

# LINGFIELD PARK STEWARDS' REPORT Tuesday 03 December 2024

Stewards: Fergus Sweeney (Chief Steward), Lyn Williams (Stewards' Panel Chair), Richard

Westropp (Steward), Ben Ford (Assistant Steward), Gwen Thomas (Raceday Assistant),

Angus Kirtland (Trainee Stewards' Panel Chair)

Going: STANDARD

Stalls: 5f & 1m - Outside Remainder - Inside

### Non-Runners

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
11:27am	TWISTALINE, trained by Michael Appleby.	No Suitable Jockey Available
12:27pm	YES HONEY (IRE), trained by James Horton.	Self Cert (Bruised Foot)
12:27pm	TANGO IN PARIS (IRE), trained by Peter Chapple-Hyam.	Other (Declared to run at Lingfield Park on Wednesday 4 December 2024 - £140 fixed penalty imposed)
12:57pm	MALAY MASSAMAN, trained by Amy Murphy.	Self Cert (Bad Scope)
3:00pm	PARTISAN HERO (IRE), trained by David Loughnane.	Vets Cert (Temperature)

## **Jockey Changes**

Race	Horse	Declared Jockey	Replacement Jockey	Reason
11:57am	MISTER COCO FIZZ (GB)	Kieran O'Neill	Anna Gibson	(O'Neill stuck in traffic)
11:27am	MY BOY JACK (GB)	Dominique van der Kraats	Phoebe Edwards	(van der Kraats broke down on way)

### Race 1 - 11:27am.

THE WIN £1M WITH BETMGM'S GOLDEN GOALS HANDS AND HEELS APPRENTICE HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6) (Part of the Racing Excellence Series)

The raceday privilege request for HEAVENLY FIRE, trained by Scott Dixon, to wear a red hood to post was not submitted. Dixon was warned as to his responsibility to ensure that all raceday privilege requests





are submitted by 1pm on the day before racing.

Following the race, Joe Bradnam reported that SALAAMAAT, unplaced, never travelled.

#### Race 2 - 11:57am.

#### THE BETMGM: IT'S SHOWTIME NURSERY HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)

Permission was given for NATSUMI and SOLAR EDGE to wear a red hood to the start and ROYSDELIGHT (IRE) to go to post early.

NATSUMI wore ear plugs which were removed at the start.

The Starter reported that THE MAGIC TURTLE, trained by Des Donovan, had arrived at the start with an incorrectly fitting girth and surcingle which had to be replaced and caused a delay to the start of the race. The trainer's representative and the Starter were both interviewed. The trainer's representative explained that he had fitted the smallest set of girths that he had and the filly must have blown out once the jockey was mounted. The Starter reported that the girth and surcingle were subsequently changed at the start as a consequence. Donovan was fined £140 for failing to ensure that he had correctly fitting equipment on his horse.

Following the race, Jack Doughty reported that HINT OF HUMOUR, placed third, hung right-handed on the home bend.

#### Race 3 - 12:27pm.

THE GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM/EBF RESTRICTED MAIDEN STAKES (CLASS 5) (for horses in Bands C and D) (DIV I) (GBB RACE)

Permission was given for CASUAL ENCOUNTER to wear a red hood to the start.

Following the race, George Buckell reported that MCKENNA (IRE), placed fourth, ran too free.

#### Race 4 - 12:57pm.

THE GAMBLE RESPONSIBLY AT BETMGM/EBF RESTRICTED MAIDEN STAKES (CLASS 5) (for horses in Bands C and D) (DIV II) (GBB RACE)

Permission was given for CRACK ON BOYS and SOLAR PASS to wear a red hood to the start and HAMDANI CRUISER (USA) to be mounted on the course.

Leaving the stalls, MDAWI (IRE), placed third, jumped left-handed, which resulted in HUSH PUPPY, unplaced, shifting left-handed and giving a bump to FAVOURBROOK (IRE), unplaced, but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved and that it had not improved the placing of MDAWI (IRE).





