

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	Tasmanian Trotting Club
Date:	Friday 14 th April 2023
Weather:	Overcast
Track Condition:	Good
Stewards Panel:	N Finnigan (Chair), R Brown, J Gleeson & R Simpson
Officials:	Medical Edge (Raceday Medical Providers), Dr M Buckerfield (Veterinarian) & A Emery (Starter)

Supplementary (1): Stewards after receiving follow-up Veterinary Reports regarding JACKS N JAZZ NZ, ON MY OATH and LIFE OF BRIAN NZ, which were involved in a race fall at Hobart on Friday April 7th, 2023, declared that all three will be stood down from racing until a Veterinary clearance is provided.

Supplementary (2): Trainer B Yole was fined \$250 for the contravention of AHR Rule 87 in that he nominated DOM DAN to race in a race, where it was not eligible to do so. In addition, Stewards acting under AHR Rule 65 disqualified DOM DAN from Race 2, the Neil Pitt's Pace, held at Launceston on Saturday April 8th, 2023.

RACE 1 – KNIGHTS CRICKET CLUB PACE – 2090 Metres Mobile

RADAR STRIDE – \$3.30 favorite, subjected to a post-race Veterinary Inspection after failing to run on as expected. On inspection no obvious abnormalities were detected. On questioning, trainer B Yole stated that RADAR STRIDE may have been a little disappointing, however added that the gelding had not been racing all that well of late with only a recent second of note. Stewards noted the evidence as tendered and instructed trainer Yole that should anything come to light in the ensuing days that may explain the performance, he was to notify the Offices of Racing Integrity at his earliest convenience.

RACE 2 – CLAREMONT CRICKET CLUB PACE – 1609 Metres Mobile

THE DUDE NZ – Repositioned to start on the outside of the front line after early ODM status at its most recent start.

RACE 3 – WOODSDALE FOOTBALL CLUB PACE – 2090 Metres Mobile

HOT EMBERS – Won a contested a one-out position racing into the first turn with PACIFIC ROCK

PACIFIC ROCK – Lost a contested a one-out position racing into the first turn with HOT EMBERS. Momentarily raced rough when full of running and tight on the back of PROFICIENT NZ near the 200. Held up for clear running until well into the home straight for the run to the finish where it utilised the sprint lane.

RACE 4 – MONTAGU BAY CRICKET CLUB PACE – 1609 Metres Mobile

No Racing Incidents

RACE 5 – HOBART PHOENIX BASKETBALL PACE – 2090 Metres Mobile

TRUE STEPPER – Raced in behind the leader, until the 500 when under pressure, giving ground. Beaten in excess of 50 metres. A warning was issued.

BONZA GUY – Raced three back on the marker line, until the 500 when under pressure, giving ground. Beaten in excess of 50 metres. A warning was issued.

ONE OFF NZ – Inconvenienced and held up by the tiring TRUE STEPPER between the 500 and 300.

RACE 6 – ROKEBY CRICKET CLUB PACE – 2090 Metres Mobile

SMOOTH DEAL NZ – Showed good early speed, left leading the one-out line when beaten for speed contesting the early lead. Unable to secure the leader's back, despite the efforts of its driver, as it wanted to hang out racing into the first turn. Eased passing the 1700, obtained trail approaching the 1500. Under pressure from the 400, dropping out over the final stages to be beaten in excess of 40 metres.

MAJOR GENERALJUJON – Over-raced in the early to middle stages of the event, which may have contributed to the gelding being under pressure from the 400, before dropping out over the final stages to be beaten in excess of 30 metres. Will be reincluded in the barrier draw for start events after satisfying the necessary requirements.

General (3): Driver N Ford was instructed to modify his whip action.

RACE 7 – RACING CONNECT PACE – 1609 Metres Mobile

TEE JAY CEE – Momentarily tightened turning for home when SHANOCON NZ shifted in.

REDS GOOD TO GO – Had difficulty in finding clear running over the concluding stages. Held up over the final stages.

SHANOCON NZ – Shifted in abruptly turning for home, tightening the racing room of TEE JAY CEE. Driver N Ford was reprimanded for careless driving, in that he allowed SHANOCON NZ to shift in whilst adjusting gear [AHR Rule 168(1)(a)].

RACE MEETING SUMMARY

Suspensions:	NIL
Fines:	B Yole – \$250 Incorrect nomination (08.04.23) – AHR Rule 87
Reprimands:	R7: N Ford – Careless Driving – AHR Rule 168(1)(a)
Horse Action:	R6: MAJOR GENERALJUJON – Back in Mobile Draw (BMD)
Pre-race Swabs	R1: RADAR STRIDE R2: FURY DAN R4: SEAL THE DESTINY R5: LORIMERTYRRELL R6: KICK IT TO JACK
Post-race Swabs:	ALL WINNERS
Adjourned/Pending Inquiries:	NIL