

STEWARDS' REPORT
Newcastle Jockey Club

BROADMEADOW RACECOURSE

Tuesday 10 July 2018

Weather: Overcast
Track: Good (4)
Rail: +11m 1600m to 400m, 8.5m remainder
Penetrometer: 4.62

STEWARDS: D L Carr (Chairman), T P Moxon, J J E Earl and cadet R W O'Loughlin
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Supplementary Reports:

BROADMEADOW – Saturday 7 July 2018

Race 2: Club Macquarie Maiden Plate 900m

Angiolini – co-trainer Mr A Bott advised that he was satisfied with the post-race condition of the filly and it was the stable's intention to step the filly up in distance.

Race 7: Toronto Workers Club Benchmark 65 Handicap 1890m

Latin Light – trainer Mr J Deamer stated that he was satisfied with the post-race condition of the gelding and he would continue on with its preparation.

Race 8: Clubs NSW Class 1 Handicap 1400m

Can Dream – trainer Mr R Quinton reported that a thorough examination by his stable veterinarian revealed no abnormalities, other than the mare had struck itself behind. Mr Quinton stated that *Can Dream* would now be freshened up prior to racing again.

RACE 1: Top Cut Foods Class 1 & Maiden Plate 2360m

Red Centre Ruby – co-trainer Mr M Kearney was fined \$200 under AR140B for the late application to remove the blinkers, nose roll and tongue tie from the mare's gear.

Dress Rehearsal – slow to begin (2L).

Hendo's Magic – laid in when placed under pressure in the straight.

Budderball – a post-race veterinary examination of the gelding, which was beaten 39 lengths, did not reveal any abnormalities. Trainer Mr P Cheers was advised **Budderball** would be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing again.

RACE 2: Hungerford Hill 2YO Maiden Handicap 900m

Molywill – slow to begin. Rider App. J Van Overmeire dropped his whip near the 300m.

Smart Promise – slow to begin.

Without Conviction – slow to begin.

RACE 3: Easy Payroll Maiden Plate 1300m

Ausbred Trump – slow to begin (2L).

McGoo – began awkwardly.

Sundayinmanhattan – began awkwardly and shortly after was bumped by *Miss Moana*, which was taken in by *Kingston Heath*.

Miss Moana – on jumping became unbalanced when crowded between *Sundayinmanhattan* and *Kingston Heath*, which shifted in.

Ready's Queen – from its wide barrier was steadied and shifted in behind runners in the early stages.

Kingston Heath – when the pace slackened in the middle stages commenced to race keenly and passing the 800m was steadied to avoid the heels of *Ready's Queen*. **Kingston Heath** continued to race wide and without cover for the remainder of the event.

Our Lady Violet – raced keenly in the middle stages and approaching the 800m was steadied to avoid the heels of *Kingston Heath*.

Alwaajid – rider App. R Dolan reported that his mount hung out throughout the event and as a consequence raced wide and without cover.

Thor's Thunder – when questioned regarding the disappointing performance, rider K Latham stated that his mount travelled well throughout the early and middle stages, however, when placed under pressure in the straight the gelding got its head up, refused to stretch out and was disappointing in the manner in which it finished the race off. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities.

Greenskeeper – when questioned regarding the performance, rider J Grisedale stated that, as notified to the Stewards, he was instructed to ride his mount in a forward position and he had to make some use of his mount in the early stages to obtain a position outside the leader, *Thor's Thunder*. He said that his mount travelled keenly throughout the middle stages, however, when *Kingston Heath* improved to his mount's outside rounding the home turn, his mount became immediately under pressure and was disappointing in that it was one-paced in the run to the finish. He added in his opinion **Greenskeeper** will be better suited ridden more conservatively in its races. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities.

RACE 4: Macka's Sand and Soil Benchmark 67 Handicap 1200m

Miss Faith – slipped behind on jumping and lost ground.

Tootz – when questioned regarding the performance, rider C Lever stated that his mount travelled comfortably throughout the early and middle stages, however, when placed under pressure from the 500m failed to quicken and was disappointing. He said in his opinion the filly may have come to the end of its preparation and also may be better suited on softer tracks. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities. Trainer Mr B

Smith expressed disappointment with the performance and said he will endeavour to place the filly on soft tracks in future race starts.

Choice Harvest – when questioned regarding the performance, rider T Clark stated that his mount travelled comfortably in the lead throughout the early and middle stages, however, when placed under pressure rounding the home turn failed to respond and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities.

RACE 5: Advanced Pest Control Maiden Plate 1600m

Silk Topper – slow to begin (2L). Raced fiercely in the early stages and for some distance passing the 1400m had to be checked away from the heels of *Got The Tickets*. **Silk Topper** then continued to overrace throughout and when the pace slackened passing the 800m again had to be checked away from the heels of *Got The Tickets* for some distance. Hung in when placed under pressure in the early part of the straight.

