

STEWARDS' REPORT

DARWIN TURF CLUB
SATURDAY 4th OCTOBER 2014

Weather: Fine

Track: Good

Rail: True Position

Stewards: D Hensler (Chairman), R Merritt, L Twomey, L Jackson, J Lattenstien, J Hamilton (Clerk of Scales),
Deputy Stewards: C Manley
Veterinary: Howard Springs Veterinary Clinic
Number of Races: 5
Number of Runners: 53
Stakes Paid: \$63,200

Race 1: Garden Parks Golf Course 0 – 58 Handicap 1100 metres

AZRAEL (C Lloyd) – Commenced awkwardly and lost ground

BLONDE (S Hillebrand) – Raced wide in running. Lay inwards leaving the 500m and got its head in the air when being corrected passing the 400m.

ANITKITA (F Bergstrand) – Slow to begin. Lay outwards from the 600m.

Race 2: Toxfree TROBIS 0 – 64 Handicap 1200 metres

ARRISED (W Davis) – Bumped at the start.

MINE CRAFT (M Tyndall) – Raced wide throughout.

HAMISH BOY (S Rowley) – Bumped at the start.

Race 3: Nightcliff Tigers Baseball 0 – 76 Handicap 1200 metres

STAY TIL DAWN (B Davis) – Reared over in the barriers and after undergoing a veterinary examination was declared a late withdrawal by order of the Stewards at 4.44pm.

Stewards ordered all monies wagered on STAY TIL DAWN to be refunded and all successful bets wagered on the event prior to the withdrawal to be paid as follows:-

Deductions	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Win	13c		
Place	10c	12c	12c

Trainer Mr G Clarke was advised that the gelding must barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing again.

POWLETT (V Arnott) – Underwent a veterinary examination at the barriers and was cleared to compete.

FRISKY ALBERT (R Oakford) – Bumped at the start.

DASH ABOUT (W Davis) – Bumped and crowded at the start. Shifted in and away from another runner and steadied passing the 900m. When questioned regarding the unplaced performance rider advised that the gelding had raced in a flat manner. A post race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormalities.

General: Following the event jockey B Davis took an apparent harmless fall when he was dislodged from STAY TIL DAWN whilst returning to the saddling enclosure.

Race 4: bet365 Class B Handicap 1300 metres

FLYING FILOU (F Bergstrand) – Veered inwards at the start losing ground.

CHRISTOPHERSON (A Brown) – Bumped at the start.

BOURSE (C Lloyd) – Bumped at the start. Lay outwards from the 800m.

BLACK BURBERRY (S Ridler) – Crowded between runners and steadied at the 1200m.

PIPER STREET (S Hillebrand) – Raced wide in running and lay outwards on straightening.

CLANGA'S KROO (M Tyndall) – Held tight and steadied near the 750m.

DUCISSA (P Crich) – Raced wide in the early stages and compounded from the 600m.

Race 5: Kwa's Last Hurrah 0 - 64 Handicap 1600 metres

SILENT GEE (S Hillebrand) – Following the unplaced performance trainer advised the gelding will now be sent for a spell.

THE TRAPPER (S Ridler) – Mistrode from heels at the start.

BRAEBURN PARK (W Davis) – Slow into stride. Raced wide throughout.

Summary fines:

Nil

General:

Post race swab samples were taken from all winners. Pre race samples were taken from SILENT GEE, SENIOR COUNCIL, SKY HOST and FULLY HECTIC BRO.

For David Hensler

NT Chairman of Stewards