

DARWIN TURF CLUB
Wednesday 18th July 2012

Track: Good

Penetrometer: n/a

Weather: Fine

Rail: True Position

Stewards: L Twomey (Chairman), L A Lane, R Merritt, J Hamilton (OAM), J Lattenstein, D Merritt

Howard Springs Veterinary Clinic

Number of Races: 7

Number of Runners:76

Stakes Paid: \$169,000

Race 1 – 0 - 58 HCP - 1600 metres:

On jumping away JUST TOO COOL shifted out onto ETTORE.

Subsequent to the event the Club's veterinary surgeon inspected AMALFI LAD which performed poorly and reported that the gelding was suffering from mild respiratory distress.

Ms C Jeffery trainer of AGASHA was fined \$100 for the late declaration of M Evans as the rider of that gelding (NT129).

1st THE TINKER 2nd THE SAILOR 3rd MEET BARNEY

Race 2 – 0 -58 HCP - 1300 metres:

On jumping away STIRRUP CUP jumped out onto SCRUBLANDS.

Shortly after jumping SHEDLEY and WHO SHOT THE ANGEL came together, WHO SHOT THE ANGEL then shifted out further causing SHEDLEY out onto PROPORTIONATE.

1st SCRUBLANDS 2nd SHEDLEY 3rd RIVER OF GLORY

Race 3 – 0 - 64 HCP - 1100 metres:

After being placed in the barriers ACTION AGAIN reared dislodging it's rider and getting it's foreleg over the front gates. ACTION AGAIN was inspected by the Club's veterinary surgeon and declared unfit to start. Acting on this advice stewards ordered the withdrawal of ACTION AGAIN at 2.57pm.

Stewards ordered all monies wagered on ACTION AGAIN to be refunded and all monies wagered on the event prior to the withdrawal of ACTION AGAIN to be paid as follows:-

Deductions	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Win	17c		
Place	12c	13c	15c

When the gates opened UPHEBOBS jumped awkwardly and lost some ground.

On jumping away PAPER CUT jumped out onto HAWK HUNTER.

Shortly after the start HIGHTOU shifted out and bumped RIPLEY GLEN.

At approximately the 600 metres Ms A Brown rider of HIERARCHY was forced to ease to avoid the heels of DISPLAY which rolled in rounding the turn.

RIPLEY GLEN raced wide without cover throughout the event.

Mr J Stanton trainer of RIPLEY GLEN was fined \$100 for the late declaration of S Ridler as the rider of that gelding (NT129).

1st PAPER CUT 2nd COSMIC VISION 3rd HAWK HUNTER

Race 4 – 3 YO CLASS 5 HCP – 1100 metres:

Shortly after the start ASHRIDGE shifted in onto ZILCH taking that filly in onto MAI MAN NGUA and it in across the heels of BREAK POINT on the inside.

Approaching the 650 metres BREAK POINT which was racing on the outside of MAI MAN NGUA rolled in slightly causing C Spry rider of MAI MAN NGUA to take hold on that filly.

Stewards accepted the explanation of Ms J Huish trainer of BALLADONIA in regard to the late declaration of the rider for that filly.

1st OUT OF ORBIT 2nd VALID 3rd BALLADONIA

Race 5 – ROSE BOWL F & M 0 - 70 HCP- 1300 metres:

Mr C Pollard trainer of ALANAS MATE was fined \$20 for the use of the Club's colours on that mare (NT 121).

Mr D Leech trainer of WELCOME RETURN and CANDY DANCE was fined the sum of \$200 for presenting both runners with incorrect gear (AR 140A).

1st CYCLONE SARAH 2nd GRASSY 3rd RAPT TO GOGO

Race 6 – BRIDGE TOYOTA CUP - 1600 metres:

BAYLEY BIRDS which jumped away awkwardly struck it's head on the side of the gate.

Subsequent to the event the Club's veterinary surgeon inspected ALPHA GOLD which performed poorly and reported that gelding was lame in it's off hind.

Mr K Rogerson trainer of ALPHA GOLD was advised that prior to the gelding racing again he must produce a satisfactory veterinary certificate in respect the gelding.

1st SHEAHAN 2nd IGLES STAR 3rd INDEED I AM

Race 7 – SPECIAL CONDITIONS HCP - 1300 metres:

Approaching the winning post B Hoppo rider of TEST THE SCENE which was laying in had to stop riding and straighten his mount.

Subsequent to the event the Club's veterinary surgeon inspected PICLESIA which performed poorly and reported she could find no apparent abnormalities.

1st BOLD LINE 2nd TEST THE SCENE 3rd FIRE Drake

Swab samples were taken from all winners.

Pre Race Swab Samples were taken from; Break Point, Uridashi, Samalidan, Alpha Gold, Bailey Birds.

Summary:

Suspensions:	Nil		
Fines:	Race 1	C Jeffery	\$100
	Race 3	J Stanton	\$100
	Race 5	C Pollard	\$20
		D Leech	\$200
Reprimands:	Nil		
Embargo's:	Nil		