

STEWARDS REPORT

Club:	TASMANIAN RACING CLUB
Date:	Sunday 3 rd September 2023
Weather:	Fine
Track Condition:	GOOD 4
Penetrometer:	4.47
Rail Position:	+8 Metres Entire Circuit
Stewards Panel:	Bruce Free (Chair), Gavin Griffin (Panel), Tony Harding (Panel), Emily Dunbabin (Front Yard), Jed Steele (Front Yard Assist), Allison Norgrove (Back Yard), Tracy Canham (Swab Assist), Robert Simpson (Swabs).
Officials:	Medical Edge & Dr E Bates (Raceday Medical Providers); Dr J Buckerfield (Veterinarian), Jeremy Gleeson (Clerk of Scales),

Riding Changes / Jockey Information

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced by	Reason
R1	CO ACCUSED		R Tan	Emergency Gained Start
R5	TARKINE EAGLE		C Van Munster (App)	Emergency Gained Start
R5	CRYSTAL PALLAZO		C Baker (App)	Emergency Gained Start
R6	PUNK PRINCESS		C Baker (App)	Emergency Gained Start
R7	FAKE MAGIC		T Baker	Explanation Accepted

Comments / Explanations:

RACE 1 – LADBROKES OWNERS INCENTIVE MAIDEN – (1100 METRES)

RAFAEL'S RAID – Declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 12.34pm after hitting its head in the barriers on two occasions. A post race veterinary examination revealed blood in its mouth and a lost cap. Trainer J Keys was advised that the mare must complete a satisfactory barrier trial before racing again and that a veterinary examination is required prior to trialling or racing. On the announcement of correct weight Stewards ordered that all monies invested on RAFAEL'S RAID be refunded, with the following deductions to apply to all successful wagers placed prior to 12.34pm.

Stewards ordered that the following deductions would apply:

1 st – SPINHOF	3c Win 3c Place
2 nd – STARS IN THE NIGHT	4c place
3 rd – RESTRICTED ACCESS	4c place.

All monies bet after the withdrawal to be paid at face value of the tickets.

RESTRICTED ACCESS – Bounded out on jumping, over raced in the early stages.

SPINHOF – Raced wide throughout, laid in under pressure in the home straight.

ALPINE LEGEND – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to race. A warning was placed on the mare for being fractious in the barriers.

JENNA'S DAY – Over raced early and middles stages, restrained off heels near the 600 metres.

SANTE CHRISTINA – Raced wide throughout.

STARS IN THE NIGHT – Shifted out under pressure in the home straight. Raced in restricted for room over the concluding stages and unable to be ridden out fully to the line.

ROW ROW POWER – Stewards granted permission for rider B McCoull to ride 1/2kg over the allotted weight. Jumped in at the start and bumped with CO ACCUSED.

CAPE ZORRO – Slow to begin.

CO ACCUSED – Bumped by ROW ROW POWER soon after the start and was slow to begin.

RACE 2 – KEVIN SHARKIE MAIDEN – (1600 METRES)

Prior to the declaration of correct weight, rider M Ulucinar (STORM GIVER) and trainer A Fulton wished to view the official patrol footage in the home straight to ascertain whether there were grounds to lodge a protest. After viewing the footage rider M Ulucinar (STORM GIVER) and trainer A Fulton elected not to proceed, and correct weight was declared on the judge's numbers.

ARELIUS – Jumped outwards at the start, shifted out at about the 1400 metres carrying FASHION FOX out which then bumped with BE KINDER.

AURUM MAN (NZ) – Slow to begin.

FASHION FOX – Tightened at the start when ARELIUS jumped outwards. Carried out at about 1400 metres by ARELIUS and bumped with BE KINDER. Shifted out over the concluding stages.

GRAND PEGASUS – Slow to begin, restrained off heels of VELOCE AQUILA at about the 1200 metres.

STORM GIVER (NZ) – Raced wide early, tightened for room over the concluding stages between FASHION FOX and MISS PEBBLES.

VELOCE AQUILA – Fractious in barriers prior to start.

BE KINDER – Bumped by FASHION FOX, which had been carried out at about the 1400 metres.

CLOUD CHASER – Bridle adjusted prior to the start. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.

FERRANS LOCH – Bounded out on jumping and blundered.

FRYER HILL – Raced wide with cover throughout.

MISS PEBBLES – Raced wide throughout, laid in over the concluding stages at the same time FASHION FOX shifted out, tightening the run of STORM GIVER.

RACE 3 – LADBROKE IT! BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP – (1600 METRES)

RIGOLETTO – Commenced to over race near the 1200 metres and had to be restrained off the heels of MIDNIGHT KISSES, laid in, in the home straight.

O'REILLY MCLUKE (NZ) – Raced wide throughout, carried wider near the 400 metres when MONTE BIANCA shifted out to improve.

CAPTAIN MORGAN (NZ) – Slow to muster early speed.

RAVAGE – Slow to begin.

MONTE BIANCO – Stewards granted permission for rider D Ganderton to ride 1/2kg over the allotted weight. Shifted out near the 400 metres carrying O'REILLY MCLUKE out wider on the track.

NOT A BRASS RAZOO (NZ) – Raced wide throughout with cover.

DIAMOND BAY – Raced three-wide early stages.

RACE 4 – KEVIN SHARKIE BENCHMARK 76 HANDICAP – (2200 METRES)

RENASCENCE – Jumped awkwardly at the start brushing the inside of the barrier and bumped with PALATONE shortly after, raced wide throughout.

JOHN'S LAD – Brushed the inside of the barrier on jumping. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow recovery.

