

## STEWARDS REPORT

### Lismore Turf Club LISMORE RACECOURSE

Monday 3 August 2020

Weather: Fine  
Track: Soft (7)  
Rail: +1.5m 400m – winning post, true remainder

**COMMITTEE OF STEWARDS:** M. A. Holloway (Chairman) & R. W. Loughlin

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**General:** As J. Watkins and S. Doyle were indisposed stewards permitted the following rider changes -

Race	Rider ( <b>Horse</b> )
3	Ms T. Harrison ( <b>Thorapest</b> )
6	C. Franklin ( <b>I Like Candy</b> )
7	R. Spokes ( <b>Miss Mawingo</b> )

#### **RACE 1: C,G&E Class 1 Handicap 1100m:**

**Bartalumba** – Blundered on jumping.

**Beat That** – Jockey R. Spokes pleaded guilty to a charge under AR131(b) in that he did fail to ride his mount out over the final stride to the finish line. Appreciating **Beat That** was beaten a nose for 3<sup>rd</sup> placing, R. Spokes license to ride in races was suspended for a period to commence on Tuesday 11 August 2020 and expire on Tuesday 18 August 2020, on which day he may ride.

**Ceremonial Prince** – Travelled keenly in the early and middle stages.

**Denver** – Raced wide, without cover, from the 600m.

**My Cousin James** – When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding jockey N. Masuda stated that his mount was obliged to work harder than he anticipated to obtain the lead passing the 800m. N. Masuda stated his mount never felt comfortable on the shifty track conditions being inclined to dip and blunder throughout. N. Masuda stated his mount was under pressure rounding the home turn and failed to sprint strongly on straightening. N. Masuda stated that, whilst commencing to weaken, near the 150m his mount blundered badly and he did not place it under pressure from this point. N. Masuda stated that his mount did not appreciate the track conditions and in his opinion raced like a tired horse. A post race veterinary examination of the gelding revealed it to have a slow recovery.

**Phionaix** – Began awkwardly. Hampered near the 50m.

**Vivendo Il Sogno** – Near the 500m was steadied after improving onto heels. Became held up on heels from this point and was unable to improve until near the 250m.

**RACE 2: Maiden Plate 1516m:**

**Brigatine Bar (NZ)** – Blundered on jumping. Travelled keenly in the early stages. A post race veterinary examination of the gelding, which weakened noticeably in the straight and was beaten 51.94L, did not reveal any abnormality. Trainer Mr M. Fry was advised that the gelding is required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of stewards prior to its next race start. Mr Fry reported the following day that an endoscopic examination of the gelding on return to the stable revealed it to have blood present in its lungs. Mr Fry advised that a decision on the gelding racing future will be made in the coming days.

**Estroncio** – Slow to begin. Steadied after improving onto heels passing the 600m. Approaching the home turn was steadied after improving onto heels and unable to improve from this point until shortly after straightening.

**Just One Minute** – A post race veterinary examination of the mare, which was beaten 29.01L, did not reveal any abnormality. Trainer Ms C. Chapman was advised that the mare must barrier trial to the satisfaction of stewards prior to its next race start. Ms Chapman advised that a decision on the mares racing future will be made in the coming days.

**King Farouk** – Travelled keenly in the early stages. Steadied after improving onto heels near the 800m. Bumped near the 100m.

**Long Tall Glasses** – A pre race veterinary examination of the gelding, which was late arriving on course due to transport difficulties, passed it fit to race. Passing the 500m became held up on heels and was unable to improve until shortly after straightening. Bumped near the 100m.

**Phil's Dream** – Began awkwardly. Raced wide, with cover, throughout the early and middle stages.

**Queens Do Dream** – Slow to begin and bumped shortly after. Passing the 500m became held up on heels and was unable to improve until shortly after straightening. Approaching and passing the 200m was steadied for a number of strides after improving onto heels.

