

STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club - Track	Launceston Pacing Club		
Date	19 th July 2026		
Weather	Overcast	Track Condition	Good
Chair	B Scott	Panel	G. Griffin, B. Hine
Check In	L. Jones	Inspections	L. Jones
Officials	D. Luttrell, B. Montgomery, S. King		
Mobile Starter	D. Bauld		
Veterinarian	Meander Valley Veterinary Clinic		
Medical Provider	Medical Edge		

GENERAL

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

RACE-BY-RACE REPORT

RACE 1 – LADBROKES TWO YEAR OLD

Pl	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
3		1	VINJETTA	A. Ashwood	No report.
9		2	SOLO SNITCH	M. Yole	A warning was issued for hanging out on the final turn.
1		3	OZZIE TART	J. Chibnall	No report.
7		4	MAJOR SCOTTY	P. Williams	No report.
		5	SOLO SWAGGER	G. Rattray	Broke gait in the latter stages of the score up and was out of position at the start. Was retired from the race. Will now be excluded from the barrier draw for mobile races and has been stood down from racing until the completion of one re-qualifying trial.
2		6	MYSTERY MAIL	K. Williams	Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race.
8		7	LUESTON	B. Davis	No report.

5		8	VINCENT THE THIRD	R. Backhouse	No report.
6		9	HEZA PINUP BOY	T. Rattray	Raced roughly on the first turn.
4		10	SABALENKA	A. Turnbull	No report.
10		11	PETERS THE DREAM	D. Ford	Out of position at the start and will continue to be excluded from the barrier draw for mobile races. Broke gait on the first turn and took no competitive part in the race thereafter. Has been stood down from racing until the completion of two re-qualifying trials.

RACE 2 – LADBROKES RACING EXTRAS IN MULTI PACE

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
1		1	SCHWARZ	M. Yole	No report.
6		2	BARBER SHOP	H. Woods	No report.
12		3	OUR WILLOW	G. Rattray	No report.
5		4	DIDYALOUSEAROOSTA	J. Duggan (C)	No report.
4		5	ATOMIC BLACK	C. Castles	No report.
9		6	KOSTYUK LEIS	B. Davis (C)	No report.
8		7	ROCKNALLOVERTHEWORLD NZ	A. Turnbull	No report.
10		8	HAZEWILLREV	A. Ashwood	No report.
11		9	MISS COLLANN	J. Chibnall (C)	No report.
		10	MYWAY NZ	SCRATCHED	
3		11	HAMMER DAN	T. Ford (C)	No report.
2		12	GOODTIME OSCAR	D. Ford	No report.
7		13	MERRYWOOD PAUL	K. Williams (C)	No report.

RACE 3 – VICTORY IMAGES PHOTOGRAPHY PACE

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
6		1	SOHO TIGER LILY	M. Yole	No report.
4		2	FOURTH RESPONSE	A. Turnbull	Failed to secure clear running until inside the 100 metres.
7		3	BAIL DENIED	D. Ford	No report.
9		4	LIKEABLE ROGUE	K. Williams (C)	No report.
1		5	TAMBROS TILLY	B. Davis (C)	B. Davis was suspended for two race meetings for causing interference when he shifted down the track approaching the first turn when

					insufficiently clear of ROCK AMOUR, resulting in ROCK AMOUR being checked and breaking gait. In considering penalty stewards took into account Mr. Davis' record and the degree of interference.
12		6	SHOOBEE'S SPIRIT	L. Alcorn	Was checked by ROCK AMOUR and broke gait.
10		7	SOUTHERN LUCK	T. Rattray	Inconvenienced by ROCK AMOUR when it was checked and broke gait.
5		8	JAMES CAGNEY NZ	E. Arnott (C,5)	No report.
3		9	DONNY IN PARIS	P. Williams	No report.
8		10	SAPPHIRE GAMBLER	G. Rattray	No report.
2		11	CHAMONIX	A. Ashwood	No report.
11		12	ROCK AMOUR	J. Chibnall (C)	Checked and broke gait approaching the first turn. Will be re-included in the barrier draw for mobile races.

