

STEWARDS REPORT

ALICE SPRINGS TURF CLUB SUNDAY 27TH JANUARY 2013

TRACK: GOOD

WEATHER: FINE

STEWARDS: D WESTOVER (CHAIRMAN), M HURLEY B LYSAGHT, J ASH

OFFICIALS: A MARSH

VETERINARIAN: D MECWAN

SWABBING ATTENDANT: A GRAAFF

NUMBER OF RACES: 5

NUMBER OF RUNNERS: 35

STAKES PAID: \$45,050

TROBIS PAID: \$7,000

RACE 1 0-70 HANDICAP 1100 METRES:

On jumping, RETURN TO (C Moon) was tightened momentarily between runners whilst EMPEROR OF THE SUN (C Johnson) and ON THE HUSSLE (K Connor) made contact.

PRINCESS ZIETTA (B Hoppo) was inclined to lay out from about the 700 metres.

As K Gladwin was indisposed stewards ordered the following rider changes:

Race 1 TWICE BORN – B Huppertz

Race 3 MEGA MISS – M Tyndall

Race 5 LORD BANNER – J Cameron

When arriving on course to fulfil his riding engagements, K Gladwin was breath tested for alcohol. The reading of the breath test using a breath analyser was .025.

Acting under AR81A(2), stewards stood down K Gladwin for all of his riding engagements for the day.

K Gladwin was subsequently found guilty of a charge under AR81A in that he presented himself to fulfil his riding engagements for today's meeting and a breath analyser test indicated the presence of a banned substance as declared under AR81B, namely alcohol as indicated by the breath analyser reading of .025.

K Gladwin was fined the sum of \$500.

1ST TWICE BORN 2ND LUCERNE VALE 3RD ONTHEHUSSLE

RACE 2 CLASS B HANDICAP (1) 1200 METRES:

RUNNING ON FAITH was a late scratching from this event at 3:45 after K Gladwin became indisposed and no other rider was available on course.

As betting had not commenced at scratching time there were no deductions to be announced.

GOLDEN FELIX (C Johnson) was slow into stride.

1ST MISS PERFORMER 2ND ROCKET BROTHER 3RD KANGXI

RACE 3 CLASS B HANDICAP (2) 1200 METRE:

As the gates opened, MEGA MISS (M Tydall) knuckled slightly whilst VIVA LA RANGA (B Huppertz) stood flat footed and lost some ground.

On jumping, FUZZY ANGEL (B Hoppo) jumped outwards bumping EDDY'S ACE (K Connor).

VIVA LA RANGA (B Huppertz) raced wide through out with no cover.

MEGA MISS was inclined to roll out under pressure down the length of the straight.

C Moon rider of SKYSTAR was found guilty of a breach of AR.137A(5)(a)(ii).

The details being that prior to the 100 metres he used his whip in the fore-hand manner on 8 occasions.

Stewards acting under AR.196(2) ordered that C Moon forfeit his riding fee in relation to this event.

1ST MEGA MISS 2ND SKYSTAR 3RD FAYEZEE

RACE 4 0-64 HANDICAP 1200 METRES:

RAGTRADER was a late scratching from this event at 3:45 after K Gladwin became indisposed and no other rider was available on course.

As betting had not commenced at scratching time there were no deductions to be announced.

As the gates opened, both CLYNE (K Connor) and STORMY REBEL (C Johnson) were a little slow into stride.

Both CLYNE and STORMY REBEL raced wide rounding the home turn.

Subsequent to this event Mr B Coleman was fined \$100 for failing to amend his stable return for his runner TAKEN IT EASY when particulars from the previous stable return had changed in regards to the gelding not wearing blinkers (AR.54(4)).

Mr Coleman was found guilty of a charge under AR.160B(2) in that he was observed by the stewards using his mobile phone in the scales area whilst betting was taking place.

Mr Coleman was fined the sum of \$300 and notified of his right of appeal.

1ST SPINNING APPLE 2ND TAKEN IT EASY 3RD CLYNE

RACE 5 0-58 HANDICAP 1000 METRES:

As the gates opened LORD BANNER (J Cameron) was slow into stride whilst SWOOP AND DESTROY (C Moon) knuckled slightly.

About the 400 metres, INDEE'S HOPE (K Connor) which was racing forward along the fence had to ease off the heels of LORD BANNER.

On straightening, INDEE'S HOPE bumped with ZILCH (B Huppertz) on its outside. INDEE'S HOPE cast its off-side hind plate during the event.

Mr Coleman, trainer of SWOOP AND DESTROY was reminded of his obligations under AR.59A(1) after he failed to produce a Thoroughbred Identification Card when required by the stewards.

1ST COUNTER CLAIM 2ND INDEE'S HOPE 3RD ZILCH

Post-race samples were taken from all winners.

All riders were breath tested for alcohol.

SUMMARY

SUSPENSIONS:	Nil
FINES:	K Gladwin \$500 Race 4 B Coleman \$100, \$300
FORFEIT RIDING FEE:	Race 3 C Moon
REPRIMANDS:	Nil
EMBARGO'S:	Nil
VETERINARY CERTIFICATE:	Nil