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STEWARDS REPORT

CLUB	Launceston Pacing Club	
DATE	5 th July 2026	
WEATHER	Fine	
TRACK	Good	
STEWARDS PANEL	CHAIR	B Scott
	PANEL	B Hine G Griffin
CHECK IN/INSPECTIONS	S Tedman	
	SWAB	S King, 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 – LADBROKES 2 YEAR OLD – NMT 1 LTW. PBD/LTW – 1680m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
8		1	PETERS THE DREAM	D.Ford	Broke gait after the start and will now be excluded from the barrier draw for mobile races. Broke gait near the 1100 metres and has been stood down from racing until the completion of one re-qualifying trial.
3		2	SABALENKA	A.Turnbull	No report.
4		3	OZZIE TART	J.Chibnall(C)	No report.
1		4	BETTOR THAN READY	T.Ford(C)	T. Ford was fined \$200 under Rule 156(2)(a) for applying her whip in an action which engaged the shoulder.
5		5	VINJETTA	R.Ashwood	Raced roughly in the score up and was out of position at the start. A warning was issued.
6		6	MYSTERY MAIL	K.Williams(C)	No report.
2		7	AUSTON	M.Yole	Shifted out under pressure over the concluding stages.
7		8	OZZIE DIAMOND	J.Duggan(C)	Checked by PETERS THE DREAM after the start and broke gait. Took no competitive part in the race.

Race 2 – GARETH HALL AT THE LAFM BEAUTIDE PACE – 3YO AND OLDER. MAIDEN. RBD – 1680m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
		1	ULTIMATE ATOM	M.Yole	Scratched
1		2	REMMINGTON	A.Ashwood	Shifted out at the start. Raced greenly throughout. A. Ashwood stated the gelding was lightly raced and having its first start in two years and was looking around throughout the race. He added he will make gear changes to assist the gelding to focus. Due to REMMINGTON'S record, it was placed on its last chance to race truly.
4		3	BAROOGA BOOMER	J.Walters	Shifted in at the start and was checked by REMMINGTON. Was placed 4 th , beaten 34 metres. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.
5		4	DEMON DESTROYER	B.Davis(C)	Placed 5 th , beaten 49 metres. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities. A warning was issued for a poor performance.
2		5	VOODOO RANGER NZ	T.Ford(C)	No report.
3		6	SOHO PINA COLADA	J.Chibnall(C)	No report.

Race 3 – TAS FREIGHT RAIDER STAKES HEAT ONE – 4YO ENTIRES AND GELDINGS. NO NR. RBD – 2200m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
6		1	IMA LITTLE NEEDY	B.Parker	No report.
2		2	UNMATCHED	E.Arnett(C)	No report.
1		3	HUNGRY HIPPO	A.Ashwood	An inquiry into the actions of A. Ashwood trailing a wheel in the back straight on the final occasion has been adjourned.
4		4	ZEUS IMMORTAL	J.Duggan(C)	No report.
7		5	SHADES OF SILK	P.Williams	No report.
5		6	POST LAZARUS	T.Ratray	No report.
3		7	IMPERIAL SANZ	J.Walters	Will be re-included in the barrier draw for mobile races.

Race 4 - LADBROKES POPULAR SRM PACE – NR 64-75. PBD/LTW – 2200m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
1		1	ATOMIC BLACK	T.Ratray	No report.
5		2	ROCKY STRIDE	B.Davis(C)	No report.
10		3	KOSTYUK LEIS	K.Williams(C)	Failed to secure clear running and was not tested.
11		4	HAZEWILLREV	M.Jones(C)	No report.
7		5	MONTGOMERY BURNS NZ	H.Van dongen	No report.
8		6	HAMMER DAN	T.Ford(C)	No report.
4		7	GOODNIGHT OSCAR	D.Ford	No report.
2		8	GO THE RED	M.Yole	Failed to secure clear running and was not tested.
6		9	ONEHANDONEBOUNCE	J.Chibnall(C)	Failed to secure clear running and was not tested.
3		10	COLBY SANZ	J.Walters	No report.
12		11	FLEETWOOD ROCK	K.Pratten	No report.
9		12	WE SALUTE YOU	J.Duggan	Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having in excess of 200 race starts. Passed fit to start.