RACE 4 – COLLINS HOMES GRANNY SMITH FINAL

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
		1	OUR WILLOW	SCRATCHED	
9		2	SPORT WATCHER	A. Turnbull	In the home straight attempted a run to the inside of SMOOTH REASON, however as the run hadn't fully opened up, A. Turnbull had to check SPORT WATCHER, resulting in the mare being held up.
3		3	SMOOTH REASON	T. Ford (C)	No report.
1		4	GLENVIEW LANIKAI	G. Rattray	No report.
11		5	ALWAYSATIGER	C. Castles	No report.
5		6	BARBARY TALES	B. Davis (C)	Withstood protest.
4		7	PHLOW JO	T. Rattray	No report.
8		8	TULLAH GIRL	M. Jones (C)	No report.
10		9	OUTBACK LASS	K. Williams (C)	No report.
6		10	ITSMENOTU	D. Ford	Protest lodged against 5 th placed BARBARY TALES. Protest dismissed.
7		11	ANGEL ROCKS	R. Backhouse (C)	No report.
12		12	THE BRIDE	A. Ashwood	Hung in near 1200 metres.
2		13	CARMEN EMJAY	J. Chibnall (C)	No report.

General: Consideration was given to a protest lodged by D. Ford (ITSMENOTU) placed sixth, against BARBARY TALES, placed 5th, alleging interference on the first turn. The evidence disclosed ITSMENOTU was three wide on the first turn with BARBARY TALES (B. Davis) racing four wide to its outside. For a short distance ITSMENOTU was momentarily tightened, however B. Davis immediately relieved the pressure and ITSMENOTU was able to continue to be driven forward in an attempt to gain a forward position prior to

BARBARY TALES. Stewards were of the opinion any interference was minimal and taking into account where the interference occurred, the manner in which both horses finished the race and the margin, the protest was dismissed and the Judge's placings confirmed.

RACE 5– BEVAN LEE'S BUTCHERY GOLDEN MILE

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
12		1	MUZZAME MATE	A. Ashwood	Raced roughly near the 400 metres and broke gait on the home turn which resulted in interference to several runners. Taking into account the gelding's good record, a warning was issued.
1		2	WAVES OF CHANCE	J. Watson (C)	Over-raced throughout.
3		3	SHES ALLABOUTLUV NZ	E. Arnott (C)	Inconvenienced on the final turn.
11		4	INTRUSION	A. Turnbull	Inconvenienced on the final turn
2		5	SABINE	G. Rattray	Inconvenienced on the final turn.
6		6	BETTABLACK TIGER	C. Castles	No report.
8		7	CUZZY BRO	T. Rattray	No report.
10		8	WATERMELON SUGAR NZ	M. Yole	Checked and broke gait on the final turn.
5		9	MAEBEE	J. Duggan (C)	Inconvenienced on the final turn.
9		10	FLEETWOOD ROCK	R. Backhouse (C)	No report.
4		11	STEPPING STONES	H. Woods	No report.
7		12	WE SALUTE YOU	D. Ford	Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having in excess of 200 race starts. Passed fit to start. Inconvenienced in the back straight on the final occasion when caught behind FLEETWOOD ROCK which was under pressure.

RACE 6 – TAS FREIGHT RAIDER STAKES FINAL

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
4		1	POST LAZARUS	T. Rattray	No report.
5		2	ZEUS IMMORTAL	J. Duggan (C)	No report.
11		3	SHADES OF SILK	P. Williams	No report.
3		4	PREPARATION	G. Rattray	No report.
1		5	HUNGRY HIPPO	A. Ashwood	No report.
6		6	UNMATCHED	E. Arnott (C)	No report.
10		7	UNOBETTER	D. Ford	D. Ford was fined \$50 under Rule 162(1)(j) for being out of position at the start.

