

**STEWARDS' REPORT**  
**Goulburn and District Racing Club**  
**GOULBURN RACECOURSE**

**Tuesday 9 October 2018**

Weather: Fine  
Track: Soft (6), upgraded to a Soft (5) following Race 6 at 4:20pm.  
Rail: True

**STEWARDS:** J D Walshe (Chairman), C G Polglase & J Turner

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**RACE 1: tab.com.au Class 2 Handicap 900m**

**Ottamae** – Crowded on jumping between Bridyn May and May Of Modena both of which shifted ground. Passing the 500m was checked when tightened for room between Monsieur Affaire and Bay Of Modena which hung out when over-racing. Held up for clear running until passing the 250m.

**Bridyn May** – On jumping made contact with Ottamae – Raced wide throughout.

**Bay Of Modena** – Crowded on soon after the start by Monsieur Affaire which laid out.

**Kitana** – Laid in in the straight.

**RACE 2: Doyles On The Beach Class 1 Handicap 1200m**

**Laughing Or Crying** – Began awkwardly.

**Grand Awakening** – Slow to begin.

**Bell Serenade** – Began awkwardly and lost ground. Over-raced badly in the middle stages.

**RACE 3: Goulburn Marketplace Benchmark 58 Handicap 1200m**

No incidents.

**RACE 4: JCF Contracting Class 1 & Maiden Plate 1600m**

**Miss Moana** - Began awkwardly and made contact with the near gate. Rider A Hyernonimus advised that whilst his mount ran home fairly in the straight, in his view it did not let down as well as expected.

**Trust Who** – Slow to begin.

**Battle Fury** – Began awkwardly and ran in. Pulled hard in the middle stages.

**Or Else** – Slow to begin and inconvenienced shortly after by Battle Fury which shifted in.

**Delude** – Raced wide throughout.

**Winterconi** – Passing the 250m when weakening was tightened by Skaldak which shifted out.

**RACE 5: Spring Merino Stayers Benchmark 66 Handicap 2800m**

**Calm And Serene** – As app P Scorse was found to be overweight, Stewards permitted app Q Yong to be substituted as the rider of the of the mare. At a subsequent inquiry app P Scorse was fined the sum of \$300 under AR120(b). When questioned, app Q Yong stated that approaching the back straight near the 1500m when trapped three wide he anticipated pressing forward to cross Grey Eminence to obtain a position closer to the rail, however as he anticipated the rider of that runner improving to hold him out and when the tempo quickened he was left racing three wide for the remainder of the event.

**Jagger** – Change of tactics: To be ridden further back; settled back. Over-raced for some distance passing the 150m on the first occasion.

**Grey Eminence** – Change of tactics: To be ridden further back; settled worse than mid-field. For some distance passing the 250m had to be restrained when disappointed for a run between Grey Eminence and Calm And Serene.

**Sovereignaire** – Slow to begin.

**Stitched Up** – Bumped on jumping.

**Everly Girl** – Held up in the early part of the straight.

**RACE 6: Heat Of The Rising Star Benchmark 58 Handicap 1400m**

**Cop A Nip** – Trainer Mr Z Garsztkka was fined the sum of \$50 under AR140B for presenting the gelding to race without its brushing boots. Public announcements were made that the gelding would race without the gear.

**Xaarfoxlady** – Bumped on jumping by Arrondissement which shifted out.

**Attainment** – Pulled hard whilst obliged to race wide throughout.

**Burrangong** – Pulled hard in the middle stages.

**Prospectors Helmet** – Pulled hard for some distance passing the 800m.

**Sweet Fella** – Raced in restricted room in the straight when unable to fully establish a run between Cop A Nip and Xaarfoxlady.

**RACE 7: Spring Carnival @ Gln Book Now Maiden Handicap 1400m**

**Norma Jeane** – Trainer Mr G Frazer was fined the sum of \$50 under AR140B for the late addition of a tongue-tie to the racing gear of the mare.

**Circus Train** – Slow to begin. Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**Bernson** – Slow to begin. Passing the 1200m when over-racing had to be checked from the heels of Rising Force which was being eased and shifted out resulting in Provocative Man being hampered and taken out. Continued to over-race in the middle stages. Hung out in the straight.

**Provocative Man** – Passing the 200m the gelding's off-side winker was dislodged.

**Lady Eleanor** – raced wide throughout.

**RACE 8: Jewell Builders Maiden Plate 1200m**

**Gerrylarose** – Slow to begin.

**Denmiss** – Slow to begin.

**Read All About It** – App B Owen pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) in that passing the 900m he permitted his mount to shift in when not clear of Compactor which lost its rightful running and had to be steadied and was taken in resulting in Read all About It being restrained when crowded for room. App B Owen's permit to ride in races was suspended for a period to commence immediately and to expire on Sunday 21 October 2018, on which day he may ride. Passing the 800m was bumped by Lamplight which shifted out momentarily.

**Compactor** – Raced wide throughout. P Wells pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) in that near the 100m he permitted his mount to shift in when not clear of Compactor which lost its rightful running and had to be checked. P Wells' license to ride in races was suspended for a period to commence on Sunday 14 October 2018 and to expire on Monday 22 October 2018, on which day he may ride.

**Hajduk** – Passing the 100m was eased when crowded by Brussels which laid out.

**Barrier Trial**

Trainer Mr D Mirfin was fined the sum of \$50 under AR59A for failing to produce the Thoroughbred Identity Card for Skipper Joe.

**Summary of whip use:**

Stewards noted the following rider exceeded the permitted strikes of the whip prior to the 100m under AR137A(5)(a)(ii). Bearing in mind the totality of whip use, no action was taken.

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| <b>Race 2</b> | J Penza ( <b>Elegant Ellen</b> ) | 6 strikes prior to the 100m |
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**Swabs:**

Swab samples were obtained from all winners and the following runners:

**Race 1:** Bay Of Modena, Ottamae

**Race 2:** Laughing Or Crying, With Purpose

**Race 3:** Fly Forward, The Wild Wild West

**Race 6:** Burrangong

| <b>SUMMARY</b>            |   |
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| <b>Fines:</b>             | <p><b>Race 5:</b> App P Scorse (<b>Calm And Serene</b>) AR120(b) – \$300 – Overweight.</p> <p><b>Race 6:</b> Trainer Mr Z Garsztka (<b>Cop A Nip</b>) \$50 AR140B – Late gear change.</p> <p><b>Race 6:</b> Trainer Mr G Frazer (<b>Norma Jeane</b>) \$50 AR140B – Late gear change.</p> <p><b>Barrier Trial:</b> Trainer Mr D Mirfin (<b>Skipper Joe</b>) AR59A – \$50 – No TIC.</p> |
| <b>Reprimands:</b>        | Nil.  |
| <b>Suspensions:</b>       | <p><b>Race 8:</b> P Wells (<b>Read All About It</b>) AR137(a) Careless riding – License to ride in races suspended 14/10/18 until 22/10/18 on which day he may ride.</p> <p><b>Race 8:</b> App B Owen (<b>Hajduk</b>) AR137(a) Careless riding – Permit to ride in races suspended 14/10/18 until 21/10/18 on which day he may ride.</p>  |
| <b>Bleeders:</b>          | Nil.  |
| <b>Warnings:</b>          | Nil.  |
| <b>Trials:</b>            | Nil.  |
| <b>Vet Certificates:</b>  | Nil.  |
| <b>Falls/Injuries:</b>    | Nil.  |
| <b>Change of Colours:</b> | <b>Race 8: Adventure Queen</b> – White cap.   |
| <b>Follow up:</b>         | Nil.  |