

## STEWARDS REPORT

### ALICE SPRINGS TURF CLUB

SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2015

Weather: Fine

Track: Good

Rail: True

Stewards: D Westover (Chairman), M Hurley, B Lysaght, T Bell

Deputy Steward:

Veterinarian: Alice Veterinary Centre

Number of Races: 6

Number of Runners: 48

Stakes Paid: \$65,000

#### **Race 1 Periduki Handicap 1200 metres**

**DANGER MOUSE** (R Vigar) – Was declared a late scratching on Veterinary advice at 1:10 after injuring itself enroute to the race-course. As betting had not yet commenced on this event there were no deductions applicable. Trainer Mrs L Lefoe was advised that she must present a veterinary certificate of soundness for the mare prior to racing or trialling again.

**SWEENEYS LANE** (K Connor) – Commenced awkwardly.

**ADYNATA** (S Westover) – Crowded for room on jumping. Rider reported that the gelding felt short in its action. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed that the gelding was lame in its near fore leg. Trainer Mr G. Cooke was advised that he must present a veterinary certificate of soundness prior to racing or trialling again.

**KING CRUSADER** (D Pisani) – Inclined to lay out rounding the home turn.

**BARELY A BEAT** (F Bergstrand) – Steadied off heels when taken in by another runner at the 800m.

#### **Race 2: The Soldier Maiden Plate 1200 metres**

**CHIEF SITTING BULL** (K Manoukian) – Commenced awkwardly.

**IMPERIAL DYNASTY** (K Connor) – Raced wide throughout.

**WINDSOR SPIRIT** (S Westover) – Rolled in at the 800m.

**FLYING TORMENTA** (R Vigar) – Raced wide rounding the home turn and in the home straight.

**YES MA'AM** (J Cameron) – Crowded for room in between runners whilst racing forward at the 800m and had to be steadied.

**General:** Stewards intend to inquire into jockey P Denton's riding of SAND OF THE HOUR over the concluding stages of this event at a time and date to be fixed.

#### **Race 3: Dry'N'Sober Handicap 1200 metres**

**CONCINI** (D Pisani) – Bumped at the start.

**NOEL'S DREAM** (K Gladwin) - Bumped at the start.

**CLANGGAJANG** (S Rowley) - Bumped at the start.

**GUN RULE** (B Davis) - Bumped at the start and steadied off heels at the 700m.  
**SPARKLING SKY** (F Bergstrand) – Knuckled on jumping.

#### **Race 4: Doright Handicap 1100 metres**

**BESA BOLA** (K Connor) – Commenced awkwardly.  
**MOONSMOKE** (K Gladwin) – Following the unplaced performance a post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.  
**RAINBOW REFLECTION** (M Tyndall) – Commenced slow into stride.

#### **Race 5: Pioneer Prince 2YO Plate 1000 metres**

**DOON BUGGY** (B Davis) – Inclined to roll inwards down the straight.  
**HARD TEA** (D Pisani) – Knuckled shortly after jumping resulting in its rider being dislodged. After being recaptured a veterinary examination revealed mild soreness in the near fore. Trainer Mrs L Gillett was advised that she must present a veterinary certificate of soundness for the filly prior to racing or trialling again.

#### **Race 6: Easter Handicap 1600 metres**

**GENERAL EXPLORER** (R Vigar) – Rider dropped his whip at the 200m.

All riders were breath-tested for alcohol.  
Post-race samples were taken from all winners.  
Pre-race samples were taken from: ADJUSTER, KAYNO.

#### **Summary**

Fines – Nil  
Suspensions – Nil  
Embargos – DANGER MOUSE, ADYNATA, HARD TEA  
Reprimand – Nil  
Warnings – Nil