KNOT DANCING – Held up at about the 400 metres, shifted out rounding the home turn when not fully clear of JACKJACK which had to restrain off heels. Rider T Baker was advised to exercise care.

FURTHER NORTH – Jumped awkwardly at the start, caught wide early.

PALATONE – Bumped with RENASCENCE at the start. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.

YOUR SHUFFLE – Jumped awkward at the start.

RACE 5 – HAPPY FATHER’S DAY CLASS 1 HANDICAP – (1200 METRES)

MASTER SUN – Stewards queried trainer M Ganderton on the below market performance of the gelding. Trainer M Ganderton advised stewards that the gelding had previously had a throat operation some 12 months prior and that the gelding was having its first start back since the operation. Trainer M Ganderton was advised upon a veterinary examination that the gelding required an endoscopy, and that the gelding had also experienced a pathological cardiac arrhythmia for the first time. Resultantly, MASTER SUN must not start in a race, official trial, or jump-out until the Stewards have received a satisfactory report from a qualified veterinary surgeon which includes the results of an electrocardiography (ECG) of more than 60 seconds duration performed by that veterinarian whilst the horse is at rest and a cardiac auscultation performed by that veterinarian within 15 minutes of the horse completing a satisfactory gallop of at least 1000m in the presence of a steward. Trainer M Ganderton advised the gelding would now be retired.

EXTREME GEM – Bridle adjusted prior to the start behind the barriers. Stewards spoke with trainer G McCulloch in relation to his race day bridles which on two occasions had to be adjusted behind the barriers prior to racing.

GEE GEES ME BOY – Stewards granted permission for rider B McCoull to ride 1/2kg over the allotted weight. Stewards queried rider B McCoull in relation to the horse not being ridden to the barriers pre-race. Rider B McCoull stated that the horse refused to go forward once on the course proper and in his opinion the horse was going to flip over, so he dismounted. Stewards reminded B McCoull of his obligations to ride his mount to the barriers. Raced wide throughout. Stewards advised trainer L Wells that due to the pre-race manners and being difficult to load the gelding must complete a satisfactory trial prior to racing again. Stewards queried the below market expectations of the gelding. Rider B McCoull stated that the gelding was fiery pre-race and during the run, in his opinion the gelding felt uptight and when placed under pressure started to improve however failed to run on over the concluding stages.

KIT AND CABOODLE – Slow to begin.

CAMBALACHE – Slow to begin.

FINXY – Raced wide early.

RACE 6 – TASMANIAN BLOODSTOCK BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - (1200 METRES)

ALVARINHO – Bumped with VENTUS near the 1000 metres.

THUNBERG – Four wide throughout.

SPARKLING ONE – Raced wide throughout.

MOVE ON OVER – Shifted out from the 150 metres and carried BETTER THAN BANKSY wider on the track over the concluding stages. Rider C Van Munster was advised to exercise care when allowing her mounts to shift ground.

POPEYE THE SAILOR – A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.

BETTER THAN BANKSY – Rider A Darmanin was reprimanded under the provisions of AR131(b) for failing to ride his mount out fully to the line.

GEE GEE GOLDENLASS – Stewards granted permission for rider M Ulucinar to ride 1/2kg over the allotted weight.

ZIAVERA – Slow to begin.

VENTUS – Bumped with ALVARINHO at about the 1000 metres.

NEV'S BOY – Restrained after start to obtain a position closer to the rail, laid in over the concluding stages.

RACE 7 – ELWICK FUNCTIONS & EVENTS OPEN HCP – (1200 METRES)

ALGERNON – Raced three wide throughout.

JOHNNY CHUTZPAH – Rider C Baker advised Stewards there may have been something amiss with the gelding's action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be mildly lame in the right fore. A veterinary examination prior to racing again will be required. Trainer G White advised stewards that the gelding would now be retired.

FAKE MAGIC – Had a tendency to lay in under pressure in the home straight.

RACE 8 – WINNING EDGE PRESENTATIONS BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP – (1400 METRES)

SO ASTOUNDING – Raced wide throughout.

JUST A NEEDS – Raced three wide with cover throughout and shifted in under pressure from entering the home straight until near the 200 metres and then shifted out over the concluding stages.

RING OF HONOUR – Restrained off heels of BRINKTOP LAD at about the 1200 metres.

JEREMIAH – Fractious in the barriers, jumped awkwardly and was slow to muster early speed. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a cut gum and blood in its mouth.

BRINKTOP LAD – Had a tendency to over race in the early stages.

SWAB SAMPLES	
Pre-race blood samples:	R2 – GRAND PEGASUS R3 – NOT A BRASS RAZOO (NZ) R4 – FURTHER NORTH R5 – MASTER SUN, CAMBALACHE R6 – RODRICK'S SECRET R7 – ALGERNON R8 – SO ASTOUNDING
Pre-race urine samples:	
Post-race samples:	R1 – SPINHOF R2 – FASHION FOX R3 – MONTE BIANCO R4 – BLUSHED R5 – RUBBLEONTHEDOUBLE R6 – MOVE ON OVER R7 – TSUNAMI SAM R8 – JUST A NEEDS
Suspensions:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Reprimands:	R6 – A Darmanin – Reprimand AR131(b) Failing to ride his mount out to the line.
Horse Warnings:	R1 – ALPINE LEGEND – Fractious in Barriers.
Required to Trial:	R1– RAFAEL'S RAID – Late Scratching must complete a satisfactory trial before racing again. R5 – MASTER SUN – Atrial Fibrillation – Stood down 1000m gallop and ECG and Endoscopy results. R5 – GEE GEES ME BOY – Race day manners and difficult to load.
Barred:	Nil
Follow up required: Vet Certificate	Nil
Tactics Notified:	Nil

The Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment.