

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

Canberra Racing Club Incorporated

THOROUGHBRED PARK

Friday 15 April 2022

(Good Friday Meeting)

Weather: Fine
Track: Good (4)
Rail: True

J D Walshe (Chairman), K E Blanch & G E V Hargraves (Stewards), D Riches (Starter), M Donoghue (Assistant Starter), Ms K Head (Swab), P Toomey (Scales), Dr R Walshe (Veterinarian).

Riding Changes:

As J Mallyon was injured, Stewards permitted the following riding changes:

Race 1	Lonrho Lily – app Ms A McLucas
Race 2	Gravy Train – Ms J Taylor
Race 6	Aramis En Avant – S Guymer (permitted 1/2kg over)
Race 8	Anazone – Ms J Taylor

As Ms K Adams was overweight, Stewards permitted the following riding change:

Race 6	Maid A Quid – Ms K Adams
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At a subsequent inquiry Ms K Adams was fined the sum of \$100 under AR190(3).

RACE 1: Maxine Mitchell - Worksforyou Handicap 1200m

Cambridge Rules – As Ms A Collett was delayed arriving due to transport difficulties, Stewards permitted Q Krogh to be substituted as the rider of the filly.

Lohnro Lily – Slow to begin.

Country Style – Checked soon after the start by Bionic which shifted in. Near the 450m was contacted by Niccolina which shifted in to avoid the weakening Pride Of Ireland.

Niccolina – Near the 450m had to be checked and shifted in to avoid the heels of Pride Of Ireland which was weakening badly and in doing so made contact with Country Style. After the

200m was tightened by Bionic which shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be coughing.

Bionic – When questioned regarding the performance of the colt, rider J Ford stated that his mount was disadvantaged when after the 600m he had to restrain his mount from the heels of Pride Of Ireland which was weakening. He added that his mount subsequently failed to close its race off and appeared pulled up thick in the wind. A post-race veterinary examination of the colt did not reveal any abnormality.

Texerro – Was slow to begin. When questioned regarding the disappointing performance of the gelding, rider J Martin advised that in his view the gelding would now be better suited over further ground. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

Manadalong Cash – Rider S Guymer was permitted to ride his mount 1/2kg overweight in accordance with the policy. Was held up rounding the home turn and in the early part of the straight.

Miss Adrenalin – Passing the 950m was eased from the heels of Keynes Times (Ms K Nisbet which shifted in when not quite clear. Ms K Nisbet was advised to exercise more care.

Pride Of Ireland – The filly which gave ground badly from the 600m and was not tested in the straight was examined by the Club's veterinary officer and found to have suffered a serious bleeding attack. Trainer Mr T McIlrick was told that should connections wish to resume its racing career, bearing in mind the nature of the bleeding attack, and the interference it had caused other runners during the race when giving ground, connections would need to make submissions to Stewards as to why the horse should not be suspended from racing indefinitely under the provisions of AR75(1)(c).

Keynes Time – Raced three-wide throughout.

RACE 2: Mark Paine Landscaping Plate 1400m

Another Star - As app Ms E Hennessy was unavailable, Stewards permitted J Martin to be substituted as the rider of the mare.

Kataway – Was kicked behind the barriers by Harvest Rose and was a late scratching at 1:42pm on veterinary advice when found to have sustained a laceration to its near hock. Stewards ordered that all monies invested on Kataway be refunded in full and further that all successful bets placed with bookmakers prior to 1:42pm be subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

1st: Gravy Train Magpie: 1c win and 1c place

2nd: Mickeyrats: 2c place

3rd: Noble Exception: 1c place

At a subsequent inquiry trainer Ms N Foley was told that she would be required to provide a veterinary clearance prior to the mare being permitted to race again.

Harvest Rose – Co-trainer Mr P Jones was told that a warning would be recorded against the filly which had kicked Kataway behind the start. Slow to begin.