2		8	OKANUI BEACH	A. Turnbull	No report.
7		9	CUZZY JUNIOR	C. Castles	No report.
9		10	IMPERIAL SANZ	J. Walters	No report.
8		11	IMA LITTLE NEEDY	B. Parker	No report.
12		12	KING BART	B. Davis (C)	No report.

RACE 7 – HAMILTON & HALL AT THE LAFM BEAUTIDE STAKES

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
5		1	VANQUISH STRIDE NZ	A. Ashwood	No report.
2		2	ANOTHER NIEN	J. Duggan (C)	No report.
10		3	CENTURIAN MISS	B. Davis (C)	No report.
11		4	ONEHANDONEBOUNCE	J. Chibnall (C)	No report.
3		5	MONTGOMERY BURNS NZ	G. Rattray	No report.
9		6	TOLD YOU TWICE	A. Turnbull	No report.
6		7	LOU BABY NZ	C. Castles	No report.
4		8	GO THE RED	M. Yole	M. Yole was fined \$100 under Rule 168(1)(a) for carelessly striking and flattening the offside sulky tyre of THE CHANCER near 1200 metres.
8		9	THE CHANCER	T. Ford (C)	Sustained a flat tyre near 1200 metres.
7		10	COLBY SANZ	J. Walters	J. Walters was fined \$200 under Rule 168(1)(a) for driving in a careless manner when he continued to race tight to the outside of GO THE RED, which resulted in that gelding being positioned awkwardly near 1200 metres.
1		11	POWER UP NZ	D. Ford	No report.

General: Stewards inquired into the reason GO THE RED raced in restricted room near 1200 metres. The evidence disclosed that J Walters (COLBY SANZ) jostled with GO THE RED (M. Yole) after the start when both runners attempted to gain the same running line position. Soon after GO THE RED had established a position in the running line, J. Walters continued to race tight to the outside of GO THE RED, resulting in GO THE RED racing between positions for a short distance. When J. Walters relieved the pressure and began to restrain, M. Yole was able to re-establish his true position. J. Walters pleaded guilty to driving in a careless manner and was fined \$200.

RACE 8 – BLADBROKES POPULAR SRM PACE

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
r		1	ZIHUATANEJO	K. Williams (C)	Broke gait after the start and will now be excluded in the barrier draw for mobile races. Galloped excessively before retiring from the

					race. Stood down from racing until the completion of one re-qualifying trial.
5		2	TAPPY	J. Duggan (C)	No report.
6		3	PORT RUN MACHINE	G. Rattray	No report.
4		4	AFFAMATO	A. Ashwood	No report.
1		5	LIKEYOUFORAREASON	M. Yole	No report.
3		6	ROCKY ROCKS	A. Turnbull	No report.
2		7	ALWAYS BETTOR	J. Chibnall (C)	No report.
7		8	ROCKY STRIDE	B. Davis (C)	Checked after the start by the galloping ZIHAUTANEJO.

RACE 9 – LAFM BEAUTIDE HERE 1ST AUGUST STAKES

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
7		1	DEMON DESTROYER	J. Walters	Out of position at the start despite the efforts of J. Walters. Performed poorly and was stood down from racing until the completion of one re-qualifying trial.
1		2	COMINSKI LEIS	T. Rattray	No report.
3		3	KAYBEE	C. Castles	No report.
6		4	LAINY	J. Chibnall (C)	Raced roughly on the first turn and broke gait near the 800 metres. Stood down from racing until the completion of one re-qualifying trial.
2		5	CHARLI PIPPEN	G. Rattray	No report.
4		6	VOODOO RANGER NZ	T. Ford (C)	Inconvenienced by the galloping LAINY near the 800 metres.
5		7	WILLOW STORM	A. Collins	No report.
		8	WHERE'S THE SAVS	SCRATCHED	
		9	LIFE ON A HIGHWAY	SCRATCHED	

RACE 10 – BEAUTIDE CALCUTTA NIGHT SPORTIES HOTEL 31 JULY PACE

Pla	Col	No	Horse	Driver	Incident
2		1	LOTSEVEN	D. Ford	D. Ford was fined \$200 under Rule 168(1)(a) for carelessly shifting out near the 100 metres which placed DEBT TILL WE PART in restricted room.
10		2	WINSUM BELLA	A. Turnbull	No report.
4		3	OUR SWEET TRIXIE NZ	B. Davis (C)	No report.
6		4	KUHIO CREST	L. Alcorn	Shifted out under pressure over the concluding stages.
1		5	LADY IN LINE	R. Backhouse (C)	No report.