**Red Intuition (NZ)** – Began awkwardly and bumped shortly after. Steadied after improving onto heels near the 800m.

**Urban Appeal** – Raced wide, without cover, throughout the early and middle stages.

**Zavy's Hope** – Unable to improve approaching and rounding the home turn when held up on heels.

**RACE 3: Maiden Handicap 1200m:**

**Gillick's Way** – Shifted out abruptly under pressure near the 50m.

**Hoke's Run** – Bumped and unbalanced on jumping. Steadied when tightened between runners shortly after. An inquiry into the reason the gelding was checked near the 1100m was adjourned to a date to be fixed. Travelled keenly in the early stages.

**Lettemgo** – Trainer Mr W. Lawson was fined \$100 for failing to declare M. McGuren as the rider of the gelding by the required time (LR35).

**Miss Pierpoint** – Slow to begin.

**Robindale** – Slow to begin. Raced wide, without cover, throughout the early and middle stages. Rounding the home turn was steadied after laying out onto heels.

**Safely Home** – Slow to begin and bumped shortly after. Inclined to lay out under pressure down the straight.

**Shy Boy** – Travelled keenly in the early and middle stages.

**Thorapest** - Bumped and unbalanced on jumping.

**Unburdened** – Raced wide, without cover, throughout the early and middle stages.

**RACE 4: Class 1 Handicap 1516m:**

**Cubic Zirconia (NZ)** – Bumped on jumping. Rounding the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to be fully tested until obtaining clear running approaching the 200m.

**Dragon Pursuit** – When questioned regarding her riding at the entrance to the straight, in particular why she did not immediately ease out around the heels of **Mont Mont** into clear running but waited approximately 70m to do so, apprentice Ms E. Atkinson stated she has been advised not to come wide before the straight around the Lismore circuit due to the extra ground your mount is obliged to cover. Ms Atkinson stated she rode her mount accordingly and allowed it to balance up at the entrance to the straight before shifting wider into clear running passing the 300m. Stewards advised Ms Atkinson that whilst her reasons for not shifting wider prior to the home turn had merit she was in a position to shift out into clear running shortly after straightening and it is expected she do so in similar circumstances.

**Electric Miss** – Momentarily held up on heels at the entrance to the straight. Near the 200m was eased out around heels to continue to improve.

**Karlu Dreaming (NZ)** – Bumped on jumping.

**Mont Mont** – Apprentice Ms E. Atkinson (*Dragon Pursuit*) pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding, under AR131(a), in that near the 1400m she permitted her mount to shift in when insufficiently clear of **Mont Mont** which was tightened for room, steadied and lost its rightful running. Ms Atkinson's license to ride in races was suspended for a period to commence on Tuesday 11 August 2020 and expire on Wednesday 19 August 2020, on which day she may ride. Raced wide, without cover, throughout the early and middle stages.

**Northern Star** - Trainer Mr B. Bennett was fined \$100 for failing to declare Ms B. Hodder as the rider of the mare by the required time (LR35). Travelled keenly in the early stages.

**Sandy Toes** – Steadied when tightened for room near the 1400m.

**Sinepari** – Rounding the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to be tested until near the 200m.

**Special Union** – Shifted out abruptly between the 100m and 50m.

**Wamwarra Bay** – Trainer Ms M. Brosnan was fined \$100 for failing to declare Ms B. Stower as the rider of the gelding by the required time (LR35). Rounding the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to be tested until near the 150m.

#### **RACE 5: F&M Class 1 Handicap 1100m:**

**Bay of Dragons** – Steadied when buffeted between runners shortly after the start. Steadied after improving onto heels near the 500m.

**Brooke** – Slow to begin.

**Come Alive** – Bumped on jumping. Inclined to lay out under pressure over the final 200m.

**Crackview** – A post race veterinary examination of the mare revealed it to have a significant wound to the off hind fetlock where it appeared to have been galloped on. Trainer Mr K. Randall was advised that the mare requires a veterinary clearance prior to its next race start.

**Miss Lucinda** – Began awkwardly. Travelled keenly in the early stages. Rounding the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to improve until shortly after straightening.

**Nanny's Primed** – Slow to begin. Raced wide, with cover, throughout the early and middle stages. Ran wide rounding the home turn.