Race 5 – LADBROKES BIG BETS COPY NOW STAKES – NR 58-63. RBD – 1680m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
4		1	JAMES CAGNEY NZ	D.Ford	Inconvenienced when caught behind the tiring KEEPERS IDEAL near the 400 metres.
		2	LAI BACK		LATE SCRATCHING
2		3	AFFAMATO	M.Yole	No report.
3		4	FOURTH RESPONSE	A.Turnbull	No report.
8		5	KEEPERS IDEAL NZ	M.Jones(C,5)	After leading, gave ground from the 400 metres to finish eighth, beaten 25 metres. M. Jones was questioned in relation to the tactics adopted. Of concern to the stewards was the tempo of the race. After taking evidence, stewards adjourned the inquiry to review the previous races of KEEPERS IDEAL and consider the evidence.
10		6	SAPPHIRE GAMBLER	T.Ford (C)	No report.
1		7	MUZZAME MATE	A.Ashwood	No report.
7		8	LETSGOBRO	K.Williams(C)	No report.
6		9	TAMBROS TILLY	B.Davis(C)	No report.
9		10	CHAMONIX	J.Duggan(C)	No report.
5		11	ROCKNALLOVERTH EWORLD NZ	H.Van dongen	No report.

Race 6 – SPORTIES HOTEL HOST THE BEAUTIDE CALCUTA 31 JULY PACE – NR UP TO 49.
PBD/LT\$ - 1680m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
1		1	GO DIVA	D.Ford	Near the 450 metres was moved from the marker pegs to the running line and became positioned awkwardly on the wheel of CINCINNATI. D. Ford was obliged to steady GO DIVA to come across the back of the sulky of CINCINNATI, before gaining clear running. D. Ford was questioned regarding his looking around just prior to the finish of the race. After considering his explanation, stewards advised D. Ford to desist from this practice as it is detrimental to the image of harness racing.
6		2	WINSUM BELLA	H.Van dongen	Unable to hold the lead in the early stages of the race.
10		3	CINCINNATI	J.Walters	No report.
5		4	LA PIERRE	B.Parish	No report.
2		5	OUR SWEET TRIXIE NZ	B.Davis(C)	No report.
11		6	COLBY ART	B.Miller(C)	As the pace eased near the 1000 metres, was checked and broke gait.
9		7	MODERN JIVE	K.Pratten	Inconvenienced near the 1000 metres when the pace eased.
3		8	JEREMY WELLS NZ	J.Duggan(C)	Had a tendency to over-race and when the pace eased near the 1000 metres, was checked.
4		9	DEBT TILL WE PART	P.Williams	Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having in excess of 200 race starts.
8		10	GOBSMACKED	M.Yole	Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having in excess of 200 race starts.
7		11	EYE SEE AMOUR	T.Ford(C)	Inconvenienced by GO DIVA near the 450 metres when it shifted out. Failed to secure clear running and was not tested. Will be re-included in the barrier draw for mobile races.

Race 7 – VICTORY IMAGES PHOTOGRAPHY STAKES – No NR. PBD/\$L5 – 2200m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
1		1	VANQUISH STRIDE NZ	J.Duggan(C)	No report.
2		2	TOLD YOU TWICE	H.Van dongen	Was steadied on the first turn when THE SHALLOWS shifted down with minimal clearance. Sustained an offside flat tyre during the race. Stewards were unable to conclusively establish how this occurred, therefore it was noted.
5		3	THE SHALLOWS	B.Davis(C)	No report.
7		4	WATERMELON SUGAR NZ	M.Yole	Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race.
2		5	SABINE	T.Rattray	No report.
8		6	ROCKANDAHARDPLACE	J.Walters	No report.
4		7	POWER UP NZ	D.Ford	Had a tendency to hang in on the final turn when being moved wider.
6		8	STEPPING STONES	H.Woods	Over-raced when held up in the early stages and raced onto the back of J. Duggan (VANQUISH STRIDE) before being shifted wider.
1		9	INTRUSION	A.Turnbull	No report.
3		10	BETTABLACK TIGER	C.Castles	No report.

Race 8 – COLLINS HOMES GRANNY SMITH HEAT ONE – 4YO MARES. NO NR. RBD – 2200m MOBILE START

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
		4	FANGY ANOTHER		SCRATCHED
2		2	ANGEL ROCKS	D.Ford	No report.
		3	SHEZALLLOLLIES		SCRATCHED
5		4	PHLOW JO	T.Rattray	No report.
4		5	SPORT WATCHER	A.Ashwood	No report.
3		6	TULLAH GIRL	C.Castles	No report.
1		7	CARMEN EMJAY	J.Chibnall(C)	Finished the race with the deafeners in place.

**Race 9 – TAS FREIGHT RAIDER STAKES HEAT TWO – 4YO ENTIRES AND GELDINGS. NO NR.
RBD – 2200m MOBILE START**

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
2		1	PREPARATION	T.Rattray	No report.
3		2	CUZZY JUNIOR	C.Castles	No report.
		3	PAZIAH		SCRATCHED
1		4	OKANUI BEACH	A.Turnbull	No report.
5		5	UNOBETTER	J.Duggan(C)	J. Duggan was fined \$200 under Rule 156(3) in that he applied the whip to the gelding when it was out of contention and not visibly responding.
4		6	KING BART	B.Davis(C)	No report.