#### Race 5 - 1:27pm.

# THE WEEKLY £5 FREE BET WITH BETUK HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)

Permission was given for DEVORE (IRE) to wear a red hood to the start.

An enquiry was held to consider the placings in this race after interference approximately half a furlong out, involving the winner, DUBAI HARBOUR, ridden by Paddy Bradley, LOST IN TIME, placed second, ridden by David Probert and FORGE VALLEY LAD, placed third, ridden by Joey Haynes. The Stewards found the interference was accidental and had not improved DUBAI HARBOUR'S placing, as LOST IN TIME and FORGE VALLEY LAD had lost little momentum as a result of the interference, with the winner always holding both runners and the winning distance being two necks at the line. The Stewards' deemed the interference to be accidental as Bradley's mount had lugged right-handed before ducking sharply further right-handed despite his best efforts to keep it straight.

The Clerk of the Scales reported that Taylor Fisher, the rider of HARLINGTON (FR), placed fourth, trained by Joe Tickle, had weighed in at 9st 4lbs having weighed out at 9st 2lbs. The rider, the Trainer and the Clerk of the Scales were interviewed. Fisher was suspended for 3 days for weighing in at 2lbs overweight.

Following the race, David Probert reported that LOST IN TIME, placed second, was slowly away. Rossa Ryan reported that SUNSET IN PARIS (IRE), unplaced, lost its action down the hill; the Veterinary Officer reported that the gelding had on overreach on its left-fore.

#### Race 6 - 1:57pm.

#### THE WEEKLY FREE BETS WITH BETMGM EXTRA HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 4)

Permission was given for RIOT (IRE) to wear a red hood to the start.

An enquiry was held to consider interference just inside the final half furlong involving RIOT (IRE), placed third, ridden by Jason Watson, REY DE LA BATALLA, placed fourth, ridden by Paddy Bradley, RIZG, unplaced, ridden by Sean Levey and DAYZEE (IRE), unplaced, ridden by Kieran O'Neill. The Stewards deemed the interference to be accidental as RIOT (IRE) shifted marginally left-handed, taking REY DE LA BATALLA and RIZG slightly off their intended line resulting in the O'Neill having to take a slight check having been crowded on a weakening DAYZEE (IRE).

#### Race 7 - 2:27pm.

# THE FREE BETS WITH BETUK BET CLUB HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 5)

Following the race, Joe Leavy reported that CORSICAN CAPER (IRE), unplaced, stopped quickly.

### Race 8 - 3:00pm.

THE EXTRA WINNINGS WITH BETUK ACCA CLUB HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 4)





Permission was given for IMPERIAL FIGHTER (IRE), GISELLES DEFENCE (IRE), TRIBAL WISDOM (IRE), HEBRIDEAN NOMAD and TIMETOBENICE to wear a red hood to the start.

# Race 9 - 3:30pm.

## THE £30 IN FREE BETS WITH BETUK HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 5)

An enquiry was held to consider interference inside the final half furlong involving TYGER BAY, placed third, ridden by George Wood; WHATS IN THE BAG (IRE), placed second, ridden by Sean Levey and ONE MORE WAVE, placed fifth, ridden by Rob Hornby. Wood was cautioned for careless riding as he had allowed his mount to drift left-handed away from the whip without sufficient correction which caused minimal interference to WHATS IN THE BAG, resulting in Hornby having to ease ONE MORE WAVE.

Following the race, Frederick Larson reported that TYKE (IRE), unplaced, ran too free. The Veterinary Officer reported that TEMPLE BRUER, unplaced, lost its right-fore shoe.

### Suspensions

Person	Race	Horse	Days	Suspended Days
Taylor Fisher	Race - 1:27pm	HARLINGTON (FR)	3	19 Dec 2024
				16 Dec 2024
				17 Dec 2024

#### Fines

Person	Race	Horse	Fine
Des Donovan	Race 2 - 11:57am	THE MAGIC TURTLE (GB)	£140.00

