

# Tasracing Integrity Unit

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## STEWARDS REPORT

CLUB	Launceston Pacing Club
DATE	7 <sup>th</sup> June 2026
WEATHER	Fine
TRACK	Good
STEWARDS PANEL CHAIR	B Scott
PANEL	J Lincoln B Hine
CHECK IN/INSPECTIONS	J Marsh L Jones
SWAB	D Luttrell, B Montgomery
STARTER	D Bauld
VETERNARIAN	Meander Valley Veterinary Clinic
MEDCAL PROVIDER	Medical Edge

*General:* Trainers with multiple runners in any one race advised their intended race tactics.

### RACE 1 – VALE GRAEME PECK – 2200m MS

CAN FEEL THE FURY – Near the 100 metres, D Ford momentarily dropped his foot from the sulky rest. D. Ford was advised he must modify his whip action to ensure he fully complies with the whip rules.

CEE TEE CHELSEA – C. Castles was questioned regarding the tactics he adopted, in particular his decision to restrain at the start and race at the rear of the field. C. Castles stated prior to the race he believed EVERYTHING BUT THE, BARNY BILL and LIKEABLE ROGUE, which were drawn to his inside, would progress forward, which did occur. He stated for those reasons he elected to restrain however on the first turn he was caught three wide behind COOLANDCOLLECT which was restraining, which ultimately resulted in CEE TEE CHELSEA racing at the rear. He stated he did not consider improving three wide to obtain the position outside the leader once the field settled and his intention was to improve into the race in the back straight on the final occasion. He added once he did move three wide, the tempo of the race increased which made it difficult to make ground.

SOLO SAFARI – Raced behind the leader and gave ground from the 600 metres to finish tenth, beaten 134 metres. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities. When questioned, M. Yole attributed the poor performance to SOLO SAFARI not backing up from his previous run where he raced without cover and having missed some work during the week due to the wet weather. SOLO SAFARI has been stood down from racing until the completion of one re-qualifying trial.

PUNTARNO STRIDE – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having started in excess of 200 races. Passed fit to start.

### RACE 2 – ADAM HAMILTON AT THE LAFM BEAUTIDE STAKES – 2200 MS

ALBERIO – Gave ground from the 600 metres to finish eleventh, beaten 121 metres. A post race veterinary examination found the gelding to have nasal discharge from one nostril. No stand down period or veterinary clearance was considered necessary.

SHOOBEES SPIRIT – Over-raced while racing without cover.

MONEYS NO ISSUE – E. Arnott was fined \$50 under Rule 162(1)(h) for failing to come into position at the start.

WINDY HANOVER – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to being twelve years of age. Passed fit to race. Broke after the start and will now be excluded from the barrier draw for mobile races.

### RACE 3 – LEES ORCHARD PACE – 2200m MS

KOSTYUK LEIS – When racing without cover, over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race.

MY WAY – Retired from the race approaching the 800 metres due to an offside flat tyre. Stewards were unable to conclusively establish how the flat tyre occurred.

HAMMER DAN – Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race.

WE SALUTE YOU – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having started in excess of 200 races. Passed fit to start.

### RACE 4 – MAX MCCORMACK – 2200m MS

OMYBACNKNEES JUDGE – Raced roughly near the 200 metres. A post-race veterinary examination was conducted due to the gelding having blood in its mouth. This revealed the gelding to have bit its tongue and no veterinary treatment was considered necessary.

CHARLI PIPPEN – Hung in when racing three wide on the final turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the offside hind leg. Stood down from racing until a veterinary certificate is provided.

SPORTY GRANT – Declared a late scratching at 2.45pm for veterinary reasons.

ASTORMZABREWEN – Tightened near the 200 metres when racing to the inside of CHARLI PIPPEN which hung in.

MIRA DOMINA – Held up on the final turn and into the early part of the home straight, before gaining clear running to finish seventh. It was noted the deafeners were not released.

IMPERIAL SANZ – Out of position at the start and will continue to be excluded from the barrier draw for mobile races.

## RACE 5 – GO RACING ULVERSTONE CUP – 2698m SS

THE CHANCER – A warning was issued for galloping out at the start.

CUZZY BRO – A warning was issued for galloping out at the start.

