

## STEWARDS REPORT

### Bathurst Turf Club Bathurst RACECOURSE

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2018

Weather: Fine  
Track: Good (4)  
Rail: True.  
Penetrometer: Nil

**STEWARDS:** *T.W. Smith (Chairman), C.K. McIntosh, C.N. Pringle*

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#### **Race 1: PROGRAMMWS PROPERTY SERVICES MAIDEN HANDICAP 1280m:**

**Kenneth** – Reared as the start was effected and lost ground (2L).

**Ready's Best** – Began awkwardly.

#### **Race 2: KITCHENS AND CABINETS COUNTRY CLASS 2 PLATE 1000m**

**Great Shine** – Slow to begin.

**Taldora Miss** – Stewards permitted R Freeman-Key to replace M Squires (unavailable) as the rider of the mare.

**Gaze Beyond** – Was declared a late scratching at 2:42pm by order of the stewards, acting on veterinary advice after becoming fractious in the barriers and after getting out of the barriers then escaped the course. Stewards subsequently ordered all monies wagered on *Gaze Beyond* be refunded in full and all successful wagers placed with bookmakers prior to 2:42pm be subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

*First: Helsonic less 5 cents win and 3 cents place;*

*Second: Taldora Miss less 10 cents place;*

*Third: Harrietta less 12 cents place.*

A post race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities. Trainer R McCabe was advised the mare would be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of the stewards prior to racing again.

**Qadira** – Was declared a late scratching at 2:44pm by order of the stewards, acting on veterinary advice after being kicked by the fractious *Gaze Beyond* which was in the barrier next to the filly. Stewards subsequently ordered all monies wagered on *Qadira* be refunded in full and all successful wagers placed with bookmakers prior to 2:44pm be subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

*First: Helsonic less 0 cents win and 1 cents place;*

*Second: Taldora Miss less 2 cents place;*

*Third: Harrietta less 3 cents place.*

A post race veterinary examination revealed abrasion to the chest and lacerations to the off hind cannon.

#### **Race 3: ORANGE VET HOSTIPAL MAIDEN PLATE 1400m**

**Leap Of Legend** – Slow to begin.

**Hollywood Rose** – Trainer G Englebrecht was fined the sum of \$100 under LR35(2) for failing to declare a rider by the prescribe time. Near the 100m laid out and bumped with *Sugar Lane*.

**Oakwood Lady** – Near the 800m laid in and bumped *Attilius* resulting in both horses becoming unbalanced.

**Race 4: BROADLEY & HAYDON CLASS 3 HANDICAP 1600m**

**Good Verdict** – Slow to begin. Near the 300m the padding underneath the near hind bandage worked loose in the running. A post race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have lacerations to the off side hock. Trainer C Weeding advised the gelding will now be spelled.

**Blue Fiasco** – Laid out under pressure in the straight.

**Recital** – Near the 1200m shifted out abruptly when being restrained and hampered *Good Verdict* which was checked.

**Pretty 'N' Perfect** – Late scratching at 1.19pm by order of the stewards acting on veterinary advice due to the mare being injured en route to the course.

**Race 5: TRAIN 365 CLASS 1 HANDICAP 1400m**

**Dexluther** – Began awkwardly and shifted in crowding *Dalico Gold* and *Queen Isla*.

**More Ransom** – Near the 800m was checked when crowded by *Triplicate*, which shifted in and away from *Snappy Diamond*.

**Snappy Diamond** – Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**Triplicate** – Laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider M Cahill was reprimanded under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using the whip on 9 occasions prior to the 100m.

**Race 6: Bathurst RSL Club Benchmark 58 Handicap 1200m**

**Undaof** – Overraced in the early stages and near the 800m hung out and was checked away from the heels of *Treasured Art*. Hung out rounding the home turn.

**Mr Casson** – Overraced in the early stages.

**Zatigeroo** – Slow to begin.

**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):*

<b>Race 5</b>	<i>R Brewer</i>	<i>8 strikes prior to the 100m.</i>
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*Bearing in mind the totality of whip use, no action was taken*

**General:**

A Skerritt was reprimanded under AR92(10) failing to hand in her apprentice winning ride book prior to her first ride on the day.

Samples were obtained from **all** winners.

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race 3: Trainer G Englebrecht - \$100 – LR35(2)</b>
<b>Reprimands:</b>	<b>General – A Skerritt – AR92(10) Race 5: M Cahill – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)</b>
<b>Suspensions:</b>	<b>Nil</b>
<b>Bleeders:</b>	<b>Nil</b>
<b>Certificates:</b>	<b>Nil</b>

<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Nil</b>
<b>Trials:</b>	<b>Race 2: Gaze Beyond – Fractious in Barriers</b>
<b>Change of tactics:</b>	<b>Nil</b>
<b>Falls/Injuries:</b>	<b>Nil</b>
<b>Gear Changes:</b>	<b>Nil</b>
<b>Follow up:</b>	<b>Nil</b>