

STEWARDS REPORT

ALICE SPRINGS TURF CLUB SUNDAY 19TH FEBRUARY 2012

TRACK: GOOD

WEATHER: FINE

STEWARDS: D WESTOVER (CHAIRMAN), M HURLEY, M CAMPION, B LYSAGHT, A WILLIAMS

OFFICIAL: J ASH, O COLBRAN

VETERINARIAN: D MCEWEN

SWABBING ATTENDANT: M PRENDERGAST

NUMBER OF RACES: 6

NUMBER OF RUNNERS: 35

STAKES PAID: \$ 55,300

TROBIS PAID: \$5,000

SCRATCHINGS: R1; SWINGIN AMOUR

RIDER CHANGES: ; NIL

RACE 1 3YO MAIDEN PLATE 1200 METRES: As the gates opened, DESERT VIPER (C Spry) jumped away awkwardly and commenced to race greenly in the early stages of the event. Shortly after jumping, JON'S BREAK (M Hart) attempted to buck and was uncompetitive throughout the event.

Trainer of JON'S BREAK Mrs. E Wehr was advised by stewards that a warning had been placed on her runner and that a similar occurrence may result in some action being taken.

Mrs. Wehr was further advised that the stewards had reason to doubt that gelding's ability to be competitive given its performance today and in its previous starts and would expect to see some improvement soon before also considering any action in regards to its wellbeing.

1ST PRIVATE DOWNS: K GLADWIN

2ND MINNIE TIZ: B CARLILE (A)

3RD DESERT VIPER: M HART

RACE 2 SPECIAL CONDITIONS HANDICAP 1200METRES: As the gates opened, ALPHA GOLD (K Gladwin) dipped slightly whilst BANDIT COUNTRY (C Moon) was slow into stride.

1ST DIESELFUEL: M HART

2ND KAPPA: C SPRY

3RD CULLENARY DELIGHT: K MANOUKIAN (A)

RACE 3 0-64 (DIV 1) HANDICAP 1100 METRES: As the gates opened, AMALFI LAD (C Moon) was slow into stride.

Subsequent to this event C Spry rider of ROUND SATURN was found guilty of a charge under AR.137(a) for careless riding.

The specifics of the charge being that approaching the 900 metre's he permitted his mount to shift in when not sufficiently clear of GENERAL CLAUDIA (S Evans) causing that rider to take hold and being

taken in onto I CAN DO IT (K Adams) which in turn was taken in onto JOKEN JIM (K Gladwin) who subsequently lost his position and HARREB'S LUCK (B Carlile) on its inside which was severely hampered. C Spry had his licence to ride in races suspended from midnight the 19th February up until and including the 4th March 2012 (2 meetings).
C Spry was notified of his right of appeal.

- 1ST AMALFI LAD: C MOON**
- 2ND I CAN DO IT: K ADAMS (A)**
- 3RD JOKEN JIM: K GLADWIN**

RACE 4 0-64 (DIV 2) HANDICAP 1100 METRES: As the gates opened, ENERGIZED (B Carlile) was a little slow into stride.
On jumping away MOMENT BY MOMENT (S Evans) began a little awkwardly bumping WORK THE BODY (C Moon) on its inside.
About the 550 metre, ENERGIZED had to steady momentarily as WORK THE BODY racing forward rolled in slightly.

- 1ST WORK THE BODY: C MOON**
- 2ND ENERGIZED: B CARLILE (A)**
- 3RD MOMENT BY MOMENT: S EVANS**

RACE 5 CLASS B HANDICAP 1400 METRES: As the gates opened, SING THAT SONG (C Moon) and I SAID YES (K Manoukian) made contact whilst STORMY REBEL (K Adams) and HODGE (M Hart) bumped.
On jumping M Hart rider of HODGE lost his offside iron.

- 1ST I SAID YES: K MANOUKIAN (A)**
- 2ND STORMY REBEL: K ADAMS (A)**
- 3RD SACRED MUSIC: S EVANS**

RACE 6 0-70 HANDICAP 1400 METRES: At the top of the straight GALA GUZZLER (C Moon) and EMPEROR OF THE SUN (K Adams) bumped on several occasions.
NOTFORGIVEN (S Evans) raced wide without cover through out the event.

- 1ST EMPEROR OF THE SUN: K ADAMS (A)**
- 2ND CURRENCY TRADER: B CARLILE (A)**
- 3RD DAMASCENE: K MANOUKIAN (A)**

Post-race samples were taken from all winners
Pre-race samples were taken from Race 5; HODGE
Race 6; NOTFORGIVEN