MISTA EAGLE – Declared a late scratching at 6.16pm due to lameness to offside foreleg. Stood down from racing until a veterinary certificate is provided.

## RACE 6 – LAFM BEAUTIDE RACE NIGHT 1<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST PACE – 1680m MS

LADY IN LINE – (\$2.50 favourite. Placed 3<sup>rd</sup>, beaten 2.4 metres) D. Ford was questioned regarding the tactics he adopted, in particular his decision, while leading approaching the 400 metres to increase the tempo and obtain a lead of four lengths over the remainder of the field. D. Ford stated the mare was having its first start for the T. Langley stable and the mare was wearing the same gear the previous trainers had used, which included blinds. He stated he allowed the mare to stride forward as he was aware she had a habit of not finishing off her races previously, however this tactic proved unsuccessful and she again failed to finish off the race. He added the stable will make gear changes including racing in an open bridle to have her race more genuinely.

PARK LANE – While racing without cover, over-raced in the early and middle stages.

JEREMY WELLS – Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race.

BOULDER CITY – G. Jones was advised that she must modify her whip action to ensure she fully complies with the whip rules. G. Jones was questioned regarding an incident that occurred after the finish line where BOULDER CITY shifted in and made contact with MUZZAME MATE. G. Jones stated the shift in caught her off guard and she was unable to take corrective action in time. In determining the matter stewards considered that LADY IN LINE had shifted out in the run to the finish which obliged MUZZAME MATE to also shift out to gain clear running and this placed MUZZAME MATE in close proximity to BOULDER CITY. Further, the shift in from BOULDER CITY was uncharacteristic. Stewards could not attribute blame to BOULDER CITY or G. Jones and noted the incident.

## RACE 7 – LADBROKES BLACKBOOK STAKES – 1680m MS

IMA LITTLE NEEDY – Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race.

I AM CAESAR – Over-raced in the early and middle stages while racing without cover.

HIGH BELIEVER – Near the 800 metres contacted the sulky of LORD JAYDO and raced roughly. Stewards were satisfied the pace had eased in the running line after WEE GEORGIE WOOD obtained the position outside the leader, therefore noted the circumstances.

QUALIFY – Stewards reviewed an incident near the 400 metres when T. Rattray moved QUALIFY off the marker pegs and into the running line while wheel to wheel with I AM CAESAR. Once the pressure came off the wheels, I AM CAESAR was momentarily hampered. Stewards were satisfied that no driver had driven in a careless manner.

## RACE 8 – LADBROKES RACING EXTRAS IN MULTI PACE – 1680m MS

No incidents to report.

**RACE 9 – LEIS FILLIES & MARES SERIES – 2200m MS**

MOVESLIKEALADY - Out of position at the start and will continue to be excluded from the barrier draw for mobile races.

**RACE 10 – GARETH HALL AT THE LAFM BEAUTIDE STAKES – 2200m MS**

GOBSMACKED – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having started in excess of 200 races. Passed fit to race. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race.

RANIERI – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having started in excess of 200 races. Passed fit to start.

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## RACE MEETING SUMMARY

	RACE	DETAILS	AHR Rule
SUSPENSIONS:		Nil	
FINES:	2	E. Arnott. Fail to come into position at start - \$50	162(1)(h)
REPRIMANDS:		Nil	
HORSE ACTIONS:	1	SOLO SAFARI – poor performance – Stood down 1 trial	
	1	WINDY HANOVER – Exclude from mobile barrier draw	134(4)
	4	CHARLI PIPPEN – Stood down veterinary certificate	
	5	MISTA EAGLE – Stood down veterinary certificate	
PRE-RACE SWABS:		BARNY BILL, SHOOBEE'S SPIRIT, DIDYALOUSAROOSTA, CHARLI PIPPEN, THE CHANCER, IMA LITTLE NEEDY, POST LAZARUS, BARBETTE, HORRIE OTARA.	
POST RACE SWABS:		EVERYTHING BUT THE, ONEHANDONEBOUNCE, UNMATCHED, IMPERIAL SANZ, BETTABLACK TIGER, BOULDER CITY, IMA LITTLE NEEDY, AMELIAS JEWEL, QUETZALLI, STANTON BREAK.	
POST RACE TCO2:		Nil	
FOLLOW UPS:		Nil	
ADJOURNED/PENDING INQUIRIES:		Nil	

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