

## STEWARDS REPORT

ALICE SPRINGS TURF CLUB SUNDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2013

TRACK: GOOD

WEATHER: FINE

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

OFFICIALS:

VETERINARIAN: D MECWAN

SWABBING ATTENDANT: A GRAAFF

NUMBER OF RACES: 5

NUMBER OF RUNNERS: 36

STAKES PAID: \$47,450

TROBIS PAID: NIL

### RACE 1 0-64 HANDICAP 1200 METRES:

As the gates opened, DESTIANA (B Hoppo) knuckled slightly and as a result bumped with RUNNING ON FAITH (K Manoukian) on its outside.

RAGTRADER (K Gladwin) raced a little wide.

RUNNING ON FAITH began to shift out under pressure from about the 200 metres.

On weighing in, K Connor the rider of the third place-getter CLYNE, lodged an objection against RUNNING ON FAITH ridden by K Manoukian being declared the second place-getter alleging interference at about the 200 metre mark.

After taking evidence from all parties and viewing the stewards patrol footage, stewards dismissed the protest and ordered that all placing's stand.

1<sup>ST</sup> DANCINGONTHEPEAK    2<sup>ND</sup> RUNNING ON FAITH    3<sup>RD</sup> CLYNE

### RACE 2 0-72 HANDICAP 1100 METRES:

As the gates opened, CATCH AS CATCH CAN (K Manoukian) jumped a little awkward. About the 250 metre mark, DISC JOCKEY (K Connor) had to ease out around CATCH AS CATCH CAN after that gelding rolled in slightly.

On weighing in K Connor the rider of the third place-getter DISC JOCKEY lodged an objection against CATCH AS CATCH CAN ridden by K Manoukian being declared the second place-getter alleging interference at the top of the straight.

After taking evidence from all parties and viewing the stewards patrol footage, stewards dismissed the protest and ordered that all placing's stand.

Subsequent to the protest, stewards found K Connor guilty of a charge under AR.165(3) after stewards deemed the objection to be frivolous.

K Connor was fined the sum of \$100.

Stewards advised K Manoukian that he must in future make a greater effort to keep his mounts straight when endeavouring to push his mounts to the finish line.

1<sup>ST</sup> LUCERNE VALE    2<sup>ND</sup> CATCH AS CATCH CAN    3<sup>RD</sup> DISC JOCKEY

RACE 3 MAIDEN PLATE 1100 METRE:

As the gates opened, REGULUS BLACK (P Johnson) which was fractious in the barriers was slow into stride.

Shortly after jumping, KANGXI (J Cameron) dipped slightly.

GOLDEN FELIX (M Tyndall) was caught wide throughout.

Approaching the 600 metres, REGULUS BLACK (P Johnson) began to hang out causing its rider difficulties in controlling the gelding rounding the home turn.

Subsequent to this event, Ms M Bell fore-woman for V Oldfield was advised by stewards that prior to that gelding again starting in a race, it must barrier trial in a tractable fashion and must show no signs of hanging out.

1<sup>ST</sup> ROCKET BROTHER    2<sup>ND</sup> BRITISH BULLDOG    3<sup>RD</sup> HILLBILLY RICH

RACE 4 0-70 HANDICAP 1000 METRES:

As the gates opened, JOKEN JIM (K Connor) jumped a little awkward. Approaching the 600 metres TWICE BORN (K Gladwin) and HAPPY HA HA (B Hoppo) made contact.

1<sup>ST</sup> PRINCESS ZIETTA          2<sup>ND</sup> CONCINI          3<sup>RD</sup> TWICE BORN

RACE 5 0-58 HANDICAP 1400 METRES:

As the gates opened, NOTHING BY HALF (K Gladwin) bumped with FAYEZEE (C Johnson) on its outside whilst STORMY REBEL (M Tyndall) and TAKEN IT EASY (J Cameron) made contact.

EMPEROR OF THE SUN (K Connor) was ridden hard in the early stages of the event. NOTHING BY HALF raced wide throughout.

J Cameron was fined \$50 for failing to conform to ASTC policy by riding track work without a high visibility vest on prior to 7:30.

Post-race samples were taken from all winners.

Pre-race samples were taken from Race 5; MR JANSZ, SKYSTAR

All riders were breath tested for alcohol.

SUMMARY

SUSPENSIONS:

Nil

FINES:

K Connor \$100

FORFEIT RIDING FEE:	Nil
REPRIMANDS:	Nil
EMBARGO'S:	REGULUS BLACK
VETERINARY CERTIFICATE:	Nil