



RACING AND WAGERING WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## HARNES RACING

### **Stipendiary Stewards Report**

**Venue:** FREMANTLE HARNES RACING CLUB (GLOUCESTER PARK) **Day/Date:** Friday 05/01/2007  
**Stewards:** WJ Delaney, LS Austin, WE Sullivan, GB Johnson (Racing Investigator)  
**Assistants:** CJ Coady (Starter/Gear), R Payne (Mobile/Brands)  
**Veterinary Surgeon:** Dr TA Rieusset  
**Medical Officer:** Dr F Wong  
**Weather:** Fine **Track:** Good

#### **Race 1: GREYS ANATOMY STAKES (2130 MBL)**

BAYETE NKOSI – (Andrew De Campo) was held up in the early stages of the straight before gaining a late inside run.

BALI GIRL – (Martin Wilson) hung outwards racing in the front straight to receive the bell and failed to run on over the concluding stages.

SIDE ALLEY – (Justin Prentice) shifted out under pressure in the run to the finish.

REDFOX WHITBY – (Adam Mellso) hung inwards and raced roughly for a short distance racing out of the back straight on the first occasion.

#### **Race 2: THE WEST AUSTRALIAN NIGHTS OF THUNDER QUALIFYING HEAT 3 (1730 MBL)**

Nothing to report.

#### **Race 3: THE WEST AUSTRALIAN NIGHTS OF THUNDER QUALIFYING HEAT 4 (1730 MBL)**

LORD VERMAX – (Hayden Charles) began badly. As the horse had offended in a similar manner previously it was excluded from the mobile barrier draw until such time as it has completed four satisfactory race or trial starts. Broke racing into the front straight to receive the bell. As the gelding had offended in a similar manner previously it will not be permitted to race for twenty eight days and until such time as it completes four satisfactory trials.

LEACRAIG – (Michael Sangalli) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

LOOK ALIVE – (Chris Lewis) a post race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have returned with an injury to the near eye. When questioned on the performance trainer Jon Gavin advised that in his opinion the gelding was nearing the end of its preparation and was unsuited by the 1730m of tonight's race. He would discuss the gelding's immediate racing future with connections with a view to easing sending it for a short let up.

#### **Race 4: THE WEST AUSTRALIAN NIGHTS OF THUNDER QUALIFYING HEAT 5 (1730 MBL)**

OK LOCH – (Jon Gavin) had difficulty obtaining a clear run to the finish.

RUNAM ALONG – (Morgan Woodley) had a tendency to over race whilst leading.

THE LAST PADRON – (Hayden Charles) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

#### **Race 5: BROTHERS & SISTERS PACE (2102 SS)**

BABY BLUES – (Justin Warwick) which began badly, was placed on its last chance in the Standing Start draw.

REASONABLY SHARP – (Glen Walton) which began badly, galloping for a considerable distance and then trailing the field throughout, was excluded from the Standing Start draw.

FRIVOLOUS FELLA – (Colin Brown) which began badly, was placed on its last chance in the Standing Start draw.

U S SUCCESS – (Ryan Warwick) was checked shortly after the start.

**Race 6: THE WEST AUSTRALIAN NIGHTS OF THUNDER QUALIFYING HEAT 6 (1730 MBL)**

CHICO VERANO – (Aldo Cortopassi) hung outwards when it was racing out of the front straight on the first occasion at the same time as another runner hung inwards, as a result made contact with a sulky wheel and broke gait, losing considerable ground. Under the circumstances no action was taken.

TEALSBY KARITA - (Gary Hall Jnr) hung inwards slightly racing out of the front straight on the first occasion.

TOALLAGOODKNIGHT – (Colin Brown) checked racing out of the front straight on the first occasion.

COLONIAL BLAZE – (Mark Reed) inconvenienced racing out of the front straight on the first occasion.

THE FINAL WORD – (Callan Suvaljko) which began badly, was excluded from the mobile barrier draw.

DUCATI – (Chris Lewis) was inconvenienced shortly after the start.

**General**

Stewards questioned Gary Hall Jnr as to the reason for his left leg remaining out of the sulky rest for a considerable distance racing towards and in the front straight on the final occasion. Driver explained that at that stage the gelding had been striking the near-side stirrup rest with its hind leg, placing him in some discomfort.

**Race 7: 2007 CHANNEL SEVEN NEWS PACE (2130 MBL)**

NO BLUE MANNA – (Justin Warwick) shifted out under pressure in the run to finish.

PATCHES – (Mark Reed) obtained an inside run over the concluding stages.

SPEED MONSTER – (Gary Hall Jnr) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

BUCK THE ODDS – (Kim Prentice) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

**Race 8: STAR CRUISES – HOTSPOT TRAVEL PACE (2503 SS)**

FLOYD BROMAC – (Andrew De Campo) which began badly, was excluded from the Standing Start draw.

HER MAN MURRAY – (Kim Prentice) which began badly, was excluded from the Standing Start draw.

RENOUNCE – (Nigel Johns) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

NEXT TIGER – (Michael Tenardi) galloped out.

BRIGHT AS – (Colin Brown) shifted out under pressure in the run to the finish.

ROCKY ROBINSON – (Kim Young) galloped briefly at the start. Was held up in the early stages of the straight before gaining an inside run.

FORWARD POCKET – (Brad Stampalia) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

**General**

The Stewards delayed the All Clear to determine whether LONG TAN DOMINATOR (Shane Young) had been denied the opportunity of a fair start. After interviewing the driver and Starter, it was established that the driver had experienced gear difficulties prior to the start and had been unprepared when the start was effected. Under the circumstances LONG TAN DOMINATOR was declared a non-starter. All bets made on LONG TAN DOMINATOR were refunded and deductions from winning bets were made in accordance with RWWA Rule of Racing 56.

**Race 9: UGLY BETTY STAKES (2536 MBL)**

REPARATION – (Gary Hall Jnr) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

WILD AND FREE – (Craig Murphy) was held up in the early stages of the straight before gaining a late inside run.

BRONSKI BOMBER – (Shane Young) shifted out under pressure in the run to the finish.

ONA REINBOW – (Wesley Andrews) was unable to obtain a clear run to the finish.

**SUMMARIES**

**Scratchings**

<b>Race No.</b>	<b>Horse</b>	<b>Bar (Days)</b>	<b>Reason</b>
8	LONG TAN DOMINATOR	Declared Non Runner	Denied fair start

**Racing Bars**

<b><i>Race No.</i></b>	<b><i>Horse</i></b>	<b><i>Action</i></b>	<b><i>Reason</i></b>
3	LORD VERMAX	ODM x 4	Broke after start
3	LORD VERMAX	SD-28 Days + 4 Trials	Broke gait
5	REASONABLY SHARP	ODS	Bad away
6	THE FINAL WORD	ODM	Bad away
8	FLOYD BROMAC	ODS	Bad away
8	HER MAN MURRAY	ODS	Bad away

- This may not be the final report for the meeting.
- Pre race specimens were taken from a number of runners.
- Post race specimens were taken from all winners.

**WJ DELANEY**  
**CHIEF STEWARD - HARNESS**