

## STEWARDS REPORT

### Ballina Jockey Club BALLINA RACECOURSE

Wednesday 26 December 2018

Weather: Fine  
Track: Good (4)  
Rail: +3m 1000m – 250m, true remainder

**STEWARDS:** M. A. Holloway (Chairman) & F. C. Worrad

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### SUPPLEMENTARY STEWARDS REPORT

**Nambucca Jockey Club, BOWRAVILLE RACECOURSE, Saturday 22 September 2018**

#### **RACE 5: Maiden Plate 1370m:**

**Poyfection** – Began awkwardly. Near the 450m blundered, commenced to shorten stride and dislodged its rider, apprentice K. Wilson-Taylor. A post race veterinary examination of the gelding revealed it to have a compound fracture of the off fore cannon. **Poyfection** was humanely euthanased. A post mortem examination confirmed a compound fracture of the cannon bone, fractures of the sesamoid bones and a traumatic rupture of the suspensory apparatus in the off fore leg. Evidence was taken from trainer Mrs C. Inwood, apprentice K. Wilson-Taylor, trackwork rider Mr J. Riley, veterinarians Dr A. Boland and Dr E. Packer and Racing NSW official veterinarian Dr T. Koenig. Mrs Inwood provided the veterinary and treatment records for the gelding. After considering all evidence stewards established that on Saturday 25 August 2018 **Poyfection** was a late scratching at the Kempsey race meeting when found to be mildly lame (1/5) in the off fore leg. **Poyfection** was assessed by Mrs Inwood's stable veterinarian on Wednesday 29 August 2018 who confirmed mild lameness (1/5) in the off fore and off hind legs. **Poyfection** was re assessed by Mrs Inwood's stable veterinarian on 12 September 2018 and found to be fit to race. Mrs Inwoods stable veterinarian again attended **Poyfection** on 17 September 2018. As the stewards were satisfied that Mrs Inwood had fulfilled her obligations as a licensed trainer, in ascertaining the suitability of **Poyfection** to race by obtaining professional veterinary advice, no further action was taken.

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**General:** Trainer Mr S. Lee pleaded guilty to a breach of AR80E(1) in that on the morning of Wednesday 17 October 2018 he did have on his stable premises three substances that were not registered in accordance with the relevant State and Commonwealth legislation. Mr Lee was fined \$300. In assessing penalty stewards

accepted that two of the products were for use on two horses, no longer racing, in an effort to treat serious ailments after traditional veterinary medicines had been exhausted. Further, neither product contained prohibited substances. Stewards also accepted that the third product was a wormer readily available in a registered format.

Mr S. Lee pleaded guilty to a breach of LR39(4)(b) in that on the morning of Wednesday 17 October 2018 he had not immediately lodged a stable return to detail a change in location of horses in his care. Mr Lee was fined \$400.

### **RACE 1: Benchmark 50 Handicap 1260m:**

**Carrs Creek Kid** – Near the 200m was obliged to ease in around heels to continue to improve.

**Myboycellito** – Overraced in the early stages.

**Redwolf** – Approaching the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to improve until shortly after straightening. Laid in over the concluding stages.

**Tudor Sunrise** – Unable to improve rounding the home turn when held up on heels.

**Voanaba** – Blundered on jumping. Laid in at the entrance to the straight.

**With Every Bound** – Inclined to pull in the early and middle stages.

**Yeah the Boys** – Raced wide from the 800m.

### **RACE 2: Maiden Plate 1310m:**

**Bella's Shadow** – Bumped approaching the home turn. Momentarily tightened for room near the 150m. A post race veterinary examination of the mare revealed it had bled from both nostrils for the second time. Trainer Mr D. Scanes was advised that the mare is banned from racing (AR53A).

**Efferous** – Blundered rounding the first turn. Passing the 500m became held up on heels and was unable to improve until the entrance to the straight.

**Family Values** – Apprentice Ms O. Pickering advised that approaching the 200m her saddle slipped to the near side and she was unable to place her mount under pressure for the remainder of the event. Ms Pickering added her mount laid in during this period.

**Our Blanc Canvas (NZ)** – Raced wide in the early and middle stages. Bumped and unbalanced approaching the home turn.

**Royal George** – Slow to begin and steadied when tightened between runners shortly after. Shifted out abruptly at the entrance to the straight.