Kenninghall – slow to begin. When the pace slackened approaching the 800m commenced to overrace and had to be steadied and shifted out to avoid the heels of *Power From Within*. **Kenninghall** then raced wide and without cover for the remainder of the event.

Layton Abbey – slow to begin. Held up rounding the home turn and shortly after straightening, when attempting a narrow run between *Got The Tickets* and *Silk Topper*, was momentarily hampered when *Silk Topper* shifted in despite the efforts of its rider.

Fun Fact - on jumping was bumped by *Fine Behind*, which shifted in.

Resonare – laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 6: Amalgamated Cash Services Class 1 Handicap 1600m

Gayatri – slow to begin.

Eagleworks – from its wide barrier was steadied and shifted in behind runners in the early stages.

Chosen Prince – when the pace slackened approaching the 1000m commenced to overrace and had to be steadied and shifted out from the heels of *Mister Rossa*. **Chosen Prince** then raced wide and without cover for the remainder of the event.

Hail The Hero – when questioned regarding the disappointing performance, rider J Innes Jr stated, after beginning satisfactorily and with blinkers on for the first time, the gelding was able to assume the lead without being placed under any undue pressure. He said his mount travelled well throughout the early and middle stages, however, was disappointing in the manner in which it finished the race off in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities.

RACE 7: Rarity Wholesale Class 2 Handicap 900m

Reckless Knight – as K Latham was stood down by the Club's Medical Officer due to illness, Stewards permitted J Ford to be substituted as the rider of the gelding.

Invincible Gangsta – slipped behind on jumping and lost ground. Passing the 700m was steadied and shifted out to avoid the heels of *Ms Wicked Nicci* (A Adkins), which shifted in when not clear. A Adkins was told to exercise more care.

Ten Carat – began awkwardly and bumped *Jack's Image* and then shortly after blundered. When questioned regarding the performance, App. L Day stated her mount travelled comfortably throughout the early and middle stages, however when placed under pressure shortly after straightening, failed to respond and in her opinion the gelding may have come to the end of its preparation. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities. Trainer Mr K Lees agreed with rider App. L Day and advised that **Ten Carat** would now be spelled.

Crackneck – hung out in the early stages.

Reckless Knight – held up rounding the home turn and in the early part of the straight.

GENERAL:

When the inside section of the back straight was worn following the race meeting on Saturday, 7 July 2018, Stewards permitted an amendment to the advertised rail position to have the rail moved out 11m from the 1600m to the 400m and 8.5m the remainder.

Summary of whip use:

Stewards noted the following riders 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.

Race 1	T Clark (<i>Diamond Star Halo</i>) R Brewer (<i>Hendo's Magic</i>) J Adams (<i>Red Centre Ruby</i>)	6 strikes prior to the 100m. 6 strikes prior to the 100m. 6 strikes prior to the 100m.
Race 3	R Brewer (<i>Kingston Heath</i>) App. A Skerritt (<i>McGoo</i>)	6 strikes prior to the 100m. 7 strikes prior to the 100m.
Race 4	App. J Van Overmeire (<i>Miss Faith</i>) App. R King (<i>Your Witness</i>)	6 strikes prior to the 100m. 6 strikes prior to the 100m.
Race 5	T Clark (<i>Fun Fact</i>) App. R King (<i>Layton Abbey</i>)	6 strikes prior to the 100m. 8 strikes prior to the 100m.
Race 6	App. L Magorrian (<i>Gayatri</i>) A Adkins (<i>Hierarchal</i>)	8 strikes prior to the 100m. 6 strikes prior to the 100m.
Race 7	A Adkins (<i>Ms Wicked Nicci</i>) R Brewer (<i>Crackneck</i>)	8 strikes prior to the 100m. 8 strikes prior to the 100m.

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

Race 1: Budderball, *Diamond Star Halo* (2), *Whitney's Star*, *Hendo's Magic*.

Race 2: *Don't Doubt Arthur*.

Race 3: *Miss Moana*.

Race 4: *Darbies Blugirl*.

Race 5: *Fine Behind*, *Layton Abbey*.

Race 6: *Gayatri* (2).

Race 7: *Cheers Joyce*.

SUMMARY

Fines:	Race 1: Co-trainer M Kearney (<i>Red Centre Ruby</i>) \$200 – late
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	application for gear change (AR140B). Race 5: Co-trainer A Cummings (<i>Silk Topper</i>) \$200 – late application for gear change (AR140B).
Reprimands:	Nil.
Suspensions:	Nil.
Bleeders:	Nil.
Warnings:	Nil.
Trials:	Race 1: <i>Budderball</i> (trainer P Cheers) – uncompetitive.
Certificates:	Nil.
Fall/Injuries:	Nil.
Tactics Notified:	Race 3: <i>Greenskeeper</i> – to be ridden more forward; settled outside lead. Race 6: <i>Chosen Prince</i> – to be ridden more forward; settled midfield.
Change of Colours:	Race 1: <i>Red Centre Ruby</i> – pink cap.
Change of Gear	Nil.
Follow up:	Nil.