

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT
Canberra Racing Club Incorporated
THOROUGHBRED PARK
Thursday 5th September 2025

Weather: Fine
Track: Soft (6)
Rail: Out 3m

J D Walshe (Chairman), G E V Hargraves, M F Vilo, (Stewards), D Riches (Starter), P Selmes (Assistant Starter), J Turner (Swab), Ms C Louttit (Scales), Dr J Laing (Veterinarian).

RACE 1: Queanbeyan Pre-Mix Concrete Plate 1400m

Prophet's Promise – Over-raced in the middle stages.

Money On My Mind – On jumping was contacted by Heligan which was bumped and taken out.

Heligan – On jumping was bumped by Wire To Wire which shifted out and when taken out onto Money On My Mind was buffeted between both runners for some distance. Was held up for clear running until passing the 200m.

Zo Frilling – Rider J Penza reported that upon pulling up his mount was making respiratory noises. A post-race veterinary examination of the mare confirmed that the mare had made respiratory noises. Stable representative Mr P Rowe was advised that a veterinary clearance including the satisfactory results of an endoscopic examination would be required prior to the mare being permitted to race again.

Wire to Wire – Began awkwardly shifted out and made contact with Heligan.

Yes I Win – Began awkwardly.

Brannum – When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding, rider B Owen stated that his mount travelled well throughout the early and middle stages but after being held up for completely clear running until passing the 200m did not respond to his riding when afforded clear running at this point. He nevertheless added that in his view that his mount had been disadvantaged in that it performs best when able to gradually build up through its races with uninterrupted running. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

RACE 2: PRD Real Estate Bungendore Handicap 1000m

Beau Rock – M Cahill (*Shelly's Ace*) pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) in that passing the 850m he permitted his mount to shift in when insufficiently clear of Lysander which was checked and shifted in and in so doing bumped Single Beat which shifted in resulting in Beau Rock having to be checked and shifted in to avoid Single Beat. M Cahill's license to ride in races was suspended for a period to commence on Wednesday 10 September 2025 and to expire on Saturday 20 September 2025 on which day he may ride.

Lysander – Passing the 850m was checked and shifted in to avoid Shelly's Ace which shifted in and in so doing bumped Single Beat. Raced wide throughout.

Single Beat – Passing the 850m was bumped by Lysander which shifted in after suffering interference.

Vainstream – Raced wide throughout.

I Iz Brilliant – Was held up rounding the home turn.

Aegipan – Knuckled on jumping resulting in its rider becoming unbalanced. Lost its off-fore plate during the race.

Scruff's Magic – On jumping contacted the near-side gate.

Prophet Time – Was a little slow to begin. Was held up rounding the home turn and in the early part of the straight.

RACE 3: Form 1 Group Handicap 1000m

Golden Fairy – Rider P Boudvillain dropped his whip passing the 50m.

Minks Written – Began awkwardly. Raced three-wide throughout.

Ozimozzi – Raced four-wide throughout. Passing the 850m was eased from the heels of Minks Written (app J Baker) which shifted in when not quite clear. App J Baker was told to exercise more care.

Surpisatic – Bounded on jumping and shortly after was crowded between The Eyes Have It and Cosmic Eagle which shifted in.

Flashback Time – Was bumped on jumping by The Eyes Have It.

The Eyes Have It – Shifted in at the start and bumped Flashback Time. Was held up rounding the home turn.

RACE 4: Dromore Lucerne Cooma Plate 2000m

Laloli – A pre-race veterinary examination of the mare which had a non-painful swelling of the medial cannon cleared the mare suitable to race. Pulled hard for some distance passing the 1500m despite its rider's effort to restrain it and blundered.

I Wanna Be – Slow to begin. When questioned, rider J Martin explained that his mount was under pressure a long way from home and when out of contention, was not tested in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality. Trainer Mr B Bryant was told that the gelding, which was beaten 70L, would be required to barrier trial to the Steward's satisfaction prior to being permitted to race again.

Zaxton – Shortly after the start was taken out onto Steamed Hams by Iconique which shifted out.

Think I Do – Raced three-wide throughout.

Autumn Heir – Shifted out at the start and bumped Golden Fairy. Raced greenly in the straight.

Iconique – Was crowded on jumping between Zaxton and Think I Do which shifted out.

