warning would be placed on the loading manners of the gelding.

**I HAVE VIBE –** Shifted in on jumping, hung out throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**LAKE MARGARET –** Near the 400 metres had to be steadied when placed in restricted room by NOXIOUS, which laid in.

**MILLA'S READY –** Slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**MIRA FLORES** – Inconvenienced on jumping.

**PRINCESS MATOAKA –** Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**NOXIOUS –** Shifted out on jumping, near the 400 metres had to be steadied.

**ENCHANTED SPY** – Over raced early, rider B Hanham reported that the filly hung out throughout.

**SWINGAPINGA** – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Near the 300 metres had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of NOXIOUS (I Toker) which shifted out when not clear. I Toker was advised to exercise more care.

Stable hand M Chilcott was examined shortly after the race by the paramedics due to an incident in the parade ring post-race.

# RACE 2 - FASHIONS FOR FILLIES 19<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY MAIDEN 3YO & UP - (1400 METRES)

**ALMIGHTY VIRTUE** – Declared a late scratching at 6:30pm when the gelding was unable to be loaded. On the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered that all monies invested on ALMIGHTY VIRTUE to be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to successful wagers placed prior to 6:30pm.

#### **Deductions**

(1<sup>st</sup>) LA LOUVE – 4 cents a win & 5 cents a place (2<sup>nd</sup>) PUMA – 5 cents a place

(3<sup>rd</sup>) BELLANIVE – 5 cents a place

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

Trainer M Ganderton was advised that the gelding would be required to trial prior to racing again.

**BAHIA BAY –** Declared a late scratching at 9.36am due no suitable rider being available.

**GRAND PEGASUS –** Slow to muster speed in the early stages.

**MONTEZULU** – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after contacting the outside fence and was passed fit to start. Steadied off the heels of the weakening LION ACADEMY rounding the home turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**LA LOUVE –** Began awkwardly.

MISS PEBBLES – Near the 100 metres had to be checked when crowded by VIVRE IS THE WORD (App. C Wells) which shifted out when not fully clear. Apprentice C Wells, in the presence of Mr D Wells, was found guilty of a charge of careless riding the particulars being that near the 100 metres she permitted her mount to shift out when insufficiently clear of MISS PEBBLES, which had to be steadied and lost its rightful running. Apprentice C Wells licence to ride in races was suspended for a period of 1 Tasmanian Race date to commence at midnight 5 February 2023 and to expire at midnight 10 February 2023. In assessing penalty Stewards were mindful of her guilty plea, her good record and also that the carelessness was in the mid-range.

**MISS PRIVATE** – Jumped outwards at the start.

**LION ACADEMY –** Raced three wide without cover throughout. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

# RACE 3 - CUP BARRIER DRAW @ SPORTIES 17<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY MDN/CL1 - (1600 METRES)

**COUP DE SPRY –** Severely checked on jumping and lost ground.

**KATZENJAMMER –** Held up near the 200 metres.

**FROLAND** – Slow to begin. Apprentice C Baker reported that the gelding raced very greenly throughout.

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

**BLONDE SUSPECT –** Raced three wide throughout, unable to be fully tested over the concluding stages when JACK JACK (I Toker) shifted in whilst under riding. I Toker was advised to exercise more care.

**GOLD PROOF** – Raced three wide without cover, near the 450 metres had to be steadied off the heels of KATZENJAMMER (B McCoull) which shifted out when not quite clear. Rider B McCoull was advised to exercise more care.

**JACKJACK** – Shifted in under pressure over the final 50 metres, rider I Toker was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

**GAYNIK** – Over raced early and middles stages. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no abnormalities.

#### RACE 4 - CHILLI FM LIVE BROADCAST OAKS DAY BM62 HCP - (2100 METRES)

**ALWAYS A WINNER –** Eased down over the concluding stages. Rider I Toker explained that the gelding travelled well throughout however was disappointing when placed under pressure. I Toker further added that the gelding has been disappointing this preparation and that in his opinion something may be amiss with the gelding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have bled from both nostrils for the first time. Trainer Y Nishitani was advised ALWAYS A WINNER would be stood down from racing under the provisions of AR79(4) for a period 3 months and must gallop 1000m satisfactorily in the presence of a Steward prior to its next race start.

**MOSCOW MULE** – A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near fore. Trainer L Laskey was advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to the geldings next race start.

**NOT A BRASS RAZOO –** Performed below market expectations. Rider D Pires advised that he could provide no explanation for the poor performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**THE DECIDER –** Lost a hind shoe near the winning post on the first occasion.

