

DARWIN TURF CLUB

Tuesday 6th November 2012

Track: Good

Penetrometer: n/a

Weather: Fine

Rail: True Position

Stewards: L Lane (Chairman), R Merritt , L Twomey, Ms J Lattenstein, A Williams

Deputy Steward: C Manley

Howard Springs Veterinary Clinic

Number of Races: 6

Number of Runners: 52

Stakes Paid: \$82,100

Race 1 – 0 - 64 HCP - 1600 metres:

Near the 200 metres JUST TOO COOL was disappointed for a clear run on the inside of THE SAILOR which rolled in.

Over the concluding stages MANNING was tightened for room by JUST TOO COOL which shifted out under pressure.

1st KIRKHAM 2nd THE SAILOR 3rd TEHUTI

Race 2 – CLASS B HCP - 1300 metres:

En route to the barriers P Crich rider of ROODEE was dislodged.

On arrival at the barriers ROODEE was examined by the Club's Veterinary surgeon and passed fit to run.

MISHI BIG BIRD shifted in abruptly on jumping away and hampered THE TINKER.

ROCKING MADICA stood flat footed when the gates opened and conceded some ground.

On jumping away MRS WOLFE which dwelt when the gates opened was tightened for room by EQUANIMITY.

Near the 250 metres THE TINKER had to be eased when disappointed for room when ROCKING MADICA shifted out.

1st EQUINAMITY 2nd MISHI BIG BIRD 3rd ROCKING MADICA

Race 3 – 0 – 58 HCP - 1200 metres:

The start of this event was re-scheduled to 3.12pm to avoid a clash with an interstate race.

CRACKALACKIN jumped awkwardly at the start and lost some ground.

On jumping away SMOOTH COUPEZ knuckled and lost some ground.

1st ALMADINE 2nd LIVELY LILLIE 3rd TIDALZONE

Race 4 – 0 - 70 HCP – 1200 metres:

THE CAT was slow into stride and RA IKANE jumped awkwardly when the gates opened.

1st GREY THUNDER 2nd RA IKANE 3rd RHYTHMIC KING

Race 5 – 0 - 64 HCP – 1000 metres:

HERCULEAN and OUT OF THE DESERT came together on jumping away. HERCULEAN then shifted in and had to be eased off the heels of FINNISS.

Shortly after the start DISPLAY shifted in onto DE WALLAN forcing that gelding in onto MAGNIFICENT SEVEN.

As a result MAGNIFICENT SEVEN was taken in onto the heels of OUT OF THE DESERT and had to be eased.

Mr C Pollard trainer of MAGNIFICENT SEVEN was fined \$100 for presenting the gelding with incorrect gear (AR 140A).

1st COMMAND RULER 2nd OUT OF THE DESERT
3rd HERCULEAN

Race 6 – WEIGHT FOR AGE – 1100 metres:

I AM MAGIC was slow into stride when the gates opened.

Shortly after the start HIDDEN SURPRISE, COSTLYEV and FAR HORIZONS were tightened for room between PICK OF THE LOT which shifted in and BELCINO which shifted out.

In the straight MS A Brown rider of FAR HORIZONS accidentally dropped her whip.

Subsequent to the event the Club's Veterinary surgeon reported that COSTLYEV had lost it's off fore plate and was lame in that leg.

1st I AM AMGIC 2nd HIDDEN SURPRISE 3rd BELCINO

Swab samples were taken from all winners.

Pre race samples were taken from Kirkham, The Sailor, Meet Barney.

Summary:

Suspensions: Nil
Fines: Race 5 C Pollard
Reprimands: Nil
Forfeit Riding Fee: Nil
Embargoes: Nil