Zouwase – When questioned regrading the performance of the gelding, rider J Penza stated that his mount travelled well in the early and middle stages but did not respond to his riding in the straight and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

RACE 5: John McGrath Auto Group Handicap 1200m

Buenos – Began awkwardly.

Apparate – Was a little slow to begin.

Petawawa – Was unsettled in the gates and began awkwardly and soon after was contacted and crowded by Climate Change which shifted out. Passing the 600m had to be restrained when held up on the heels of Media Frenzy. Passing the 150m shifted out and bumped Media Frenzy.

Pushalot – Was contacted on jumping by Magic Leprechaun which shifted in. Was held up until passing the 250m.

Hellinda – When questioned regarding the disappointing performance of the gelding, rider P Boudvillian said that his mount was disadvantaged when challenged in the lead by Pushalot. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

Media Frenzy -Was held up rounding the home turn and passing the 150m was bumped by Petawa which shifted out.

RACE 6: Redbank North Handicap 1400m

Bold Triumph – A pre-race veterinary examination of the gelding which pulled both hind plates during transportation to the meeting was examined by the Club's veterinary officer and deemed suitable to start with the replacement of both plates.

Vinari – Was contacted on jumping by Pretty Eyed which shifted out. Laid in over the concluding stages.

Pretty Eyed – Shifted out at the start and made contact with Vinari.

Lockadente – Was slow to begin. After the 200m was disappointed for a run to the inside of Sir Lunchalots which shifted in whilst weakening and had to be restrained and shifted out to obtain clear running.

Intense Effort – As app Ms O Chambers was indisposed, Stewards permitted J Kissick to be substituted as the rider of the mare. On return to scale rider J Kissick advised that his mount felt uncomfortable in its action throughout. A post-race veterinary examination of the mare did not reveal any abnormality.

Sir Lunchalots – When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding, rider P Boudvillain stated that his mount did not respond to his riding in the straight and raced like a tired horse. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

Cosmic Ride – Over-raced in the middle stages.

RACE 7: TAB Federal Legend's Path 1300m

Belleistic Kids – Co-trainer Mr P Jones was fined the sum of \$200 under AR106(1) when the gelding was presented to race in blinkers rather than its approved gear of visors.

Tavolo – Trainer Mr R Potter was fined the sum of \$100 under AR2026 for the late notification that the mare no longer had synthetic hoof filler present in front.

Toes In The Water – Raced three-wide throughout. Near the 200m was eased when crowded between Tavolo and Bon Frankie which was taken out by Miss Emma (app Ms T Martin) which shifted out under riding when not clear. App Ms T Martin was advised to exercise more care.

Stupendo – Began awkwardly.

Laurel Hill – Bounded on jumping. Passing the 200m was eased when placed in restricted room between Stupendo and Spirits Burn Deep which shifted out.

Epaullo Creed – Was contacted on jumping by Tavolo which was taken out when crowded by Bon Frankie which shifted out.

Spirits Burn Deep – Raced keenly in the early stages. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running in the early part of the straight and had to be shifted out and obtained clear running passing the 200m.

RACE 8: Petstock Country Handicap 1400m

Fifty Five Mustang – Began awkwardly. Trainer Mr L Pepper advised that the gelding would now be transferred from his stable.

Ronny Rock Art – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

Swabs:

Swab samples were obtained from all winners:

SUMMARY	
Fines:	Race 7: Co-trainer Mr P Jones (Belleistic Kids) – (AR106(1)) - \$200 – Incorrect gear. Race 7: Trainer Mr R Potter (Tavolo) – (AR206) - \$100 – Late plating notification.
Reprimands:	Nil.
Suspensions:	Race 2: M Cahill (Shelly's Ace) (AR131(a)) – Careless riding – License to ride in races suspended 10/9/25 until 20/9/25 on which day he may ride.
Bleeders:	Nil.
Warnings:	Nil.
Trials:	Race 4: I Wanna Be – Uncompetitive beaten 70L.
Vet Certificates:	Race 1: Zo Frilling – Respiratory noises.
Falls/Injuries:	Nil.
Change of Colours:	Race 2: Prophet Time – Black cap. Race 6: Lockadente – Black cap. Race 7: Toes In The Water – White cap.
Follow up:	Nil.