

STEWARDS REPORT

ALICE SPRINGS TURF CLUB

SUNDAY 7TH DECEMBER 2014

Weather: Fine

Track: Good

Rail: True

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

Deputy Steward:

Veterinarian: Alice Veterinary Centre

Number of Races: 5

Number of Runners: 33

Stakes Paid: \$53,000

Race 1: Yeperenye Handicap 1600 metres

NEW EMPIRE (K Gladwin) – Bumped with another runner on jumping.

LET HER SLIDE (D Pisani) - Bumped with another runner on jumping. Underwent a Veterinary inspection after performing poorly which failed to find any abnormalities. Trainer Mrs L Lefoe was of the opinion that it was the mare's first attempt over a mile and she also had a hard run last week. Stewards took no further action regarding the poor performance of the mare.

Race 2: Arthur J Gallagher Handicap 1200 metres

THE INVESTOR (K Connor) - Bumped with another runner at the 100m.

AZRAEL (D Pisani) – Bumped with another runner at the 100m.

KEEP THE CURRENCY (S Rowley) – Commenced a little awkward.

STORMY REBEL (F Bergstrand) – Raced wide throughout with no cover.

Race 3: ASTC Members Handicap 1200 metres

ADYNATA (K Gladwin) – Inconvenienced slightly for a run behind runners at the 200m before easing out off heels to obtain clear run.

MOSSAILEY (D Pisani) – Caught wide throughout.

HAWK HUNTER (F Bergstrand) – Knuckled badly at the start with rider almost being dislodged and as a consequence rider lost both stirrup irons and was unable to ride her mount competitively.

Race 4: Lasseters Hotel Maiden Plate 1100 metres

MISTER PERFORMER (S Rowley) – Commenced slowly into stride.

ROSIES DREAM (F Bergstrand) – Rolled in at about the 50m under pressure.

VACKER DAM (D Pisani) – Commenced awkwardly

Race 5: Murray Maintenance Handicap 11 00 metres

General: Due to inclement weather including lightning stewards brought this race forward ten minutes.

WESTERN REBEL (S Rowley) – Underwent a Veterinary inspection behind barriers after becoming a little unruly and hitting the barrier stalls with its rump and subsequently declared fit to start. Dipped slightly on jumping.

LE COMMANDANT (P Denton) – Bumped with another runner on jumping and rolled out under pressure from the 120m.

FACE THE BREEZE (J Cameron) – Bumped with another runner on jumping.

CLANGGAJANG (M Henderson) – Commenced awkwardly.

HAPPY HA HA (F Bergstrand) – Was a late scratching by order of the stewards at 6:01 after breaking through the front of the stalls and taking charge of its rider for about 600m. All bets invested on HAPPY HA HA were ordered to be refunded. Deductions applicable to the bets placed on the winner and placegetters prior to 6:01- 4 cents for the win and for the place 7 cents, 2nd 7 cents and 3rd 8 cents.

Post-race samples were taken from all winners.

Pre-race samples were taken from; Race 5 LET HER SLIDE

Summary

Fines – Nil

Suspensions – Nil

Embargos – Nil