Another Star – When the start was effected the mare refused to initially jump (10L) and then after beginning ran in resulting in its rider J Martin being unbalanced and being harmlessly dislodged. Trainer Mr D Kelley was told that the mare would be required to perform satisfactorily in an official barrier trial prior to being permitted to race again.

Mini Maya – Began awkwardly and contacted its near-side gate and soon after the start was bumped by What's My Scene which shifted out. Was held up for some distance near the 450m.

What's My Scene – Soon after the start, shifted out and bumped Mini Maya.

Mickeyrats – Raced three-wide throughout. Rider app Ms T Martin was spoken to regarding riding unnecessarily loose rounding the home turn which afforded Eight Willows to improve to her inside.

Gravy Train Magpie – Was held up rounding the home turn and soon after straightening shifted out and became awkwardly placed on the inside of the heels of Deranged and shifted back in and had to be restrained when it continued to be held up on the heels of Espadrille. Continued to be held up until near the 200m.

RACE 3: Oliver A.T Mitchell Plate 2000m

Mikasa – Rider S Guymer was permitted to ride his mount 1/2kg overweight in accordance with the policy. Began awkwardly.

Stylebender – Began awkwardly. Over-raced in the middle stages. Was held up rounding the home turn.

Great Mystery – Was checked soon after the start when crowded by Gold Premium which shifted out. Held up near the 450m.

Gold Premium – Over-raced in the middle stages.

Grosses Plain – Raced three-wide throughout. Trainer Ms G Boucher was advised that despite the mare covering additional ground throughout the race, a warning would be recorded against the uncompetitive nature of the performance given that the mare was beaten 34L. Ms Boucher advised that the mare would now be spelled.

Eyes To Eye – When questioned, rider M Bell stated that he initially settled outside the leader, however his mount laid out making the turn out of the back straight and near the 1100m when he felt the leader slow the tempo slightly and as he felt his mount was not racing genuinely, he pressed forward to assume the lead. He added that his mount had also raced one-paced and whilst it had weakened inside the final 200m, as this was the gelding's first attempt at the 2000m journey he felt it would derive benefit from today's run. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

RACE 4: Worksforyou Canberra Handicap 1000m

Maid A Quid – Trainer Mr B Byrne was fined the sum of \$100 under LR42(1) for failing to withdraw Maid A Quid, which was a dual acceptor at the meeting, from this race by the prescribed time.

Stella Baia – Slow to begin.

Zelago – Was slow to begin and then contacted soon after by Nephradiva which shifted in.

Nephradiva – Began awkwardly and shifted in and made contact with Zelago.

Hayyu – Was slow to begin and contacted soon after by Zelago which had been taken in.

Delightful Dream – Rider Q Krogh got his whip entangled in his reins from near the 200m until near the 100m and as a consequence was unable to test his mount with full vigour during this section of the race.

Rubicon River – When questioned, rider J Penza stated that despite being obliged to race three-wide in the early and middle stages, his mount did not respond to his riding thereafter and when a beaten horse, was not tested after the 200m. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality. Trainer Mr A Warren said that in his opinion the gelding had not raced genuinely and that consideration would now be given to the gelding's immediate racing future. Mr Warren was nevertheless asked to report back on that issue and also as to the gelding's progress in the days subsequent.

RACE 5: Worksforyou Wagga Handicap 1600m

Zariz No Other – Trainer Ms J Hoy was fined the sum of \$100 under LR35 for the late declaration of app Ms M Bourke as the rider of the gelding. Raced four-wide throughout.

Denmiss – Slow to begin. Was held up rounding the home turn.

Hilltop Hood – Slow to begin.

Mercury – Slow to begin.

Real Peace – Was held up for clear running rounding the home turn and until near the 300m.

Madison Point – Raced three-wide throughout and over-raced in the middle stages.

RACE 6: Worksforyou Australia Handicap 1200m

Aramis En Avant – Rider S Guymer was permitted to ride his mount 1/2kg overweight in accordance with the policy.

Sharkim – Slow to begin. Pulled hard in the middle stages.

Maid A Quid – Bumped on jumping by Annual which shifted in.