**Smooth Factor** – Bumped on jumping. Unbalanced when buffeted between runners approaching the home turn.

**RACE 3: Maiden Plate 1010m:**

**Call Me Ready** – Began awkwardly and was hampered shortly after losing ground (~3L). Laid out under pressure between the entrance to the straight and the 100m.

**Dragon's Esprit** – When questioned regarding his failure to ride his mount out right to the finish line jockey L. Rolls stated that near the 100m his mount commenced to weaken and not hold a straight line. L. Rolls stated that his mounts action continued to deteriorate and it changed stride approaching the finish line. L. Rolls stated appreciating the manner in which his mount commenced to weaken from the 100m and its deteriorating action he desisted from riding it along over the final strides as he thought something was amiss. L. Rolls added his mount pulled up quickly after the winning post. L. Rolls explanation was accepted. A post race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality. Trainer Ms A. Graham advised that the gelding would be retired.

**Honey Dikken** – Blundered on jumping.

**Maquina Voladora** – Apprentice Ms L. Kilner reported that her mount began awkwardly and consequently she lost her iron. Ms Kilner stated that her mount lost ground whilst she regathered it (~4L).

**Saraden** – Jockey Ms L. Cheshire reported that en route to the barriers her mount threw its head back and struck her in the jaw, loosening a filling in her tooth.

**Sideshow AI** – Approaching the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to improve until easing in across heels rounding the home turn.

**Toogoolawah Trump** – Began awkwardly and was hampered shortly after.

**RACE 4: Class 2 Handicap 1010m**

**Burning Success** – Laid out under pressure down the straight.

**El Teniente** – Blundered on jumping. Laid out rounding the home turn.

**General Nelson** – Pulled in the early stages.

**Mr de Niro** - Bumped shortly after the start. Laid out approaching and rounding the home turn.

**Sister Bertrille** – Bumped shortly after the start. Laid out rounding the home turn. Hampered near the 100m. Unable to be fully tested from this point to the finish line when held up on heels.

**Tarlee Lane** – Raced wide in the early and middle stages. Carried wide rounding the home turn.

**Tell Everybody** - Raced very wide in the early and middle stages. Carried wide rounding the home turn. Shifted in over the final 200m.

#### **RACE 5: Benchmark 58 Handicap 1410m**

**Blazing Cheers** – Bumped near the 200m.

**Destiny's General** – Slow to begin.

**Golden Lily** – Declared a late scratching at 9.34am after the mare became cast in its stable and was found to have swelling to the near fore pastern. Trainer Ms M. Brosnan was advised that the mare requires a veterinary certificate of fitness prior to its next race start.

**Kingaroy** – Approaching the home turn became held up on heels and was unable to improve until shortly after straightening.

**Pajados** – Bumped and unbalanced near the 200m.

#### **RACE 6: Class 1 Handicap 1410m:**

**Amuthon** – Slow to begin. Checked after improving onto heels rounding the first turn. OVERRACED from this point to the 900m. Tightened for room passing the 100m.

**Commissioner** – Slow to begin (2L). Raced wide from the 700m. Shifted in under pressure down the straight.

**Glenturret** – Blundered shortly after the start. Raced wide in the early and middle stages. Laid in at the entrance to the straight.

**Homeland Security** – Approaching the home turn was steadied when bumped out across the heels of *Stormy Leo* which laid in at that point.

**Miss Honeyflow** – Slow to begin (2L).

**Shinar** - Raced wide in the early and middle stages.

**Spanish Hurricane** – Slow to begin. Eased from heels approaching and passing the 400m. Laid out rounding the home turn.

**Stormy Leo** – Raced wide in the early and middle stages.

**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
5	Ms O. Pickering ( <b>Blazing Cheers</b> )	1
6	Ms F. Jervis ( <b>Reset's Son</b> )	1

Swab samples were taken from all winners, **Yeah the Boys** and **Honey Dikken**.

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>Fines:</b>	General: S. Lee - \$300 (AR80E) General: S. Lee - \$400 (LR39(4)(b))
<b>Reprimands:</b>	Nil
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil
<b>Bleeders:</b>	Race 2: <b>Bella's Shadow</b> – bled 2 <sup>nd</sup> time (AR53A)
<b>Warnings:</b>	Nil
<b>Trials:</b>	Nil
<b>Certificates:</b>	Race 5: <b>Golden Lily</b> – swelling to near fore pastern
<b>Fall/Injuries:</b>	Nil
<b>Tactics Notified:</b>	Nil
<b>Follow up:</b>	Nil