**Sailing** – Blundered on jumping and buffeted between runners shortly after. Steadied when tightened for room shortly after.

**Silvaplana** – Raced wide, without cover, throughout the early and middle stages.

**Sulking** – Inclined to lay out under pressure over the final 200m.

#### **RACE 6: Benchmark 66 Handicap 1200m:**

**Barefoot Tycoon** – Change of tactics, to settle further forward. Settled handy. Inclined to hang out approaching the first turn and was steadied when awkwardly placed inside heels. Inclined to hang out throughout the middle stages.

**Chantilly Chateau** – Change of tactics, to settle further forward. Unable to muster early speed and settled midfield.

**I Like Candy** – Raced wide, without cover, throughout the early and middle stages. Near the 600m was steadied after pulling its way up into restricted room.

**In Ya Skyrocket** - Trainer A. Kehoe was fined \$100 for failing to declare apprentice K. Wilson-Taylor as the rider of the gelding by the required time (LR35).

**Marokawa** – Slow to begin. Passing the 500m was steadied after improving onto heels. Approaching the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to be tested until passing the 200m.

**My Cousin Jackie** – Slow to begin.

#### **RACE 7: Benchmark 58 Handicap 1400m:**

**Canford Springs** – Slow to begin. Bumped near the 1200m. Steadied after improving onto heels near the 800m.

**Chiaki** – Raced wide, without cover, throughout the early and middle stages.

**Dark Image** – Steadied after improving onto heels near the 700m. Unable to improve rounding the home turn when held up on heels.

**Hurricane Max** – Travelled keenly between the 1000m and 800m. Passing the 800m improved onto the heels of *Lovespeed Girl* before clipping that runner's heels and blundering. Apprentice Ms O. Pickering (*Hurricane Max*) was referred to the apprentice

riders advisory panel for advice on how to better restrain her mounts in similar circumstances. Travelled keenly in the middle stages.

**Lucap (NZ)** – Slow to begin.

**Pierino** – Raced wide, with cover, throughout the early and middle stages.

**Secret Conquest** – Bumped near the 1200m.

**Tis Toby** – When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding jockey L. Rolls stated that his mount failed to travel strongly throughout the early and middle stages. L. Rolls stated his mount did not sprint strongly, under its heavy weight impost, down the straight and in his opinion raced like a tired horse.

**Wonderful Thing** – Slow to begin. Steadied after improving onto heels passing the 700m.

**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	Rider ( <b>Horse</b> )	Additional Strikes
2	Ms J. Worley ( <b>Phil's Dream</b> )	3
	Ms K. Stanley ( <b>Red Intuition (NZ)</b> )	1
	Ms B. Hodder ( <b>King Farouk</b> )	2
5	L. Rolls ( <b>Bay of Dragons</b> )	1

Swab samples were taken from all winners.

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>Fines:</b>	Race 3: W. Lawson – \$100 (LR35) Race 4: Ms M. Brosnan - \$100 (LR35) Race 4: S. Bennett - \$100 (LR35) Race 6: A. Kehoe - \$100 (LR35)
<b>Reprimands:</b>	Nil
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race 1: R. Spokes 11/8/20 -18/8/20 (AR131(b)) Race 4: Ms E. Atkinson 11/8/20 -19/8/20 (AR131(a))
<b>Bleeders:</b>	Nil
<b>Warnings:</b>	Nil
<b>Trials:</b>	Race 2: <b>Brigatine Bar (NZ)</b> – uncompetitive Race 2: <b>Just One Minute</b> - uncompetitive
<b>Certificates:</b>	Race 5: <b>Crackview</b> – injury to off hind fetlock
<b>Fall/Injuries:</b>	Nil
<b>Tactics Notified:</b>	Race 6: <b>Chantilly Chateau</b> – to settle further forward, settled worse than midfield

	Race 6: <b>Barefoot Tycoon</b> – to settle further forward, settled handy
<b>Follow up:</b>	Race 3: <b>Hoke's Run</b> - interference