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STEWARDS REPORT

CLUB	TASMANIAN TROTTING CLUB	
DATE	Sunday 13 th JULY 2025	
WEATHER	Fine	
TRACK	Good	
STEWARDS PANEL	CHAIR	R Brown
	PANEL	N Finnigan J Lincoln A McDermott
	CHECK IN/INSPECTIONS	D Luttrell I Bray
	SWAB	R Simpson
	STARTER	D Bauld G Griffin
	VETERINARIAN	Dr M Buckerfield
	MEDICAL PROVIDER	Medical Edge

General:

Horses that raced at Launceston 11/7/25 underwent pre-race veterinary examinations with no obvious abnormalities detected.

Driver K Williams was injured on 12/7/25 and was indisposed for this meeting. The following changes were approved.

Race 5 HIGH BELIEVER to be driven by M Yole.

Race 7 ROYAL APPOINTMENT to be driven by G Rattray.

Driver K Williams will be required to produce a medical clearance before returning to driving.

Trainers with multiple runners were questioned with regard to their runners' tactics.

RACE 1 – SMITHAWARDS PACE – 1609m Mobile

FAR LEFT FLETCH – First registered race start.

No racing incidents.

RACE 2 – LADBROKES ODDS SURGE PACE – 1609m Mobile

BINALONG BAY – Trainer R Pullen reported his disappointment with BINALONG BAY, indicating that he would have his private Veterinarian examine the gelding as soon as possible, and confirmed he would pass on the results of any findings.

I OF THE HURRIKANE – Out of position at the start, Driver reprimanded.

WHATTA GOOD REASON – moved inside marker pegs in the sprint lane the final time before being immediately removed.

KIAVINO STRIDE – raced three wide throughout.

Driver J Laughher was reprimanded for failing to come into position at the start.

Driver H Van Dongen was queried regarding her driving tactics whilst driving KIAVINO STRIDE which raced in a three wide position throughout the event. Miss Van Dongen it was her intention to race in a forward position as is the horse's usual pattern however IDEN REGAL WAVE held the position outside the leader obliging KIAVINO STRIDE to race in a three wide position. Stewards noted the explanation.

Driver R Ashwood was reminded to take care when crossing horses to his inside.

RACE 3 – FEHLBERGS PRODUCE 2YO FILLIES SWEEPSTAKES HEAT ONE – 1609m Mobile

IDEN LADYBYRD – First registered race start.

STAYZBETTER - galloped in the score-up however was in position when the start was effected. Placed on its last chance in the draw.

DAISYPEA – tightened racing around the first turn.

After an inquiry into the reasons DAISY PEA was tightened and then raced inside marker pegs around the first turn it was established that both DAISY PEA and STAYZBETTER were both attempting to gain the position behind the leader with DAISYPEA being tightened, then racing inside two marker pegs. After taking evidence from Drivers P Hill and D Ford and acting on their own observations Mr Hill was reminded of his obligations when moving toward the rail.

RACE 4 – TASMANIAN HORSE TRANSPORT PACE – 2090m Mobile

CAN DO MAGIC NZ – underwent a post-race veterinary examination after tiring to be beaten 68.5 metres. No abnormalities were detected. A warning was issued.

MONEYS NO ISSUE – broke free of interference racing toward the first turn. Placed on its last chance to race truly

FLEETWOOD ROCK – contacted a marker peg on the last turn.

RACE 5 – FEHLBERGS PRODUCE 2YO COLTS & GELDINGS SWEEPSTAKES HEAT ONE – 1609m Mobile

CHAINSMOKE – broke free of interference rounding the home turn. Placed on its last chance to race truly.

BARBER SHOP – Shifted out under pressure in the run to finish.

ALWAYS BETTOR – First registered race start. Raced roughly when under pressure in the home straight.

IYLAC CHAMBER – First registered race start.

RACE 6 – THE BEAUTIDE 2ND AUGUST PACE – 2090m Mobile

ROCKNOVERTIME – Contacted the barrier arm mid score-up and raced rough. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination after tiring to be beaten in excess of 88 metres. No abnormalities were detected. A warning was issued. Connections advised that in all probability the gelding would be retired.

RAY DAN – Shifted into the sprint lane on straightening, being checked by its driver shortly after. Unable to return to the course proper as another runner had made its way to its outside. A warning was issued.

ONEOFHELADS – out of position at the start. No action taken.

RACE 7 – MOREYS TOURS PACE – 1609m Mobile

POWER UP NZ galloped as the start was effected and has been placed out of the draw in future mobile events.

JAMES CAGNEY NZ – checked and broke in the home straight.

WE SALUTE YOU - driver fined whip action.

ANOTHER NIEN – driver fined whip action.

Driver M Ford was fined the sum of \$200 after pleading guilty to a charge of using his whip with more than a wrist only flicking motion.

Driver J Duggan was fined the sum of \$200 after pleading guilty to a charge of using his whip on one occasion after the finish of the race.

After an inquiry into the reasons JAMES CAGNEY NZ was checked and broke in the home straight Driver G Rattray pleaded guilty to a charge of causing interference. Particulars were that he allowed ROYAL APPOINTMENT to shift in and contact the front legs of JAMES CAGNEY NZ causing that gelding to break gait. After taking into account Mr Rattray's very good record as well as his guilty plea Stewards suspended Mr Rattray for a period of two Tasmanian race dates.

RACE 8 – LADBROKES QUICK MULTI PACE – 2579m Mobile

GAWN – contacted marker pegs around the final time. Driver fined.

ANYTHING GOES NZ - contacted another sulky and broke on final time. Driver fined.

Driver G Rattray was fined the sum of \$100 after pleading guilty to a charge of careless driving. Particulars were that he allowed ANYTHING GOES NZ to contact the rear of another sulky on the final time and break gait.

RACE 9 – PRYDES EASIFEED PACE – 2090m Mobile

No racing incidents.

RACE MEETING SUMMARY

	RACE	DETAILS	AHR Rule
SUSPENSIONS:	7	G Rattray Two Tasmanian race dates - Careless	163(1)(a)(iii)
FINES:			
	7	J Duggan \$200 – Use whip after finish	156(3)
	7	M Ford \$200 – Whip action	156(2)(a)
	8	D Ford \$100 – Contact marker pegs	163(1)(c)
	8	G Rattray \$100 – Careless driving	168(1)(a)
REPRIMANDS:		J Laugher - Fail to come up into position	162(1)(h)
HORSE ACTIONS:	7	POWER UP NZ - ODM	
PRE-RACE SWABS:	1	VINCENTS RAINBOW	
	2	GOBSMACKED	
	3	MY FATAL CHARM	
	4	DEFENCE ATTORNEY	
	5	CHAINSMOKE	
	6	ROCKNOVERTIME	
	7	MR BONDI NZ	
	8	GLENLEDI ELVIS NZ	
	9	THE BRIDE	
POST RACE SWABS:		All winners	
POST RACE TCO2:		Nil	
FOLLOW UPS:	2	BINALONG BAY	
ADJOURNED/PENDING INQUIRIES:		Nil	

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