**RODRICK'S SECRET –** Trainer A Roach will be contacted regarding the post-race condition of the gelding.

**COSTERO** – Raced three wide throughout.

**AMERICAN JEWEL –** Raced wide in the early stages. Stewards queried trainer B McShane in relation to the improved performance. Trainer B McShane stated that in his opinion the race was fast run race which suited and that the gelding has shown ability, he also stated that in previous starts the gelding finished the races off competitively and, in his opinion, has the ability to run longer distances in the future.

#### RACE 5 - KEVIN SHARKIE LAUNCESTON GUINEAS 3YO - (2100 METRES)

**IKNOWWHATYOUREDOING** – Started to lose ground about the 450 metres and eased down over the last 50 metres. Stewards queried rider B McCoull in relation to the below market performance of the gelding. Rider B McCoull stated that the gelding never travelled throughout the run with the slow pace set and when placed under pressure failed to respond to his riding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**ARAPTOR** – Began awkwardly.

#### RACE 6 - BILL DUNSTONE MEMORIAL BM64 HCP - (1200 METRES)

Prior to the declaration of correct weight rider A Darmanin (WOLF REIN) viewed the official patrol films to ascertain if he had grounds for an objection. After viewing the footage, rider A Darmanin was satisfied and correct weight was declared on the judges' numbers.

**FREAK ON A LEAD –** Declared a late scratching at 3.12pm due to no suitable rider available.

**SUMMER FIRE –** Over raced in the early stages.

**GEE GEE TRUE STORY –** Bumped on jumping.

**HANNAH'S SONG** – Bumped on jumping. Rider S Carr was fined \$200 under the provisions of AR132(7)(a)(i) in that she used her whip in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres.

**GEE GEE LANETT –** Over raced near the 800 metres and had to be steadied by its rider.

**POWER MAGNUM – Knuckled on jumping.** 

**TITLE SHOT –** Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed suitable to start. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination upon arrival at the gates and was not deemed to be suitable to start. Declared a late scratching at 8:29pm. On the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered that all monies invested on TITLE SHOT to be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to successful wagers placed prior to 8:29pm.

#### **Deductions**

(1st) GEE GEE PLANE - 7 cents a win & 7 cents a place

(2<sup>nd</sup>) HANNAH'S SONG – 7 cents a place

(3<sup>rd</sup>) WOLF REIN – 6 cents a place

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

Trainer G Stevenson was advised that the mare would require a veterinary certificate prior to racing again.

**WOLF REIN –** Crowded near the 100m by HANNAH'S SONG (S Carr) which shifted out under riding when not clear. S Carr was advised to exercise more care.

**TEZLAH (NZ) –** Slow to begin. Commenced to over race near the 800 metres and had to be steadied off the heels of GEE GEE LANETT.

#### RACE 7 - LADBROKES STAKES WEIGHT FOR AGE - (1200 METRES)

The start of this race was delayed until 9:30pm due to the horse ambulance having to attend to a horse. As a result of this delay all races were put back (1) time slot with the last race to commence at 10:30pm.

**TURK WARRIOR** – Steadied off the heels of JULIUS near the 800 metres.

**BLAZE FORTH –** Underwent farrier work to the near fore plate pre-race. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Near the 1000 metres had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of the REBEL FACTOR (B McCoull). Rider B McCoull was reprimanded for careless riding.

**GEE GEE SECONDOVER** – Knuckled on jumping. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have bled from both nostrils for the first time. Trainers Team Wells were advised GEE GEE SECONDOVER would be stood down from racing under the provisions of AR79(4) for a period 3 months and must gallop 1000m satisfactorily in the presence of a Steward prior to its next race start.

**JULIUS** – Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages.

**BELLO BEAU –** Performed below market expectations. Raced wide and without cover throughout. Rider H Coffey explained that after being wide throughout the gelding was disappointing. He further added that the gelding hung out throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

### RACE 8 - BEAT THE SHARK CLASS 1 HCP - (1400 METRES)

Race 8 re-scheduled to commence at 10:00pm.

**LYCALLEGRO** – Raced three wide and without cover throughout.

**BELMISTA** – Steadied near the 800 metres.

**WHEELKNOT –** Raced three wide in the early stages.

**LAGO APPROACH –** Slow to begin. Over raced in the early stages.

**TENNESSEE BEACH** – Declared a late scratching at 6:26pm after a veterinary examination revealed the mare to suffering from colic. The mare's condition deteriorated throughout the evening and mare was subsequently humanely euthanised.

