

STEWARDS REPORT

ALICE SPRINGS TURF CLUB SATURDAY 5TH MAY 2012

TRACK: GOOD

WEATHER: FINE

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

OFFICIAL: J ASH, O COLBRAN

VETERINARIAN: JAMIN FAREBROTHER

SWABBING ATTENDANT: E CROWLEY

NUMBER OF RACES: 7

NUMBER OF RUNNERS: 76

STAKES PAID: \$ 172,750

TROBIS PAID: \$ 5,000

SCRATCHINGS: R2; ARCTIC JEWEL, R3; CONCINI, DESERT FLARE, R5;
CRIMEA, WHOS HERE, HIGH PATROL, R6; MAX MAX, HIDDEN TEARS,
UNCLE ALEC.

RACE 1 3YO CLASS 6 HANDICAP 1200METRES:

As the gates opened DEFAMATORY (P Crich) was slow into stride whilst HARREB'S LUCK (A Nicholls) and PERFECT RENDITION (S Evans) made contact.

MISS PERFORMER (K Adams) layed out rounding the home turn.

HARREB'S LUCK was inclined to roll out under pressure from approx the 150 metres. TEHUTI (P Denton) raced wide through out with no cover.

1ST COMMAND RULER 2ND DEFAMATORY 3RD HARREBS LUCK

RACE 2 0-58 HANDICAP 1100 METRES:

As the gates opened AMALFI LAD (K Gladwin) was a little slow away.

On jumping away SALUTE THE GENERAL (L Hopwood) jumped awkwardly bumping PROVIDER (A Nicholls) on it's outside which also began a little awkwardly.

Rounding the home turn SALUTE THE GENERAL was inclined to lay out.

1st VALID 2ND GENARKA STAR 3RD AMALFI LAD

RACE 3 0 – 70 HANICAP 1100 METRES:

On jumping away SUNDAY PSALM (K Gladwin) and HOLDING THE FORT (P Crich) bumped.

PRINCESS ZIETTA was inclined to lay out through out the event

1ST SUNDAY PSALM 2ND ONTHEHUSSLE 3RD PRINCESS ZIETTA

RACE 4 0 - 64 HANDICAP 1200 METRES:

LIGHTNING SHOT was a late scratching from this event at 3.43 on veterinary advice after becoming unruly in the barriers and sustaining a laceration to it's right fore leg.

All monies invested on LIGHTNING SHOT withdrawn by order of the stewards on veterinary advice at 3:43 to be refunded.

Deductions applicable to the bets placed on the winner and place-getters prior to 3:43:-
For the winner 18 cents the win, 18 cents the place, for 2nd 18 cents, 3rd 17 cents.

As the gates opened both MISS ICELAND (T O'Donnell) and TWICE BORN (P Denton) were slow into stride.

Shortly after jumping I CAN DO IT (K Adams) and RETURN TO (B Cornell) made contact.

Mr L Paech trainer of LIGHTNING SHOT was advised a warning would be placed against that gelding for unruly behavior in the barriers.

Mr L Paech was further advised a satisfactory veterinary certificate must be produced prior to that gelding racing again.

Ms L Lefoe trainer of TWICE BORN was fined \$20 for the use of the Club's colours.

1ST AQUIA CREEK 2ND TWICE BORN 3RD WHO SHOT THE ANGEL

RACE 5 MAIDEN PLATE 1000 METRES:

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

MYLADY CAROL (M Evans) was inclined to roll out under pressure from about the 150 metres forcing BAROSSA CHOICE (K Gladwin) on it's outside to race wide.

Mr G Connor trainer of CALIGULA KID was fined \$200 for presenting that gelding with incorrect gear (AR 140 A).

1ST RAMPANT PRINCE 2ND MISS PARKER 3RD DASHING HARRY

RACE 6 0 - 58 HANDICAP 1400 METRES:

As the gates opened BAYLEY BIRDS (P Denton) jumped awkwardly bumping with CANGRANDE (C Spry) on it's inside which shifted out slightly.

ROCK THE DARK SIDE (C Moon) was eased out of the event at about the 1100 metres.

AGAINST THE DAY (M Evans) became momentarily unbalanced at approx the 250 metres when attempting a run along the inside of DAJI (A Nicholls).

Steward's questioned A Nicholls in regards to his use of the whip on DAJI over the final 200 metres. It was established that A Nicholls used his whip in a forehand manner 7 times prior to the 100 metres, 2 strokes being consecutive AR 137A(5)(a)(i)(ii).

It was also established that over the final 100 metres he used his whip in a forehand manner for a number of strides in an action which raised his arm above shoulder height AR 137A(4)(b).

Stewards reminded A Nicholls of his obligations in regards to his use of the whip and to ensure that in future he use his whip in a manner that is not open for question.

1ST AGAINST THE DAY 2ND DAJI 3RD BAYLEY BIRDS

RACE 7 PIONEER SPRINT 1200 METRES:

As the gates opened both AWE AND WONDER (C Moon) and PIONEER PRINCE (M Evans) were slow into stride.

DIESELFUEL (M Hart) also began slowly.

Approaching the 1000 metres PIONEER PRINCE (M Evans) had to take hold and check his mount after being bumped into the fence by outside runners.

Stewards questioned riders:

M Evans	PIONEER PRINCE
C Spry	HIDDEN SURPRISE
M Hart	DIESELFUEL
B Cornell	OUTSTANDINGLY
P Denton	FAR HORIZONS

After taking evidence from all riders, stewards were of the view that there was a slight shift from all outside runners causing PIONEER PRINCE who was racing forward along the fence to be tightened. As no one rider was fully responsible, stewards took no

further action other than to advise all riders to be mindful of all runners around them when riding for speed.

1ST DREAM FACE 2ND OUTSTANDINGLY 3RD JUSTIFY THAT

Swab samples were taken from all winners.

SUMMARY

SUSPENSIONS: Nil

FINES: Race 4; L Lefoe \$20 NT121
 Race 5; G Connor \$200 AR140A

FORFEIT RIDING FEE: Nil

REPRIMANDS: Nil

EMBARGO'S: Nil

VETERINARY CERTIFICATE: Nil