**Race 10 – LAFM BEAUTIDE RACE NIGHT 1ST AUGUST PACE – NR 50-57. PBD/NR – 2200m
MOBILE START**

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
9		1	PUNTARNO STRIDE NZ	J.Duggan(C)	No report.
5		2	DONNY IN PARIS	P.Williams	No report.
2		3	LIKEABLE ROGUE	B.Davis(C)	No report.
10		4	ENGLISH DANCE	M.Yole	Over-raced throughout. Cast a shoe in the race. Gave ground from the 300 metres to finish tenth, beaten 76 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have a small laceration to its coronary band on its offside foreleg. No treatment or stand-down period was considered necessary.
1		5	BAIL DENIED	D.Ford	No report.
6		6	SOHO TUXEDO	A.Turnbull	No report.
3		7	SHOOBEES SPIRIT	L.Alcorn	No report.
8		8	ROLLWITHARTY	G.Jones(C,5)	No report.
7		9	CAN FEEL THE FURY NZ	H.Van dongen	No report.
4		10	MOVESLIKEALADY	C.Castles	No report.

**Race 11 – COLLINS HOMES GRANNY SMITH HEAT TWO – 4YO MARES. NO NR. PBD – 2200m
MOBILE START**

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
2		1	ITSMENOTU	D.Ford	No report.
4		2	GLENVIEW LANIKAI	B.Parker	No report.
7		3	SMOOTH REASON	T.Ford(C)	No report.
6		4	OUTBACK LASS	K.Williams(C)	No report.
5		5	ALWAYSATIGER	C.Castles	No report.
8		6	OUR WILLOW	T.Ratray	Over-raced throughout. Gave ground from the 300 metres to finish eighth, beaten 90 metres. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities. Trainer P. Carlson advised the tail tie came loose in the race and the mare jammed her tail causing her to over race.
1		7	BARBARY TALES	B.Davis(C)	No report.
3		8	THE BRIDE	A.Ashwood	Over-raced in the middle stages of the race.

**Race 12 – ADAM HAMILTON AT THE LAFM BEAUTIDE PACE – 3YO MAIDEN. RBD – 1680m
MOBILE START**

PI		No	Horse	Driver	Incident
2		1	COMINSKI LEIS	T.Ratray	Hung in on the final turn.
3		2	WHERE'S THE SAVS	M.Jones(C)	No report.
4		3	KAYBEE	C.Castles	No report.
6		4	OMYBACNKNEES JUDGE	B.Davis(C)	Upon straightening for the run to the finish, dropped a near side knee boot. The gelding then struck its knee resulting in it breaking gait. In the circumstances the incident was noted.
5		5	WILLOW STORM	A.Collins	No report.
1		6	ASTORMZABREWEN	M.Yole	No report.

RACE MEETING SUMMARY

	RACE	DETAILS	AHR Rule
SUSPENSIONS:		Nil	
FINES:	1	T. Ford. Unacceptable whip action - \$200	156(2)(a)
	9	J. Duggan. Unacceptable whip - \$200	156(3)
REPRIMANDS:		Nil	
HORSE ACTIONS:	1	PETERS THE DREAM – Exclude from mobile barrier draw	134(4)
	1	PETERS THE DREAM – Broke gait in running – SD1T	
	3	IMPERIAL SANZ – Re-include in mobile barrier draw	
	6	EYE SEE AMOUR – Re-include in mobile barrier draw	
PRE-RACE SWABS:		REMMINGTON, IMPERIAL SANZ, HAMMER DAN, FOURTH RESPONSE, OUR SWEET TRIXIE, WATERMELON SUGAR, SPORT WATCHER, PREPARATION, DONNY IN PARIS, THE BRIDE, WHERE'S THE SAVS,	
POST RACE SWABS:		BETTOR THAN READY, REMMINGTON, HUNGRY HIPPO, ATOMIC BLACK, MUZZAME MATE, GO DIVA, INTRUSION, CARMEN EMJAY, OKANUI BEACH, BAIL DENIED, BARBARY TALES, ASTORMZABREWEN,	
POST RACE TCO2:		Nil	
FOLLOW UPS:		Nil	
ADJOURNED/PENDING INQUIRIES:	3	A.Ashwood (HUNNGRY HIPPO) – trailed a wheel	
	5	M. Jones (KEEPERS IDEAL) – driving tactics	

B. Scott
Deputy Chief Steward.

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

Date	Changes	Version
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