Choice Deel – Raced three-wide throughout.

King Gutho – When questioned, rider B Loy advised that his mount did not respond to his riding in the straight and made respiratory noises. A post-race veterinary examination confirmed that the gelding had made respiratory sounds returning to scale however no other abnormalities were detected. Trainer Mr J Cleary was told that he would be required to provide the satisfactory results of an endoscopic examination prior to the gelding being permitted to race again.

RACE 7: TAB Federal 1300m

Devils Triangle – A pre-race veterinary examination of the mare which sustained a minor abrasion to its near point of hip, passed the gelding suitable to race.

Son Of Spartacus – Slow to begin.

Evanora – Bumped on jumping by Merc.

Devils Triangle – Slow to begin and was bumped by Loafing which shifted out.

Miss Ostend – Was held up rounding the home turn.

Merc – Was over-raced in the middle stages.

Mr Aloysius – Over-raced in the middle stages.

Smuggler's Run – Near the 1000m when pulling hard laid out and had to be steadied from the heels of Mr Aloysius which simultaneously shifted in slightly and continued to pull hard and soon after had to be restrained out and away to avoid the heel of Mr Aloysius and in doing so inconvenienced Merc and took that runner wider resulting in Son Of Spartacus which was positioned to the outside of the heels of that runner, wider also.

Merc – Passing the 1000m was inconvenienced by Smuggler's run which shifted out when over-racing and was taken wider for the remainder of the race.

Son Of Spartacus – Raced wide throughout and was taken wider from the 1000m by Merc which was taken out by Smuggler's run which shifted out when over-racing.

RACE 8: Andy "Col" Stanham – Worksforyou Handicap 1400m

Kitty Purring – En route to the start, became momentarily unruly and shifted in and broke through the inside rail resulting in rider Ms K Nisbet being harmlessly dislodged. The filly subsequently galloped a considerable distance and was a late scratching by order of the Stewards at 5:13pm. Stewards ordered that all monies invested on Kitty Purring be refunded in full and further that all successful bets placed with bookmakers prior to 5:13pm be subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

1st: Major Gowan: 4c win and 8c place

2nd: Stay Wealthy: 6c place

3rd: How Do You Sleep: 2c place

At a subsequent inquiry trainer Mr L Pepper was told that a warning would be recorded against the filly's pre-race behaviour.

Rover – Slow to begin.

Khaleej – Slow to begin. Over-raced in the middle stages.

Loose Love – Passing the 1000m when pulling hard, had to be restrained from the heels of Low Altitude (M Travers) which shifted in when not quite clear. M Travers was advised to exercise more care. Rider J Penza explained that with the blinkers applied today, his mount had pulled hard throughout. After the 1000m was taken three-wide for the remainder of the race when Stay Wealthy shifted to the outside of the heels of Low Altitude after being crossed by that runner. Near the 150m was brushed by How Do You Sleep which shifted in.

Garrett Road – Near the 200m rider Ms A McLucas dropped her whip.

Swabs:

Swab samples were obtained from all winners.

SUMMARY	
Fines:	Race 4: Trainer Ms B Byrne (Maid A Quid) – (LR42(1)) - \$100 – Fail withdraw dual acceptor by prescribed time. Race 5: Trainer Ms J Hoy (Zariz No Other) – \$100 (LR35) – Late rider.
Reprimands:	Nil.
Suspensions:	Nil.
Bleeders:	Nil.
Warnings:	Race 2: Harvest Rose – Kicked a runner behind the start. Race 7: Kitty Purring – Broke through running rail en route to start and dislodged rider.
Trials:	Race 2: Another Star – Missed start (10L).
Vet Certificates:	Race 2: Kataway – Laceration near hock. Race 6: King Gutho – Respiratory noises (scope req).
Falls/Injuries:	Race 2: J Martin (Another Star) – Harmlessly dislodged. Race 7: Ms K Nisbet (Kitty Purring) – Harmlessly dislodged.
Change of Colours:	Race 2: Mini Maya – White cap.
Follow up:	Nil.