On the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered that all monies invested on TENNESSEE BEACH to be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to successful wagers placed prior to 6.26pm.

#### **Deductions**

(1st) ZULU ANGEL – 10 cents a win & 9 cents a place

(2nd) SALLY SUNSHINE – 11 cents a place

(3rd) BELMISTA – 10 cents a place

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

**SOULITA** – Declared a late scratching at 9:15pm due to no suitable rider being available. On the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered that all monies invested on SOULITA to be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to successful wagers placed prior to 9:15pm.

#### **Deductions**

(1st) ZULU ANGEL – 0 cents a win & 2 cents a place

(2<sup>nd</sup>) SALLY SUNSHINE – 3 cents a place

(3<sup>rd</sup>) BELMISTA – 2 cents a place

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

### RACE 9 - RAY TRINDER MEMORIAL BM68 HCP - (1400 METRES)

Race 9 re-scheduled to commence at 10:30pm.

**ETHICAL DILEMMA –** Slow to begin.

**CHINCHERO** – Over raced passing the 1000 metres.

**RICH CLAN** – Declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 3.12pm when found to be lame near side front. Trainer T Keys was advised a veterinary clearance is required prior to racing again.

**TOULON BROOK – Restrained near the 1300 metres when ZIAVERA crossed to the rail.** 

**GEE GEE CAN WIN –** Shifted out near the 500 metres.

**MAARKLE** – Stood flat footed and was slow to begin, commenced to over race approaching the 1000 metres when attempting to be placed closer to the field, carried wider near the 500 metres.

**DIAMOND BAY –** Stewards granted permission for rider C Atkinson to ride the mare 1kg over its declared weight of 54kgs. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

| SWAB SAMPLES            |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Pre-race blood samples: | R3 – BAVARIAN FLYER                                |
|                         | R4 – AMERICAN JEWEL                                |
|                         | R6 – GEE GEE PLANE                                 |
|                         | R8 – SALLY SUNSHINE                                |
|                         | R9 – ETHICAL DILEMMA                               |
| Post-race samples:      | R1 – MUSCLE UP                                     |
|                         | R2 – LA LOUVE                                      |
|                         | R3 – JACKJACK                                      |
|                         | R5 – DUNKEL (NZ) (1st), SOUL CHOICE (2nd)          |
|                         | R7 – REBEL FACTOR, MUSIC ADDITION                  |
|                         | R8 – ZULU ANGEL                                    |
|                         | R9 – GEE GEE CAN WIN                               |
| Suspensions:            | R1 - I TOKER - AR131(a) Suspension - Careless      |
|                         | riding; 1 Tasmanian Race date to commence midnight |
|                         | 05/02/2023 and expire at midnight 10/02/2023.      |
|                         | R2 - App C WELLS - AR131(a) - Suspension -         |
|                         | Careless riding; 1 Tasmanian Race date to commence |

|                     | midnight 05/02/2023 and to expire at midnight           |  |  |
|---------------------|---|--|--|
|                     | 10/02/2023.   |  |  |
| Reprimands:         | R7 – B McCOULL – AR131(a) – Reprimand, Careless         |  |  |
|                     | riding, shifting in when not fully clear; reprimand.    |  |  |
| Fine:               | R6 – S CARR – Whip in consecutive strides; \$200.00     |  |  |
|                     | fine  |  |  |
| Horse Warnings:     | R5 – PENNINE – Difficult to load; warning issued.       |  |  |
| Required to Trial:  | R2 – ALMIGHTY VIRTUE – Refused to Load; to Trial.       |  |  |
| Bleeders:           | R4 - ALWAYS A WINNER - AR79(4) Bled both                |  |  |
|                     | nostrils; 1 <sup>st</sup> time 3 months & 1000m gallop. |  |  |
|                     | R7 – GEE GEE SECONDOVER – AR79(4) Bled both             |  |  |
|                     | nostrils; 1st time 3 months & 1000m gallop.             |  |  |
| Follow up required: | R4 – MOSCOW MULE – lame near fore; Vet certificate      |  |  |
| Vet Certificate     | required  |  |  |
|                     | R6 – TITLE SHOT – lame near fore; Vet Certificate       |  |  |
|                     | required  |  |  |
|                     | R9 - RICH CLAN - lame near fore; Vet Certificate        |  |  |
|                     | required.   |  |  |

# **ADDENDUM**

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

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