8		6	HORRIE OTARA	K. Williams (C)	No report.
9		7	REMEMBER ME NOW NZ	G. Rattray	No report.
5		8	JEREMY WELLS NZ	A. Ashwood	No report.
7		9	DEBT TILL WE PART	P. Williams	Tightened and checked near the 100 metres.
3		10	GOBSMACKED	M. Yole	Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination due to having in excess of 200 races. Passed fit to race. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the race. Was steadied near the 100 metres due to being tightened between DEBT TILL WE PART and LADY IN LINE.

General: Stewards inquired into an incident that occurred near the 100 metres and the reason for DEBT TILL WE PART being placed in restricted room and being checked. It was established D. Ford (LOTSEVEN) eased DEBT TILL WE PART wider while they were wheel to wheel, however once the pressure came off the wheels, LOTSEVEN'S sulky wheel shifted out in close proximity to the front legs of DEBT TILL WE PART. D. Ford then steadied LOTSEVEN to avoid causing interference which resulted in LOTSEVEN racing roughly. Soon after D. Ford shifted out again to gain clear running around KUHIO CREST which resulted in DEBT TILL WE PART being tightened onto GOBSMACKED and P. Williams having to check. D. Ford was fined \$200 for careless driving.

RACE MEETING SUMMARY

CATEGORY	RACE	DETAILS	AHR RULE
SUSPENSIONS:	3	B. Davis. Caused interference – 2 race meetings	163(1)(a)(iii)
FINES:	6	D. Ford. Out of position at the start - \$50	162(1)(j)
	7	M. Yole. Careless driving - \$100	168(1)(a)
	7	J. Walters. Careless driving - \$200	168(1)(a)
	10	D. Ford. Careless driving - \$200	168(1)(a)
REPRIMANDS:		Nil	
HORSE ACTIONS:	1	SOLO SWAGGER – Exclude from mobile barrier draw and stood down one trial	134(4)
	1	PETERS THE DREAM – Stood down two trials	63(2)
	3	ROCK AMOUR – Re-include in mobile barrier draw	
	8	ZIHUATANEJO – Exclude from mobile barrier draw and stood down one trial	134(4)
	9	DEMON DESTROYER – Stood down one trial	63(2)
	9	LAINIEY – Stood down one trial	63(2)
PRE-RACE SWABS:	ATOMIC BLACK, LIKEABLE ROGUE, SMOOTH REASON, ALWAYSATIGER, BARBARY TALES, OUTBACK ASS, ITSMENOTU, ANGEL ROCKS, CARMEN EMJAY, INTRUSION, MAEBEE, POST LAZARUS, SHADES OF SILK, PREPARATION, HUNGRY HIPPO, UNOBETT, KING BART, ANOTHER NIEN, ROCKY ROCKS, WILLOW STORM, KUHIO CREST		
POST-RACE SWABS:	OZZIE TART, SCHWARZ, TAMBROS TILLY, SMOOTH REASON, GLENVIEW LANIKAI, PHLOW JO, WAVES OF CHANCE, SABINE, PREPARATION, OKANUI BEACH, POWER UP, LIKEYOUFORAREASON, COMINSKI LEIS, LADY IN LINE		
POST-RACE TCO2:	Nil		
FOLLOW UPS:	Nil		
ADJOURNED/PENDING INQUIRIES:	Nil		

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Date	Changes / Version
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